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TARANDUS 4th workshop: *Feeding related diseases and other threats* to reindeer populations

When: One-and-a-half-day workshop, March 7th-8th, 2023 **Where:** Sommarøy Arctic Hotel, Sommarøy, Troms, Norway

Tuesday March 7 th			
Time (CET)	title	Speaker	
09.00 - 09.15	Welcome and TARANDUS news		
09:15 - 09:30	A short introduction to prions and Chronic	Morten Tryland, Inland	
	Wasting Disease in reindeer	University of Applied Sciences,	
		Norway	
09:30 - 10:00	Chronic Wasting Disease in Hardangervidda	Jørn Våge, Norwegian	
		Veterinary Institute, Norway	
10:05 - 10:20	The improved genome assembly of	Kisun Pokharel, Natural	
	Fennoscandian reindeer (Rangifer tarandus)	Resources Institute Finland	
		(Luke), Finland	
10:25 - 10:40	Genetic diversity of wild and	Juha Kantanen, Natural	
	semidomestic Rangifer populations	Resources Institute Finland	
		(Luke), Finland	
10:45 - 11:00	Modelling freedom and transmission of chronic	Jerome Baron, Heidelberg	
	wasting disease in Swedish and Norwegian	University, Germany	
	reindeer herds		
11:05 - 11:20	Storage of vacuum-packed white-tailed deer	Mikaela Sauvala, University of	
	meat cuts at 4 degree is challenging	Helsinki, Finland	
11:30 - 13:00	Lunch break		
13:00 - 13:25	Experiences from autopsies related to feeding	Ulrika Rockström, Gård &	
	disorders	Djurhälsan, Sweden	
13:30 - 13:45	Feeding related diseases in veterinary practise	Sauli Laaksonen, University of	
		Helsinki, Finland	

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13:50 - 14:05	Questionnaire on feeding and infectious	Karin W. Phillipot, SVA –
	keratoconjunctivitis in Sweden and Norway –	National Veterinary Institute
	Preliminary title	and Swedish University of
		Agricultural Science, Sweden
14:10 - 14:25	Disease outbreak with unknown aetiology in	Ingebjørg H. Nymo, Norwegian
	semi-domesticated reindeer	Veterinary Institute, Norway
14:30 - 15:00	Coffee break	
15:00 - 15:15	Diagnostic tools for measuring cytokine levels in	Tuva Løken Frøvoll, NMBU,
	reindeer	Norway
15:20 - 15:30	Climate-sick reindeer: developing model-based	Katy Roy, University of
	decision support tools to inform veterinary	Liverpool, UK
	interventions for brainworm in managed	
	reindeer	
15:30 - 15:55	Parasite investigations in semi-domesticated	Stine Emilie Aurbakken, Inland
	reindeer subjected to changing climate and	University of Applied Sciences,
	herding practices in Norway	Norway
	Pestivirus in reindeer- what do we currently	Ester Malmström, Inland
	know?	University of Applied Sciences,
		Norway
16:00 - 16:15	Caribou and Vectors in North America: A	Kayla Buhler, Inland University
	changing story in a warming Arctic	of Applied Sciences, Norway
16:15 - 17:15	TARANDUS PhD meeting	
19:00	Dinner at Sommarøy Arctic hotel	

Wednesday March 8th				
Time (CET)	Title	Speaker		
08:20 - 08:30	Welcome to day 2!			
08:30 - 08:55	Land use and reindeer herding – Preliminary title	Anna Skarin, Swedish University		
		of Agricultural Science, Sweden		
09:00 - 09:15	How is reindeer herding affected by wind mills?	Reiulf Aleksandersen, reindeer		
	A herders perspective – To be confirmed	herder		
09:20 - 09:35	Future food production – reindeer from a	Ulrika Nordling, SVA – National		
	preparedness perspective	Veterinary Institute, Sweden		
09:40 - 09:55	Long-term effects of winter feeding on reindeer	Heidi Rautiainen, Swedish		
	habitat selection and fine-scale foraging	University of Agricultural		
	behaviour	Sciences, Sweden		
09:55 - 10:10	The impact of silage and concentrate feeding to	Saila L. Ruuhinen, University of		
	the physiology of captive reindeer in winter	Helsinki, Finland		
10:15 - 10:45	Coffee break			

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10:45 - 11:00	The effect of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory	Hanna Nurmi, University of
	drug on the distance travelled by reindeer in the	Helsinki, Finland
	wilderness after castration	
11:05 - 11:20	What kind of feeding improves reindeer health	Laura Post, Lapland University
	and welfare?	of Applied Sciences, Finland
11:25 - 11:40	Updating the animal welfare legislation	Charlotte Berg, Swedish
	regarding the design and management of	University of Agricultural
	reindeer slaughter facilities: a Swedish case	Sciences, Sweden
	study	
11:45 – 12:00	REINFORCE project: Climate, habitat, and animal	Léonie Duris, Swedish University
	production; Reinforcing a northern pastoral	of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden
	production system facing increasing external	
	stress	
12:05 - 12:25	What's next for the TARANDUS network,	TARANDUS board
	Workshop closure	
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch break at Sommarøy Arctic Hotel	
14:00	Departure from Sommarøy Arctic Hotel	