

# **Agersens eShepherd Virtual Herding Solution Wins Prestigious CSIRO Entrepreneurship Award**

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA – Agersens is very proud to announce that it has won the much-coveted CSIRO Entrepreneurship Award, at the Annual Awards and Medals Ceremony, hosted in Canberra yesterday.

eShepherd is a world-first livestock virtual herding solution that is a game changer for the livestock farming community. The revolutionary livestock management system provides control and automated movement of livestock. Developed in Australia for the global market, eShepherd provides new ways of improving productivity, pasture utilisation and environmental sustainability.

Agersens Founder Ian Riley said: “It has been a long, hard road. In the early days we had few champions and faced many commercialisation challenges. CSIRO has been an vital partner on this journey, having supported Agersens to overcome many of these challenges and achieve the milestones we are here to celebrate, with this award.

Thank you for the recognition of our collaboration success and we look forward to continuing working with CSIRO to drive a digital livestock global revolution.”

Andrew Maxwell, Chairman of Agersens said: “We are delighted to be acknowledged as a global leader in agtech innovation and design. Our story is a standout example of a successful partnership between CSIRO and industry. We continue to enjoy a valuable working relationship that I am confident will lead to further game changing products and services that deliver lifestyle, productivity, profitability and environmental benefits to livestock producers.”

The Ceremony celebrates the outstanding achievements of our people and partners in tackling the greatest challenges through innovative science and technology.

Awards and medals are presented across 12 categories showcasing our lifetime achievers; outstanding impact across the community, environment and industry; successful partnerships; and innovative entrepreneurial approaches.

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