Final Defense Seminar
Speaker: Roza Yunusova, Research Specialist
NDSU Animal Sciences

Topic: Effects of Maternal Nutrition, Intrauterine Growth Restriction (Iugr), and Estrogen (E2) Supplementation on Placental and Fetal Intestinal Growth and Development in Sheep

Date: Tuesday, June 19, 2012
Time: 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
Location: Hultz Hall, Room 104

Ms. Roza Yunusova is originally from Kyrgyzstan (formerly part of the Soviet Union). Roza graduated from Minnesota State University, Moorhead in May 2009 with a B.S. degree in Biology and a minor in Chemistry. Roza first came to NDSU in August 2004 as a one-year exchange student. She returned to NDSU in August 2009 to work toward her Master’s degree. Roza’s research interests are in nutritional physiology and physiology of reproduction. She is currently working under the direction of Drs. Joel Caton and Dale Redmer. In August of 2012 Roza will be starting medical school at the University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences.

NDSU to Host RMC
NDSU Animal Sciences will host the 65th American Meat Science Association’s Reciprocal Meat Conference (RMC) June 17-20 at the Fargodome. The Reciprocal Meat Conference serves as the annual meeting for AMSA which is the foremost association of meat science professionals in the United States. RMC features an interactive program tailored to bring attendees the very best and inspiring educational experience. Approximately 600 attendees are expected for the conference. The schedule and program for this year’s RMC are available at http://www.meatscience.org/rmc.
Alumni Update – Kelcey Holm Hired by Emmons County

Kelcey Holm has been hired as the new Extension Agent/Agriculture in Emmons County starting June 1.

Kelcey is a May 2012 NDSU graduate in Animal Sciences. While at NDSU, Kelcey was very active in Saddle and Sirloin Club, having served as Assistant Manager of Little I in 2011 and Manager in 2012.

Kelcey is from Forbes, North Dakota, where her parents Barry and Roxanne Holm operate a cow/calf operation.

Bethany Mordhorst Joins ANSC

Beth Mordhorst is a recent graduate of Iowa State University where she majored in Animal Science and Dairy Science. While at ISU she worked for Drs. Annette O’Connor, Jack Dekkers, Howard Tyler, and Jason Ross on their research projects, most of which involved swine. Beth also served as a teaching assistant for Drs. Ted Huiatt and Leo Timms.

Beth is currently working on a Master’s degree with Dr. Kim Vonnahme. She is excited to have the opportunity to work with Dr. Vonnahme and getting to know the other students and faculty. She is also looking forward to becoming a Bison fan.

Beth’s office is Hultz 106, her email is bethany.mordhorst@my.ndsu.edu, and her phone is 231-7641.

Dyer Tenure Transfer Approved – Greg Lardy

Dr. Neil Dyer’s request to transfer his tenure home from Veterinary and Microbiological Sciences to Animal Sciences has been approved by Provost Rafert effective July 1, 2012.

Activities and duties associated with the NDSU Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory and its operations are not part of this move. Dr. Dyer will continue to maintain his office in Van Es 161.

Land Grant Summit June 12-13 at NDSU – NDSU University Relations, June 4, 2012

NDSU will host the Great Plains Land-Grant Summit to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Morrill Act, which created land-grant universities such as NDSU, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 12 and 13. The agenda for the speaker presentations on June 12, which are open to the public, is available at http://www.ndsu.edu/news/banner_stories/landgrantsummit/.
Thank You and Farewell from Jim Magolski

“Thank you to everyone I have had the opportunity to work with while at NDSU. I greatly appreciate all the assistance, guidance, support, and friendship you have given me the past 5 years; and I am fortunate to have been part of such a great department. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time here and have many great memories. Even as I leave, I look forward to having the opportunity to work with many of you in the future. I will certainly miss NDSU; and it is because of all of you.

My last day at NDSU will be June 26. I have accepted the position of Hog Farm System Manager with Coleman Natural Foods and will start full time July 2. I will be responsible for procurement of all market hogs for the company and will work with producers across the country to improve production efficiencies and pork quality. While the company is based in Lakewood, Colorado, my home office will be located in New London, Wisconsin, near my family and my fiancée Emily.

My new email address is james.magolski@colemannatural.com.”

Flag Day, June 14