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UPDATES FROM FoodSafety4EU

FS4EU has just turned its second year!

2022 has marked a milestone of its journey,
thanks to all the people contributing from inside and outside the platform!

The last year ended with the [FS4EU 2022 Pre-Forum](#), the multi-stakeholder event where FS4EU project's partners, key actors from the EU Food Safety System and EU projects coordinators shared different perspectives from policy, industry, consumer, research, initiatives, toward the launch of the [EU Food Safety Forum](#).

Wind in the sails to conclude FS4EU with numerous news, events and much more...
for and from the food safety world!
The best is yet to come! Stay tuned!



Did you miss the workshop “Do you really know what is communication effectiveness?” Watch it on FS4EU YouTube channel!

On the 11th November 2022, ASAE, the Food Safety Authority of Portugal held in Lisbon the workshop “Do you really know what is communication effectiveness?”. The insights from involved experts will support the development of best practices and guidelines for risk communication, which responds to societal concerns related to emerging risks and transparency of Risk Assessment. Relevant input have been collected to develop user-friendly toolkits targeted to different audiences and define methods to improve the public engagement while feeding a continued public-researcher interaction in the Food Safety System.

If you missed it, do not worry! Watch it at the following link

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EUROPEAN FOOD
RISK ASSESSMENT
FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

EU-FORA – The European Food Risk Assessment Fellowship Programme

The European Food Risk Assessment (EU-FORA) Fellowship Programme is a key initiative for ensuring preparedness for future risk analysis needs. The programme keeps evolving based on six years of experience, the implementation of 94 work programmes, and the participation of more than 70 supervisors from 40 organisations in 16 different EU Member States and the UK.

The programme aims to increase the pool of food safety risk assessment experts available in Europe and stimulate the involvement of Member States in risk assessment work, all with the ultimate objective of building a common EU culture for risk assessment.

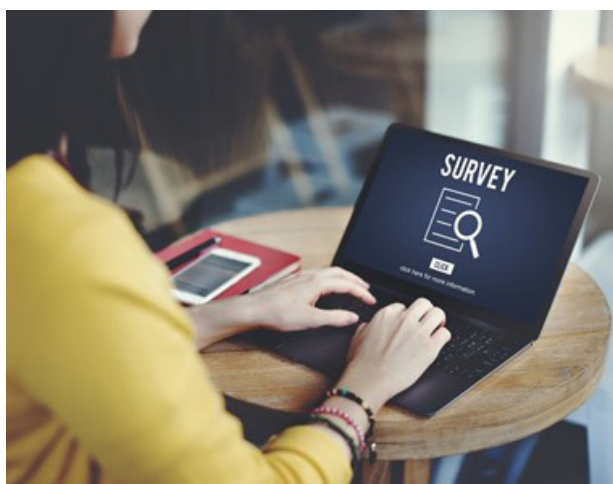
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Expert Survey on the derivation of conversion factors for new sources and forms of nutrients

EFSA is holding an open consultation through an Expert Survey on the derivation of conversion factors for new sources of nutrients.

The European Commission requested that EFSA update its “*Guidance on safety evaluation of sources of nutrients and bioavailability of nutrient from the sources*” regarding the scientific principles and data requirements for applicants. The update will support the derivation of conversion factors for proposed new sources or forms of nutrients to be authorised for addition to foods, including food supplements.

Stakeholders and scientific experts are invited to submit scientific input via an online Survey until 20 January 2023.



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Announcement “Increasing health equity through promoting healthy diets and physical activity”

The Partnership “Fostering a European Research Area for Health” (ERA4Health) aims at establishing a flexible and effective coordination between funding organisations in the European Research Area (ERA) for Health and Well-being.



**ERA4Health
Partnership**

The ERA4Health call for transnational research proposals “Increasing health equity through promoting healthy diets and physical activity (HealthEquity)” has been opened on 13 January 2023. The aim of this call is to develop novel strategies and targeted approaches to identify, understand, and modify determinants and mechanisms of diet-related behaviour and physical activity as well as sedentary behaviour, which have the potential to break through the cycles maintaining unhealthy behaviours and lifestyles and to reduce health inequalities.

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BEUC and allies press on EU Commission to publish nutrition labelling plans

Consumer and public health organisations have today urged the European Commission to come forward with its proposal on a front-of-pack nutrition labelling as soon as possible. BEUC, the European Heart Network and the European Public Health Alliance has sent a joint letter to relevant EU Commissioners.

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Analysis of main drivers on food security

The European Commission has published its study on key drivers of Food Security.

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EVENTS

EIT Food North-West: Startup Discovery Series | 24 January

EIT Food North-West is hosting a webinar series for EIT Food partners and other organisations to connect with innovative agrifood and agritech startups from across its community. The series will be an opportunity for startups to pitch their food system solutions to industry experts, researchers and investors to encourage collaboration and new partnerships.

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JPI HDHL Webinar “Food (in)security due to crisis” | 31 January 2023

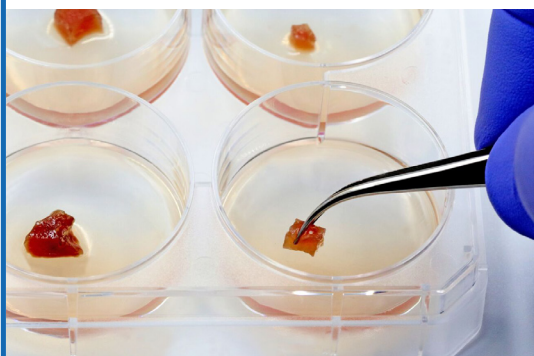
JPI HDHL kicks off 2023 with a webinar about an important topic that requires lots of attention: global food crisis. The drivers such as conflicts, climate change, COVID-19, the growing world population and rising costs are worsening the hunger and famine around the world.

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Healthy Food Design -VLAG Course | 1-5 May 2023

This course, that will be held in May, provides the essential skills for designing healthy foods for specific categories of consumers in the European legislative framework of nutritional and health claims. A detailed overview of functional ingredients is provided together with a critical discussion of tools to validate the health claims. Presentation of failure cases of healthy food design in the food industry will provide examples of “do;s and don’t” in healthy food design procedures.

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EFSA's Scientific Colloquium 27 "Cell culture-derived foods and food ingredients" | 11 May 2023

With this Scientific Colloquium, EFSA would like to bring together relevant experts and stakeholders to discuss ongoing trends and research on the topic, and the requirements for keeping EFSA's risk assessment fit-for-purpose. The event is intended for all stakeholders interested or involved in the risk assessment of cell culture-derived foods and food ingredients. Registration for this event will open in February 2023.

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7th International ISEKI - FOOD Conference | 5-7 July 2023

The ISEKI-Food Association (European Association for Integrating Food Science and Engineering Knowledge Into the Food Chain) is organising the 7th International ISEKI-Food Conference (ISEKI-Food 2023)!

The conference will take place on 05 - 07 July 2023 at AgroParisTech in Paris, France. The theme of the conference is: **"Next-Generation of Food Research, Education and Industry."**

The ISEKI-Food 2023 will focus on future challenges in education on food science and technology, in research activities related to production, processing, quality and safety, packaging of foods and in societal engagements in the field. The conference is dedicated to scientists, engineers, and students from universities all around the world as well as the food industry, thus helping bridging universities, research and industry. It provides opportunities for the delegates to exchange new ideas and application experiences face to face, establish business or research relations, and find global partners for future collaborations.

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