

Towards the EU FOOD SAFETY FORUM: shaping together the new collaborative platform

15 December 2021

h. 10:00 - 12:00 CET

ON LINE EVENT

ORGANISATION	FoodSafety4EU project
CONTEXT	The FS4EU EU Food Safety Forum is bringing to a long-term cooperation among policy makers, researchers, industries and consumers in the food safety sector.
	To this scope, a co-creative dialogue among the actors (Supporting partners) of the whole value chain is being activated through <i>two pre-forum</i> workshops:
	The 2021 pre-forum is focused on 'Sustainable food: how to keep it safe?'
	 The 2022 pre-forum topic will be chosen during the 2021 pre-forum with an active involvement of the participants.
	FoodSafety4EU Supporting partners (today 40+ organisations: e.g. Food Safety Authorities, Research institutions and Academia, producers and consumers organizations) are involved in the FoodSafety4EU project to share the vision of the future Food Safety System in Europe.
MAIN CHALLENGE OF THE 2021 PRE-FORUM	Address the topic of food sustainability from different perspectives actively involving EC agencies, researchers, food safety authorities, consumers' representatives, industries and all the stakeholders of the value chain.
COLLABORATION	The event will host representatives from EFSA, JRC, DG Research & Innovation Bioeconomy and Food Systems (RTD.B2), policy officers as speakers and observers, and all the interested stakeholders of the food safety system.
EXPECTED	Pave the way of the future EU Food Safety Forum.
OUTCOMES	 Involve and invite stakeholders to become Supporting partners in order to build the EU Food Safety Forum.
	Select the topic for the 2022 pre-forum.
	FS4EU Supporting Partners.
	 Stakeholders of the food safety domain (policy makers, researchers, industry, consumers) interested to increase their collaborations and to become FS4EU Supporting Partners.
	 EU funded projects, networks and initiatives related to the food sector, safety and sustainability issues.
OBJECTIVES	Why joining this event and the EU Food Safety Forum?
	 If you are a researcher: you will have the unique opportunity to access directly to primary information and to contribute with your experiences and ideas to food safety policies based on scientific evidences.
	 If you are an Authority: you will share knowledge, contributing to shape the future Food Safety System and to align the national research & innovation agendas to a common view and approach.
	 If you are a business operator: you will access to high-level knowledge to primary information on Food Safety issues, providing input for the future policies to meet the food production and market needs.
	 If you are a consumer: you will be informed on what's happening to improve the food safety in Europe, while being an active actor of the debate on food safety issues. In addition you will be able to signal emerging issues affecting food safety in your daily life.







AGENDA

INTRODUCTION	Introductory presentations and objectives of the day
10.00 - 10.15	Welcome, scope of the day and short presentation of FoodSafety4EU main achievements Veronica Lattanzio, CNR-ISPA, FoodSafety4EU Coordinator Antonio Logrieco, CNR-ISPA, FoodSafety4EU Network Manager
10.15 - 10.35	Keynote speeches
	Messages, insights and inspirational ideas from the European Commission and EFSA about challenges, future trends and plans to address the food sustainability
	Stef Bronzwaer, research coordinator, EFSA
	Sandra Coecke, EU-NETVAL Coordinator, EC JRC
10.35 - 11.00	Voices from the FoodSafety4EU platform and more
	FS4EU Supporting Partners and other stakeholders will share best practices, position papers, documents, any pilot action to propose projects, ideas for future cooperation (including next Horizon Europe calls for funding or initiatives), to other stakeholders in the event through 3-minutes pitches. If you are interested in presenting during this session, please, fill in the application form available HERE by the 3rd of December (more information in the application form).
11.00 - 11.45	Sustainable food: how to keep it safe? – Interactive discussion
	In this session, FS4EU Supporting partners and other stakeholders participating in the event will be actively involved in the discussion on the proposed topic 'Sustainable food: how to keep it safe?'.
	Starting from insights provided by the FoodSafety4EU project, the EC and EFSA, and the pitches of the previous session, participants will share ideas, comments and intervene using their smartphone, computer, tablet or PC through an interactive method.
11.45 - 12.00	Wrap-up and main conclusions
	Highlights from previous sessions, presentation of the next steps, launch of the topic of the second pre-forum. • Veronica Lattanzio, CNR-ISPA, FoodSafety4EU Coordinator • Antonio Logrieco, CNR-ISPA, FoodSafety4EU Network Manager

More information and registration form are available on the website



