



**International Conference**  
**Food Innovations Stakes & Business Competitiveness**  
**at a European level:**  
**The key to success for business-university**  
**partnerships**

**October 18<sup>th</sup> 2016 - 9:00 to 17:00**

Associated Partner



**Auditorium AG2R La Mondiale**  
**26 rue de Montholon – PARIS 9<sup>ème</sup>**  
**Metro station : Cadet (#7)**

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## Programme (\*to be confirmed)

*The conference will be animated by Geoff Meade*

08:30-09:00

Welcome Coffee

09:00-09:15

Welcome Speech

**Stéphane Le Foll\***, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Forestry (France)

**Thierry Mandon\***, Secretary of State for Higher Education and Research (France)

**Jean-Philippe Girard**, President of ANIA, National Association of Food Industries (France)

09:15-10:00

Conference:

« **Nestlé Innovation Stakes & University-Business Partnerships** »

**Alexandre Voirin**, Head of Consumer Centricity in Nestlé R&D

10:00-11:30

Conferences

*Contribution of Higher and Continuing Education to innovation*

**Gerhard Schleining**, ISEKI-Food Association, coordinator FooD-STA (Austria)

*University – Business interface : the role of technical centers*

**Bertrand Emond**, Head of Membership and Training, Campden BRI (UK)

*Keys for successful business – university partnerships*

**Peter Lillford**, CBE, University of Birmingham (UK)

11:30-12:00

POSTER SESSION + COFFEE BREAK

12:00-13:00

Round-table conference « **Business incubator, another way to innovate** »

**Beate Kettlitz**, Director Food Policy, Science and R&D FoodDrink Europe

**Jérôme Zlatoff**, Agrapole ISARA Lyon (France)

**Israël Griol Barres**, IDEAS, University of Valencia (Spain)

**Thomas Van Den Boezem**, Startlife Wageningen University (Netherlands)

**Sarah Vandermeersch**, Creator of ProNuts, Ecotrophelia 2015 (Belgium)

FREE PARTICIPATION - REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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13:00-14:30

**POSTER SESSION & LUNCH BUFFET**

14:30-15:30

**Round-table conference « Eco-design & Sustainable development »**

**Gilles Trystram**, Director AgroParisTech, coordinator IDEFI-ECOTROPHELIA (France)

**Yvonne Colomer**, Director Fundacion TRIPTOLEMOS (Spain)

**Ulf Sonesson**, Senior Scientist SP Technical Research Institute of Sweden

**Gwenola Yannou-Le Bris**, Laboratoire Génie Industriel Centrale Supélec-Agroparistech (France)

**Georges GARCIA**, Président Alg&You (France)

15:30-16:30

**Round-table conference « Financial Stakes »**

**Frédéric Ventre** Chairman of Yooji (France)

**Isabelle de Cremoux**, CEO of Seventure (France)

**Stefania Abbona**, Chairman of The Algae Factory (Netherlands)

**Emmanuelle Paillat**, Chairman of Bluebees Crowdfunding (France)

16:30-17:00

**Closing conference**



**Tibor Navracsics\***

European Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth & Sport