Nutrinor Summer School 2025



WHO:

PhD students and early career researchers in Nutrition and Food Science from the Nordic Countries.

WHERE:

Bergen, Norway

WHEN:

June 11-13, 2025

WHAT:

Presentations on food processing, group work and discussions, science communication, and social activities in the evenings.

Time	Wednesday 11 June
10:30 – 11	Registration and coffee
11 – 12:30	Andreas Håkansson (Lund University): 'Processed' and
	'Ultra-processed' – a food engineering perspective
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 15:00	Linnea Bärebring (University of Gothenburg): Utilizing the
	Nova framework in classification of food items according to
	degree of processing
15 – 15:30	Coffee
15:30 – 17	Monica Carlsen (University of Oslo): Defining UPFs.
	Designing studies to register and estimate intake of UPFs
19	Dinner

Time	Thursday 12 June
9-10:30	Harald Carlsen & Åsne Trømborg (NMBU): Additives in food – what can be
	found where, how much do we consume, and what does it mean for our health?
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee
11 – 12:30	Trine Husøy (FHI): "Research shows - Emulsifiers, stabilisers, and
	thickeners - effects on the gastrointestinal tract» and «Formation of harmful
	substances in food during processing»
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 15	Paul André Sommerfeldt (UiB): Science communication
15 – 15:30	Coffee
15:30 – 17	Paul André Sommerfeldt (UiB): Science communication cont.
19	Dinner

Time	Friday 13 June
9-10:30	Madhura Rao (Maastricht University): Rethinking processed foods: Gender,
	labour and everyday life
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee
11 – 12:30	Paula Varela (Nofima & NMBU): Texture and Highly processed
	foods: influences on consumer behaviour, food intake, and overeating
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 15:30	Panel discussion: Should we abandon the term UPF?
15:30 – 16	Coffee
16-17	NutriNOR General Assembly