

DISTANCE COURSE FOR YOUNG MILK PRODUCERS IN LATIN AMERICA

The [Pan-American Dairy Federation FEPALE](#) launches the International Distance Course for Young Milk Producers in Latin America: programs, experiences and models of work. The Course will be done in distance mode from the 7th of April to 26th of May 2014



The course is aimed at professionals, technicians and managers who work or want to work in promoting initiatives for and with young milk producers coming from governmental institutions, dairy producer organizations, dairy cooperatives, farms and universities. The course (40 hours for 7 weeks) is done in collaboration with Agrocampus Virtual, which on its website [presents the detailed programme](#).

This FEPALE initiative, as outlined in its presentation, responds to the need to integrate young people in managing dairy farms, taking into account the great underway transformations in the dairy sector. The accelerated process of restructuring of the sector in all countries have led to changes in technology, in management, in human resources and production systems, requiring new skills and roles. In this context it is crucial to include young people in family dairy farms, as in organizations of dairy farmers or dairy cooperatives to promote a positive generational change.

The course also follows up on the recommendations of the [1st Pan-American Meeting of young milk producers](#) held in September 2013 and attended by over 150 young people from 9 Latin American countries. In the [Final Resolution of the Meeting](#) participants requested FEPALE to continue with this line of work aimed at young milk producers.

The Pan-American Dairy Federation takes an intense and enduring training activity for managers, technicians and workers in the dairy sector. In the FEPALE website information on all the courses the Federation takes in 2014 can be found, on different strategic topics for the development of this important sector of the economies of Latin American countries.

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