8th International Symposium on
RECENT ADVANCES IN
FOOD ANALYSIS
November 7–10, 2017 • Prague, Czech Republic

SESSIONS ADDRESSING RECENT AND EMERGING (BIO)ANALYTICAL STRATEGIES IN FOOD QUALITY AND SAFETY CONTROL:

- Allergens
- Industrial contaminants
- Metals & metalloids
- Mycotoxins, marine and plant toxins
- Packaging contaminants
- Processing contaminants
- Pesticide residues
- Veterinary drug residues
- Authenticity & food fraud
- Bioactive compounds
- Flavour significant compounds
- Omics including Foodomics
- Food forensics
- Nanoparticles in food
- Novel foods & supplements
- Organic crops & foodstuffs

QA/QC & Chemometrics & Data interpretation

SATELLITE EVENTS: WORKSHOPS & INTERACTIVE SEMINARS (tentative list)

- Ambient mass spectrometry in food and natural products (4th European event)
- Vibrational spectroscopy & chemometrics for monitoring of food products & contaminants detection
- Data quality and smart data handling in food analysis
- Experiences, achievements and recent challenges addressed by EU Reference Laboratories
- Step by step strategies towards fast development of smart analytical methods
- Food safety issues beyond the EU
- European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) information platform on emerging food quality/safety issues of high concern

VENDOR SEMINARS: RECENT INSTRUMENTATION & ANALYTICAL STRATEGIES INFO DAYS (tentative list)

- Food integrity: Latest developments and strategies in safety, quality, authenticity and traceability
- HORIZON 2020: Collaboration challenges within EU framework program for research and innovation

SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS:
Opportunities for oral presentations are reserved in the main program for young researchers; the best posters will be awarded; numerous competitive travel grants will be offered.

RAFA 2017 DEADLINES:

- May 31, 2017: Application for participation as a Sponsor or Exhibitor
- June 15, 2017: Application for Young researcher travel grant
- July 15, 2017: Abstract submission for oral presentation
- July 31, 2017: Reduced registration fee
- August 31, 2017: Abstract submission for poster presentation
- September 30, 2017: Last minute posters submission

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

For the program updates, abstract submissions, information on exhibition and sponsorship and on-line registration, please visit the RAFA 2017 web site at www.rafa2017.eu; contact us at rafa2017@vscht.cz.

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