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OREGON SECTION

IFT Meeting

Tuesday, April 8, 2008

Location:

Alessandro's 120
120 Commercial St.
Salem , Oregon 97219-2470
Phone: 503.370.9951

Times:

4:30 PM Executive Committee
5:30 PM Social Hour/Registration
6:30 PM Dinner
7:30 PM Dr. Yanyun Zhao

Menu:

Antipasta platter during social hour
Dinner Buffet to include:
Lemon Chicken
Baked Salmon
Eggplant Parmesan
Focaccia Bread with Basil and Olive Dip
Signature House Green Salad with
 Custom Blended Creamy Dill
 Vinaigrette
Tortellini alla Panna
Assorted Desserts
Tea and Coffee

Registration Fee:

Advance Registration: \$25.00
At the Door: \$28.00
Students: \$13.00

Directions to Alessandros:

From I-5 Southbound:
Take exit 260A onto Salem Parkway,
Turn LEFT onto Broadway after 1.3 miles,
Take RIGHT towards Liberty after 0.2 miles,
Turn RIGHT on Division after 0.1 miles,
Turn LEFT on Commercial after 0.5 miles,
Arrive at Alessandros 120.

From I-5 Northbound:

Take the exit 253, Stayton/ Detroit Lake,
Turn LEFT onto Santiam Highway,
Stay on Santiam Highway for 2.5 turning
LEFT at the fork in the ramp,
Stay STRAIGHT to go onto Pringle Parkway,

Novel Technologies for Developing Value-Added Fruit and Vegetable Products

Dr. Yanyun Zhao

Dr. Zhao is an Extension Specialist with the Department of Food Science and Technology at Oregon State University.

Her combined extension and research effort is in the area of value-added food products development with an emphasis on the novel food processing and packaging technologies. One of her major research areas is in the development, characterization, and utilization of edible/biodegradable films and coatings for enhancing food quality and safety and increasing value of agricultural by-products.

Dr. Zhao offers a series of workshops and short courses in fruit and vegetable processes to the Northwest food industry and has published several research articles and book chapters.

Dr. Zhao is an active member of National IFT.

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Turn RIGHT onto State St after 0.1 miles,
Turn RIGHT onto Commercial St SE,
Follow Commercial St to Alessandros 120.

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

Jeff Clawson

I want to personally thank all of the section volunteers for the fantastic Food Ingredient Expo (FIX) at the end of last month – from the show floor to the technical session it was a big success. Many hours of work were put in to make this one of the best suppliers nights in the west. Thanks to all of the suppliers for their support – we hope to see you next year. Lastly, thanks to everyone that attended – for those that didn't you missed a great show.

2008 IFT Annual Meeting & Food Exp is June 28 – July 1 in New Orleans, LA. You can join more than 20,000 of your fellow food science and industry colleagues in New Orleans to learn about the very latest trends and developments in the food industry. The IFT Annual meeting combines the best in education, networking, and information sharing. You'll find more than 200 sessions, 1,000 exhibitors, hundreds of new products and technologies, and much more. Visit www.ift.orgIFT08 for more information.

The monthly meeting in April will be in conjunction with the Oregon Dairy Industry meeting in Salem. I hope to see you there.

Jeff
OSIFT Chair

Save the date!

**IFT Annual Meeting & Food ExpoSM
June 28 - July 2, 2008, New Orleans, LA**

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ANNUAL MEETING + FOOD EXPO

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2008 IFT National Elections

Elections for the IFT President, Board of Directors and Nominations and Elections Committee opened March 10. All eligible voters with valid email addresses received an email on March 10 with a link to the web page containing the ballot and information about the nominees. Please take time to look over the information and cast your ballot before the deadline of April 10. If you believe that you should have received a ballot but did not, or have any other issues with accessing the ballot, please email Lori Conley at laconley@ift.org for assistance.

OREGON SECTION IFT 2007-2008 Meetings

Mark your calendars now! Meeting times are the same unless noted:

4:30 PM Executive Committee Meeting
5:30 PM Social Hour/Registration
6:30 PM Dinner
7:30 PM Presentation

Tuesday, May 13, 2008

Location: Northwest Viticulture Center,
215 Doaks Ferry Road NW, Salem
Speaker: Dr. James Osborne
Topic: The Sauvignon Blanc Story and Wine Tasting
Annual OSIFT Awards Program

FIX* 2008

This year's Food Ingredient Xpo drew a very nice crowd of attendees to mingle at the Portland Double Tree Lloyd Center and visit with 169 loyal suppliers. To everyone who participated in this event, I want to offer my gratitude for your time and energy. There is a tremendous amount of effort put forth to make this happen and I am very grateful to those who helped in its execution, to the many suppliers who support us year after year, and to those of you who attended and truly made it a successful evening.

Dann Barnard
OSIFT FIX* Chair

Positions Available

Jo Wayne, Employment Bureau Chair

Golden Temple

Research & Development Food Technologist

Reference: Job Number: GT-167

Contact: Sat Bir Khalsa

jobs@goldentemple.com or

2545 Prairie Road, Eugene, OR 97402

Product Development Technologist

Oregon Freeze Dry

Contact: Oregon Freeze Dry, Inc., Dept. DH/PDT, PO Box 1048, Albany, OR 97321 or

E-mail HR@OFD.com (please reference Dept DH/PDT)

Truitt Bros.

QA Manager, Cannery

For more information contact Sue Meier, 503.361.5247, or suem@truittbros.com

Oregon Department of Agriculture

Shellfish Specialist

Information is available at:

<http://www.oda.state.or.us/asd/jobs/>

Oregon Dairy Products Commission

Executive Director

Send application materials including cover letter, resume, and three professional references to:

Executive Director Recruitment

Oregon Dairy Products Commission

10505 SW Barbur Blvd.

Portland, OR 97219

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IFT seeks to retain and celebrate individual differences and therefore will not discriminate, based on race, color, gender, sexual orientation, age religion, national origin, disability, or veteran status.



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April OSIFT Meeting Reservations

Please make your dinner reservations no later than 5:00 PM on Wednesday, April 2nd for the meeting on Tuesday, April 8th, 2008. (See meeting details on cover page.)

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: _____
 Company _____

This is a confirmation of a phoned/FAXed reservation.

A person making a reservation and then not attending will be billed for the price of the dinner, unless (1) the reservation is cancelled before the indicated deadline for the month, or (2) he/she sends a replacement who has not already made a reservation.

Please return form to:

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PLEASE MAKE YOUR MEETING PAYMENT BY CHECK (EITHER PERSONAL OR BUSINESS) AND PRESENT YOUR CHECK TO THE HOSPITALITY TABLE AT MEETING CHECK-IN.