

Venue

The 6th International Workshop on Food and Wine Supply Chain will be held at **Bologna University**, Italy, which is considered to be **the oldest university in the Western world (A.D. 1088)**. Its history is intertwined with that of the great names of science and literature, it is a keystone and a point of reference for European culture. Nowadays, the University of Bologna is home to about 86.500 university students. It has a Multicampus structure, ensuring the opportunity to learn and promoting stable research activities throughout the region, aiming to improve the operations and quality of life for the university community.



Supporting Journals



Location

The **city of Bologna**, from its side, offers several historical attractions and fascinating spots where enjoying its beautiful atmosphere. Thanks to its many towers, beautiful buildings and the 40-km-long porticoes, Bologna have been nominated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. One of the most celebrated Italian cities, Bologna is renowned by Italians as "**La Dotta, La Grassa, La Rossa**", which literally means: "the Erudite one, the Fat one, the Red one". The first nickname refers obviously to its famed university. The second recalls its culinary tradition. Finally, "the red one" is a reference to the red rooftops throughout the city and also evokes the distinctive color of the Ducati motorbikes and the Ferrari cars. These motor companies, together with Lamborghini and Maserati makes of Emilia Romagna region the "land of motors".



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Invitation to FWSSC 2022

The Department of Industrial Engineering together with the Department of Agricultural and Food Science at the University of Bologna cordially invites you to join the **6th International Conference on Food and Wine Supply Chain** in Bologna, Italy.

The conference addresses the topic of design and planning of sustainable **food supply chains** from a **multidisciplinary** and systemic **food ecosystem** perspective involving all stages from growers to consumers. It aims to better understand food ecosystems according to a holistic approach, by highlighting the horizontal connections among the supply chain stages and the associated interdisciplinary fields of research. Interactions between the food ecosystems and Sustainable Development Goals like **providing affordable food, mitigating climate change, greening the sector, improving consumer awareness, enhancing healthy eating, saving energy and preserving the environment** will be central.

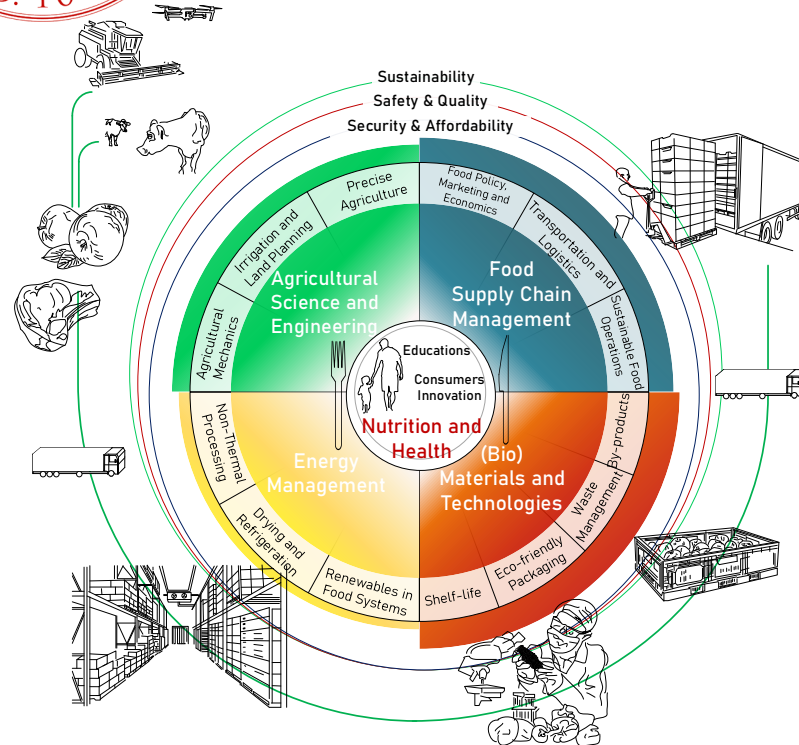
The conference will include parallel sessions, keynote presentations, industrial visits on current and emerging topics relevant to the Food And Wine Supply Chain.

You are warmly invited to submit a paper to the conference. We look forward to welcoming you to Bologna for the 6th FWSSC 2020.

Supporting Journal

Extended versions of best full papers will be recommended to publication in Special Issues for the supporting Journals (WoS/ISI/Scopus indexed):

- Journal of Cleaner Production (IF 9.297, ELSEVIER)
- Sustainability (IF 3.251, MDPI)
- Supply Chain Management: An International Journal (Emerald, Scopus IF 9.012)
- Applied Food Research (ELSEVIER)
- Transportation Research Procedia (ELSEVIER)



Registration Fees

Due to the generous donation from Sponsor and Conference Partners, we are able to offer the following rates for the 6th International Conference on Food and Wine Supply Chain.

- **Early Academics/Authors:** €560
- **Academics/Authors:** €700
- **Students:** €450
- **Early Industry:** €650
- **Industry:** €750
- **Remote Subscription:** 250€
- **Delegates from Developing Countries:** €380

Prices include VAT 22%

Each authors is allowed to submit and present a maximum of two papers. Additional papers require a fee of €100.

Important Dates

- Abstract Submission:** February, 28, 2022
- Abstract Acceptance/Rejection Notification:** March, 5, 2022
- Deadline for Paper Submission:** March, 18, 2022.
- Paper Acceptance/Rejection notification:** March, 31, 2022.
- Early bird registration:** April, 18, 2022.
- Author registration deadline:** May, 10, 2022.

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Topics

- **Advanced irrigation, harvesting, farming** strategies
- **Resources optimization** in primary growing/farming;
- **Remote sensing** and machine learning in agriculture
- Emerging **non-thermal processing** systems
- Novel **mild processing** technologies
- Food **production scheduling** and facility/equipment design
- Design of smart and **eco-friendly food packaging** solutions
- Food **packaging network** design
- Energy effective processing
- **Automation** in food industry
- **Traceability systems** for food safety management
- **Digital twins** in food processing, storage and distribution
- **IoT** in agriculture and food industry
- **Cold chain** management practices and technologies
- **Food operations management:** optimization and simulation
- Design of sustainable **food logistic systems**
- Strategic approaches for **waste management**
- **By-products valorization** and **food circular economy**
- Food **consumer behavior** and impact awareness
- **Balanced nutrition** and **healthy eating** aiding technologies
- Sustainability scoring systems for **eating habits** and **dietary choices**