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### **North Central Avian Disease Conference is Back for 12th Year at MPF**

(Buffalo, MN) ... For the 12<sup>th</sup> straight year, the 67<sup>th</sup> annual North Central Avian Disease Conference (NCADC) will precede the Midwest Poultry Federation (MPF) Convention on March 14-15, 2016, at the Saint Paul RiverCentre, St. Paul, MN.

There is a separate registration fee to attend this event. NCADC attendees may register through MPF, either online or using a pre-registration form via fax/mail.

“We're proud of our long-running partnership with NCADC, which always offers an excellent program of speakers and topics. This partnership allows our attendees additional educational and networking opportunities,” said MPF President Darrin Karcher, who represents the Michigan Allied Poultry Industry on the board of directors.

The theme for the 2016 North Central Avian Disease Conference is “*Veterinarians and the Health of the Poultry Industry*”.

“The poultry industry is second to none in creating an affordable and abundant food supply for demanding consumers,” said 2016 NCADC Chairwoman Carol Cardona of the University of Minnesota. “In the face of transboundary diseases and market requirements for increasing food safety, poultry commodities are facing new challenges. Veterinarians and scientists who can provide strategic vision about the future of poultry industry challenges are in great demand. We invite you to come and explore with us approaches to meeting the industry’s need for health advisors.”

Research papers and case reports are always welcome. Submit titles and abstracts to Dr. Carol Cardona at [ccardona@umn.edu](mailto:ccardona@umn.edu) by February 14, 2016.

For more information on this event, please visit <http://midwestpoultry.com/attendes/ncadc> or contact Dr. Cardona at [ccardona@umn.edu](mailto:ccardona@umn.edu).

The MPF Convention runs March 15-17, 2016 at the Saint Paul RiverCentre in St. Paul, MN. For more information on the MPF Convention or to receive registration and hotel reservation information, please visit <http://midwestpoultry.com>. Or contact the MPF at (763) 682-2171 or e-mail, [info@midwestpoultry.com](mailto:info@midwestpoultry.com).

You can also find MPF on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/MPFConvention](http://www.facebook.com/MPFConvention)) and Twitter ([www.twitter.com/MPFConvention](http://www.twitter.com/MPFConvention)). The Twitter hashtag for the show is #mpf16.

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