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IUFoST Announces New Fellows of the International Academy of Food Science and Technology (IAFoST)

The Global Focus of Food Science Excellence

The International Union of Food Science and Technology (IUFoST) is proud to present the sixth class of outstanding food scientists and technologists to be elected to the International Academy of Food Science and Technology (IAFoST). These 25 new Fellows will be inducted at the 14th World Congress of Food Science and Technology in Shanghai, China, October 2008. The new Fellows (showing their locations) are:

Pan Beilei (China)
Charles Bamforth (USA)
Solke Bruin (The Netherlands)
Maria del Pilar Buera (Argentina)
Paul Colonna (France)
Maureen Edmondson (UK)
Roger Fenwick (UK)
Alastair Hicks (Thailand)
Shann-Tzong Jiang (China, Taiwan)
Piotr Lewicki (Poland)
Rui Hai Liu (USA)
Xiumei Liu (China)
Albert McGill (Australia)
Laurence Melton (New Zealand)
John Mitchell (UK)
James Moy (USA)
Patrick Ngoddy (Nigeria)
Bonnie Sun Pan (China, Taiwan)
Kwan Hwa Park (Korea)
Glaucia Pastore (Brazil)
Pingfan Rao (China)
Mohan Rao (USA)
Peter Raspor (Slovenia)
Fidel Toldra (Spain)
Gow-Chin Yen (China, Taiwan)

Nominations for each new roster are made by IUFoST Adhering Bodies and IAFoST Fellows, and the existing Fellows are the voters. Two-thirds of the voting Fellows must approve a candidate for him/her to be elected. Fellows elected to the International Academy of Food Science and Technology are acknowledged by their peers as the outstanding representatives of international food science and technology.

IAFoST collectively forms a pool of scientific expertise in food science and technology

from which IUFoST draws non-aligned expert advice on scientific matters. Fellows represent no organization or country but serve as independent persons to work and promote high standards of ethics and scientific endeavors. They are at the forefront of IUFoST, helping to strengthen global food science and technology for humanity.

The International Academy also takes its own initiatives to promote food science and technology, stimulate education and training, recognize individuals who are distinguished in their scientific and professional contributions to food science and technology and to improve international cooperation. Among its activities, the International Academy nominates candidates for the IUFoST Scientific Council for General Assembly approval and sends proposals for members of working groups to the Scientific Council. Its responsibilities also include providing scientific advice to the President or Scientific Council and allocating jury panels for awards. For further information on the International Academy, visit the IUFoST website at http://www.iufost.org/international_academy/.

The International Union of Food Science and Technology (IUFoST) is the global organization representing national scientific organizations and more than 200,000 food scientists and technologists from over 65 countries. It is a voluntary, non-profit federation of national food science organizations linking the world's food scientists and technologists.

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