





2013

6th International Symposium on **RECENT ADVANCES IN FOOD ANALYSIS**

5–8 November, 2013 • Prague, Czech Republic

Symposium sessions introducing **RECENT & EMERGING (BIO)ANALYTICAL APPROACHES** in areas:

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- Allergens
 - Flavours and odours
 - Genetically modified organisms (GMO's)
 - Industrial contaminants
 - Authenticity, Fraud
 - Mycotoxins, marine and plant toxins
 - Agriforensics
 - Nanoparticles
 - Food-Omics
 - Packaging contaminants
 - Novel foods & supplements
 - Pesticide residues
 - Organic crops & foodstuffs
 - Processing contaminants
 - QA/QC and chemometrics
 - Veterinary drugs

Workshops & interactive seminars (tentative):

- 2nd European workshop on Ambient Mass Spectrometry (AMS) in food and natural products
- Interactive seminar on sample-prep and separation techniques and approaches for mass spectrometry detection in food quality / safety: Step by step strategies for fast development of analytical method
- Interactive seminar on data handling and chemometrics, foodomics
- Vibrational spectroscopy and chemometrics for monitoring of food and feed products, lab-to-the-sample
- Food safety issues beyond the EU – challenges for analytical methods update
- JRC SEMINAR – Research activities and opportunities for collaboration strengthening
- VENDOR SEMINARS – introducing recent instrumentation and strategies for advanced food quality / safety control

Organizers:



Special opportunities for young scientists:

- Ample space reserved in the main program for **oral presentations given by young researchers**
- RAFA 2013 **student travel grants**
- Awards for the **best poster presentations** by young scientists
- Discussion platform on **research opportunities and post-graduate education in EU**, organized jointly by EC Joint Research Centre (EC-JRC-IRMM) and Technology Centre of Academy of Science of the Czech Republic

Exhibition & sponsorship:

An exhibition of instruments, consumables and literature will be organized during the symposium.

A dedicated brochure describing the exhibition and sponsorship options during this symposium will be available on the conference website.

Scientific committee (tentative):

Prof. Jana HAJŠLOVA (chair)	Institute of Chemical Technology, Prague, CZ
Prof. Michel NIELEN (co-chair)	RIKILT-Institute of Food Safety, Wageningen, NL
Prof. Chris ELLIOTT	Queen's University Belfast, Belfast, UK
Prof. Hans-Gerd JANSSEN	Unilever Research and Development, Vlaardingen, NL
Prof. Henryk JELEN	Poznań University of Life Sciences, PL
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Prof. Bruno LE BIZEC	LABERCA – ONIRIS, Nantes, FR
Dr. Steve LEHOTAY	United States Department of Agriculture, Wyndmoor, USA
Dr. Bert POPPING	Eurofins Scientific Group, Pocklington, UK
Prof. Peter SCHIEBERLE	Technical University of Munich, Garching, D
Dr. Richard STADLER	Nestlé Product Technology Centre, Orbe, CH
Dr. Michele SUMAN	Barilla Food Research Labs, Parma, I
Prof. Franz ULBERTH	JRC, Institute for Reference Materials and Measurements, Geel, B
Dr. Frans VERSTRAETE	European Commission, DG Health and Consumers (DG SANCO), B
Dr. Zhihua YE	Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences, Beijing, CN

Important dates:

April 30, 2013	Deadline to apply for participation as a Sponsor or Exhibitor
June 30, 2013	Deadline to apply for Student and young researcher RAFA 2013 travel grant
July 31, 2013	Reduced registration fee deadline
July 31, 2013	Abstract submission deadline (oral presentation)
August 31, 2013	Abstract submission deadline (poster presentation)
October 16, 2013	Last minute posters deadline

Conference programme dates:

November 5, 2013	Symposium workshops and other satellite events
November 6–8, 2013	Symposium sessions, seminars, workshops and vendor seminars
November 6, 2013	Welcome Cocktail
November 7, 2013	Symposium Dinner

Registration fees:

Registration received until July 31, 2013:

Regular registration – smart rate

Euro 480

Students *

Euro 380

Any registration received from August 1, 2013:

Euro 680

** The proof of student status will be required as an attachment of Registration form, otherwise application for the student rate will be ignored.*

We are looking forward to meeting you in person again next year!

Prof. Dr. Jana Hajslova (ICT Prague, Czech Republic), symposium chair
Prof. Dr. Michel Nielen (RIKILT, Wageningen, The Netherlands), symposium co-chair