

PALMEX Thailand 2023 Exhibition

17 - 18 August 2023 | Suratthani, Thailand

PALMEX Thailand 2023 is the only specialized Palm Oil event in Thailand that brings together an international congregation of both upstream and downstream palm oil companies and also its supporting industries gathered in South of Thailand, to showcase the latest developments in the palm oil industry.

Thailand, currently ranked #3 in the world for CPO is a potential and viable market for palm oil technology companies as the industry is currently honing new palm oil technologies and equipment to help spur its production further!

Fireworks Trade Media Group which have organized successful palm oil events such as PALMEX Indonesia and PALMEX Malaysia is the organizer of this event supported also by the Thai Oil Palm & Palm Oil Associations.

Highlights: Palm Oil Technology Seminars / Asia Palm Oil Conference (APOC) / Palm Oil Mill Visit / Business Matching.

Discover new opportunities for business networking, participants may come from a range of industries and functions, the program will benefit Senior Professionals.

2023 speakers:

Mr.Asanee Mallamphut, Chairman of the Palm Oil Industry Club, The Federation of Thai Industries (F.T.I); Chairman of Thai Palm Oil Refinery Association; Managing Director of Sime Darby Oils Morakot Public Company Limited

Dr.Ahmad Parveez Ghulam Kadir, Director General of Malaysian Palm Oil Board (MPOB)

Mr.Sanin Triyanond, Chairman of Thai Biodiesel Producer Association; Director of Patum Vegetable Oil Co., Ltd.

Dr.Fadhil Hasan, Head of Foreign Affairs Department of Indonesian Palm Oil Association (IPOA)

Mr.Mohamad Hafiz Sa'adun, Industry Technology Specialist of Novozymes Malaysia Sdn Bhd

Ms.Ang Yonny Setiady, Commercial Head VOP SEA & Country Manager Indonesia of PT Novozymes Indonesia Biotechnology

Dr.Mohd Azinuddin Bin Ahmad Mokhtar, Head of Plant Breeding Unit of FGV Research and Development Sdn Bhd

Dr. Sukganah Apparow, Manager, Molecular Breeding Laboratory of Sime Darby Plantation Technology Centre Sdn Bhd

Mr.Samir Bhandarkar, Business Unit Head – CODEL of Forbes Marshall Private Limited

For more details visit: <https://www.thaipalmoil.com/>

North American SAF Conference & Expo

29 - 30 August 2023 | Minneapolis Convention Center, Minnesota, USA

Taking place August 29-30, 2023 in Minneapolis, MN, the North American SAF Conference & Expo, produced by SAF Magazine, in collaboration with the Commercial Aviation Alternative Fuels Initiative (CAAIFI) will showcase the latest strategies for aviation fuel decarbonization, solutions for key industry challenges, and highlight the current opportunities for airlines, corporations and fuel producers.

The North American SAF Conference & Expo is designed to promote the development and adoption of practical solutions to produce SAF and decarbonize the aviation sector. Exhibitors will connect with attendees and showcase the latest technologies and services currently offered within the industry. During two days of live sessions, attendees will learn from industry experts and gain knowledge to become better informed to guide business decisions as the SAF industry continues to expand.

Foreseen topics for speeches and round tables:

Setting the Scene: Why Sustainable Aviation Fuels Are Critically Important for Producers and Airlines;

Grabbing the Next Rung: A Conversation with Technology Developers about SAF Innovation and the Coming Build-Out;

The Keys to Successfully Deploying SAF Production in Corn Country;

Eyeing the Potential for Ethanol as a Precursor to SAF Production;

Reviewing Cutting Edge Technologies Aimed at Commercial-Scale SAF Production;

Understanding and Capitalizing on the Low Carbon Attributes of SAF;

Strategies for Ensuring Feedstock Availability and Alignment with Federal Production Credit Requirements;

The Work Underway to Build Ample Inventories of Sustainable Feedstock for SAF Production

Perfecting the Interplay of Policy, Incentives and Financing to Increase the Chances of Project Success

For updates and more details please visit:

<https://saf.bbiconferences.com/ema/DisplayPage.aspx?pageId=Home>

FOSFA Introductory Course + FOSFA Advanced Course

3 - 8 September 2023 | University of Greenwich, London, UK

Two globally recognised, week-long residential training courses which are open to members and non-members involved in all aspects of the global supply chain.

The Introductory course will be held from Sunday 3 to Friday 8 September 2023 and is ideal for newcomers to the industry with minimal trade knowledge or experience.

The Advanced course will also take place in parallel with the Introductory course in early September in 2023 and is ideal for individuals with three or more years of trade experience.

Each course covers key subjects, case studies and group work.

Keynote speakers from the trade present the subjects and share their extensive knowledge and experience with delegates.

Courses take place at The University of Greenwich situated on a UNESCO World Heritage Site on the banks of the River Thames near to the centre of London. Lectures take place at the Old Royal Naval College campus, which has a lively atmosphere and is surrounded by historical landmarks and near to the centre of London.

Delegates will enjoy the university's excellent facilities, including accommodation, gym and student union and the attractive town of Greenwich.

All meals are provided including a drinks reception and gala dinner.

Lectures will take place on campus at the Old Royal Naval College (pictured) which has a lively atmosphere and is surrounded by historical landmarks with the centre of London just a short distance upriver.

The Advanced Course is designed to update delegates on current trade practices and regulations, and introduce several specialist managerial subjects, case studies and group work. It is ideal for individuals with more than three years' experience in the trade.

The course covers:

- Trade practices and regulations update
- Case studies
- Introduction to specialist managerial subjects

The Introductory Course covers elementary aspects of the international trade in oilseeds, oils and fats. It is ideal for members of the trade and industry with little knowledge or experience in a trading environment.

The course covers:

- FOSFA contracts
- Contract documents
- Arbitration and dispute resolution

- Shipping
- Trade finance
- Technical matters
- Mock Arbitration

To register your interest in attending either course(s), please send an email to fosfa.education@fosfa.org stating which course you are interested in.

More information: <https://www.fosfa.org/education/>

Biofuels and Feedstocks Conference in Rotterdam

5 - 6 September 2023 | Rotterdam, Netherlands

As the European Union develops new directives and fine tunes existing legislation to achieve sustainable transportation and mobility, what is the outlook for the European biofuels industry in the greater context of the continental energy transition?

Following the success of Fastmarket Biofuels and Feedstocks USA and Global Grain events, the inaugural Biofuels and Feedstocks Europe 2023 conference aims to address market issues affecting the biofuels sector, from the European feedstocks trading dynamics, to the continental forecast for traditional and advanced biofuels production, to the analyses of how EU directives are shaping the market and how individual governments incentivise domestic certified trading, etc.

Biofuels and Feedstock Europe 2023 is your chance to connect and actively participate in today's most relevant conversation between agriculture and energy sectors. We look forward to seeing you in Rotterdam.

Foreseen Talks:

- EU Energy Market Outlook, Correlation with Biofuels Markets, US Dollar Strength and Impact on Europe (Marc Ostwald)
- European Biofuels Market Outlook (Scott Wellcome, Tim Worledge, Marc Ostwald, John Cusick)
- EU Vegoils Trading Dynamics and EU Market Fundamentals (Jose Angel Olivero)
- Managing Risks and Volatility in the Biofuels Sector
- Biofuels international trade: logistics aspects

Key Speakers:

Marc Ostwald, Chief Economist & Global Strategist ADM Investor Services International;

John Cusick, President Ash Creek Renewables;

Ryan Standard, Managing Editor Fastmarkets;

Jose Angel Olivero, Sales Director Lipidos Santiga (Lipsa);

Tim Worledge, Managing Editor Fastmarkets;

Francesco Morici, Sogestran\Navquim;

Patrick Lynch, Founder Bioledger.

For updates and more details please visit: <https://www.fastmarkets.com/agriculture/biofuels-feedstocks-europe/>*

Argus North American Biofuels, LCFS & Carbon Markets Summit

11 - 13 September 2023 | Monterey, California, US & Online Access

Argus North American Biofuels, LCFS & Carbon Markets Summit returns to Monterey, California, September 11-13, 2023 to bring together 400+ regulators, key government, and industry participants across the entire biofuels supply chain for 3 days of networking and knowledge exchange.

Back in-person and with online access, do not miss this opportunity to reconnect with industry peers.

Topics include:

Carbon markets and regulation in North America: Including an opening with a keynote from the California Air Resources Board, a case study on the development of nature based off-sets, a panel with corporates and standards about the development of the voluntary market, and more!

Biofuels— LCFS program developments: Including a panel with California, Oregon, and Washington on LCFs updates and a Canadian LCFs and decarbonization afternoon

Focus on biogas, renewable diesel, SAF and feedstocks: The program will focus exclusively on biofuels... from sessions dedicated to SAF, to biogas/RNG, renewable diesel, and the role of EVs and ZEVs in state decarbonization plans.

Complete our form to register your interest in speaking, sponsoring or attending.

<https://www.argusmedia.com/en/conferences-events-listing/biofuels-and-lcfs-markets>

19th Euro Fed Lipid Congress and Expo: Fats, Oils and Lipids: from Raw Materials to Consumer Expectations

17 - 20 September 2023 | Poznań, Poland

Euro Fed Lipid Congresses have been organized for more than 20 years in different locations all over Europe. After 11 years we have been trusted again and the 19th edition of the Congress will be held in Poland.

It will be an exciting time for all scientists and industry representatives, who work on fats and oils. We will start with advances in genetics and breeding of fats and oils sources, discuss the newest technologies and achievements, advances in analytical methods and usage of fats and oils by human. Special attention will be paid to consumer preferences and sensory quality.

Experts will be able to meet in person and together solve the emerging scientific problems.

The congress center is located on the grounds of the Poznań International Fair, which has been operating in the city since the 1920s.

The mission of this congress is to bring together world renowned experts with whom it will be possible to share experiences and increase the knowledge about fats, oils and lipids.

Congress Chairs:

Magdalena Rudzińska (Poznań University of Life Sciences, Poznan, Poland)

Dominik Kmieciak (Poznan University of Life Sciences, Poznan, Poland)

Dorota Klensporf-Pawlik (Poznan University of Economy, Poznan, Poland)

Programme Topics:

- Processing and Sustainability
- Bioscience, Biocatalysis, Biochemistry
- Lipids in Pharmaceuticals and Cosmetics
- Olive Oil and Olive Products
- Oleochemistry, Molecule and Polymer Sciences
- By-Products in Fat Technology
- Oilseeds, Plant Lipids and Alternative Resources
- Lipid Oxidation and Antioxidants - "Oxidation Mechanisms"
- Marine and Algae Lipids
- Lipid Oxidation and Antioxidants - "Stabilization by Processing"
- Physical Chemistry - "Oleogels"
- Physical Chemistry - "Product Structure"
- Physical chemistry - "Crystalization"
- Insect and Invertebrate Lipids
- Lipidomics
- Health, Nutrition and Disease
- Quality and Consumer Expectations
- Lipids in Animal Science, Milk and Dairy Products
- Contaminants and Adulteration - "Mineral Oil Contamination"
- Analytics and Authenticity
- Frying Processes

For updates and more details please visit:

https://veranstaltungen.gdch.de/tms/frontend/index.cfm?l=11215&sp_id=2

30th Oilseed and Oil Processing short course

20 - 21 September 2023 | Poznań, Poland

Smart Short Courses is a joint operation of ID&A Ignace Debruyne & Associates and Filtration and Membrane World, represented by Ignace Debruyne, PhD and Sefa Koseoglu, PhD. Smart Short Courses offers crash course programs for marketing, technical and plant personnel.

Short courses offer the opportunity for those who are experienced to meet experts in the field to discuss their current problems and enhance their product innovation or plant operation. The course materials serve as useful reference for processors, product formulators, chemists and technicians, as well as marketers and business managers familiar with the topic.

Smart Short Courses offers extensive programs in Europe, Asia and the Americas covering a wide range of topics with specific practical aspects:

Aquaculture feed; CBD Oil Processing, Food Texture; Emulsion Technology; Functional Lipids; Functional Beverages; BioActives; Advanced Oil Processing; Fish Oil; Palm Oil; Oil Methods; Industrial Oil Uses; Algae Technology; Snackfoods; Breakfast Cereals; Protein Extrusion; Soyfoods

Target Group: Decision makers such as product technicians, R & D engineers, engineering supervisors, QA technicians, project engineers, process improvement engineers, business development managers, sales and marketing specialists, equipment manufacturers, product formulators, plant engineers, processors, chemists, and technicians.

On September 20 & 21, 2023, the 30th course will be held: *Fundamentals & New Techniques in Oilseed and Edible Oil - Processing and Application*, in annex to the 19th EuroFedLipid Congress

The technical program covers different topics:

- Oilseed extraction and protein processing
- Fundamentals of edible oil processing & modification
- New techniques in oil processing and refinery optimization

For more information and registration visit:

<http://www.smartshortcourses.com/oilprocess30/program.html>

16th International Rapeseed Congress

24 - 27 September 2023 | Sydney, Australia

The 16th International Rapeseed Congress (IRC) to be held in Sydney in 2023 is organised jointly by GCIRC (Global Council for Innovation in Rapeseed and Canola) and AOF (Australian Oilseeds Federation).

IRC is held every four years and is the peak international conference for rapeseed R&D focused on advancement of global rapeseed production and utilisation. Since the 1960s the IRC has been helping rapeseed and canola professionals reach new markets and create enduring relationships in the extensive worldwide network of rapeseed experts.

It is a forum for ideas, innovation and networking and is highly respected among participants from industry, academia, and government, as well as sponsors and exhibitors.

IRC-2023 will bring together scientists and representatives from the global agricultural sector to showcase new developments in genetics, breeding, cultivation, plant protection, oil and meal product quality, compositional analysis, and utilisation of end products in the food, feed and energy sectors. There will be a combination of field trips, presentations and discussions in plenary lectures, thematic sessions and working groups running over six days from 22 to 27 September 2023.

The Congress provides unique access to the world's largest gathering of rapeseed scientists, researchers and industry experts, creating outstanding business engagement opportunities for Sponsors and Exhibitors.

The program for IRC-2023 will focus around the theme Global Crop, Golden Opportunities.

Global crop

Rapeseed/canola is now well established as a major Global Crop with production spread across several geographical regions and products supplying important global markets for high quality oil and protein. Once known as the 'Cinderella crop' in the 1960's and 1970's it has expanded to become the second largest oilseed crop, now nudging 70 million tonnes of grain per year, and becoming the third largest source of food oils.

This spectacular rise has been driven by breakthrough R&D and continuous innovation from an expanding global network of crop scientists, agriculturalists, and processing sector experts. Rapeseed production continues to see growth in both area and productivity, and nowhere is this more evident than in Australia. Australian canola production reached a record high of over 6 million tonnes in 2021/22, with the majority being exported, firmly establishing Australia as a major supplier for the rapidly expanding global market. During this period, value adding of canola in Australia has also grown with substantial investment in expanding capacity of existing processing plants and constructing new facilities. IRC-2023 is a great opportunity to witness this expanding Australian industry and for Sponsors to showcase their contributions to the global rapeseed industry.

Golden opportunities

Off a strong global base, rapeseed is now poised to branch out into a new era of crop and product diversification, providing 'Golden Opportunities' to further expand production, improve profitability, and extend reach into new high-value and high-volume end use markets.

Breeders and agronomists are using the latest developments in biotechnology to create high-yielding and disease resistant varieties. Innovative rapeseed cropping systems are being developed,

such as the dual-purpose grazing and grain systems being pioneered in Australia.

Short-season Brassica crops (Carinata, Camelina, Cress) are being deployed as cover crops in the US to produce low-carbon intensity renewable diesel feedstocks.

High-oleic rapeseed has become a preferred source of highly stable and nutritious oil in the food service sector.

Unique EPA/DHA canola oils have recently entered production and are finding applications in nutritional supplements and aquaculture feeds. Rapeseed protein is being developed as an additional high-quality protein source to supply the emerging plant-based meat replacement markets

Key themes of the event:

- Genetics, Genomics and Breeding
- Agronomy, Physiology and Management
- Diseases and Pests
- Quality and Products
- End Uses
- Economy and Markets

All information to the page:

<https://www.irc2023sydney.com/>

POWTECH - International Processing Trade Fair for Powder, Bulk Solids, Fluids and Liquids

26-26 September 2023 | Nuremberg, Germany

Take advantage of the overall dynamics offered by POWTECH, the leading exhibition for experts in powder and bulk solids technology! This event provides a presentation platform for innovations and advancements in processes for the manufacture of quality products made and processed from powder, granules, bulk solids and liquids – also for the environmental and recycling sector.

Expert Forum stagetalks: the mastermind of the processing technology practical solutions and discuss with you future-oriented strategies for your processes. Expand your know-how with valuable knowledge and impulses from our specialists on the topics: New food, Process optimisation and Industry 4.0, Perfection in the supply chain, Fluids meet solids, Sustainability & safety, Future energies. Participation in the short presentations and discussion rounds is free of charge and registration is not required.

Expert Forum stagetalks Pharma: the forum offers a broad variety on talks on all aspects of drug development, manufacturing and characterization. This years edition has a special focus on lyophilization and fill&finish of liquid dosage forms to empower the new range of POWTECH with liquids and fluids.

POWTECH Campus: universities & colleges present themselves. Students will benefit from networking with industry, getting to know future employers and finding inspiration for bachelor's and master's theses, as well as experiencing the professional trade show action up close.

Live demonstrations on explosion protection: demonstration of the effects of the Phenomenon of Dust Explosions.

International meeting of bulk solids associations: a networking event to know the international markets.

And much more.

For all information about the fair and the conferences program, please visit

<https://www.powtech.de/en>.

7th International conference on microbial diversity “Agrifood microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future”

26 - 29 September 2023 | Parma – Italy

The Conference is organized by University of Parma and the Italian Society of Food, Agricultural and Environmental Microbiology (SIMTREA). The MD is a prestigious international congress that has seen the number of participants grow over the years and the previous MD editions saw a multidisciplinary audience and included microbiologist working in the area of agriculture, food, environment, health industry members, researchers and basic scientists who came together from 36 countries to make for an exciting forum.

The theme of 7th Edition of MD is “Agrifood microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future” and includes the four sessions: FOOD microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future; HUMAN microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future; ENVIRONMENT microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future; Sustainable future has come.

Sessions

- FOOD microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future
- HUMAN microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future
- ENVIRONMENT microbiota as a tool for a sustainable future
- Exploiting microbiomes for a sustainable future
- Sustainable future has come

For further information: www.md23.simtrea.org / secretariatMD23@simtrea.org

Globoil India

28 - 30 September 2023 | Mumbai

Increase your margins by connecting with competitive suppliers of cutting edge product innovations,

as well as interacting the most popular international brands.

Globoil India welcomes over 1,500 attendees from 50 countries.

As the global edible oil & agri trade community gears up for this principal opportunity to meet the key decision-makers of the industry, Globoil India is promising a wave of new services and innovations to reflect changes in consumer demand. The fully booked-out event will once again welcome more than 100 exhibitors showcasing products across various market sectors.

Join the 26th edition of Globoil, the world's leading edible oil & agri trade conference & exhibition, at the The Westin Mumbai Powai Lake, Mumbai.

See more information:

<https://globoilindia.com/index.html>

Palmex Indonesia 2023

4 - 6 October | Medan, Indonesia

The 13th PALMEX Indonesia 2023 brings together an international congregation of both upstream and downstream palm oil companies and also its supporting industries gathered in the capital city of North Sumatera, Medan to showcase the latest developments in the palm oil industry.

North Sumatera, home to one of Indonesia's largest concentration of oil palm plantations and also the presence of many supporting facilities such as palm oil processing plants making its capital Medan the perfect venue for the show. This unique event seeks to educate the public on the importance of the palm oil industry in Indonesia and the future trends of palm oil in the region. More than 7,000 industry professionals from more than 10 countries would be expected to turn up at this event. The international character and regional audience of PALMEX Indonesia provides unparalleled marketing, education and networking opportunities.

For more info visit: <https://palmoilexpo.com/>

Argus Biofuels Europe Conference

11 - 13 October 2023 | London, UK & Online Access

The Argus Biofuels Europe Conference returns to London in-person and via online access, 11-13 October 2023. The event will bring together the biofuels industry for the industry's premier thought-leadership and networking event.

Do not miss your chance to join over 400 attendees at this flagship event! Complete our form to register your interest in attending, speaking at or sponsoring the event.

Feedstock focus. Gain insight on outlooks for 1st and 2nd generation feedstocks, what new technologies are emerging and how quickly can they be

scaled up?

Regulatory updates. Hear from key regulators and industry stakeholders on their views on latest European Commission policy updates including Fit for 55 and RED III.

SAF Focus Day. Sign up to this pre-conference day for the latest insights on Argus' view for pricing mechanisms, key regulatory developments as well as key projects upcoming looking to unlock SAF production.

Argus expertise. Hear from Argus experts across sectors and geographies including agriculture, bio-fuels and Net Zero future fuels.

Network with leading experts and influential decision-makers from across the international market.

Develop new contacts during round table discussions, networking lunches, and evening cocktail receptions.

Join international companies from over 40 countries and build strategic partnerships with your global peers.

See more on:

<https://www.argusmedia.com/en/conferences-events-listing/biofuels>

Micronutrient Forum – 6th Global Conference

16 - 20 October | the Hague, the Netherlands

The Micronutrient Forum will be a hybrid event with a robust virtual program and in-person component at the World Forum in The Hague, Netherlands – a locus of international law and justice and well suited for a gathering centered on the human right to good nutrition.

By bringing together diverse stakeholders across sectors and disciplines, the Conference will help shape and establish a compelling and evidence-based agenda on the interdependence of nutrition and resilience – offering opportunities to advance integrated research, new policy priorities and investments for micronutrient interventions, and to accelerate progress towards global nutrition and development goals.

The conference will also embrace our traditional four tracks, exploring the latest science across the micronutrient program lifecycle from biology through effectiveness and implementation to the enabling environment.

The Scientific Program will include a mix of live, and on-demand sessions to allow both in-person and virtual delegates a chance to convene and engage directly with speakers and other attendees during the event, as well as having access to the recorded sessions after the in-person conference ends.

More information: <https://mnforum2023.org/>

Future of Biofuels 2023 5th European Conference

24 - 25 October | Copenhagen, Denmark

Along with the European Commission's REPowerEU plan, released in May 2022 in response to energy market disruptions from Russia's invasion on Ukraine, EU aims to rapidly reduce dependence on Russian fossil fuels by 2027. Also with EU's maritime fuel law to curtail shipping emissions and its sister regulation in the aviation sector, the EU sets the level of acceptable emissions and curtails them over time. Aiming to be serious drivers for biofuel market development.

This year we are focusing on production and implementation of biofuels and future fuels in maritime and aviation sectors to speed up their decarbonization.

Other points of focus are: development of new supply chains, latest trends and perspectives for low carbon fuels in fuels mix but also new production technologies, refineries case studies and more.

The event is set to bring industry stakeholders, unique content, workshop style discussions and networking. Gives an opportunity to showcase your products and services in the networking area and hold meetings with leaders from the industry.

Main topic & key points

Europe's oil/gas independence & green transition

- European and world markets outlook
- Biofuels market development – perspective for next 10 years
- Overview of European and national policies – FuelEU, Fit for 55, REPowerEU
- Global acceleration of biofuels production – new wave
- Best practice examples of meeting emission neutrality goals
- Production and use of alternative fuels in aviation and marine sector
- Digitization in biofuel industry
- Overview of production technologies of cellulosic ethanol, ammonia and hydrogen
- Bunkering, storage & handling technologies news

During this 2-day event reach in presentations from industry end-users and running projects case studies will give you a comprehensive overview of the biofuels industry. You can hear experts focusing on new regulations, changing market situation and more. Get a possibility to network and exchange ideas with industry leaders.

For information: <https://fortesmedia.com/future-of-biofuels-2023,4,en,2,1,27.html>

Malaysian Palm Oil Board (MPOB) International Palm Oil Congress and Exhibition (PIPOC 2023)

7 - 9 November 2023 | Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre, Malaysia

The congress features four concurrent conferences covering upstream, midstream, downstream & value addition; processing, food safety & nutrition & global economics & marketing.

A keynote address will be delivered by distinguished expert in the palm oil industry. Four plenary lectures will be held in the afternoon of 7 November 2023. The lectures will cover various topics of interest in line with the theme of the congress.

Objectives:

- To discuss strategic R&D findings in all aspects of the oil palm and palm oil industry worldwide;
- To reveal recent technological findings that will improve the oil palm/palm oil industry;
- and
- To formulate strategies towards enhanced sustainability, competitiveness, automation
- and policies on trade, market trends and trade challenges.

PIPOC 2023 caters for those involved in the oil palm, palm oil and other oils and fats industry including R&D personnel, scientists, planters, millers, traders, processors, manufacturers, economists, policy makers and academicians. The Congress will be especially useful for networking with your peers in the oils and fats industry while exchanging views and sharing new ideas.

Technical tours are foreseen to oil palm plantation, palm oil mill, refinery and R&D facilities.

Concurrent programme:

Agriculture, biotechnology & sustainability conference (abs)

- Session 1: yield performance
- Session 2: sustainable development
- Session 3: mechanisation and automation in oil palm plantation
- Session 4: oil palm farmer's empowerment

Downstream and value addition (dva)

- Session 1 & 2: oleo & specialty chemicals
- Session 3 : biomass utilisation
- Session 4 : feed innovation & food valorisation
- Session 5 : renewable energy

Processing, food safety and nutrition (PFSN)

- Session 1: milling & processing technology
- Session 2: environmental management technology
- Session 3: food safety & quality
- Session 4: lipid research

- Session 5: diet & lifestyle
- Session 6: phytonutrients

Global economics and marketing (GEM)

- Session 1: transcending the challenges of the oil palm industry
- Session 2: ensuring business sustainability through palm oil
- Session 3: building resilience through innovations
- Session 4: the new paradigm for Malaysian oil palm industry

For more details: <http://pipoc.mpob.gov.my>

FOFSA Annual Dinner 2023

9 November 2023 | Geneva, Switzerland

The Annual Dinner returns to Geneva in 2023 and will be hosted at the Hilton Geneva Hotel and Conference Centre on Thursday 9 November 2023.

The venue near the city centre, just across the street from the airport and one mile from Lake Geneva.

You can book up to a maximum of four tables of ten if you want to come as a large group, or book as a smaller group or as an individual and we will designate you a table. Reserve your table(s) early to avoid disappointment.

For further information please visit:

<https://www.fosfa.org/news/events/fosfa-annual-dinner-2023/>

2023 AAOCS lipid conference Australia

13 - 15 November 2023 | Newcastle, Australia

The next conference will be held at Noah's on the Beach in Newcastle Australia Nov 13-15th 2023

The theme of this year's event is Future of lipids: health and sustainability and aims to look at the future of fats and oils in research and industry.

The program will present the latest science and industry updates relating to edible oil and ingredient supply, biotechnology, manufacture of fat-based products, nutritional research, oil analysis, latest developments with omega-3 oils, dairy lipids and other activities that support the industry. Furthermore, planned workshops led by international experts, are in planning to occur prior to the conference.

AAOCS2023 aims to provide an opportunity to learn and share science and industry progress related to all aspects of fats and oils. We aim to continue to provide a social setting where the latest in the oil and fats industry, science and health can be discussed and connections made or renewed.

The range of topics covered in this meeting include:

- Food industry and processing
- New analytical methods
- Agriculture
- Aquaculture

- Lipidomics
- Lipid oxidation and antioxidants
- Omega-3 fatty acids
- Fatty acids, lipids and health
- Nutrition and health
- Lipids and metabolic syndrome
- Lipids and cognitive function
- Novel foods and supplements
- Olive and other vegetable oils
- Biotechnology
- Omega-3 index

The AAOCS are hosting two workshops prior to the meeting.

These will both be held on Monday 13th November 2023 at Noah's on the beach Newcastle. These workshops will run concurrently.

The two workshops are:

Sustainable ingredients for food and feeds (focus of novel lipids and protein products entering our food systems)

The program will present the latest science and industry details about alternative sustainable sources of lipid and protein in the food and feed sectors. Topics covered include:

- novel lipids sources (eg Chiuri Oil, High Oleic Safflower)
- alternative lipid products (flavour enablers, Shea butter, lipids for plant based foods)
- fermentation products (omega 3, carotenoids)
- alternative proteins
- microalgal products
- insect oils/proteins.

Lipids in the health of our futures (focus on nutrition)

The program will present the latest nutritional science and industry details about the use of lipids in nutrition. Fats traditionally have some negative connotations when it comes to nutrition. With the rise of healthy fats (such as omega 3 oils/ olive oils etc) this program aims to update attendees with the latest information and to dispel popular misconceptions.

Topics covered include the roles of fats/lipids at various stages of life:

- Healthy infants/babies
- Sports nutrition
- Healthy women
- Healthy aging

The aim of the workshop is to provide nutritionists, dietitians, students and academics information on the latest knowledge on the role lipids play in nutrition. The work will be presented by a number of industry leaders and scientists.

The following speakers are foreseen:

Tom Brenna, Professor of Pediatrics, of Human Nutrition, and of Chemistry at the University of Texas at Austin.

Silvana Martini, BSc in Biochemistry and PhD in Chemistry from the University of La Plata, Buenos Aires, Argentina; Postdoctoral Researcher in the Department of Food Science at the University of Guelph, Canada, and Assistant Professor in the Department of Nutrition, Dietetics, and Food Sciences in Utah State University.

Ellen Schutt, Managing Director of GOED, the Global Organization for EPA and DHA Omega-3s.

Laurence Eyres, from Chief Chemist to Technical and Operations Director in several multinational food companies, operating in fats and oils, snack foods, dairy products, and process engineering.

Further information and program:
<https://aaocs2023.wordpress.com/>

Roundtable on Responsible Palm Oil (RSPO) c/o RT2023

20 - 22 November 2023 | Hotel Mulia Senayan Jakarta, Indonesia

Save the date for the RSPO Annual Roundtable Conference on Sustainable Palm Oil (RT2023), which will be held at the Hotel Mulia Senayan Jakarta in Jakarta, Indonesia, with virtual access available, from 20 – 22 November 2023.

Registration details will be made available in due course. In the meantime, please save the date and stay tuned for more information.

Please contact rt@rspo.org if you have any questions. <https://rspo.org/event/save-the-date-rt2023-in-jakarta-20-22-november-2023/>



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