



SEMINARS NOTICE

Within the frame of the EU TEMPUS Project “*Capacity building of Personnel in Jordanian Olive Industry*”, Dr. Ghadeer F. Mehyar will be visiting the Dept. of Biotechnology from May 22nd through May 27th.

Dr. Mehyar is an associated professor and dean assistant for academic research at the University of Jordan since 2008 and is an active researcher in the field of biodegradable packages, antimicrobial additives, legislation and food microbiology. Dr.



Mehyar’s research interests are in the field of active biopolymer packaging, microbial food control, food textural properties and polymeric additives in foods.

Dr. Mehyar obtained her BSc. and MSc. degrees in Food Science and Nutrition from the University of Jordan in 1991 and 1996, respectively and the PhD degree in Foods and Nutritional Sciences from the University of Manitoba, Canada in 2006.

Dr. Mehyar will deliver 3 sets of seminars with the following schedule:

Monday May 23rd (Aula H)

15:30 - 16:30 Seminar: Essential Nutrients in Human Diet
16.45 – 17:45 Seminar: Red Meat Processing
18:00 – 18:30 Open discussion of the topics presented in the seminars

Wednesday May 25th (Sala Verde)

09:30 - 10:30 Seminar: Effective Food Packaging Materials
10:45 - 11:45 Seminar: Food Additives, legal and technical issues
12:00 – 12:30 Open discussion of the topics presented in the seminars

Thursday May 26th (Sala Verde)

09:30 - 10:30 Seminar: Quality Control Systems in Food Industry
10:45 - 11:45 Seminar: Edible coatings and microencapsulation in foods
12:00 – 12:30 Open discussion of the topics presented in the seminars

The personnel of the Dept. of Biotechnology and all the students are invited to participate.

Anyone interested in meeting and discussing research topics with Dr. Mehyar can contact Prof. Fabio Favati (fabio.favati@univr.it Ph. 045-8027919).