Biotechnology News

June 2015

New personnel/guests

Richard Anthony from Indonesia will be visiting us until the end of August, here as a guest of Emanuel Ron. Welcome!

- Ramin Sabet will return to the department for 4 months to work in a VR project on monooxygenases.
- Tarek Dishisha will come to work for 3 months between June and September in a project sponsored by Evonik.
- Thuoc van Doan will come for 1,5 month to Lund, from 1 July within the VR supported SRL project on bioplastics with Vietnam and Malaysia.

Publications

Amin Bornadel, Rajni Hatti-Kaul, Frank Hollman and Selin Kara. A bi-enzymatic convergent cascade for ε-caprolactone synthesis employing 1,6-hexanediol as a 'double-smart cosubstrate'. ChemCatChem. Accepted

Rawana Alkhalili, Rajni Rajni Hatti-Kaul, and Björn Canbäck (2015) Genome Sequence of *Geobacillus* sp. Strain ZGt-1, an Antibacterial Peptide-producing Bacterium from Hot Springs in Jordan. Accepted for publication in Genome Announcements

Cecilia Lindström, Anne Voinot, Anna Forslund, Olle Holst, Ana Rascón, Rickard Öste, Elin Östman. An oat bran-based beverage reduce postprandial glycaemia equivalent to yoghurt in healthy overweight subjects. **Int. J. of Food Sciences and Nutrition,** Ahead of Print: Pages 1-6 (doi: 10.3109/09637486.2015.1035233)

We congratulate the last two recent doctors to defend their theses for the spring:

Ramin Sabet 2015-04-30

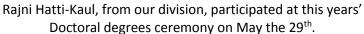


Marisa Punzi 2015-06-08



MISCELLANEOUS

• As of the last of August it has now been decided that Café Bryggan (same caterer as restaurant IKDC) will take over the cafeteria on floor 0, old Café Ester.





We celebrated Frans-Peder whom turned 60 years old in May!



Thank you all who joined in for our yearly day excursion – this time we had the bus take us to Kiviks Musteri and Stenshuvud. A great day in all!



Wishing you all a fabulous summer!



<u>Contributions to the next newsletter (coming out in September):</u>
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