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The Seventh International Conference on Mycobacterium bovis (M. bovis 2020 for short) will take place in Galway, Ireland from 8 to 11 June 2020.

The Seventh International Conference on *Mycobacterium bovis* will gather together scientists, policy-makers, veterinarians and industry stakeholders from around the world with the aim of identifying constraints and providing practical solutions for the control and eradication of *M. bovis*.

Themes which are applicable to countries at various stages of control and eradication will be covered including – zoonotic tuberculosis, breeding for genetic resistance, vaccination of cattle, vaccination of wildlife, diagnostics techniques, programme policies, stakeholder involvement, surveillance strategies in cattle and wildlife and biosecurity.

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