



The **15th Annual USFWS Aquaculture Drug Approval Coordination Workshop** will be held in Little Rock, Arkansas this year. The location will be the La Quinta Little Rock Downtown Conference Center. The meeting will be hosted by USDA/ARS's Harry K. Dupree - Stuttgart National Aquaculture Research Center, and will highlight regional aquaculture, including industry tours to a catfish hatchery, a baitfish farm and a hybrid striped bass production facility.

There will be an opening mixer to get things started and allow everyone to become acquainted or reacquainted. Plans are being made for a catfish dinner and possibly a crawfish boil. Hope y'all can come to this meeting and experience some Southern Hospitality!

Check the AADAP (Aquatic Animal Drug Approval Partnership Program) Webpage at <http://www.fws.gov/fisheries/aadap/inadworkshop09.htm> for updated information. If you have questions, contact Dave Straus, Harry K. Dupree - Stuttgart National Aquaculture Research Center, (870) 673-4483, dave.straus@ars.usda.gov.