

# Program 2025

**DAY 1**

**WEDNESDAY**

**JUNE 4TH**



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 8 to 8:30 a.m. **Registration**

**08:30 a.m.** **Seminar opening**  
**Oswaldo Muñoz - Extru-Tech**

**08:45 a.m.** How to Achieve a Stable and Efficient Process in an Extrusion Plant.  
**Cristian Paredes - Extru-Tech**

**09:30 a.m.** Micro Pellets & Shrimp Feed.  
**Dana Nelson - Extru-Tech**

 10:15 to 10:45 a.m. **Coffee Break**

 **10:45 a.m.** • **Live**  
Extruded Feed Production at the UABC Pilot Plant: Shrimp Micro Pellets.  
**Edgardo Paredes, Shannon Stapleton, Jordan Niegsch - Extru-Tech**

**11:15 a.m.** Precise Dosing = More \$\$.  
**Arjan Los - KSE Process Technology**

**12:00 a.m.** Fine Grinding with Hammermills – A new Level of Fineness and Efficiency.  
**Thomas Runde - Tietjen Verfahrenstechnik GmbH**

**12:45 a.m.** Treats & Fresh Meat.  
**Will Henry - Extru-Tech**

 19:00 p.m. **Cocktail sponsored by** 

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**DAY 2 THURSDAY JUNE 5TH**



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**08:00 a.m.** Screening and Pneumatic Conveying in Extrusion Plants.

**Jesús Armenta & Uriel Roldán - Coperion**

**08:45 a.m.** Operating Costs in an Extrusion Line.

**Oswaldo Muñoz - Extru-Tech**

**09:30 a.m.** Maximizing Extrusion Efficiency and Quality: The Best-Kept Secret of Steam in the Preconditioner and Extruder.

**David Mondragon - Armstrong International**

 10:15 to 10:45 a.m. **Coffee Break**

 **10:45 a.m.** • **Live**  
Extruded Feed Production at the UABC Pilot Plant: Super Premium Cat Food.  
**Edgardo Paredes, Shannon Stapleton, Jordan Niegsch - Extru-Tech**

**11:15 a.m.** Petfood Coating for Enhanced Palatability.

**Carlos Bacal - Kemin Industries**

**12:00 a.m.** Advanced Twin Screw Thermal Extrusion Systems.

**Ed de Souza - Wenger Manufacturing**

**12:45 a.m.** Bagging and Packaging Lines for Dry Pet Foods and Treats.

**Brett Matson - JEM International**



At the end of the day, certificates of participation will be given and a group photo will be taken.

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**DAY 3**

**FRIDAY**

**JUNE 6TH**



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EXPERIENCE MATTERS

**08:00 a.m.** Turnkey Projects.  
**Javier Ortiz - Molinos Azteza**

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**08:45 a.m.** The Future Driven by Automation and Artificial Intelligence.  
**Aldo Martínez - Northwind**

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**09:30 a.m.** Artificial Intelligence at the Service of Extrusion  
**Jay Pokorny - Extru-Tech**

 10:15 to 10:45 a.m. **Coffee Break**

**10:30 a.m.** Hybrid Dryers and HRU (Heat Recovery Unit).  
**Ed de Souza - Wenger Manufacturing**

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**11:15 a.m.** The Next Step in Drying Energy and Moisture Optimization.  
**Jay Pokorny - Extru-Tech**

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**12:00 a.m.** JBT Marel Equipment - Meat and Wet Pet Food Handling.  
**Ben Huisinga - Marel**

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**12:45 a.m.** Chunks in Wet Pet Foods.  
**Lasse Andreasen - Source Technology**