

OVIFT Newsletter

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FOOD SCIENCE POSTER COMPETITION

Thank you to all of the hardworking students that participated in the 2022 OVIFT Poster Competition. We were impressed with your work and look forward to seeing what you do in the future! Congratulations to our winners.



Undergraduate winner:

Cameron Jordan (\$500): Use of Handheld FT-NIR Sensory to Rapidly Quantify Cannabinoids of Hemp in SITU

Graduate winners:

1st Place: **Siyu Yao** (\$1,500) "Real-time screening of major cannabinoids content in hemp by a novel handheld FT-NIR spectroscopic approach"

2nd Place: **Kym Man** (\$1,000) "Investigating the influence of contextual relevance on consumer product evaluations"

3rd Place: **Abigail Sommer** (\$500) "Chemical and Physical Stability of Fish Oil Fortified Plant Milk Analogs

Make a Difference

Have you wanted to make a difference in the future of the food industry? Now is your chance, we are actively recruiting volunteers for the 2022-2023 OVIFT Board. There are many opportunities throughout the year to volunteer and it does not have to be a big time commitment - join a committee that interests you or volunteer to help at one of our events- whatever works best for your interests and availability. Please reach out to ohiovalleysection.ift@gmail.com for details!

It was great to see you again!



In May, we hosted Social Hours in Columbus and Cincinnati. It was so great to see everyone in person again and we look forward to seeing you at more events coming soon. Be on the lookout for new events scheduled for the year in the coming months and if you have an idea for an event, we'd love to hear it: ohiovalleysection.ift@gmail.com.

Save the Date

IFT Annual Meeting and Food Expo July 9-12, Chicago, IL

Top Golf Outing September 21 @ 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

OVIFT Suppliers' Expo September 22 @ 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

More details coming soon. Visit our <u>website</u> for the latest information and registration details.

Don't miss out on our latest events and news.

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