

## COMET Centre (K1)

### FFoQSI

#### Austrian Competence Centre Feed and Food Quality, Safety and Innovation



- >> **Main location:** Tulln, Lower Austria
- >> **Other locations:** Vienna (Vienna), Wels (Upper Austria)

#### >> **Thematic focus**

FFoQSI increases the safety and quality of feed and food and strengthens the food sector through transdisciplinary research from field to fork.

#### >> **Planned realisation and outcomes**

Based on innovative technologies FFoQSI develops new strategies and procedures in the fields of microbiology, physical/chemical analysis, computer science and bioanalysis. FFoQSI applies these processes and methods to critical process steps along the value-added chains of food and feed and strengthens research-driven innovation leadership for essential food production systems.

#### >> **History of establishment**

FFoQSI was founded in 2017 in Tulln (Lower Austria) and reached full expansion with 62 employees, 45 company partners and 8 scientific partners.

#### >> **Selected partners**

##### Company partners (max 10)

1. Delacon Biotechnik GmbH
2. Biomin Holding GmbH
3. Agrarmarkt Austria Marketing GmbH
4. Circular Analytics TK GmbH
5. Fischer Brot GmbH
6. MA 31 Wiener Wasser
7. Voestalpine Krems GmbH
8. Rewe Austria Fleischwaren GmbH
9. Rudolf Großfurtner GmbH
10. Philips Austria GmbH

##### Scientific partners (max 5)

1. University of Veterinary Medicine, Vienna
2. University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna
3. University of Applied Sciences Upper Austria
4. Austrian Agency for Health and Food Safety
5. University of Applied Sciences Campus Vienna

##### International partners (max 3)

1. Zoetis Belgium S.A.
2. PM International AG
3. Vera Salus Ricerca S.r.l.

>> **Duration of the COMET Centre:** 01.2017 – 12.2024 (8 Jahre)

>> **Staff employed at the Centre:** 44,43 FTE, thereof [22,17] female researcher

#### >> **Management of the Centre**

Jürgen Marchart (Geschäftsführer)

#### >> **Austrian Competence Centre Feed and Food Quality, Safety and Innovation (FFoQSI GmbH)**

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