



FOOD FACTORY-4-US 2020-2021: VALORIZING FOOD BIODIVERSITY

Are you a Master's student enrolled in a food study programme eager to find solutions for valorizing food biodiversity in your country?

We want to hear your ideas!

You and your team will participate in an online, innovative, learner-centric environment based on participatory action-learning. You will also take part in our research project on improving action-learning for sustainable food systems.

Your project will include a specific objective/target and design/development of a solution exploitable by industry with the aim of improving innovation in sustainable food systems as well as quality and safety of foods. The **2020 Food Factory-4-Us Sustainable Supply Chain International Student Competition** addresses the following question:

How can food biodiversity in your country be valorized?

Do you have a great idea for valorizing food biodiversity in your country? Form a team of 3-5 Master's students, get a faculty mentor, and briefly present your project proposal (1000 characters) and your team the latest by **7 October 2020!**

Accepted teams will improve specific knowledge and competences, group cooperation and teamwork skills and awareness of innovative learning methods. Project evaluation will be 'real', that is carried out by food industry and/or food associations who, in collaboration with academics, will evaluate the projects based on applicability, innovation and teamwork. **Fabulous prizes for the winning team!**

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

7 October 2020

team application and submission of the project proposal

15 October 2020

Official communication of the acceptance of the teams

15 October 2020– 31 January 2021

Online trainings

31 January 2021

Submission of the project presentation and report

Virtual Workshop

announcement of the winning team and award session (Week of 15 February 2021)

ONLINE INNOVATIVE ACTION-LEARNING TRAININGS AWARDS

- 300 Euro for the best project, sponsored by the ISEKI-Food Association
- A guaranteed oral presentation in the session on Biodiversity and free registration to the [ISEKI-Food 2021 conference](#) for 3 members of the winning team
- Invitation to the 2021 NextFOOD project meeting with some expenses paid

MORE INFO

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