

US Dairy Education & Training Consortium



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Cooperating Institutions



Dairy Science faculty have retired and not been replaced

Most universities have dispersed their dairy herds

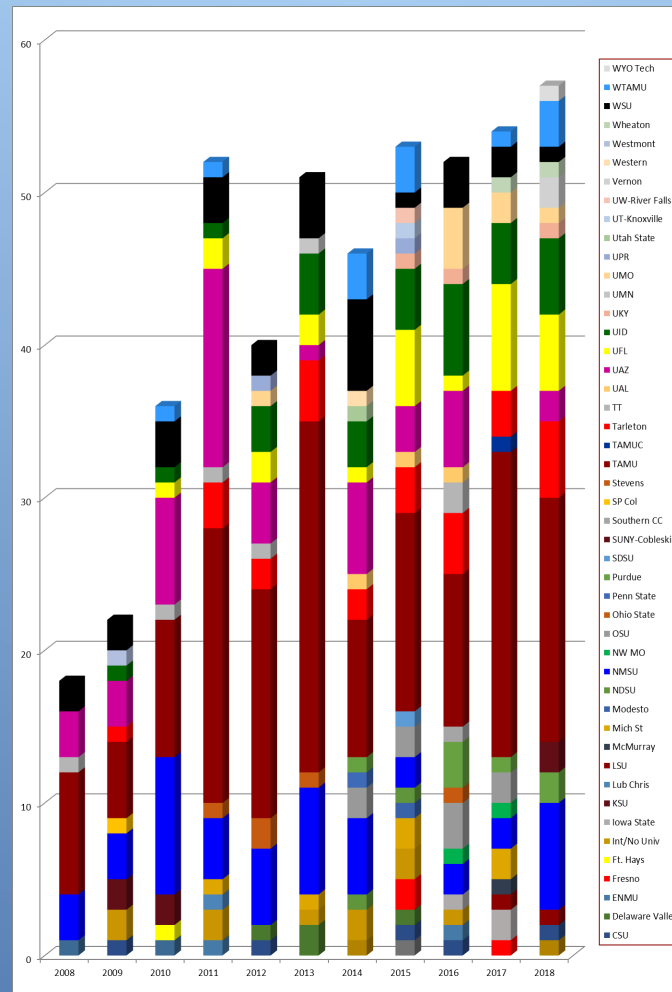
Dairy Science classes are not being taught

To provide a comprehensive curriculum in large herd management



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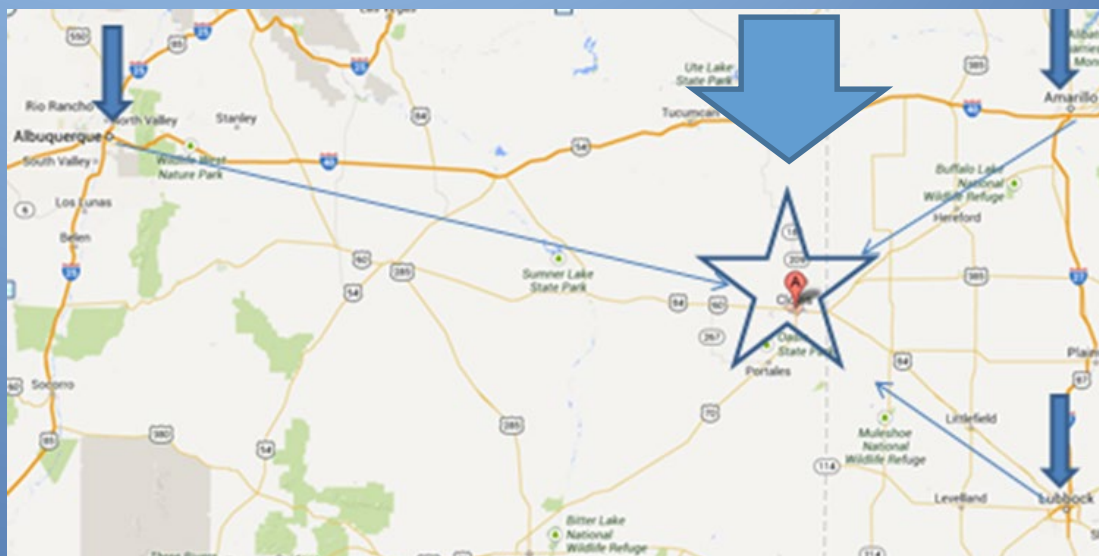
Enrollment by Year and University



**480 Students
11 Years**

Location

- Clovis, New Mexico
 - Clovis Community College
 - classrooms, labs, rec center
 - 50 herds (>2,200 cows) within 20 miles
 - Modern Facilities – all types of housing and parlors



Faculty

- Nationally known dairy science faculty, normally not available to consortium universities
- Connections for graduate school and future career pathways



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Course Structure – 2 Concurrent Sessions

- Classroom lectures
 - Herd Evaluation/Health
 - Nutrition
 - Reproduction
 - Mastitis & Milking
 - Genetics
 - Milk Chemistry/Quality
 - Precision Management
 - Facilities/Stress Management
- Field Experience
 - Travel to over forty dairies and related industry locations
 - Hands-on lecture application
 - Professional networking



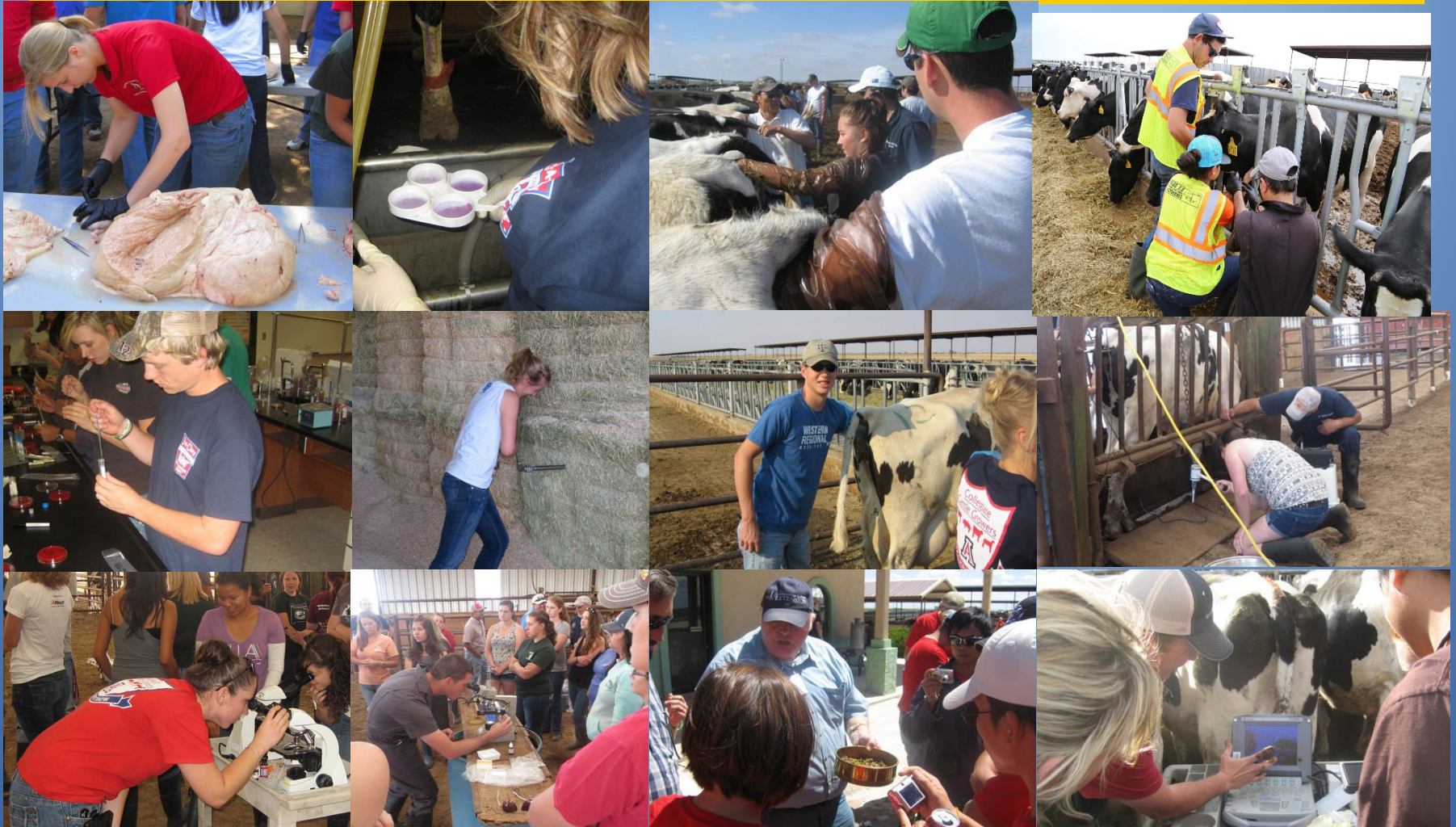
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Industry Networking



- Sponsored meals where contributors overview their company and share industry knowledge
- Networking for future internships and careers
- Real world application of dairy knowledge

Unique Variety of Hands-On Involvement



Housing

- King's Inn
 - Double room
 - Single Supplement Available
 - Daily Maid Service
 - Free Wi-Fi
 - Transportation to/from CCC
 - Parking Available
- Select your own housing



Financial

- Covered at the Consortium:
 - USDETC Tuition
 - Housing
 - Weekday Breakfast/Lunch
 - Industry Sponsored Dinners
 - Saturday Field Trips
 - Transportation to Dairies
 - Transportation to CCC
 - Shirts
- Home University
 - You pay for tuition at your home university if you are receiving credit



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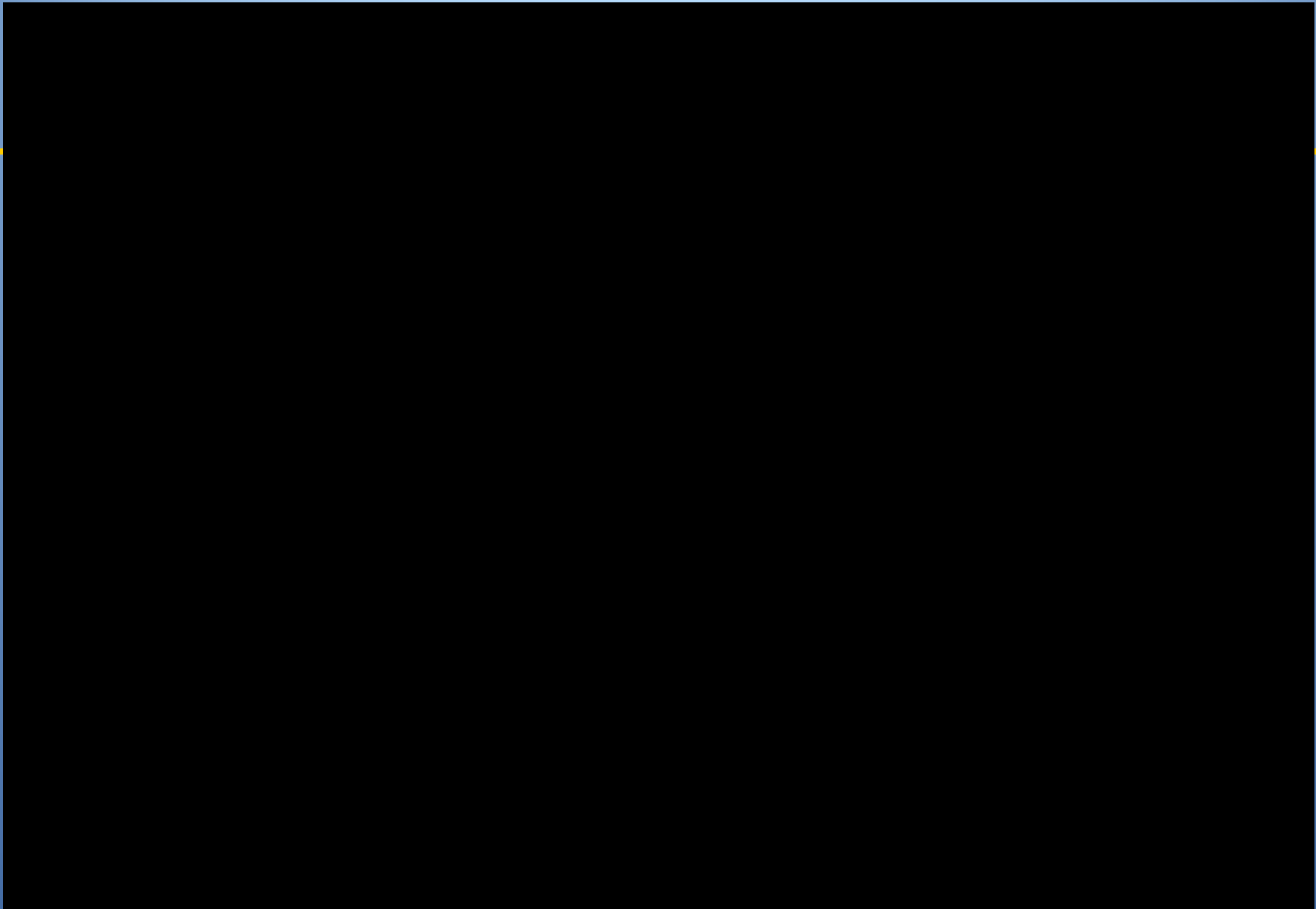
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Why Attend the USDETC

- Concentrated modern curriculum in large herd management
- Only option available at some universities for dairy education
- Can provide production option/ internship credits
- Recognized by veterinary schools as experience with large animals
- Professional networking for future internships and jobs
- Preparation for the numerous employment opportunities in the dairy industry
- Cultivates lifelong friendships and industry connections



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11 Years Of Positive Impact on the Dairy Industry!



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For More Information & To Apply

☐ Visit:

- <http://usdetc.tamu.edu>

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☐ Consortium Dates

- May 13 – June 21, 2019

☐ Application Deadline

- February 17, 2019



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