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Future Food Monthly Email: October

Dear all,

You are receiving this list because you have expressed an interest in food-related research. If you think you are receiving this in error, please let Lexi Earl [lexi.earl2@nottingham.ac.uk] know and she will remove you from the email list. If you know of anyone else who might like to receive food-related news, please let Lexi know and she will add them to the list. You may forward this on, if you have anyone else you think might be interested. We will not be using your email address for other purposes, nor will we share it without your express permission.

FUTURE FOOD BEACON NEWS

Welcome to the first Future Food Beacon newsletter. The purpose of this monthly newsletter is to inform you of Beacon happenings and news; plus events, opportunities, conference calls, and recent publications that may be relevant to your work. If you have anything you would like to share with others, please forward it on to Lexi [lexi.earl2@nottingham.ac.uk] and she can share it with the list.

We are on social media!

Please follow us on Twitter: @UoNFutureFood

And on Facebook: Facebook.com/UoNFutureFood

If you are using social media for Future Food related information/news, please use #FutureFoodNotts – this is checked regularly and we can then easily retweet your news.

Lexi is happy to promote publications, articles, events, talks, or opportunities on your behalf, if it is Future Food Beacon associated. Just email her and she will share via our social media channels.

We have launched our blog! We now have a new blog site, where we will be posting stories about the Beacon, our research, and exciting happenings. If you have a story you think would be good to feature, please get in touch!

<http://blogs.nottingham.ac.uk/futurefood/2018/08/02/welcome-to-future-food/> Blogs are published on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Press Release:

The University of Nottingham has recently launched a partnership with the New Hope Liuhe Group, to transform south-west China's animal feed market. Read about the partnership here:

<https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/news/pressreleases/2018/september/transforming-the-agrifood-industry-insouthwestern-china.aspx>

News, Meetings, Calls:

Talk on campus: Prof Mark Akeson, There and back again: sequencing RNA with nanopores
Wednesday October 10th, 4pm in LT4 in the Medical School, QMC

Food Exhibitions and Talks 12th-21st October, London: We Feed the World

<https://www.wefeedtheworld.org/app/uploads/2017/06/We-Feed-the-World-Programme-2018.pdf>

Annual Equality Lecture with Prof Kalwant Bhopal: Social justice, exclusion and white privilege in universities 25 October 2pm, British Library, London: https://www.britsoc.co.uk/events/key-bsa-events/annual-equality-lecture-with-professor-kalwant-bhopal-social-justice-exclusion-and-white-privilege-in-universities/?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=sept_eneews&utm_content=equality_event

Royal Society Call for meeting proposals: <https://royalsociety.org/science-events-and-lectures/scientific-meetings/>

Food Research Collaboration: <http://foodresearch.org.uk/become-a-member/>

GCRF Strategic Advisory Group Call: <https://www.ukri.org/research/global-challenges-research-fund/strategic-advisory-group/gcrf-strategic-advisory-group-call-for-nominations/>

Call for abstracts: Food Governance Conference, July 2019, Sydney

<https://sydney.edu.au/law/ourresearch/research-centres-and-institutes/sydney-health-law/food-governance-conference.html>

[PDF available from Lexi if interested] Call for Abstracts on the topic of Food and Cooking on Early European Television. Deadline for abstracts is Friday, 26 October 2018; please send to Ana Tominc (atominc@qmu.ac.uk). The deadline for full papers, if accepted, will be 01 October 2019.

Storytelling in Social Sciences: November 8th, London <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/storytelling-in-the-social-sciences-tickets-50726676856>

Annual Distinguished Ethnobotanist Lecture 2018, Tuesday, October 9th 5pm Kew Gardens, London <https://www.kent.ac.uk/sac/research/research-centres/cbcd/news/current.html?view=2827>

Public Engagement Opportunities:

!!! Nottingham Festival of Science and Curiosity 2019: the call is now open. Please contact Lexi if you are interested in participating. More info here:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdPm1U1OAEsCmEoF4twWAqNNmXlyKpxoDdFDGHAZhiA7NA/viewform> This is a super opportunity to showcase the Beacon to the local community.

The Nottingham branch of the British Science Association is looking for speakers for SciBar and also for public lectures. <http://nottsbsa.org/about-us/> If you are interested, please drop Lexi an email and she can help you set something up!

PubhD: <https://pubhd.wordpress.com/>

This is a great (and easy!) way for your PhDs to engage with the public, while practicing talking about their research in unusual settings. It is a broader group than SciBar (see above), but essentially the same thing.

The Brilliant Club: <https://thebrilliantclub.org/the-brilliant-club-for-researchers/get-involved/>
A way to take PhD research into schools – good for teaching experience and public engagement

Food Tech start-ups that might be of interest: <https://yfood.com/aboutus/>

Dance your PhD: <http://gonzolabs.org/dance/faq/#science-related-field>

Interesting Reading:

New Agriculture Bill: <https://services.parliament.uk/bills/2017-19/agriculture.html>

Food policy with Nordic design: <http://norden.diva-portal.org/smash/get/diva2:1214792/FULLTEXT01.pdf>

UNSCN News on the importance of social justice in food research:

<https://www.unscn.org/uploads/web/news/UNSCN-News43-WEB.pdf>

New report from Food Ethics Council:

https://www.foodethicscouncil.org/uploads/For%20whom%20-%20questioning%20the%20food%20and%20farming%20research%20agenda_FINAL_1.pdf

Fascinating project photographing children and their food: <https://www.greggsegal.com/P-Projects/Daily-Bread/1/caption>

Film on food, surplus food, loneliness, and community projects:

<https://geofoodie.org/2018/09/27/more-than-justfood/>

