

The fees structure (per person per paper) of ICFSN 2012 is as follows:

| CATEGORY | EARLY BIRD (BY 31 JAN 2012) | NORMAL |
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| Local Participants: | | |
| Delegate | RM 700 | RM 800 |
| Student* | RM 450** | RM 550** |
| International Participants : | | |
| Delegate | USD 300 | USD 350 |
| Student* | USD 200** | USD 250 |

* Please provide proof of student status.

** Subsidised rate.

The fees structure is 'per person per paper'. Every subsequent paper (oral or poster) is subjected to an additional 50% applicable registration fees.

The conference fees cover conference materials, lunches, refreshments and a certificate of participation.

Payment

Payment should be made by 15 March 2012 either electronically or by bank draft/cheque/postal order. Payment must be made by 31 Jan 2012 to be eligible for early bird rate.

For electronic payment, the details of the bank account are as follows:

Account Name : Universiti Malaysia Sabah
 Account Number : 510013024241
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 Bank : Maybank
 Address : Malayan Banking Berhad
 (Maybank), No. 9, Jalan Pantai
 88000 Kota Kinabalu, Sabah,
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After the payment, please scan the payment slip and send it to the Treasurer via email: muhinhaji@yahoo.com

Payment by bank draft/cheque/postal order should be made payable to 'Bendahari UMS' to the following address:

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Please write your name, contact details (telephone and e-mail) and the name of the event (ICFSN 2012) at the back of the bank draft/cheque/postal order.

Cancellation Policy

Cancellations received in writing a month before the conference will get a 50% refund. No refund can be made for cancellations received less than a month prior to the conference. However, substitution with another participant from the same organisation is allowed with no additional charges.

Contact Us

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Food Science/Technology Curriculum Review (By Invitation Only)

A Food Science/Technology Curriculum Review will be held concurrently with ICFSN 2012. The review exercise will be attended by the International Union of Food Science and Technology (IUFOST) Education Committee, the representatives of FIFSTA (The Federation of the Institutes of Food Science and Technology in ASEAN), and Malaysian universities.

The objectives of this review are:

- 1) to revisit and update the current Food Science/Technology curriculum adopted by Malaysian universities, and
- 2) to harmonise the Food Science/Technology curriculum with other ASEAN countries to enhance student mobility.

FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FOOD SCIENCE AND NUTRITION

2012

2 - 4 APRIL

THE PACIFIC SUTERA HOTEL
 KOTA KINABALU, SABAH, MALAYSIA



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The Conference



The International Conference on Food Science and Nutrition 2012 (ICFSN 2012) will be held in Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia on 2-4 April 2012. Themed "Traditional Resources: Scientific Approaches Towards Quality Foods", ICFSN 2012 will serve as a valuable forum for international experts to share and discuss the latest research findings, research and market trends, and new insights into the scientific knowledge and practical know-how on a wide range of emerging topics in the field of food science and technology. The conference features a series of presentations and discussion comprising of keynote and plenary lectures and oral and poster presentations.

This international conference is jointly organised by Universiti Malaysia Sabah, the Malaysian Institute of Food Technology (MIFT) and the International Union of Food Science and Technology (IUFoST).

Objective



The main objective of this conference is to share and highlight the latest developments in food science and technology, nutrition and food service management with emphasis on new ideas and innovative approaches for health and wealth creation.

Who Should Attend



Food scientists, food technologists, nutritionists, dietitians, academia, researchers, healthcare professionals, food standards and legislation professionals, enforcement agencies, food industry and food service establishments, government agencies, higher education students and other relevant parties.

Main Themes



The conference will focus on four main themes:

1. Natural Products and Innovative Food Processing
 - Functional ingredients; Food fermentation; Emerging food processing techniques
2. Food Safety and Quality
 - Food safety regulations and standards; Halal food production; Foodborne hazards

3. Nutrition and Food Security
 - Malnutrition; Food security; Diet and cognition
4. Food Anthropology and Gastronomy
 - Food marketing; Food gastronomy; Food culture, heritage and identity

Speakers



The conference will feature world-renowned experts in the field of food science and technology. Speakers for keynote and plenary sessions include:

Prof. Dr. Geoffrey Campbell-Platt (UK, IUFoST)
Prof. Dr. Daryl Lund (USA, IUFoST)
Prof. Dr. Rickey Yada (Canada, IUFoST)
Prof. Dr. Aman Wirakartakusumah (Indonesia, IUFoST)
Dr. Dave Pooch (New Zealand)
Ms. Noraini Dato' Mohd. Othman (Malaysia)
Dr. Rajeev Bhat (Malaysia)
Prof. Dr. Saleem Mustafa (Malaysia)

Venue



The conference will be held at The Pacific Sutera Hotel, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia.

Important Dates



Abstract submission : 15 January 2012
Full paper submission : 15 February 2012

Abstract Submission



Abstracts will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee based on originality/novelty, significance of research findings/ideas and relevance to the main themes. Participants should indicate their preference of presentation type (oral or poster).

Please send your abstract(s) to the Scientific Committee via email:

icfsn2012@gmail.com (preferred)
icfsn2012@ums.edu.my

Guidelines for Full Paper



The full paper must be written in English using Microsoft Word. It should consist of the following items arranged in the following order:

- Title (Bold, Arial font size 12, in capital letters and centered)
- Full name (s) and address (es) of the author (s) and their affiliation (s) (Arial font size 11, centered)
- Abstract
- Introduction
- Materials and Methods
- Results and Discussion
- Conclusions (if any)
- Acknowledgement
- References

The title should be concise and informative.

The abstract should not exceed 250 words. It should include the objective(s) of the study, brief descriptions of the experiments/methods employed, the main findings and principal conclusions.

Keywords (not more than six) should be provided (in alphabetical order). Keywords need not repeat words used in the title.

Manuscript should be 1.5-spaced, typed using Arial font size 11 with page setup margins of 1 inch (2.5 cm) each for top, bottom, left and right. Each page of the manuscript should be numbered.

The S.I. unit system should be used throughout the paper.

It is the responsibility of the author(s) to ensure the paper is original and unpublished, or contains substantial amount of new information if the work has been previously published elsewhere.

Tables, figures and photographs (if any) should be inserted into the text after they are cited. Tables and figures should be numbered according to their order of appearance in the text. Scanned objects and digital photographs should be of high resolution with minimum 300 dpi. If footnotes are used, they should be brief and numbered in superscript in the text. The details of the footnotes should appear immediately after (below) the table/figure.

References should be cited in the text. If a reference is written by more than two authors, the name of the first author should be used, followed by "et al." and year of publication. All references cited in the text must be listed at the end of the paper, with the names of the first authors arranged alphabetically according to the APA (American Psychological Association) format.

Examples:

Journal

Perumallaa, A.V.S. and Hettiarachchy, N.S. 2011. Green tea and grape seed extracts - Potential applications in food safety and quality. Food Research International, 44(4): 827-839.

Chapter in book

Mauder, R. and Kennard, B. 2000. Organic meat and fish: Production, processing and marketing. In S. Wright and D. McCrea (eds). Organic food processing and production. Second edition. Oxford: Blackwell Science Ltd. p. 92-105.

Book

Monson, R. R. 1980. Occupational Epidemiology. Boca Raton: CRC Press.

Proceedings

Koon, S.S., Chye, F.Y. and Sulaiman, M.R. 2011. Antimicrobial activity of lactic acid bacteria isolated from fermented *bambangan* (*Mangifera pajang*). Proceedings International Congress of the Malaysian Society for Microbiology. Penang: Malaysian Society for Microbiology. p. 619-622.

Please send your full paper(s) to the Scientific Committee via e-mail:

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Publication - Conference Proceedings/Refereed Journal



All full papers (oral and poster) received will be published in the conference proceedings. Selected papers will be published in a refereed journal instead of the conference proceedings (with agreement from the authors).

Accommodation



Participants are requested to make their own accommodation arrangements. Please visit the conference website for further information.

Registration and Fees



Please register online at:
<http://www.ums.edu.my/conferences/ICFSN/registration>.

