



The All-Feather Association





Vision Statement

To be the leading technical resource and voice for the feather industries.

Mission Statement

A non-profit organization which progressively serves its poultry and egg members through research, education, communications and technical services.

USPOULTRY Values

Integrity First

Service to Customers

Excellence in All We Do





Who We Are

USPOULTRY is the world's largest poultry organization. Membership includes producers and processors of broilers, turkeys, eggs, breeding stock, and ducks, as well as allied companies. We have member companies worldwide and 27 affiliated state associations.

PROGRAMS

INTERNATIONAL
POULTRY EXPO

EDUCATION, TRAINING
AND STUDENT
OUTREACH

AFFILIATE IT SUPPORT

ENVIRONMENT

FOOD SAFETY &
PRODUCTION

RESEARCH





ATLANTA 2014

Global Marketplace
for the Poultry, Meat & Feed Industries



Industry & Education Programs

Student Outreach Programs

College Student Career Program

International Student Career Program

USPOULTRY Foundation

National 4-H Conference

USPOULTRY Poultry Judging Contest

National FFA Poultry Evaluation Career Development Event

“Learn & Earn” Co-Op Program





Research

The programs provide an unbiased procedure for funding through a Foundation Research Advisory Committee, comprised of industry technical experts in a variety of disciplines. The committee evaluates hundreds of research proposals for merit and value before making recommendations to the association board of directors for funding.

Copies of completed research summaries are available on the USPOULTRY website www.uspoultry.org.



Research

Poultry health concerns were on the rise in the early 1960s. In 1962, what was then Southeastern Poultry & Egg Association appropriated funds for gumboro research and worked to obtain funding from the federal government to study leukosis.

The research expanded over the years into what ultimately became a comprehensive program studying every aspect of poultry and egg production and processing. Millions of dollars continue to be reinvested into the industry in the form of research grants.





Foundation Research Advisory Committee (FRAC)

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Important Research Areas

- Food Safety and Product Quality
- Environmental Safety
- Poultry Well-Being
- Poultry Health
- Poultry Production Technologies
- Poultry Nutrition
- Poultry Genetics

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- Deadlines for one page pre-proposals
- Guidelines for preparation and deadlines for submission of full proposals
- Summaries of completed projects located by keyword
- Research Priorities
- Board Research Initiative