TUFTS UNIVERSITY CELLULAR AGRICULTURE INNOVATION DAY

AGENDA

JANUARY 11, 2024

10:00 - 10:30	Registration - Joyce Cummings Center Lobby
10:30 - 11:25	Welcoming remarks from Sunil Kumar , President, Tufts University Fireside Chat: State of Cellular Agriculture David Kaplan , Tufts University Bruce Friedrich , The Good Food Institute
	Remarks Sanah Baig, USDA Deputy Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics (REE)
11:25 - 12:00	Panel: Funding the Future of Cellular Agriculture Natalie Rubio, Tufts University (Moderator) Davide Dukcevich, Private Investor Harris Komishane, Meach Cove Capital Ben Linville-Engler, MassTech Ellie Myers, Nutter
12:00 - 12:35	Panel: Bringing Cellular Agriculture Products to Consumers in the US Bill Shaw, Tufts University (Moderator) Ben Berman, Tomorrow Farms Nicki Briggs, Perfect Day Amaru Sánchez, Wiley Law Eric Schulze, Good Humans Strategy & Design
12:35 - 1:35	Lunch
1:35 - 2:15	Panel: Latest Research on Sustainability & Techno-Economics Michael Klein, Tufts University (Moderator) Nicole Tichenor Blackstone, Tufts University John Ellersick, Next Rung Technology David Humbird, DWH Process Consulting Hanna Tuomisto, University of Helsinki

2:15 - 2:55	Panel: Latest Research on Flavor & Taste
	John Yuen Jr., Tufts University (Moderator)
	Kartheek Anekella, R&D Leader
	Lutz Grossmann, UMass Amherst
	Morgan Rease, Scientific & Culinary Consultant
	Margrethe Therkildsen, Aarhus University

2:55 - 3:25	Break
3:25 - 4:05	Panel: Safety of Cellular Agriculture Products & Evaluation Tools Bre Duffy, New Harvest (Moderator) Kristi Muldoon Jacobs, FDA Office of Food Additive Safety (OFAS) Naya McCartney, Vow Kim Ong, Vireo Advisors Reza Ovissipour, Texas A&M University Larisa Rudenko, BioPolicy Solutions
4:05 - 4:45	Panel: Scaling & Infrastructure Andrew Stout, Tufts University (Moderator) Lily Fitzgerald, MassTech Bert Frohlich, Consultant Yossi Quint, Ark Biotech Ryan Sylvia, MilliporeSigma
4:45 - 5:00	Closing Remarks Yvonne Hao, Massachusetts Secretary of the Executive Office of Economic Development

5:00 - 6:00 Networking Reception

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