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Professional Development Committee Update: March 2014

The professional development team would like to remind you to sign up for the very informative and exciting technical session we have planned for you on April 3, 2014: **“The Science and Market Forces Behind the Gluten-Free Movement.”** Registration and Program information is found at www.chicagoift.org – meetings and events.

We are also proud to announce a change to our monthly newsletter job postings. We are migrating the static newsletter job postings to a more current web-based platform. If you are looking for a job or are interested in advertising an open position on the new career web-site, please reach out to any of the Professional Development team members below for assistance.

We extend a warm welcome to Michael Gross, who just joined the Professional Development Team. Michael is a bright, passionate and energetic individual and we are excited to have Michael on board.

The team is planning more professional development events for you including a collaborative venture with the mid-west AOAC leadership team at their June annual meeting, to be held in Oakbrook, IL this year. Stay tuned for details and special registration accommodations for Chicago Section IFT members.

In the meantime, we look forward to seeing you on April 3rd at the Gluten-Free Technical session.

Sincerely,
The Professional Development Team

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