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Proceedings and opportunities of the ETP Food for Life

The ETP Food for Life covering the whole food chain from fork to farm is a joint initiative by stakeholders from the public and private food sector in Europe. It is hosted by the European Food and Drink Federation, CIAA, and supported by the European Commission as a Specific Support Action, SSA. The platform aims to address the major challenges of the European food sector in an integrated process, and thus support a successful and competitive pan-European agro-food industry. The vision paper was launched in July 2005. The first strategic research agenda was launched in March 2006 and is in open consultation on the web. The lecture will highlight the concept of the TP, the proces and elements of the SRA. The audients are invited to take actively part in forming the TP and the future activities.