Conference Announcements

'99 International Symposium and Exhibition on Cereals and Their Food Processing Technology and Equipment, 23–26 November 1999, Beijing, China

This meeting is being organized by the Chinese Cereals and Oils Association (CCOA), International Association for Cereal Science and Technology (ICC), Sino-Japanese Food Marketing Development Committee (SJFMDC), and Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences (CAAS). The symposium will focus on the latest developments in the application of special cereal foods, steamed and boiled food technology, and their processing machinery. Colleagues from all ICC Member Countries are invited to take part in this meeting.

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Sewage Treatment Strategies for Coastal Areas and Small Communities, 6–7 December 1999, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK

This meeting is being sponsored by Aqua Enviro Technology Transfer in conjunction with The Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management (CIWEM).

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17th Process Development Symposium, 13–15 December 1999, Cambridge, England, UK

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Natural Products as a Source of Crops Protection, 14–15 December 1999, London, England, UK

For some considerable time, natural products have been a source of new chemistry that can be used as products directly or as the basis of new synthesis programs from which new chemicals can be developed. This meeting addresses the successes of natural product research, including chemicals, living systems, and genes, and examines how developing technology can make new discovery more effective.

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AITA/ICC AISTEC International Conference on Training and Scientific Development for Cereal Industries: Programs of Schools, Institutes, and Universities in the World, 9 March 2000, Milan, Italy

This conference is being organized by the Associazione Italiana Technologia Alimentare (AITA); Associazione Italiana di Scienza e Tecnologia dei Cereali (AISTEC), the Italian member organization of the International Association for Cereal Science and Technology (ICC); and ICC.

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International Conference: Starch 2000, 27–29 March 2000, Cambridge, England, UK

This conference will be held at Churchill College in Cambridge, England, UK.

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3rd European Congress on Food Freezing: Quality, Nutrition, and Safety, 30–31 March 2000, Montpellier, France

This meeting will address the state of the art in technological and scientific developments in frozen foods as well as environmental, consumer, and market concerns.

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