



# ÖTK – Zukunftstalk

Stakeholder-Empfang der Österreichischen Tierärztekammer

**PROGRAM, JUNE 5, 2025**



**09:00 AM** **REGISTRATION** and Welcome Coffee



**09:15 AM** **Welcome and Introduction by Moderator Gerald Groß**  
**Opening Remarks by ÖTK-President Mag. Kurt Frühwirth**  
**Video Message by Ulrike Königsberger-Ludwig**, State Secretary at the BMASGPK

**09:45 AM** **Keynote “The Next Pandemic Will Surely Come – An Update on the Current Situation and Zoonotic Potential of Avian Influenza”**  
**Univ.-Prof. Dr. Florian Krammer**, Professor of Vaccinology at the Department of Microbiology at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York City, and Professor of Infection Medicine at the Medical University of Vienna

**10:15 AM** **Keynote „Future Food – How the World’s Diet Will Evolve”**  
**Mag. Hanni Rützler**, Author, Nutritionist and Food Trend Researcher

**10:45 AM** **Discussion with the Speaker:**  
*“What Impact Do Food Trends Have on Veterinary Practice?”*

## DACH ECONOMIC FORUM

 **11:15 AM** **Keynote “New Rector, New Rector’s Office: Waht to Expect for the Future of Veterinary Education in Austria”**  
**Prof. Dr. Dr. Matthias Gauly**, new Rector of the University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna 

**12:00 PM** **LUNCH BREAK**

**01:00 PM** **Contributions from Germany**   
**Talk “Demographic Gap Among the Self-Employed? Data from the ,Tierärzteatlas Deutschland”**, Jörg Held, Journalist  
**Talk “Diplomates & Co. – Veterinary Specialisation quo vadis?”**  
**Dr. Julie Rosser, DVM, PhD, Dip. DECVS, DACVSMR**, CEO European Board of Veterinary Specialisation (EBVS)

**02:00 PM** **Contributions from Switzerland**   
**Talk “The Veterinary Practice of the Future – What Is Already A Reality?”**  
**Dr. med.vet. Florian Willmitzer, Dip. ECVDI**, Veterinary Radiologist and  
**Dr.med.vet. Oliver Gehrig**, CEO and Co-Founder of Veheri

**02:30 PM** **Panel Discussion**  
*“The Future of the Veterinary Sector: Economic Challenges and Opportunities”*

**03:30 - 06:00 PM** **CONCLUSION, ÖTK-RECEPTION**  
The event will conclude by no later than 08:00 PM.

Note: There is no participation fee. However, due to the limited number of participants, we kindly ask for your mandatory registration.

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