# **Breeding EDGE Workshop**



Katherine, NT: 30 July - 1 August 2018

VENUE TIME Katherine, venue TBA 8:30am to 5:00pm

BREEDING EDGE IS A THREE-DAY WORKSHOP DESIGNED TO ASSIST PRODUCERS IMPROVE AND REFINE THEIR BREEDER HERD MANAGEMENT AND GENETIC IMPROVEMENT PLANS.

Participants will be able to develop a breeding herd management plan using genetic and reproductive knowledge and technologies, to achieve desired production targets.

#### Attending this workshop will help you to:

- evaluate and improve your existing breeding herd management program for reproduction and genetic improvement
- understand the importance of measures of reproductive performance
- identify strategies and management to improve breeding herd performance
- develop a management plan that incorporates practical, achievable strategies and a management program to meet your desired objective(s)
- develop systems for evaluating the success of your strategies

#### **Prices (GST exclusive):**

\$1,750 + GST / One person from a business \$1,450 + GST / Two or more people from a business Cost includes comprehensive set of workshop notes, workbook and lunch, morning and afternoon tea each day.

## What you will learn:

- reproduction and current herd performance
- female reproduction
- managing the breeders systems
- bull fertility and management
- reproductive diseases and diseases that impact reproduction
- breeder herd management plan
- genetic improvement of your herd (including breeding objectives)
- traits of economic importance for your herd
- genetic principles and selection tools
- selection and selection criteria
- breeds and breeding systems

#### **Deliverers:**

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## Places are limited. To register contact:

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