



# Continuing Professional Development Certificate

## Changes & innovation in the livestock industry – the example of dairy farming

**Date:** Wednesday 27 November 2019

**Time:** 1.10pm - 1.55pm

**Speaker:** Christopher Reynolds, Professor of Animal and Dairy Science, Director of CEDAR (Centre for Dairy Research). Reading University

In this IIL Accident lecture Chris Reynolds gave an overview of the recent evolution of the dairy industry, the economic and social drivers of change in the industry, and past and current innovations that are shaping the structure and future of the industry.

By the end of this lecture, members would have gained an insight into:

- How technology and innovation is shaping dairy farming and in particular robotic and genetic technologies
- Economic and social pressures facing the dairy industry
- Risks for dairy farmers, including those associated with climate change



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