

Swiss Food Science Meeting

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Announcement & Call for Papers

CURRENT AND FUTURE FOOD SAFETY ISSUES

PROCESS AND INDUSTRIAL FOOD CONTAMINANTS

ANALYTICAL CHALLENGES AND RISK ASSESSMENT

June 26 - 27, 2019 Université de Neuchâtel

Aula des Jeunes Rives

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An update on food science research with special emphasis on

PROCESS AND INDUSTRIAL FOOD CONTAMINANTS

The SFMS 2019 is the 4th Swiss Food Science Meeting. It takes place at the University of Neuchâtel (Aula des jeunes Rives), a picturesque place by the lake of Neuchâtel, situated at the french-german language border.

The control of food contaminants in industrial processes represents an essential quality management measure and encompasses a wide scope of different analytical techniques and analytical endpoints. Besides classical topics such as toxic metals and process contaminants such as MCPD, new topics such as the use of BIG DATA for the control of food production processes will be presented.

The invited plenary speakers will provide an update on the science of the selected topics, with emphasis on progress in analytical techniques and strategies to detect various contaminants. International experts from food industry, academia and regulatory agencies will share their concepts of risk assessment and risk management. In addition to the presentations of distinguished invited speakers, the organising committee welcomes proposals for oral contributions as well as poster submissions of all fields of food science. Contributions can be linked to the topic of the SFMS or can cover a broader scope under the umbrella of the food sciences. The posters will be shortly presented during two scheduled oral Poster session.

The Swiss Food Science Meeting (SFMS 2019) addresses key emerging issues related to food science. This meeting is therefore an excellent opportunity for scientists from academia, industry and government laboratories or institutions to network and share knowledge in this rapidly progressing field.

As in previous years, contributors are encouraged to submit their work as short manuscripts, as the proceedings of the meeting will be published in a peer reviewed scientific journal.

During the symposium, the best poster and best young scientist poster will be awarded. These awards, kindly sponsored by the SFC and VKCS (ACCS), will be presented during the closing session of the meeting.

The town of Neuchâtel - situated in the Jura foothills on the shores of the picturesque Lake Neuchâtel - is one of the most attractive destinations in Switzerland. There are several options for leisure activities and relaxation in the town, definitely additional reasons to not only attend the forth Swiss Food Science Meeting 2019 but also to extend your stay! The organising committee looks forward to welcome you at Neuchâtel.

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Preliminary Program

The preliminary program foresees sessions in analytics, risk assessment, technology and adulteration. Therefore, the OC invited plenary speakers who will cover the latest developments in the field. A further session is open for the whole field of food sciences.

June 26, 2019

Frans Verstraete, European Commission, Brussels (B):

Recent and future developments of EU legislation in the field of process contaminants

Thomas Henle, TU Dresden (D): *Advanced glycation endproducts (AGEs): New contaminants or bioactive constituents in processed foods?*

Kalila Hajjar, FEDIOL The European Vegetable Oil and Proteinmeal Industry, Brussels (B):
MCPDE and GE review of mitigation work

SFC (Swiss Society for Food Chemistry): General Assembly

SFC Awards 2019

Informal get together at the beer bar, Dinner on the lake side

June 27, 2019

Jürg Zarn, Bundesamt für Lebensmittelsicherheit und Veterinärwesen, Bern (CH):

The focus of the dietary risk assessment on the chronic toxicity of chemicals is not safe enough

Paolo Mazzatorta, Nestlé Research Center, Vers-chez-Les-Blanc (CH):

Big Data Applications in Food Safety

Ivonne Rietjens, University of Wageningen (NL):

Risk assessment of process and industrial food contaminants: use of alternative testing strategies

Richard Stadler, Nestlé Research Center, Vers-chez-Les-Blanc (CH):

Industry applications, including furan and methylfurans



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Call for Papers

You are invited to present a contribution about your work either in the field of the SFMS topic or in the whole field of food sciences.

After registration you will be contacted by e-mail and invited to submit an abstract (200 words) in an official form.

Oral contributions will be selected by the organising committee.

Posters should be in A0 format (85 cm wide x 120 cm length) and vertically orientated. The best poster and best young scientist poster will be awarded !

Deadline for contributions: March 31, 2019. Last minute posters will be accepted till May 29, 2019.

Language

Although the preferred language is English, oral presentations can be held in German, or French. Please note that power point slides must be in English.

Registration & Accommodation

The Swiss Food Science Meeting 2019 will take place at the picturesque Lake of Neuchâtel at the university (Aula des Jeunes Rives). The social highlight will be the gala dinner on the lake side in the evening of the first day.

Two days: CHF 490.-- / One day CHF 350.--

SFC and VKCS members (2 days / 1 day): CHF 340.-- / 250.--

Students CHF 190.--

Students who are SFC members: CHF 50.--

Besides the access to the lectures the fee includes the meeting documentation, the gala dinner, two business lunches and refreshments during the breaks.

Please register before May 22, 2019 on www.foodsciencemeeting.ch or contact the **SFSM 2019 office** under Kantonales Labor, Blarerstr. 2, 9000 St.Gallen (phone +41 58 229 2800). Registrations will be confirmed by email with additional informations for oral and poster contributors.

Last minute registration after May 22, 2019 (to be payed cash at the registration Desk)

Two days: CHF 650.-- / One day CHF 510.--

SFC and VKCS members (2 days / 1 day): CHF 500.-- / 410.--

Students: CHF 300.--

Students who are SFC members: CHF 150.--

For your accommodation a number of rooms are reserved. For reservation please go to the accommodation site on our homepage.

The Organizing Committee (OC)

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