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Session 5: Panel Discussion on Precision Breeding

Panellist: Dr Sarah H. Ison | Global Head of Research (Campaigns), Compassion in World Farming (CIWF)



Bio

Sarah leads the technical knowledge and resource delivery of CIWF, including a team of research and policy specialists to advocate for a food system transformation that works for animal, human and planetary health and welfare. She is the author of several scientific publications related to farm animal welfare. Specialising in pig behaviour and welfare, her research has investigated welfare issues across the pig production cycle from in utero to transport and slaughter and the perceptions of stakeholders to the issues and how to overcome them. Since leaving academia, Sarah has worked globally, providing expertise directly to farmers, sharing best practice and influencing policy to improve animal welfare across the supply chain. She has also produced several reports sharing best practice and policy recommendations to improve the health and welfare of animals, people and the environment.