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“Team up for Food Safety” is one of the five calls to action launched on the World Food Safety Day and FoodSafety4EU is ready to respond!

In these first months of project life time, we have launched several initiatives to draw attention and build awareness on food safety issues.

Keeping our food safe requires effort and social commitment to work together. How? You can start by joining our community platform and participating in our initiatives.

GET IN!

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#WorldFoodSafetyDay

Food safety affects everyone and therefore we all have a role to play in healthy food. Contribute learning more through our educational materials!



June 2021: the Food Safety month's awareness!

On June 7, the World celebrates Food Safety. On this occasion, we have decided to organize a month-long campaign to raise awareness about it. Every day FoodSafety4EU engages with its community: we share meaningful content, ask your opinion, promote events.

Do not miss anything and **FOLLOW US** on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#) and **JOIN** the community platform!

Let us know your opinion on the EU Food safety system!

The FoodSafety4EU partners are starting to explore pathways of Food Safety in Europe to update knowledge, information and discover how to improve it for the future.

The surveys – launched in May 2021 – will be concluded by the end of June 2021. They are focused on 3 different target, **two of them are open to everybody**:

- *Food Business Operators* – to collect needs and perspective on food safety risk Industries, companies, Small and Medium enterprises who work along the food chain, in processing, controlling, delivering food products – **Have your say!**
- *Consumers and citizens* – to know their perception, needs and behaviour on safety risk, considering that Food Safety is a relevant issue to take care of during the daily life for a safe and healthy diet. - **Have your say!**
- *Food Safety Authorities* – to gather information about the food safety risk communication Agencies and Authorities acting at the national/regional level to enforce the Food Safety policies and regulation. This is only for FSA.

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6th International ISD4-Food Conference
ISEKI-Food 2021
23 - 25 June 2021, ONLINE
Sustainable Development Goals in Food System a
challenge and opportunity for the future



New schemes supporting food safety and consumers in Europe: a voice from the FoodSafety4EU platform

Post-conference event

25.06.21 | 14.00-15.30 CEST

Online event | Free participation

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FS4EU WORKSHOP

New schemes supporting Food Safety and consumers in Europe: a voice from the FoodSafety4EU platform

25 June 2021 | 14.00 – 15.30 CEST

The first FOODSAFETY4EU event/workshop will be hosted by the 6th International Iseki-Food Conference.

This workshop is intended as an interactive discussion on the impact of the new provisions of the Transparency Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2019/1381) calling for an integrated framework for risk communication by EU food safety risk assessors and risk managers at Union and national level. Panelists representing the main categories of Food Safety System actors (Food Safety Agencies, food scientists, food business operators, consumers) will discuss with the audience during an interactive round table.

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Would do you know more on food safety system?

GO [HERE](#) AND DISCOVER THE NEW ARTICLES!

Let's start with the latest article about nano and microplastic.



#AskTheExpert

Last month we asked you many questions in our survey. Now, it's your turn to share your questions and concerns about food safety with the experts of the FoodSafety4EU network: go on our [website](#) or social networks and comment on the posts of the **#AskTheExpert campaign!** We will collect all questions and identify the most recurrent topics and/or concerns. Then, on a regular basis, we will release short responses in the form of articles #FoodSafetyFacts or videos from recognized experts in the field.

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You'll find more information



NEWS

Do you know the importance to protecting bees? Find it out with a news scientific opinion provided by EFSA!

A new scientific opinion, requested by the European Parliament's Committee for the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety (ENVI), sets out an integrated, holistic framework for assessing the combined effects of multiple stressors on honey bees, known as MUST-B.

Bernhard Url, EFSA's Executive Director, said: "This is an important report for everyone who wants to preserve Europe's rich ecosystems, at the centre of which lie not only bees but all our insect pollinators. It sets out a clear vision for transforming the way we assess environmental risks to pollinators in the EU."



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Inspirational ideas: added value for agriculture and nature

EIP-AGRI Operational Group MUNTER (Germany) developed a management template for farmers and communities to implement increased environmental protection along with nature conservation, crop production and livestock farming. The project also tested new formats for knowledge exchange among stakeholders and developed tools to support these participatory processes. "Measures for environmental protection do not need to be at the expense of regional economic cycles, they can actually bring about more added value and development potential for a region" – Jörg Böhmer from the project.

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Save the date! Food Safety Aspects of Integrated Food Systems, 2021 Parma Summer School

The European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), the University of Parma, the School of Advanced Studies on Food and Nutrition, and the Catholic University of the Sacred Heart are organising a Summer School for early-career researchers to discuss the relevance of food safety and food security in the transformation of food systems. The 2021 Parma Summer School will provide early-career researchers with an opportunity to learn from some of the most prominent experts in the field of food safety-related aspects of integrated food systems.

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PARMA
SUMMER SCHOOL



FoodSafety4EU @EUROMALT annual convention

On June the 8th, Foodsafety4EU attended the Annual Convention of the Euromalt members, which are national malting associations from several EU members states. In this article, you'll know more about the main insights that emerged during the discussion, in particular on what FoodSafety4EU can do for EUROMALT members.

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Opportunities: 15 Early Stage Researcher (ESR) positions

We announce the start of the application period for 15 Early Stage Researcher (ESR) positions offered by the 9 host organisations participating in the MSCA ITN scheme entitled "Advanced research and Training Network in Food quality, safety and security" (FoodTraNet).

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EVENTS

New EIT strategy to power Europe's largest innovation network | June 14, 2021 at 10:00 am

The event will focus on about upcoming opportunities to innovate with the EIT Community, and will consist of two parts:

- a high-level policy session including high-level speakers
- four thematic sessions focused on the main focus areas of the EIT's new strategy

Building on last year's EIT Stakeholder Forum, the event will enable participants to share views and ask questions on the EIT's upcoming activities under Horizon Europe.

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NEW EIT STRATEGY TO POWER EUROPE'S LARGEST INNOVATION NETWORK

14 June 2021 - 10.00 CET/ 9.00 GMT

The UN food safety summit 2021

The three-day event will be held in Rome and will bring together youth, smallholder farmers, indigenous peoples, researchers, private sector, policy leaders and ministers of agriculture, environment, health, and finance among others to deliver the latest evidence-based and scientific approach from around the world, launch a set of new commitments through coalitions of action, and mobilize new financing and partnerships. Moreover, it will tackle the issue of food security and promote better agriculture, sustainable value chains and healthier lifestyles.

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Save the Date: Annual CPS Research Symposium | June - July 2021

The annual Center for Produce Safety Research Symposium will be held June - July 2021. We will provide this event virtually through a series of five-weekly live webinars. It brings together a wide variety of stakeholders, including growers, academics, government agencies, trade associations, and others interested in learning more about this important parasite and in seeking practical solutions to prevent *Cyclospora* contamination and illnesses attributed to produce.

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7th International Symposium on Food Packaging – Scientific Developments Supporting Safety and Innovation

The participants will review and debate recent advances in the science which supports the demonstration of the safety, quality and innovation of food packaging. In addition, dissemination of results of on-going research will be combined with examining the implications for the future of controlling packaging for foodstuffs.

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