

Item 3 – Chairman's report

Extraordinary Annual General Meeting (online) 27th November 2023, 3.00 – 6.00 pm CET



Life of the association



Our structure - *Updates*

Communications Committee

Chair to be elected

Regulatory Affairs Committee

Chair: B. Loberant (SuperMeat)

Strategic Planning Committee

Chair: R. E. Jones (Mosa Meat)

Sub-committee on novel foods

Chair: N. Baldwin (Uncommon)

Sub-committee on classification, labelling, hygiene and labelling

Chair: V. Teloni (MosaMeat)

ISO task force

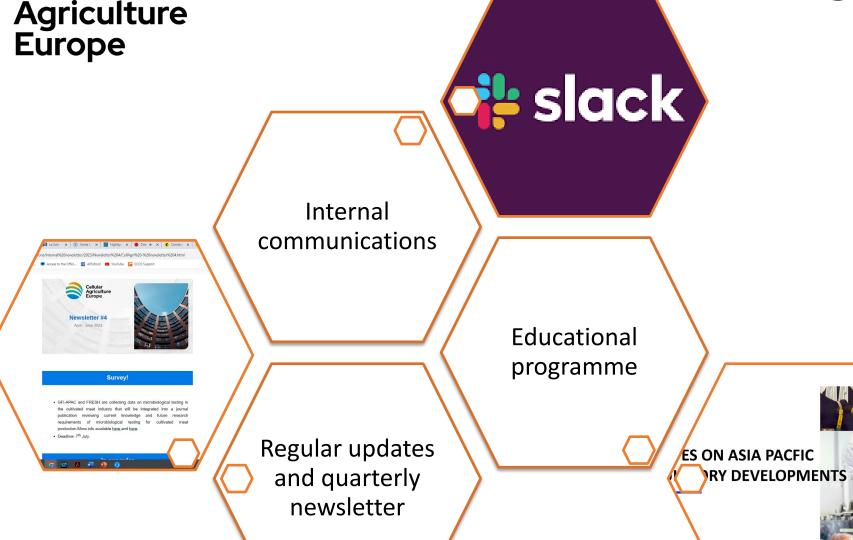
General Assembly

Board

- President: Mr Robert Jones (Mosa Meat)
- First VP & Treasurer: Mr Chris Dammann (Bluu Seafood)
- Second VP: Ms Hélène Miller (Aleph Farms)
- Dr Hannah Lester (Gourmey)
- Mr Etienne Duthoit (Vital Meat)



Our tools





Public affairs update



Activities with EU institutions



Member of DG SANTE's Advisory Group on Sustainable Food Systems.

Letter for DG SANTE on Italy & Romania.



EFSA registered stakeholder.

Member of EFSA's Technical Group TOOLS.

Participation in EFSA's *ad hoc* meeting with industry representatives.



EP outreach around INI report on a protein strategy.

Debate with Intergroup on animal welfare postponed to Q1 2024.



Focus on EP INI report on protein strategy

Report adopted in Strasbourg on 19th October

- 43. Calls on the Commission to present a comprehensive impact assessment of novel food for human consumption in line with the European agricultural model, society, human health, environment and economy; stresses that the precautionary principle should be considered;
- 44. Notes that cell-based food, which is produced by culturing cells isolated from plants and animals, presents ethical, social, environmental and economic challenges, and the Novel Food regulation¹ is not fit for purpose; highlights that consumer interests and expectations must be better reflected;
- 45. Calls on the Commission to ensure that food in the EU originates from sustainable farming systems; recalls the link between sustainable food production, nature, farmers and rural development and underlines the added value and ecosystem services provided by farmers;
- 46. Calls for more research and development into the safety and sustainable production of proteins in the EU and their impact based on a One Health approach; underlines the urgent need for public and private research, research infrastructure and demo facilities to scale up a resilient EU protein system; highlights the important role of research institutes in the European Union to make the EU's food system even more efficient and sustainable;

A holistic approach that includes the entire food value chain

47. Underlines that improved coordination and collaboration between the supply chain's stakeholders, along the entire value chain, is needed to bridge the current gaps between farmers, processors and retailers; stresses that stronger collective collaborations between the actors, notably through farmers' organisations and agricultural cooperatives, should be actively promoted with a view to shaping higher added value chains:

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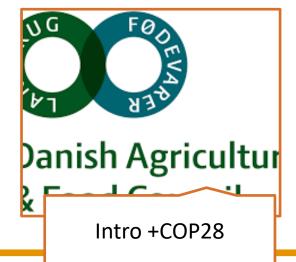
EU partners and interlocutors























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State of play

- Adopted by Romanian Senate on 23rd October, the Bill provides for naming, presentation and labelling provisions for meat. Country of origin must be labelled. It also provides for a definition for "Romanian meat products" and bans the sale of "synthetic meat" on the domestic market
- The next general elections are scheduled in 2024.
- Next step = Chamber of Deputies (expected in early 2024).

Our activity

- CAE statement.
- Coordination with GFI Europe + support in stakeholder mapping.

Carnea sintetică, la un pas de a fi interzisă în România. Proiectul, adoptat de Senat. Ce se întâmplă cu produsele locale

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Plenul Senatului a dat undă verde luni pentru interzicerea cărnii sintetice în România, dar și pentru promovarea produselor din carne autohtone. Camera Deputaților e cea care are ultimul cuvânt pe inițiativă.





Global Cellular Agriculture Alliance



SIAW (1/2)



Global coalition joint meeting on 31st October in Singapore







Global coalition at COP28

Cellular
 Agriculture
 Europe applied
 for UNFCCC
 Observer status.

August 2022

March 2023

 President meets with FAO Deputy Director. Cellular
 Agriculture
 Europe's UNFCCC
 application
 provisionally
 accepted.

September 2023

30/01 - 12/02 2023

- COP28 in Dubai.
- Full day on protein diversification on 09/12.



COP28 Our thematic day







ADVANCE protein diversification.







Thank you!

