

International Events – 2019

FEBRUARY

February 7-10 - **PROPOSED**

Agroexpo 2019

Izmir, Turkey

Agroexpo 2019 is the largest agriculture show in Turkey. Companies interested in participating at the show will be able to exhibit in the Alberta Pavilion located in the livestock hall of the show. The focus of the mission will be on livestock genetics, agriculture equipment and related technologies.

Apply by: **November 16**

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February 17-21 - **PROPOSED**

Gulfood 2019

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Gulfood is the world's biggest annual food and hospitality show and Alberta will be a leading a delegation of non-exhibiting companies to the show. Companies interested in exhibiting at the show can take advantage of Agriculture and Agri-food Canada's [Canadian Pavilion Program](#).

Apply by: **February 1**

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MARCH

March 2-8 - **PROPOSED**

Agra ME

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

Agra ME is the main annual trade show in the UAE that focuses on the livestock feed, animal health, crop and aquaculture sectors. The show draws visitors from all over the Middle East and North Africa. Alberta Agriculture and Forestry plans to have an Alberta pavilion at this event. As the show will have a large animal feed component, it is an excellent platform for Alberta's forage and feed producers to showcase their products. In addition, other Alberta sectors that would benefit from attending this show are suppliers of fertilizers and soil supplements, equine products, horticulture, aquaculture and sustainable agriculture technology.

Apply by: Applications for this show are not open yet, but companies are welcome to forward expressions of interest.

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March (final dates to be confirmed)
AAHAR Food & Hospitality Show
New Delhi, India

AAHAR is the largest fair on Food & Hospitality Sector in India covering foods, processed foods, food processing, beverages and hospitality supplies. This show provides an ideal platform from which companies can introduce their products to the Indian market. The High Commission in India, in collaboration with Agriculture and Agri-food Canada, will have a Canadian pavilion at AAHAR and invites Canadian companies to showcase their products at this event. Details on participation cost and potential funding will be available soon.

Applications for this show aren't open yet, but Alberta companies interested in participating are welcome to submit an "expression of interest" to Etienne van Straaten.

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March – (dates to be confirmed)
VIV Asia Mission to Thailand
Bangkok, Thailand

A Canadian Pavilion will be set up for the first time at the [VIV Asia](#) show in Bangkok. Depending on Alberta industry's needs, this mission may extend to Vietnam for more trade development activities.

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MAY

May 9-25
NAMPO
Bothaville, South Africa

The NAMPO agriculture and livestock show in South Africa is one of the largest shows of its kind in the southern hemisphere, drawing nearly 80,000 visitors and more than 700 exhibitors. The show covers all aspects of agriculture apart from value-added food products. It offers an ideal platform for companies in sectors such as agricultural equipment and technology, fertilizers and soil supplements, sustainable agriculture technology, horticulture, aquaculture, water/irrigation technology, animal health, livestock genetics and animal feed additives/supplements to showcase their products.

Apply by: Applications for this show are not open yet, but companies are welcome to forward expressions of interest.

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