

# WORLD CAVIAR FORUM Seafood Expo Global Barcelona – May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Organised by the Federation of European Aquaculture Producers.

## **Background**

The first World Caviar Forum was held in Brussels on May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019, alongside the Seafood Expo organised in Brussels. Gathering caviar producers together had been very valuable, therefore 6 years later, the FEAP Sturgeon commission is pleased to reconvene the World Caviar Forum at the Seafood Expo Barcelona on May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025, from 15:00-18:00 (CEST).

## **Workshop Objectives**

The workshop aims to delve into the future of caviar production by:

- 1. showing the evolution of global Caviar Production and Market Trends: From Wild Capture to Aquaculture
- 2. identifying current challenges and needs
- 3. encouraging questions, ideas and feedback from participants



### **TENTATIVE AGENDA**

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Mr Laurent SABEAU, President of the FEAP Sturgeon Commission

#### **FEAP** antitrust statement

Mr Javier OJEDA, FEAP General Secretary

#### 15:10 Introduction to the workshop rationale, agenda and interaction guidelines

Mr Serge GOMES DA SILVA, FEAP communication advisor and moderator

#### 15:15 Evolution of caviar quantities and market: from wild catch to aquaculture

- Mr REBEIZ / CAVIAR-HOUSE Airport Premium : History & experience.
- Mr Christophe VANDE WEYER / DG MARE-EUMOFA: Trends based on the 2018 and 2021 studies.
- **15:45** Opening the floor to questions and panel exchange with Mr Rebeiz and Vande Weyer Short Mentimeter feedback on key messages and opinions

#### 16:00 Current state of caviar production worldwide

Mr Paolo BRONZI, President of the World Sturgeon Conservation Society

**16:15** Questions and exchange on the current state (collecting information on Menti)

#### 16:30 Caviar and sturgeon as a resource for the future

- (tbc): CITES presentation of common challenges
- Mrs Jutta JAHRL, Wildlife WWF Austria: CITES & the application of the rules to sturgeon and caviar
- **17:00** Opening the floor to questions and panel exchange with CITES and WWF Short Mentimeter feedback on key messages and opinions
- 17:15 Opening an exchange between all 5 panellists, moderated by Serge GOMES DA SILVA (Last mentimeter for priorities for the future and topic for next workshop)

#### 18:00 Closing of workshop



## **Target Audience and Workshop Format**

Participants, representing caviar producers worldwide, are invited to attend the World Caviar Forum workshop. This forum is a side event of the Seafood Expo Global, and it is not part of the conference program.

**In-person attendance** is encouraged to maximize networking and discussion opportunities, but hybrid participation will also be available for those unable to attend on-site. The workshop will be held in English. No interpretation will be provided.

## Logistics

The workshop will take place on 6 May 2025 in Barcelona, at the **Seafood Expo - FIRA BARCELONA GRAN VIA**, Room 4.4 - Guest Events, from 15:00 to 18:00, as follows:

- On-Site Participation: Limited to 60 participants to ensure a focused and productive experience. Important: On-Site participants will need to have 'Exhibit Hall' pass or 'Exhibitor' pass (no need for 'Conference' pass) to enter the expo to proceed to the 4.4 meeting room. The FEAP can provide 'Exhibit Hall' pass if needed, please contact us at catherine@feap.info to receive yours.
- **Online Participation**: For those unable to attend in person. A hybrid format will be offered, allowing both in-person and online participation.
- **Registration Process**: An application form will need to be completed to indicate your preferred mode of participation (on-site or online).
- Language: The workshop will be conducted in English.
- Catering services: for the on-site participants coffee-break will be provided.
- How to get there: How to get there Guest Events / CC4 Guest Events

#### All attendees are requested to:

- Participate actively throughout the workshop.
- Maintain a collaborative and constructive attitude.
- Limit discussions to the topics set in the agenda.

## **GDPR** policy

By applying to participate in this workshop, you are confirming that you are happy for photos, video and comments made by yourself to be publicly viewable online. If you do not wish for photos, videos or comments to be taken, please let us know by contacting us at catherine@feap.info.