

ANNUAL DECLARATION OF INTERESTS (ADoI)

(Please note that high quality of scientific expertise is by nature based on prior experience and that therefore having an interest does not necessarily mean having a conflict of interest)

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Profession: Scientist/Science adviser

Current EFSA involvements: Hearing Expert-FEEDAP Panel 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Member-GMO Panel 2012-2015 (GMO), Member-Applications-Food and Feed (GMO), Chair-Biomasses 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Member-Guidance on Bacillus Safety (FEEDAP), Member-Micro-organisms 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Member-Mycotoxin Detoxifying Agents 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Chair-Organic Acids 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Member-Other Zootechnical Additives 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Chair-QPS approach for assessment of botanicals (SC), Member-Silage Additives 2012-2015 (FEEDAP)

Nature of Activities	Period	Organisation	Subject matter
I. Economic interest			NO INTEREST
II. Member of a management body or equivalent structure			NO INTEREST
III. Member of a scientific advisory body	01/2008 - now	-Name: UK Food Standards Agency	Member of the Advisory Committee on Novel Foods and Processes (ACNFP).
	08/2012 - 03/2013	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - RA of plants developed through new techniques (GMO)
	07/2011 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Technological Additives (FEEDAP)

	07/2009 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Micro-organisms (FEEDAP)
	07/2009 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - FEEDAP Panel 2009-2012 (FEEDAP)
	07/2012 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Guidance on additives, substances and products used in animal feed (FEEDAP)
	04/2012 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Other Zootechnical Additives (FEEDAP)
	08/2010 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Biomasses (FEEDAP)
	07/2010 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Chair - Feed Flavourings (FEEDAP)
	12/2009 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Mycotoxin Detoxifying Agents (FEEDAP)
	09/2009 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Chair - Silage (FEEDAP)
	07/2009 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Chair - Organic Acids (FEEDAP)
	07/2009 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Coccidiostats (FEEDAP)
	07/2003 - 07/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Scientific Committee 2009-2012 (SC)
	07/2010 - 06/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Chair - FEEDAP Steering Group (FEEDAP)
	07/2009 - 06/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Chair - Rosemary Extracts for Pets (FEEDAP)
	07/2009 - 06/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Guidance on additives, substances and products used in animal feed (FEEDAP)
	07/2008 - 06/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Antibiotic Resistance (FEEDAP)
	07/2003 - 06/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Chair - FEEDAP Panel 2003-2012 (FEEDAP)
	07/2003 - 06/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Scientific Committee 2003 - 2012(SC)
	07/2009 - 06/2010	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Overarching Working Group on Botanicals (SC)
	07/2009 - 02/2010	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Flavourings Guidelines (FEEDAP)
	07/2009 - 09/2009	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Functional Groups (FEEDAP)
	01/1999 - 12/2008	-Name: Defra and BBSRC - Government department/Research Council	<p>Advising with others on the selection of research proposals suitable for Government funding relating to the non-food use of crops in the case of Defra and the more biological-related research in the case the BBSRC (a Biological Resesach Council). Final decisions on funding made by permanent staff taking into account the advice provided.</p> <p>A small proportion of applications would have included genetic modification as part of the research design.</p>
	01/2003 - 05/2008	-Name: UK Food Standards Agency	Member of the Advisory Committee on Animal Feeds (ACAF) and chair of its GM sub-committee.

IV. Employment	04/1979 - 06/2003	-Name: Rowett Research Institute (now Rowett Institute for Health and Nutrition, University of Aberdeen)	Nutrition research
V. Ad hoc or occasional consultancy			NO INTEREST
VI. Research funding			NO INTEREST
VII. Intellectual property rights			NO INTEREST
VIII. Other membership or affiliation	01/2003 - now	-Name: School of Biological Sciences, University of Aberdeen	Honorary chair with some (unpaid) teaching responsibilities relating to the food chain undertaken in return for use of facilities such as IT and library services. No resesach funding/activity of any kind in the last five years.
	12/2002 - now	-Name: Royal Society for Chemistry (learned society)	Professional organization/learned society.
IX. Other relevant interest			NO INTEREST
X. Interests of close family members			NO INTEREST

I hereby declare that I have read both the Guidance Document on Declarations of Interests and the Procedure for identifying and handling potential conflict of interests and that the above Declaration of Interests is complete.

Date: 16/04/2013 Signature: **SIGNED**