

PARMA SUMMER SCHOOL

Parma Summer School 2023

Innovative Food Products

Virtual Event, 26 – 28 September 2023

Draft programme

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AFTERNOON

| Time (CEST) | Topic | Presenter |
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| 14:00 | Opening – Welcome messages | Carlos das Neves, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) Daniele Del Rio, University of Parma (UNIPR) & School of Advanced Studies on Food and Nutrition Pier Sandro Cocconcelli, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UNICATT) |
| Chapter 1: Safe innovative food products Moderator: Chiara Dall’Asta, University of Parma Co-Moderator: Cristina Alonso Andicoberry, European Food Safety Authority | | |
| 14:15 | The EU legislative framework on novel foods and food innovation. | Takis Daskaleros, European Commission |
| 15:00 | Ensuring Preparedness for the assessment of safety of new food/feed sources and production technologies. Horizon scanning. | Bernard Bottex and Georgia Gkrintzali, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) |
| 15:30 | Emerging food production and processing for more sustainable food systems | Alexander Mathys, ETH Zürich |
| 16:00 | From innovation to legislation | Cindy Schoumacher, European Commission |
| | Questions & Answers | |
| 16:30 | End of the first day | |

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MORNING

| Time (CEST) | Topic | Presenter |
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| Chapter 2: Innovation and Science Moderator: Dr. Veronica Lolli, University of Parma Co-Moderator: University of Parma | | |
| 9:30 | Forefront food innovation: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Cell-cultured meat- Precision fermentation | Masami T. Takeuchi, Food Agricultural Organisation (FAO) |
| 10:00 | Modern biotechnology methods and synthetic biology approaches | Nikoletta Papadopoulou, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) |
| 10:20 | Nanotechnology-based innovations for the food sector: New Prospects, new challenges, new concerns, and the regulation of risks | Qasim Chaudhry, University of Chester |
| 10:40 | Questions & Answers | |
| 10:50 | Break | |
| 11:05 | Allergenicity of novel foods – The case of insects | Cristiano Garino, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR) |
| 11:25 | Microalgae and cyanobacteria: opportunities and constraints | Vítor Vasconcelos, Interdisciplinary Centre of Marine and Environmental Research (CIIMAR) |
| 11:45 | Assessing risks and benefits of novel foods | Þórhallur Ingi Halldórsson, University of Iceland |
| 12:05 | Assessing risks and benefits of novel foods | Géraldine Boué, ONIRIS |
| 12:25 | Questions & Answers | |
| 12:45 | End of the morning | |

AFTERNOON

Case study: Safety of insects as novel foods

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| Moderator: Domenico Azzollini, EFSA Co-Moderators: Ermolaos Ververis, EFSA & Prof. Tullia Tedeschi, University of Parma | | |
| 15H00 | Introduction | Domenico Azzollini, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) |
| 15H50 | Discussion | Ermolaos Ververis, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) Prof. Tullia Tedeschi, University of Parma |
| 16H40 | Wrap up | Domenico Azzollini, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) |
| 17H00 | End of the second day | |

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PLENARY SESSIONS

| Time (CEST) | Topic | Presenter |
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| Chapter 3: Innovative food products and society | | |
| Moderator: Davide Menozzi, University of Parma Co-Moderator: Giovanni Sogari, University of Parma | | |
| 09:30 | Eurobarometer and other tools for gathering citizens' perception | Giorgia Zamariola, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) Joana Sousa Lourenço, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) |
| 09:50 | Attitudes towards science and food innovation. Neophobia/Neophilia case studies. | Montaña Cámara, Complutense University of Madrid Virginia Fernández, Complutense University Madrid |
| 10:30 | Consumers' perception of alternative proteins: risk-benefit considerations | Wim Verbeke, Ghent University |
| 10:50 | Questions & Answers | |
| 11:00 | Break | |
| 11:20 | Risk Communication: towards an audience-oriented approach. The EUChooseSafeFood campaign | Domagoj Vrbos, European Food Safety Authority |
| 11:40 | Novel tools for novel foods: EFSA's 'Science on the menu' podcast. | Edward Bray, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) María Tejero, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) Mariya Dokova, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) |
| 12:30 | Consumer acceptance of innovative foods: the role of information | Vincenzina Caputo, Michigan State University |
| 12:50 | Questions & Answers | |
| 13:00 | Concluding remarks and closure of the Parma Summer School 2023 | Chiara Dall'Asta, University of Parma |
| 13:10 | End of the Parma Summer School 2023 | |