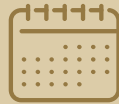




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## The International Symposium: Supporting The Development of Camel Milk Sector

### Agenda



24 – 25  
September 2024



08:00  
17:00



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Day 1 : 24 September 2024

| Time          | Item   | Contributors  |
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| 08:00 – 09:00 | Registration   |   |
| 09:00 – 11:00 | Opening and Media Briefings  |   |
| 09:00 – 10:00 | <b>Opening Speech:</b><br>United Arab Emirates:<br>Abu Dhabi Agriculture and Food Safety Authority (ADAFSA)  | <b>H.E. Mouza Suhail Al Muhairi</b><br>Deputy Director for Administrative and Regulatory Affairs - Chair of UAE National Codex Committee (NCC)                      |
|               | Ministry of Industry and advanced Technologies (MOIAT)   | <b>Dr. Yousef Saeed AlSaadi</b><br>Conformity affairs consultant  |
|               | <b>International Partner Organizations:</b><br>World Health Organization (WHO)   | <b>Mrs. Eva Al Zein</b><br>Food Safety Technical Officer<br>Eastern Mediterranean Regional Office   |
|               | World Organization for Animal Health (WOAH)  | <b>Dr. Mohammed Al Hosani</b><br>Sub-Regional Representative for Arabian Gulf   |
|               | International Dairy Federation (IDF)   | <b>Dr. Michael Hickey</b><br>Dairy Consultant -Head of Camel Milk Project Team  |
|               | Global Food Regulatory Science Society (GFoRSS)  | <b>Prof. Samuel Godefroy</b><br>President GFoRSS - President Elected IUFoST<br>Professor of Food Risk Analysis and Regulatory Policies<br>Laval University - Canada |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | Group Photo-Media Briefing and Coffee Break  |   |
| 11:00 – 12:30 | <b>Technical Session 1: Reviewing the Composition and health Attributes of Camel Milk</b><br><b>Moderator: Eng. Sonia Baldi</b>  |   |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Composition and Properties of Camel Milk   | <b>Prof. Gaukhar Konuspayeva</b><br>FAO consultant<br>Professor of food biotechnology<br>Al-Farabi Kazakh National University - Kazakhstan                          |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Nutritional, antimicrobial, and medicinal properties of Camel’s milk   | <b>Prof. Mutamed Ayyash</b><br>Professor and Head of Food Science Department<br>United Arab Emirates University   |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | <b>Panel Discussion:</b> Perspectives of Research to characterize health benefits of Camel Milk<br><b>Invited Guest: Dr. Bernard Faye</b> – International Consultant for scientific management of the camel research and development-CIRAD |   |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch Break  |   |
| 14:00 – 16:00 | <b>Technical Session 2: Reviewing the conditions of Production of Camel Milk and Perspectives of Development</b><br><b>Moderators: Dr. Mohammed Taha/ Dr. Jihad Al Bayari</b>  |   |
| 14:00 – 14:30 | Camel milk production conditions in UAE: economic aspects/ safety/ innovation of new products  | <b>Dr. Sergei Kiselev</b><br>Head of Research and development<br>Al Ain Dairy Farms - United Arab Emirates  |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | Camel Milk Quality Aspects   | <b>Mr. Ali Al Ghafri</b><br>Head of Food Standards Department<br>Ministry of Agriculture, fisheries, and water resources<br>Sultanate of Oman                       |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | Good Practises Of Camel Milk Production  | <b>Dr. Peter Nagi</b><br>Reproductive specialist -Farm Director<br>Farm & Veterinary Department-Camelicious<br>United Arab Emirates                                 |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | <b>Panel Discussion:</b> Perspectives of Development of the Camel Milk Production Sector and the Value added of a Codex Standard   |   |
| End of Day 1  |  |   |

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Day 2 : 25 September 2024

| Time          | Item  | Contributors  |
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| 08:00 – 09:00 | Registration  |   |
| 09:00 – 11:00 | Introductory Remarks by Regional and International Organizations<br>Moderators: Dr. Jehad Al Bayari/ Dr. Mohammed Taha                |   |
| 09:00 – 09:15 | Overview of the UAE efforts to support the development of a Codex Standard on Camel Milk  | H.E. Mouza Suhail Al Muhairi<br>Deputy Director for Administrative and Regulatory Affairs –Chair of UAE National Codex Committee (NCC)  |
| 09:15 – 09:30 | Introductory Remarks by the Chairpersons of:<br>Codex Coordinating Committee for the Near East (CCNE)                                 | Mr. Khaled Al Zahrani<br>Near East Codex Committee Coordinator<br>Head of the International Communication for food Standards – Food and Drug Authority<br>Kingdom of Saudi Arabia       |
| 09:30 – 09:45 | Codex Coordinating Committee for Africa (CCAFRICA)  | Dr. Hakim Mufumbiro<br>Africa Codex Committee Coordinator<br>Principal Officer Standard<br>National Bureau of Standards<br>Uganda   |
| 09:45 – 10:00 | Introductory Remarks by New Zealand Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade   | Mr. Andrew Pavitt<br>Regional Agricultural Counsellor<br>Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade – New Zealand  |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Introductory Remarks from Supporting Non – Governmental Organizations:<br>International Union of Food Science and Technology (IUFoST) | Prof. Samuel Godefroy<br>President GForSS-President Elected IUFoST<br>Professor, Food Risk Analysis and Regulatory Policies<br>Laval University – Canada                                |
| 10:15 – 10:30 | International Dairy Federation (IDF)  | Dr. Michael Hickey<br>Dairy Consultant –Head of Camel Milk Project Team – International Dairy Federation (IDF)  |
| 10:30 – 11:00 | Review of the Agenda and Expected Outcomes of the discussions   | Prof. Samuel Godefroy<br>President GForSS-President Elected IUFoST<br>Professor of Food Risk Analysis and Regulatory Policies<br>Laval University – Canada                              |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Coffee Break  |   |
| 11:30 – 13:00 | Technical Session 1: Developing the Discussion paper and the project document for camel milk international Standard                   |   |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Introduction of the current drafts of discussion paper and Project Document and identification of input areas                         | Prof. Samuel Godefroy<br>President GForSS-President Elected IUFoST<br>Professor of Food Risk Analysis and Regulatory Policies<br>Laval University – Canada                              |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | Moderated Discussion to support the Proposed Project Document Summary of Input and proposed Next Steps                                |   |
| 13:00 – 14:30 | Lunch Break   |   |
| 14:30 – 16:00 | Technical Session 2: Discussing the Proposed Standard Structure   |   |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | Introduction of the initial draft standard of camel milk for consideration by Codex   | Eng. Sonia Baldi<br>Plant Policies and Legislation Expert<br>Secretariat of the National Codex Committee UAE<br>Abu Dhabi Agriculture and Food Safety Authority<br>United Arab Emirates |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | Moderated Discussion to enable input to the proposed draft of camel milk standard   | Dr. Ruba Goussous<br>Food Safety Technical Consultant<br>Food and Drug Administration<br>Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan  |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | Summary of Input and Identified Next Steps  | Prof. Samuel Godefroy<br>President GForSS-President Elected IUFoST<br>Professor of Food Risk Analysis and Regulatory Policies<br>Laval University – Canada                              |
| 16:00 – 16:30 | Honouring and Closing of the Symposium  |   |



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