

Chad Ryan

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Top five most significant judging experiences:

- 2019 International Holstein Show
- □ 2018 Northeast Spring Holstein Show
- □ 2017 International Red & White Holstein Show
- 2015 International Junior Holstein Show
- □ 2013 National Holstein Show in Queretaro, Mexico

In addition to judging conformation classes, this judge also enjoys:

Youth Shows

Chad Ryan resides in Fond du Lac, Wis. with his wife, Amy, and two sons, Dylan, and Cameron. There, he assists his parents, Mark and Mary, with the day-to-day operations of their family farm, Ryan-Vu Holsteins, a show heifer operation that is home to Holsteins, Jerseys, Brown Swiss and a Guernsey. Chad and his family enjoy exhibiting cattle at various shows. The family has bred or developed over 40 All-American, Junior All-American, and All-Canadian nominees. Chad travels to many shows and sales around the US, working with elite show cattle and genetic offerings.

In 2021, Chad served as the official judge of International Jersey Show and other shows around the US and in 2020, he judged the North American Open Dairy Cattle - Jersey Show in Circleville, Ohio. Prior to that, he judged the International Holstein Show at World Dairy Expo and the New York Spring Dairy Carousel Brown Swiss and Ayrshire Shows in Syracuse, New York, the International Red & White Holstein Show, the International Junior Holstein Show, the All-American Red & White Holstein Show, the Mid-Atlantic Jersey Show, the Midwest National Spring Holstein Show, the Northeast Spring National Holstein Show.

In 2022, Chad judged the International Ayrshire Show and the Canadian 4-H Youth Classic in Toronto, Canada. Chad has also served as a director for the Wisconsin Holstein Association. He currently serves on the World Dairy Expo Dairy Cattle Exhibitor Committee and the Board of Directors and has served on nominating panels for the Holstein, Red & White and Jersey All-American contests.