



ANNUAL MEETING + FOOD EXPO®

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New Orleans Morial Convention Center
New Orleans, LA USA



Get practical inspiration at the IFT Annual Meeting & Food Expo...

Food professionals say they gain more value in just three days at the IFT Annual Meeting & Food Expo than they do from months in the office. **Why?** The reason is simple: over 18,000 food professionals from more than 100 countries around the world are in attendance—the leaders in R&D, product development, and QA/QC, as well as executive management, marketing, new business development, purchasing, and more—from industry, government, and academia. They're people who can inspire you with fresh perspectives, share critical new insights, and add muscle to your professional network.

Discover for yourself why food professionals from around the world say that the IFT Annual Meeting & Food Expo is THE must-attend event for people involved in both the science and the business of food. Registration is open! **Save up to \$150 when you register by May 9. Go to ift.org/IFT14 for details.**

Join us to...

- **Gain immediate ROI**

Forge new professional relationships, gain direct access to industry experts, and participate in forums that will expand your knowledge base and introduce you to new perspectives.

- **See the newest products and technologies from around the world**

Anyone can read about new products and innovations online, but only the IFT Annual Meeting & Food Expo allows you to see, touch, taste, and experience them first hand, plus meet directly with the people who are driving innovation in food science and technology.

- **Get insights, ideas, and information you can use now**

No matter what your professional interests are, you'll find virtually unlimited opportunities to acquire the knowledge, connections, and insights you need. Learn about the latest research and how it's being applied across the food system.

- **Meet suppliers and discover new products**

At the IFT Food Expo, you'll find the largest, most diverse collection of food ingredient, equipment, service, and packaging suppliers from all over the world.

- **Connect with with the who's who of the food profession**

Nothing tops a face-to-face event in terms of forming new professional relationships. Take advantage of the wide variety of events and activities taking place at the IFT Annual Meeting to reconnect with old friends, meet new people, and make important business connections.

Join us!



Join us in celebrating 75 years of IFT

2014 marks IFT's 75th anniversary...That's 75 years of major accomplishments by food science and technology professionals worldwide! Help us celebrate our past accomplishments as well as explore the future of food science and technology through a variety of exciting new initiatives, including our special 75th anniversary party!

Schedule at a glance

(As of March 4, 2014. Subject to change.)

Friday, June 20

8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Short Courses*†
8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	IFT Certified Food Scientist Prep Course*†

Saturday, June 21

8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	IFT Certified Food Scientist Prep Course*†
8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	Workshop–Capturing Business Benefits from Traceability: Growing Global Market Access and Reducing Food Waste*†
8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Short Courses*†
8:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.	Registration Open
10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	Division Leadership Meeting
1:00–2:45 p.m.	Division Poster Competitions
3:00–4:30 p.m.	IFT Division Competition Awards
4:00–5:30 p.m.	Fellows Reception
5:30–6:45 p.m.	Awards Celebration
6:45–8:45 p.m.	Welcome Reception (Mardi Gras World)

Sunday, June 22

6:45 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Registration Open
7:15–8:15 a.m.	Sunrise Sessions
8:30–10:15 a.m.	Opening General Session, featuring Doug Rauch
10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	Scientific Sessions
10:30–11:15 a.m.	Fennema Lecture
12:00–2:00 p.m.	Poster Sessions
12:00–5:00 p.m.	IFT Food Expo
12:00–5:00 p.m.	Career Center Networking Event
1:30–3:00 p.m.	Scientific Sessions
3:00–5:00 p.m.	Poster Sessions
4:00–4:45 p.m.	Beacon Lecture
6:00–7:30 p.m.	New Professionals Mixer (location TBD)
8:00–10:00 p.m.	IFTSA Networking Party (location TBD)
9:00 p.m.–12:00 a.m.	Diamonds & Donations: IFT 75th Anniversary Celebration (Generations Hall)†

Monday, June 23

6:15–7:15 a.m.	IFTSA & Feeding Tomorrow Fun Run (Audubon Park)†
8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Registration Open
8:30–10:00 a.m.	Scientific Sessions
8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.	Career Center Formal Interviews
10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	IFT Food Expo
10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	Scientific Sessions
11:00 a.m.–1:30 p.m.	Poster Sessions
12:00–1:00 p.m.	A Filmmaker's Perspective: FutureFood 2050 Panel Discussion
1:30–3:00 p.m.	Scientific Sessions
2:30–5:00 p.m.	Poster Sessions
4:00–4:45 p.m.	Beacon Lecture
4:45–6:15 p.m.	Division Networking Reception
5:30–7:00 p.m.	IFTSA Mixer*
7:00–11:30 p.m.	IFTSA Closing Ceremony and College Bowl*

Tuesday, June 24

8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.	Registration Open
8:30–10:00 a.m.	Scientific Sessions
8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.	Career Center Formal Interviews
10:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	Poster Sessions
10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.	IFT Food Expo
10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	Scientific Sessions
1:15–2:45 p.m.	Scientific Sessions
1:30–4:00 p.m.	Poster Sessions

Wednesday, June 25

7:30–1:00 p.m.	IFT Cares! Philanthropic Activity (location TBD)
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Join us for the event of the year!

* Held at the Hilton New Orleans Riverside

† Separate registration fee required