

PREPROGRAM

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BarTech Europe

Smart
Technology
for Bars

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HIGHLIGHTS: FESTIVE DINNER – FOYER EXHIBITION – NETWORKING EVENT AND LIVE DEMONSTRATIONS!

International Markets & Trends: Shaping the Future of Bars

How are global markets evolving? What key trends are shaping the bars of tomorrow?

- Market Analysis The Evolution of Protein Bars:
 - Health Trends vs. Traditional Snacks
- Innovation in Healthy Snacking Beyond the Protein Bar: What's Next?
- Provocative Panel Talk The Definition of a Bar:
 - Including an Interactive Voting Session!
- Functional Food Declaration:
 - Regulatory Guidelines for Proteins & Raw Materials

Product Development: Overcoming Challenges & Exploring New Ingredients

From functional ingredients to sustainable formulations – what hurdles and opportunities define modern product development in the bar industry?

- Rising Cocoa Prices Exploring Chocolate Alternatives
- · Raw Material Optimization, Waste Reduction, and Sustainability
- · Masking Off-Flavors: Optimizing the taste of proteins for consumer appeal

Focus on Milk Protein & Beyond: Utilizing Proteins in Bar Production

How can milk proteins and alternative protein sources be effectively incorporated into bars? Explore the challenges of formulation, texture, stability, and consumer expectations in protein-rich products.

- Exploring Milk Protein Alternatives: Pea, Hemp, and Soy Proteins
- The Role of Milk Proteins in Bar Production
- Development and Application of Debittered Legume Protein Concentrates for Bars and Snacks
- Optimizing High-Protein Bar Formulations: The Role of Collagen Peptides in Taste, Texture, and Shelf-Life Stability
- Enhancing energy bars with Microalgae

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Processing Technology: Rethinking Production & Alternatives

What are the latest innovations in bar manufacturing? Explore new processing technologies, efficiency improvements, and alternative production methods.

- Live Demonstration of Innovative Processing Techniques
- · From Mass Preparation to Finished Bars A Comprehensive Approach
- Enhancing Production Efficiency and Optimization

Companies Already in Attendance

- Aasted ApS
- Beuth University of Applied Sciences (Beuth Hochschule für Technik Berlin)
- DMC Dimitrios Makrakis Consulting
- · GELITA AG
- Hansella GmbH
- Krüger & Salecker Maschinenbau GmbH & Co. KG
- NielsenIQ
- · Nukoko GmbH
- PB Leiner
- SOLLICH KG
- Symrise AG
- VEMAG Maschinenbau GmbH

Congress Highlights

- A Festive Dinner with all Participants and Industry Experts
- International Foyer Exhibition
- Many Networking Opportunities
- Live Demonstrations
- · A Tour through the ZDS at the End of the Congress

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