

DIL **TECHNOLOGY** **DAY 26**

TWO DAYS OF POWERFUL FOOD TECHNOLOGY JUNE 9-10, 2026

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DAY 1 TUESDAY, JUNE 09, 2026

09:00 Welcome Coffee & Registration

10:00 Opening day 1

- **Dr.-Ing. Volker Heinz**, Director & CEO DIL e. V.
 - **Gitta Connemann**, MdB, Parliamentary State Secretary to the Federal Minister for Economic Affairs and Energy
 - **Moderator: Dr. Mehmet Cicek**, Fovation Food & Innovation
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11:15 Session 1 – Food & Feed Biotech

- **Dr. Heinrich Kleine Klausung**, Dr. KK Consulting
Solid-state fermentation of protein-rich feed materials – next step towards “Feed 3.0”
 - **Hans Christian Ebbe**, Alfa Laval
Fast-growing New Food applications – innovative bioreactor solutions for a scaling industry
 - **Dr. Jeroen Wouters**, Phageguard | Micros Food Safety B.V.
Bacteriophages as an innovative tool in the control of Listeria and Salmonella
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12:15 Networking Lunch with Exhibitions & Start-up Area

13:15 Keynote

- **Hanni Rützler**, futurefoodstudio
Food Culture in Transition: From Diagnosing the Present to Shaping the Future
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14:00 Session 2 – Ingredients

- **Dr. Waldemar Buxmann**, Sternchemie GmbH & Co. KG
Highly Functional Sunflower Lecithins: Properties and New Application Potential in the Food Industry
 - **Eike Meyer-Wetjen / Bajo Bajović**, Leiber GmbH
From sidestream to multifunctional ingredient – rethinking yeast extracts
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15:00 Networking with Exhibitions, Demonstrations & Start-up Area

- Opening and Live Demonstration of the new Pilot Extraction Plant
Lutz Lütke Föller, Schrader Verfahrenstechnik
 - Live Demonstration: High moisture extrusion of pea protein using FiberFlow cooling die
Dr. Volker Lammers, Cosucra & DIL-Group
 - Live Demonstration of Protein Shifting with NETZSCH LabCompactPlus
Dr. Sharvari Raut, NETZSCH Trockenmahltechnik GmbH
 - Opening and Live Demonstration of the Regenis Max Pyrolysis Unit
André Schillingmann, REW Regenerative Energiewirtschaftssysteme GmbH
 - Demonstration of Individual Quick Freezing (IQF)
Fabian Kinghorst, Air Liquide Deutschland GmbH
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16:00 Session 3 – Automation

- **Gerrit Cramer**, Stäubli
Transitioning from Dry to Wet Food: Identifying and Meeting Requirements with Precision
 - **Dirk Burhenne**, Mayekawa Deutschland GmbH
Flexibility despite automation: AI brings flexibility to future meat production
 - **Michael Brockschmidt**, SLA Software Logistik Artland & **Sinah Klümper**, H. KLÜMPER GmbH & Co. KG
Smooth Sailing in the Cloud: Offline-Ready Production Systems Enable Seamless Shopfloor, IoT, and ERP Integra
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17:00 Visit the new ELEA Technology GmbH Pulsed Electric Field Innovation Centre

- **Dr. Claudia Siemer & Prof. Dr. Stefan Töpfl**
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18:00 Start of the Evening Programme at Artlandkotten, Quakenbrück

19:00 Dinner with Appetizer Talk

- **Hanni Rützler & Dr.-Ing. Volker Heinz**

DAY 2 WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 2026

06:00 Wake-Up Workout (Strength, Endurance & Balance)

- Option 1: Yoga with Antonia Herm-Stapelberg, Lead of Market Development, DACH CrowdFarming
- Option 2: 5 km run through Quakenbrück with Jan Puncak, Extrusion Specialist, DIL e. V.
- Option 3: Strength workout with Brandon Thomas, Sports Director, Artland Dragons Basketball GmbH

08:00 Welcome Coffee & Registration

- Networking with Poster Session, Exhibitions & Start-up Area

09:00 Opening day 2

- **Philipp Hildebrandt**, adesso business consulting
Cracking Digital Scaling Paradoxes: How Standardisation Drives Differentiation in the Food & Beverage Industry

09:30 Session 4 – Processing

- **Ansgar Rinklake**, Air Liquide
Automation Through Stabilization: How Cryogenic Cooling Enables Efficient Process Automation
- **Dr. David Burzynski**, Coldsense Technologies
Smart Cooling for the Food Industry: AI-Driven Refrigeration Control Using Aerospace Sensor Technology

10:15 Networking with Exhibitions, Demonstrations & Start-up Area

11:15 Start-up Pitch Session powered by DIL Innovation Hub

Moderator: **Alexander Märdian**, DIL Technologie GmbH

DIL Innovation Hub Panel Talk

Panelists:

- **Anna Loraine Hartmann**, niedersachsen.next GmbH
- **Dr. Li Tran**, High-Tech Gründerfonds Management GmbH
- **Marvin Anker**, Pioneer Netzwerk, DLG e. V.

12:00 LI Food Panel Talk: Personalized Nutrition

Moderator: **Christian Kircher**, LI Food

Panelists:

- **Noah Petermann**, Aniva Health GmbH
- **Dr. Clara Mehlhose**, Georg-August Universität Göttingen
- **Bert Mutsaers**, Realum.cloud GmbH

12:30 Award Ceremony Best Poster and Best Start-up Pitch

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Visit the BIQ Business Innovationspark Quakenbrück

● Steffen Kesse, Managing Director BIQ Business- und Innovationspark Quakenbrück GmbH

Insights of the FoodTech Start-up hs-tumbler GmbH

● Andreas Leitze, Managing Director hs-tumbler GmbH

15:00 **Closing Session**

● Prof. Dr. Kemal Aganovic, DIL e. V.
Taste of future: Grass protein for Human Nutrition

16:00 **Official End**

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