

# Food Revolution

Venice-Mestre, Italy **2026**  
11-13 May

*Second  
edition*

*Science-based actions  
for health and sustainability*

## CONFERENCE BROCHURE



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## SCIENCE-BASED ACTIONS FOR HEALTH AND SUSTAINABILITY

### Join us

FoodRevolution is the international conference that aims to reshape our agri-food system through an innovative format.

Several hundreds of experts will converge in beautiful Venice. Join us to meet with the leaders in the field.

Together, we'll explore groundbreaking innovations and forge lasting partnerships that will revolutionize how we produce, distribute, and consume food globally.



## Why our event is unique and disruptive



### Science and business meeting point

Gathering leading scientists, researchers, and business leaders to drive innovation



### Bridging interests

Connecting traditional food producers, emerging food tech companies and retailers



### Addressing global challenges

Exploring solutions for food security and sustainability in low-income countries



### Food nutritional value and safety

Ensuring the nutritional integrity and safety of the global food supply

# THE PERFECT BLEND OF CONVENIENCE AND CHARM

JOIN US IN MESTRE, THE GATEWAY TO VENICE



## PRACTICAL ACCESSIBILITY

### Easy transportation:

- Proximity to Venice Marco Polo Airport
- High-speed trains
- Easy highways access



PLUS Direct trains to Venice (just 10 minutes away)

**Accommodations galore:** a variety of hotels, guesthouses, and serviced apartments available, catering to different budgets and preferences.

## CULTURAL PROXIMITY

Attendees will find ample opportunity to immerse themselves in Venice's rich culture and history during their free time, creating unforgettable memories in the most unique city in the world.

# OUR PREVIOUS EDITION



In 2024, the conference adopted a holistic approach to the future of food, highlighting the vital links between *sustainability, safety, and health*.

This first edition of FoodRevolution was a joint initiative between Affidia and Bastiaanse Communication.



162



participants

49



speakers

11



sessions

27



sponsors,  
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partners

2



debates

17



posters



# DESIGNED FOR

- Agri-food industries
- Ingredients & raw materials suppliers
- Food & beverages manufacturers
- Packaging industries
- Traders
- Retailers
- Farmers associations
- Industries associations
- Contract research companies
- Service laboratories
- Certification bodies
- Quality standard owners
- Media



# WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Food technologists
- Agronomists
- Biotechnologists
- Sustainability managers
- Laboratory heads
- Regulatory experts
- Veterinarians
- R&D managers
- Scientists
- Journalists
- Investors



# 7 REASONS TO PARTICIPATE

1

to assess the **added value** of sustainable and regenerative agriculture practices.

2

to outline strategies and suppliers for **enhancing the sustainability of your supply chain.**

3

to share the results of your research, find **partners for future projects**, and connect with industry stakeholders.

4

to **showcase your products** and services, build relationships with buyers, and explore new market opportunities.

5

to **promote your standards**, and shape the future of sustainable practices in the industry.

6

to find investors, and potential **partners for growth** and innovation.

7

to connect with industry decision-makers, and **advocate for positive change.**

# Conference overview

Biotechnologies

New EU regulations

Circular bioeconomy

Focus on

Voluntary standards

Food safety issues

Sustainability schemes



May 11

**The future of agriculture**



May 12

**Climate friendly food chain  
and food products**



May 13

**Develop, control and  
promote new foods**

Our three-day event will feature:

**14** sessions

**65** speakers

**11** expert panels

**Plus** Interactive poster sessions and seminars



**Single-day tickets** available



**Proceedings** of the conference (**hardcopy**) included in PREMIUM tickets

# Agenda Highlights

Topic of the day and sessions

May  
11

## The future of agriculture

- [Session 1](#) Towards a more sustainable agriculture
- [Session 2](#) Soil health and fertilizers
- [Session 3](#) Biotechnologies for resilient and high-yield crops

May  
12

## Climate friendly food chain and food products

- [Session 4](#) Sustainable livestock
- [Session 5](#) Sustainable food packaging
- [Session 6](#) Circular bioeconomy I
- [Session 7](#) Carbon farming, carbon credits
- [Session 8](#) Climate-friendly food chains, EUDR
- [Session 9](#) Precision fermentation
- [Session 10](#) Circular bioeconomy II

May  
13

## Develop, control and promote new foods

- [Session 11](#) New plant-based foods: quality and nutritional value
- [Session 12](#) Quality and Safety of new and Novel Foods
- [Session 13](#) Towards an EU ecolabelling for food products
- [Session 14](#) Green claims, green washing, EU CSRD, ESG reporting



# Main session format



SCIENCE

Presentations by leading scientists



Q&A

Q&A session with the speakers



PITCHES

Short communications



PANEL

Discussion among industry experts and associations

Regenerative agriculture: do we need a gold standard for it? 01.

Climate friendly agriculture: who can finance the transition? 02.

Can gene edited crops be integrated with organic agriculture? 03.

How to reduce the GHG emissions of the dairy sector 04.

Towards safe and sustainable packaging 05.

Circular Bioeconomy: opportunities and risks 06.

Can carbon credits be a source of income for the EU farmers? 07.

How to guarantee the integrity of the deforestation projects? 08.

Precision fermentation products: any future as dairy alternatives? 09.

The future of plant-based food products 10.

Can the retail sector fuel the transition to a more sustainable food system? 11.

panels

# Notable confirmed speakers

Prof.  
**Michele Morgante**

University of Udine



Prof.  
**Chris Elliott**

International Joint Research Center on Food Security



Prof.  
**Teja Tsharntke**

University of Göttingen



Prof.  
**Chiara Dall'Asta**

University of Parma



Prof.  
**Annamaria Bevivino**

ENEA



***These featured speakers are just the beginning—more experts are joining us to share their insights and innovations!***

*An exceptional group of thought leaders from academia will be joined by numerous industry experts, all dedicated to advancing the debate on food sustainability, security, safety and health.*

# NETWORKING & COLLABORATION



## Easy matching

connections via event app



## Community building

Collaboration opportunities pre- and post-conference



## Partner meetings

R&D projects satellite meetings



## Social times

Welcome party, coffee-breaks and lunch breaks

**Register, you  
will get more!**

**FREE** access to  
pre- and post-  
event **WEBINARS**  
and specialized  
follow-up  
sessions



# Business area

20+

## Exhibitors

Leading companies will showcase their products or services

4+

## Seminars

Commercially available innovative solutions

15+

## Pitches

Selected R&D and startups pitches





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## About us

The FoodRevolution conference series is an initiative of Affidia Srl SB.

Affidia is a media company focused on food sustainability, food innovation, food safety and food diagnostics.



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