

## 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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**Current EFSA involvements:** Member-CONTAM Panel 2012-2015 (CONTAM), Chair-Acrylamide in Food (CONTAM), Member-Alkaloids (CONTAM), Chair-Fusarium toxins (CONTAM)

Nature of Activities	Period	Organisation	Subject matter
<b>I. Economic interest</b>	11/2004 - now	-Name: Santander	Share owner. Bank and investment company, not food related
	08/1992 - now	-Name: Foreign and Colonial	Share owner. Investment company, not food related.
	07/2001 - 11/2009	-Name: Friends Provident	Share owner. Investment company. Share owner. Bank. Not food-related
	12/2000 - 09/2008	-Name: Bradford and Bingley plc	Share owner. Bank. Not food-related
<b>II. Member of a management body or equivalent structure</b>			NO INTEREST

<b>III. Member of a scientific advisory body</b>	07/2010 - now	-Name: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)	<p>Member of expert group on the revision and development of the OECD test guidelines on genotoxicity. Attendance to provide advice at a meeting in March 2011.</p> <p>The ultimate output from OECD will be new guidelines.</p> <p>No voting or vetoing in this expert group.</p> <p>No involvement with contaminants. No participation in the preparation of outputs of OECD addressing the same issue as the mandate of the CONTAM Panel or its working groups.</p>
	03/2008 - 10/2012	-Name: Food Standards Agency (FSA)	<p>Member of General Advisory Committee on Science (GACS).</p> <p>Committee provides advice on the FSA's governance and use of science.</p> <p>Member of committee. Provide advice.</p> <p>No voting or vetoing in this committee.</p> <p>No participation in the preparation of outputs of FSA addressing the same issue as the mandate of the CONTAM Panel or its working groups.</p>
	01/2001 - 10/2012	-Name: Health Protection Agency, UK	<p>Committee on Carcinogenicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment (Advisory Committee on carcinogenicity) (COC).</p> <p>Committee provides advice to UK Government Departments</p> <p>Member of committee. Provide advice.</p> <p>No voting or vetoing in this committee.</p> <p>The Committee on Carcinogenicity assessed the carcinogenicity of pyrrolizidine alkaloids in 2008 at the request of the Committee on Toxicity. Ergot alkaloids and tropane alkaloids were not considered.</p> <p>No other participation in the preparation of outputs of COC addressing the same issue as the mandate of the CONTAM Panel or its working groups.</p>
	01/2001 - 10/2012	-Name: Health Protection Agency, UK	<p>Committee on Mutagenicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment (Advisory Committee on mutagenicity) (COM).</p> <p>Committee provides advice to UK Government Departments</p> <p>Chair of committee. Provide advice.</p> <p>No voting or vetoing in this committee.</p> <p>No participation in the preparation of outputs of COM addressing the same issue as the mandate of the CONTAM Panel or its working groups. (The substances covered by the WGs on alternaria and fusarium have not been assessed by this committee during my membership. Pyrrolizidine alkaloids, ergot alkaloids and tropane alkaloids have also not been assessed by this committee during my membership).</p>

	06/2009 - 07/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - CONTAM Panel 2009-2012 (CONTAM)
	09/2010 - 12/2011	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Vice-Chair - Alternaria toxins (CONTAM)
	10/2008 - 04/2010	-Name: World Health Organisation	Reviewer for working group on WHO Guidelines for indoor air quality: selected pollutants.  Outputs from WHO are Guidelines.  No voting or vetoing in this group.  No involvement with contaminants. No participation in the preparation of outputs of WHO addressing the same issue as the mandate of the CONTAM Panel or its working groups.
	07/2009 - 02/2010	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - Evaluation of Previous Cargoes (CONTAM)
	05/2000 - 06/2008	-Name: Health Effects Institute (HEI)	HEI provides research funding on air pollution and motor vehicle emissions.  Member of Research Committee. Provided advice on research grant applications.  No voting or vetoing in this committee.  No involvement with food or contaminants. No participation in the preparation of outputs of HEI addressing the same issue as the mandate of the CONTAM Panel or its working groups.
<b>IV. Employment</b>	01/2013 - now	-Name: University of Leicester, UNITED KINGDOM	UK University.  Emeritus Professor in the Department of Cancer Studies and Molecular Medicine.  Not involved in risk management.  The organisation does not have an official responsibility to carry out risk management.
	10/2007 - 12/2012	-Name: University of Leicester	UK University.  Employed as Professor.  Carry out research on cancer biomarkers, in the Department of Cancer Studies and Molecular Medicine.  Not involved in risk management.  The organisation does not have an official responsibility to carry out risk management.  On 1st January 2013 my position changed to Emeritus Professor in the Department of Cancer Studies and Molecular Medicine, University of Leicester

	05/1978 - 10/2007	-Name: Medical Research Council (MRC)	<p>UK Government Research Council.</p> <p>Employed as scientist in MRC Toxicology Unit. Not involved in risk management.</p> <p>The organisation does not have an official responsibility to carry out risk management.</p> <p>Research activity was on molecular biomarkers of dose and effect of genotoxins</p>
<b>V. Ad hoc or occasional consultancy</b>	12/2004 - 09/2012	-Name: ILSI Health and Environmental Sciences Institute (HESI) (non-profit organisation)	<p>Member of the Biomonitoring Technical Committee (non-remunerated).</p> <p>Provided advice on this subject.</p> <p>Publications may be prepared by ILSI/HESI committees.</p>
	12/2004 - 04/2012	-Name: ILSI Health and Environmental Sciences Institute (HESI) (non-profit organisation)	<p>Member of the Biological Significance of DNA Adducts Committee, (non-remunerated).</p> <p>Provided advice on this subject and contributions to publications.</p>
<b>VI. Research funding</b>	01/2010 - now	-Name: World Cancer Research Fund (WCRF)	<p>Assessment of the genotoxicity of dietary acrylamide</p> <p>Study report to WCRF.</p>
	04/2007 - now	-Name: Cancer Research UK and Department of Health	<p>Centre for the clinical development of cancer chemopreventive agents, targeted therapies and biomarkers of cancer, chemoprevention and therapy.</p>
	01/2004 - now	-Name: European Commission (EC)	<p>Several research grants on environmental carcinogenesis, biomarkers of carcinogenesis in mothers and newborns, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons, nanoparticles.</p> <p>Study reports to EC.</p> <p>The research (co-)funding I received from the private sector in the latest full budget year, and for the areas covered by the Panels, does not exceed 25% of the total annual research budget that is managed by me.</p>
	11/2008 - 12/2011	-Name: Cancer Research UK (CRUK)	<p>Project research grant on mechanisms of chemoprevention with phytochemicals. (This does not involve the substances covered by the WGs on alternaria and fusarium, or pyrrolizidine alkaloids, ergot alkaloids and tropane alkaloids).</p> <p>Study report to CRUK.</p>
	03/2009 - 03/2009	-Name: Van Geest Foundation (A charitable organisation which makes grants for the purpose of medical research and for welfare purposes)	<p>Charitable donation for purchase of a mass spectrometer, for development of proteomic methodology in the University, for use in heart disease research and cancer research.</p> <p>This does not involve substances reviewed by EFSA</p>
<b>VII. Intellectual property rights</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>VIII. Other membership or affiliation</b>	04/2002 - now	-Name: UKEMS (United Kingdom Environmental Mutagen Society)	Membership of scientific society
	12/1992 - now	-Name: RSC (Royal Society of Chemistry)	Membership of scientific society

	02/1983 - now	-Name: BTS (British Toxicology Society)	Membership of scientific society
	01/1980 - 09/2012	-Name: BACR (British Association for Cancer Research)	Membership of scientific society
	01/1995 - 12/2010	-Name: AACR (American Association for Cancer Research)	Membership of scientific society
<b>IX. Other relevant interest</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>X. Interests of close family members</b>			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: 07/03/2013      Signature: **SIGNED**