

2026 IFPRI Annual General Meeting Overview  
 June 14-18, 2026  
 Plaza Congress Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, USA

First Business Meeting (Virtual) on June 3  
 Welcome Drinks on Saturday, 17:00 - 19:00

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| All Participants | Members & Consultants Only | Social Program |
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| Sunday                  | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday                              |
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| <i>Forward Look</i>     | <i>Program Review &amp; Ideation:<br/>Formation, Size Reduction,<br/>Characterization</i> | <i>Program Review &amp; Ideation:<br/>Wet, Dry, Systems<br/>Engineering</i> | <i>Technical Program<br/>Development</i>              | <i>Technical Program Definition<br/>&amp; Final Business Meeting</i> | <i>Company Tours<br/>(optional)</i> |
| Introductions           | Project Talks   | Project Talks   | Review of New Briefs                                  | Prioritization of New and Renewal<br>Proposals                       | PSRI<br>US Gypsum                   |
| Reviews                 | Project Posters   | Project Posters   | Academic Feedback to IFPRI<br>(academics only)        | Prioritization of New Briefs   |                                     |
| Plenary Talks           | Ideation Sessions   | Ideation Sessions   | Members' Discussion of Ongoing<br>Projects & Renewals | Budget Discussion and Final<br>Project Selections                    |                                     |
| Review of New Proposals | Brief Writing   | Brief Writing   | Brief Writing   | Final Business Meeting   |                                     |
| Happy Hour              | Beer Tasting  | Boat Trip   | Banquet   |  |                                     |

*Wednesday, June 3, 2026*  
*First Business Meeting*  
*Virtual*  
*Times are Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)*

**Webcast**

| Start | Description                             | Speaker/Chair                           |
|-------|---|---|
| 8:30  | Call to Order                           | IFPRI President                         |
| 8:40  | Reading of Minutes and Quorum Call      | IFPRI Secretary                         |
| 8:50  | Financial Status and Budget             | IFPRI Treasurer                         |
| 9:05  | Business Update                         | IFPRI President                         |
| 9:50  | Technical Program Status                | IFPRI Chair and Vice President          |
| 10:05 | Planning, Succession and Other Business | IFPRI President, IFPRI Succession Chair |
| 10:20 | Adjourn                                 |   |

*Sunday, June 14, 2026*  
*Forward Look: Reviews, Plenaries, New Proposals*  
*Times are Central Daylight Time (GMT-5)*

**Webcast**

| Start | Description  | Speaker/Chair                   |
|-------|--|---------------------------------|
| 9:00  | Welcome to IFPRI AGM   | IFPRI President                 |
| 9:10  | AGM Agenda   | IFPRI Chair                     |
| 9:20  | Host Lecture   | Rich Lueptow, Northwestern U.   |
| 10:00 | Dust Emission  | Martin Morgeneyer, U. Compiègne |
| 10:30 | Break  |                                 |
| 11:00 | Atomic Layer Deposition  | Ruud van Ommen, TU Delft        |
| 11:30 | Granulation Scaleup  | Paul Mort, Purdue U.            |
| 12:00 | Lunch  |                                 |
| 13:00 | Correlative microscopy for filled multi-components complex systems | Paddy Royall, ESPCI - Paris     |
| 13:30 | Industrial Talk - Imrys  | Jarrod Hart, Imrys              |
| 13:50 | Industrial Talk - US Gypsum  | David Pelot, USG                |
| 14:10 | Industrial Talk - Danone   | Martijn van der Hoeven, Danone  |
| 14:30 | Break  |                                 |
| 15:00 | Consultants' Review of New Proposals                               | Consultants                     |
| 15:30 | Members' Discussion and Prioritization of New Proposals            | IFPRI Chair/Vice-Chair          |
| 16:40 | Adjourn  |                                 |
| 18:30 | Happy Hour   |                                 |

Monday, June 15, 2026

Technical Program Review: Formation, Size Reduction, Systems Engineering, Characterization

Times are Central Daylight Time (GMT-5)

Webcast

| Start | Description   | Speaker/Chair                    |
|-------|---|----------------------------------|
| 8:30  | Session Introduction  | IFPRI Chair                      |
| 8:35  | Model-based Design of Granular Products                                   | R. Smith, U. Sheffield           |
| 8:45  | A Systems Engineering Approach to Dry-Milling with Grinding Aid Additives | A. Kwade, TU Braunschweig        |
| 8:55  | Continuum Flow Modeling   | Pieter Vonk, Envalor             |
| 9:05  | Air-Induced Defect Formation During Compaction                            | Ken Kamrin, M.I.T.               |
| 9:15  | Numerical Modeling of Spray Droplet Formation                             | Olivier Desjardins, Cornell U.   |
| 9:25  | Break   |                                  |
| 9:40  | Porosity Development During Drying  | Reza Kharagani, OVGU Magdeburg   |
| 9:50  | Model-based Control of Granule Porosity                                   | Johannes Khinast, TU Graz        |
| 10:00 | Mechanism of Fisheye Formation  | Patrick Spicer, UNSW             |
| 10:10 | High-Throughput Measurement of Jamming Fraction                           | Daniel Hodgson, U. Edinburgh     |
| 10:20 | Move to Posters   |                                  |
| 10:30 | Poster Session  |                                  |
| 13:00 | Lunch   |                                  |
| 14:00 | Consultants' Comments: Formation, Size Reduction, Characterization        | G. Meesters, W. Peukert, W. Poon |
| 14:30 | Ideation Breakouts  |                                  |
| 15:55 | Break   |                                  |
| 16:10 | Ideation Breakout Report Out  | IFPRI Chair/Vice-Chair           |
| 16:40 | Adjourn to Work on Briefs   |                                  |
| 18:30 | Beer Tasting  |                                  |

*Tuesday, June 16, 2026*  
*Technical Program Review: Wet & Dry*  
*Times are Central Daylight Time (GMT-5)*

Webcast

| Start | Description   | Speaker/Chair                       |
|-------|---|-------------------------------------|
| 8:30  | Session Introduction  | IFPRI Chair                         |
| 8:35  | Simplified Industrial Formulations of Colloidal Dispersions | J. Vermant, ETH                     |
| 8:45  | Syneresis   | Emanuela Del Gado, Georgetown U.    |
| 8:55  | Understanding Accelerated Aging of Gels                     | Lilian Hsiao , NCSU                 |
| 9:05  | Wetting of Heterogeneous Particles                          | Lucio Isa, ETH                      |
| 9:15  | Precision powder feeding                                    | P. Nott, IISc Bangalore             |
| 9:25  | Break   |                                     |
| 9:40  | Predicting Powder Flow from Flexible-Wall Containers        | M. Jones, U. Newcastle              |
| 9:50  | Selection of Flow Aids                                      | Raj Dave, NJIT                      |
| 10:00 | Segregation of Cohesive Powders                             | Rich Lueptow, Northwestern U.       |
| 10:10 | Aeration & Deaeration of Geldart C Powders                  | Olivier Pouliquen, Aix Marseille U. |
| 10:20 | Move to posters   |                                     |
| 10:30 | Poster Session  |                                     |
| 13:00 | Lunch   |                                     |
| 14:00 | Consultants' Comments: Wet, Dry, Systems Engineering        | E. Furst, M. Louge, P. Mort         |
| 14:30 | Ideation Breakouts  |                                     |
| 15:55 | Break   |                                     |
| 16:10 | Ideation Breakout Report Out                                | IFPRI Chair/Vice-Chair              |
| 16:40 | Adjourn to Walk to Boat Trip                                |                                     |
| 18:00 | Boat Trip   |                                     |

*Wednesday, June 17, 2026*  
*Technical Program Discussion*  
*Times are Central Daylight Time (GMT-5)*

Webcast

| Start | Description   | Chair                  |
|-------|---|------------------------|
| 9:00  | Session Introduction                                  | IFPRI Chair/Vice-Chair |
| 9:05  | Presentation and Discussion of New Briefs             |                        |
| 10:50 | Break   |                        |
| 11:05 | Presentation and Discussion of New Briefs (continued) |                        |
| 12:50 | Lunch   |                        |
| 13:50 | Academic Feedback to IFPRI (academics only)           | IFPRI VP               |
|       | Members' Discussion of Ongoing Projects and Renewals  | IFPRI Chair/Vice-Chair |
| 16:20 | Adjourn: Finish New Briefs and submit before banquet  |                        |
| 18:30 | Banquet   |                        |

*Thursday, June 18, 2026*  
*Technical Program Definition and Final Business Meeting*  
*Times are Central Daylight Time (GMT-5)*

| Start | Description                                 | Chair                  |
|-------|---|------------------------|
| 9:30  | Session Introduction                        | IFPRI Chair/Vice-Chair |
| 9:45  | Prioritization of New Projects and Renewals |                        |
| 10:00 | Discussion and Prioritization of New Briefs |                        |
| 11:30 | Prospective Member Comments                 | IFPRI President        |
| 12:05 | Lunch                                       |                        |
| 13:05 | Final Board Meeting                         | IFPRI President        |
| 14:35 | AOB   |                        |
| 15:05 | Adjourn                                     |                        |

### Monday Poster Session

|       | R. Smith | A. Kwade | Pieter Vonk | Ken Kamrin | Olivier Desjardins | Reza Kharagani | Johannes Khinast | Patrick Spicer | Daniel Hodgson |
|-------|----------|----------|-------------|------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 10:30 | 1        | 2        | 3           | 4          | 5                  | 6              | 7                | 8              | 9              |
| 10:45 | 2        | 3        | 4           | 5          | 1                  | 7              | 8                | 9              | 1              |
| 11:00 | 3        | 4        | 5           | 1          | 2                  | 8              | 9                | 1              | 2              |
| 11:15 | 4        | 5        | 1           | 2          | 3                  | 9              | 1                | 2              | 3              |
| 11:30 | 5        | 1        | 2           | 3          | 4                  | 1              | 2                | 3              | 4              |
| 11:45 | Break    |          |             |            |                    |                |                  |                |                |
| 12:00 | 6        | 7        | 8           | 9          | 1                  | 2              | 3                | 4              | 5              |
| 12:15 | 7        | 8        | 9           | 1          | 2                  | 3              | 4                | 5              | 6              |
| 12:30 | 8        | 9        | 1           | 2          | 3                  | 4              | 5                | 6              | 7              |
| 12:45 | 9        | 1        | 2           | 3          | 4                  | 5              | 6                | 7              | 8              |

### Tuesday Poster Session

|       | J. Vermant | Emanuela Del Gado | Lilian Hsiao | Lucio Isa | P. Nott | M. Jones | Raj Dave | Rich Lueptow | Olivier Pouliquen |
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| 10:30 | 1          | 2                 | 3            | 4         | 5       | 6        | 7        | 8            | 9                 |
| 10:45 | 2          | 3                 | 4            | 5         | 1       | 7        | 8        | 9            | 1                 |
| 11:00 | 3          | 4                 | 5            | 1         | 2       | 8        | 9        | 1            | 2                 |
| 11:15 | 4          | 5                 | 1            | 2         | 3       | 9        | 1        | 2            | 3                 |
| 11:30 | 5          | 1                 | 2            | 3         | 4       | 1        | 2        | 3            | 4                 |
| 11:45 | Break      |                   |              |           |         |          |          |              |                   |
| 12:00 | 6          | 7                 | 8            | 9         | 1       | 2        | 3        | 4            | 5                 |
| 12:15 | 7          | 8                 | 9            | 1         | 2       | 3        | 4        | 5            | 6                 |
| 12:30 | 8          | 9                 | 1            | 2         | 3       | 4        | 5        | 6            | 7                 |
| 12:45 | 9          | 1                 | 2            | 3         | 4       | 5        | 6        | 7            | 8                 |

## Monday Poster Session

|       | R. Smith | A. Kwade | Pieter Vonk | Ken Kamrin | Olivier Desjardins | Reza Kharagani | Johannes Khinast | Patrick Spicer | Daniel Hodgson | Break |
|-------|----------|----------|-------------|------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|-------|
| 10:30 | 1        | 2        | 3           | 4          | 5                  | 6              | 7                | 8              | 9              | 10    |
| 10:45 | 2        | 3        | 4           | 5          | 1                  | 7              | 8                | 9              | 10             | 6     |
| 11:00 | 3        | 4        | 5           | 1          | 2                  | 8              | 9                | 10             | 6              | 7     |
| 11:15 | 4        | 5        | 1           | 2          | 3                  | 9              | 10               | 6              | 7              | 8     |
| 11:30 | 5        | 1        | 2           | 3          | 4                  | 10             | 6                | 7              | 8              | 9     |
| 11:45 | Break    |          |             |            |                    |                |                  |                |                |       |
| 12:00 | 6        | 7        | 8           | 9          | 10                 | 1              | 2                | 3              | 4              | 5     |
| 12:15 | 7        | 8        | 9           | 10         | 6                  | 2              | 3                | 4              | 5              | 1     |
| 12:30 | 8        | 9        | 10          | 6          | 7                  | 3              | 4                | 5              | 1              | 2     |
| 12:45 | 9        | 10       | 6           | 7          | 8                  | 4              | 5                | 1              | 2              | 3     |
| 13:00 | 10       | 6        | 7           | 8          | 9                  | 5              | 1                | 2              | 3              | 4     |

## Tuesday Poster Session

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|       | J. Vermant | Emanuela Del Gado | Lilian Hsiao | Lucio Isa | P. Nott | M. Jones | Raj Dave | Rich Lueptow | Olivier Pouliquen | 0  |
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| 10:35 | 1          | 2                 | 3            | 4         | 5       | 6        | 7        | 8            | 9                 | 10 |
| 10:50 | 2          | 3                 | 4            | 5         | 1       | 7        | 8        | 9            | 10                | 6  |
| 11:05 | 3          | 4                 | 5            | 1         | 2       | 8        | 9        | 10           | 6                 | 7  |
| 11:20 | 4          | 5                 | 1            | 2         | 3       | 9        | 10       | 6            | 7                 | 8  |
| 11:35 | 5          | 1                 | 2            | 3         | 4       | 10       | 6        | 7            | 8                 | 9  |
| 11:50 | Break      |                   |              |           |         |          |          |              |                   |    |
| 12:05 | 6          | 7                 | 8            | 9         | 10      | 1        | 2        | 3            | 4                 | 5  |
| 12:20 | 7          | 8                 | 9            | 10        | 6       | 2        | 3        | 4            | 5                 | 1  |
| 12:35 | 8          | 9                 | 10           | 6         | 7       | 3        | 4        | 5            | 1                 | 2  |
| 12:50 | 9          | 10                | 6            | 7         | 8       | 4        | 5        | 1            | 2                 | 3  |
| 13:05 | 10         | 6                 | 7            | 8         | 9       | 5        | 1        | 2            | 3                 | 4  |