

## **IEF Global Egg School**

Nampula, Mozambique June 2019





Did you know? An emerging commercial egg farmer can provide 30,000 people with an egg every week, thus education and training have always played an important role in the work of the IEF. The IEF utilises the collective expertise of the global egg industry to support nutritionally vulnerable communities to develop sustainable sources of high-quality nutrition.

The launch of the IEF Global Egg Schools in 2019 has enabled the IEF to extend the reach of its educational support to even more people. Working alongside industry partner Lohmann Tierzucht, the first IEF Global Egg School took place in June 2019 in Nampula, Mozambique.

The school provided technical training to 30 agricultural students from the Ebenezer Agricultural Training Centre and 40 local producers. Global egg industry experts shared their knowledge in four key areas: maintaining good bird health through effective biosecurity; identifying and treating illnesses; learning how to perform field necropsies and what to look out for; and adhering to vaccination principles. The goal was to enable attendees to improve their production techniques and ultimately increase egg production.

Following the success of the first IEF Global Egg School, plans are underway to expand this programme to new locations globally, tailoring the content to the specific needs of the individual attendees and their environment.



