

# 8<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on RECENT ADVANCES IN FOOD ANALYSIS

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## 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 (4<sup>th</sup> 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:

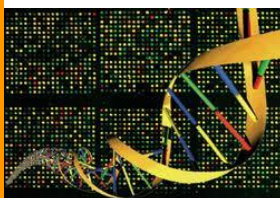
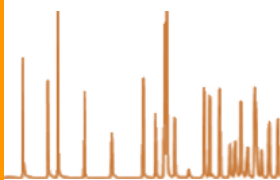
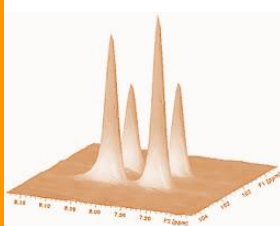
Opportunities for oral presentations are reserved in the main program for young researchers; the best posters will be awarded; numerous competitive travel grants will be offered.

## RAFA 2017 DEADLINES:

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| 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](http://www.rafa2017.eu); contact us at [rafa2017@vscht.cz](mailto:rafa2017@vscht.cz).



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Symposium co-chair: **Prof. Dr. Michel Nielen** (RIKILT, Wageningen University & Research, The Netherlands)

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