

LSU AgCenter/Mendel University

FOOD SYMPOSIUM

Importance of Regional Food Supply During COVID 19



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in Brno

Day	Time Slot: BTR/CZ time	Topic, Presenter	Leading Faculty	Description
Monday, March 15	8-9 a.m. BTR/2-3 p.m. CZ	Welcome remarks, week at glance	Dr. William B. Richardson Dr. Danuse Nerudova Dr. Wade Baumgartner	Welcome remarks, program outline
	9-11a.m. BTR/3-5 p.m. CZ	Food waste -related topics Short presentation and discussion on future cooperation	Dr. Lea Kubickova Dr. Marcela Kormanakova Dr. Danyi Qi Dr. Bailey Houghtaling	Food waste study in Czech Republic — Presentation of results Food waste — Recycling for compost, perception, impact during COVID-19 Learning about our vices from devices: A model of individual learning with an application to consumer food waste Does nudging more vegetable consumption result in more waste? Evidence from a randomized dining experiment
Tuesday, March 16	7:30-9 a.m. BTR/1:30-3 p.m. CZ	Kick off to NEW JOINT CLASS — International Comparative Analysis of Regional Food Systems	Dr. Matt Fannin Dr. Radka Redlichova Dr. Ivo Zdrahal	STUDENT INVOLVEMENT (special link for this session will be provided upon registration)
	8-10 a.m. BTR/2-4 p.m. CZ	Human nutrition: Fruits and vegetables Nutrition into institutions Discussion: Potential future projects	Dr. Robert Pokluda Dr. Carl Motsenbocker	“Staple” vegetable species – Production, consumption, nutritional input to human diet Farm-to-school local food system program under COVID-19

	10-11 a.m. BTR/4-5 p.m. CZ	STUDENT SESSION Intro to campuses, opportunities to visit partner's campus	GN and International Office	Introduction of both campuses from student point of view via short videos STUDENT INVOLVEMENT
Wednesday, March 17	8-10 a.m. BTR/2-4 p.m. CZ	Role of nutrition, medicinal plants and superfood in healthy immune system during COVID-19	Dr. Milena Matejovicova Dr. Tomas Komprda	The potential of nutrition in the prevention of chronic civilization diseases as a possible protection against COVID-19 complications Selected micronutrients/nutraceuticals as possible immunomodulators in COVID-19 prevention Dr. Liu Zhijun – Medicinal Plants - Yen Chen
	10-11 a.m. BTR/4-5p.m. CZ	Nanotech particles — Team follow-up TEAMS MEETING	Dr. Komprda Dr. Sabliov Dr. Smerkova Ms. Tregenza Ms. Bernard	Follow-up discussion on project achievements to date, project evaluation, ideas and guidelines for follow-ups
Thursday, March 18	8-10 a.m. BTR/2-4 p.m. CZ	Food technology and production: Videos on food production from Czech Republic and the United States, nontraditional foods.	Dr. Miroslav Jůzl Dr. Radka Langová Dr. Joan King Dr. Alena Saláková Dr. Charles Boeneke	Food tech laboratories and procedures for teaching and research in food science and technology: Experience and vision of a practical form of teaching (Dr. Miroslav Jůzl, Mendel) Nontraditional types of crops for research and development of preserved foods (Dr. Langová, Mendel) Gluten-free products with a higher-protein rice flour (Dr. King, LSU) Cheese making and other dairy production: Technological and practical aspects (Dr. Saláková, Mendel) Ice cream production, commercial popsicles and gourmet ice cream production and salad dressings — Bottling line at LSU AgCenter Food Business Incubator (Dr. Boeneke, LSU)
	10-11 a.m. BTR/4-5 p.m. CZ	TBD		

Friday, March 19	8-10 a.m. BTR/2-4 p.m. CZ	Food safety	Dr. Kayanush Aryana Dr. Achyut Adhikari	Viruses in foods and influence of coronavirus on the food industry Environmental monitoring program and hygienic zoning for food industries
	10-11 a.m. BTR/4-5 p.m. CZ	Wrap-up — Food science roundtable discussion	Dr. Miroslav Jůzl	Opportunities and threats in the key aspects of food system: Food security, safety and nutrition — Are they compatible?