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INTERNATIONAL MEASUREMENT CONFEDERATION TC23 "Metrology in Food and Nutrition"





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ENEA – Italian National Agency for New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Economic Development

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TC23 – Metrology in Food and Nutrition

Scope of the Conference

The general objective is to promote the discussion, the scientific debate and the encounter between the different realities that revolve around the "world of measures", promoting harmonization and integration and addressing the "world of research" to the emerging needs of the civil society and the productive sectors.

Main topics covered by the program

Besides topics closely linked to Metrology (metrological traceability, measurement uncertainty, reference materials, method development and validation), IMEKOFOODS will deal with the different measurement needs for Food Quality & Safety, focusing on the emerging fields of Metrology for Food and Nutrition (authenticity and traceability of raw materials and products, sensory analysis and organoleptic properties, nanotechnologies and nanoparticles, chemometrics). Furthermore main constrains and opportunities related to the implementation of Metrology in food composition dataBase and exposure predictive model development will be deepened.

A specific session dedicated to metrology for food composition analyses will be organized in cooperation with **FAO/INFOODS**.

The Conference will be organized with invited lectures, oral presentations, posters and round tables.

Technical visits: Visits of ENEA Casaccia Laboratories on 15th October 2014 will be organised on request.

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Venue:

The 1st IMEKOFOODS will be held in Rome (Italy) on <u>12nd-15th October 2014</u>:

- 12nd October 2014 afternoon Welcome Cocktail Rome
- 13rd, 14th October 2014 Conference sessions Rome
- 14th October 2014 Gala dinner Rome
- 15th October 2014 Conference sessions and technical visits to ENEA laboratories -ENEA Casaccia Research Centre, Via Anguillarese 301, 00123 Rome

Registration fees

On line p	On line payment	
Until May 31*	After May 31	At event
550€	650€	700€
500€	600€	650€
200€	250€	-
300€	350€	400€
120€	150€	-
250€	300€	350€
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* - Midnight CET

The registration fees are intended VAT included

Registration for the Conference should be done through the online registration system. Online payment can be made starting from 15th March, until 5th October (Midnight CET).

Services

- Extra registration fee includes: conference kit; abstract book; entrance to all sessions; welcome cocktail; coffee breaks and lunches for 3 days; social dinner; transport from Rome to ENEA C.R. Casaccia on 15th October morning; transport from ENEA C.R. Casaccia to Rome or to Fiumicino Airport on 15th October, at the end of the Conference.
- Standard registration fee includes: conference kit; abstract book; entrance to all sessions; welcome cocktail; coffee breaks and lunches for 3 days transport from Rome to ENEA C.R. Casaccia on 15th October; transport from ENEA C.R. Casaccia to Rome or to Fiumicino Airport on 15th October, at the end of the Conference.
- <u>1 day registration fee includes</u>: conference kit; abstract book; entrance to all the sessions of the selected day; coffee breaks and lunch for the selected day.
- Accompanying person registration fee includes: welcome cocktail; coffee breaks and lunches; social dinner transport from Rome to ENEA C.R. Casaccia on 15th October; transport from ENEA C.R. Casaccia to Rome or to Fiumicino Airport on 15th October, at the end of the Conference.

Cancellation

Cancellations must be done in written form and before 1st July (Midnight CET) to receive a full refund. For cancellations after this date, 30% will be charged.

Social events

Besides the technical sessions and presentations, 1st IMEKOFOODS provides an interesting, attractive social program that includes:

- Welcome Cocktail 12nd October afternoon (included in the registration fee)
- Gala dinner 14th October additional fee (except for "extra registration"): 50 €
- Social events additional fees: see the Conference website

Tickets for social events can be purchased soon via the Conference website.



Paper presentation

IPC, SSC and NOC invite to present papers on the topics covered by the program. Accepted papers will presented at the Conference during oral or poster sessions.

Deadlines

Activity	Deadline
Start of registration	15 st March 2014
Abstract due	31 st May 2014
Notification of acceptance	30 th June 2014
Conference start	12 nd October 2014

Publications

Abstracts selected for oral presentations and posters will be collected in the abstract book included in the conference kit. In addition, the International Program Committee will select papers to be submitted in a special issue of the IMEKO Journal "Measurement" (Elsevier).

Working language: English

Abstracts

The Abstracts (not more than 300 words) have to be sent in camera-ready form according to the simple following instructions:

Abstracts with the title, the authors and the name of the presenting author underlined should be written in English using Microsoft Word or using PDF format. The Abstract template will be soon downloadable on the Conference website. Abstracts in electronic form have to be e-mailed as an attached file to imekofoods@enea.it.

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