Training School venue, the Leibniz Institute for Farm Animal Biology (FBN) **(www.fbn-dummerstorf.de)**, is located 12 km south of the Hanseatic city of Rostock. An organized bus shuttle will bring attendees from Rostock to Dummerstorf and *vice versa*.

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29. September – 1. October 2014

APPLICATIONS

Applications should be sent to Björn Kuhla (metaschool@fbn-dummerstorf.de) and with copies to Yvette de Haas (Yvette.deHaas@wur.nl) and Jan Lassen (Jan.Lassen@agrsci.dk)

A short CV and a motivation letter needs to be included.

APPLICANTS

A maximum number of 20 attendees can be accommodated. Early Stage Researchers (within 8 years of their PhD) are particularly encouraged to apply, and those selected will receive a grant towards their travel and accommodation.
Applicants are requested to bring their Laptop.

All participants and trainers will have to pay a fee of 125€ which can be reimbursed by COST.

IMPORTANT DATES

July 1st 2014   Deadline for Application
July 15th 2014   Final decision for selecting attendees

ACCOMODATION and BUS STOP

Pentahotel Rostock

www.pentahotels.com/en/hotels/rosph-rostock/

LOCAL ORGANIZERS

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TOPICS

1. Global climate change and involvement of ruminants
2. Rumen microbiology, hydrogen, methanogens, metagenomics
3. Modelling methane production from ruminants
4. Nutrition and physiology affecting methane production
5. Technical aspects of methane measurement (GreenFeed, C-LOCK Inc. & Respiration Chambers)

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