



Call for Contributions

ISO-FOOD 2026 International Symposium

San Michele all'Adige, Italy – 13–15 May 2026

The ISO-FOOD 2026 International Symposium warmly invites submissions from the global scientific and professional community active in food science, analytical technologies, metrology and food system integrity. Organized by Fondazione Edmund Mach, this multidisciplinary event will bring together leading researchers, technologists, industry stakeholders and regulatory bodies to explore state-of-the-art advances and practical applications of isotopic and related analytical techniques in food authenticity, traceability, safety, quality and sustainability.

Topics and Goals

We welcome original contributions that advance the understanding and application of isotopic approaches and support analytical methodologies in the food arena. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- **Food authenticity and traceability** — cutting-edge methodologies for verifying origin, composition, production systems, and supply chain integrity.
- **Food metrology and analytical standards** — innovative calibration, reference materials, uncertainty quantification and harmonization across platforms.
- **Foodomics and multi-omics integration** — isotope-based insights combined with genomics, proteomics and metabolomics for food characterization.

- **Emerging food sources and sustainability** — isotopic evaluation of new and alternative food matrices within sustainable production systems.
- **Risk assessment, climate change & food systems** — isotopic markers linked to environmental pressures, food quality and safety risk frameworks.

Submission Types

We encourage submissions across several formats:

- **Oral Presentations** – for high-impact advances in research and methodology
- **Poster Presentations** – for focused studies, case work and emerging topics

Who Should Contribute

This call is open to:

- ✓ Academic researchers and post-doctoral scholars
- ✓ Laboratory scientists and analytical specialists
- ✓ Food industry technologists and quality assurance professionals
- ✓ Regulatory and policy experts in food safety and traceability
- ✓ Representatives from private sector, SMEs and analytical service providers

The symposium's design and content provide a unique opportunity to bridge fundamental research with real-world applications, fostering dialogue and collaboration among diverse stakeholders including industry actors and end-users.

How to Submit

Authors are invited to prepare an abstract that clearly outlines the objective, methodology, key findings and relevance to the symposium's themes. Submission guidelines and abstract templates are available via the symposium website.

 **Submission deadline: March, 15th 2026**

 Full details & registration on the official [Iso-food 2026 website](#)