

SCC-81 Mini- Symposium
Sunday, January 26, 2020, 1 - 5 PM

Pasture-raised Lamb and Goat

1:00 pm

Welcome

Chair: Stephan Wildeus, Virginia State University, Petersburg, VA (swildeus@vsu.edu)

1:05 pm

Towards year-round grazing in the Southeastern U.S.

Gabriel Pent, Virginia Tech, Raphine, VA (gpent@vt.edu)

1:35 pm

Use of silvopastures and woodlands to expand the grazing opportunity for small ruminants

Uma Karki, Tuskegee University, Tuskegee, AL (ukarki@tuskegee.edu)

2:05 - Break

2:15 pm

Growth performance of lambs and kids on pasture

Susan Schoenian, University of Maryland, Keedysville, MD (sschoen@umd.edu)

2:45 pm

Carcass and meat quality of pasture-raised lamb and goat

Jung Hoon Lee, Fort Valley State University, Fort Valley, GA (leej@fvsu.edu)

3:15 pm – Break

3:25 pm

Organic sheep production in Arkansas

*Joan Burke, USDA-ARS Dale Bumpers Small Farm Research Center, Booneville, AR
(Joan.Burke@usda.gov)*

3:55 pm

Marketing options for pasture-raised lambs

Dahlia O'Brien, Virginia State University, Petersburg, VA (dobrien@vsu.edu)

4:25 pm - Break

4:30 pm

Roundtable:

Research needs and priorities for pasture-based small ruminant production

5:50 pm - Adjourn