

January 2021 News Update

IFFO's monthly newsletter



Editorial

2020 was a challenging year. The marine ingredients industry has battled its way through the hurdles and adjusted swiftly, as has IFFO through on-site meetings turning virtual, with great success. This could not have been achieved without a good dose of creativity, flexibility, and strong sense of belonging. We want to express solidarity towards all our stakeholders. [...]

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Shipment of fishmeal by air: radical changes

As of 1 January 2021, **fishmeal can be shipped as cargo** on either a passenger or cargo aircraft as normal dangerous goods without requiring an approval. The amendment is identified in the changes to the 2021 IATA regulations.

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How to reach sustainable stock management?

Quota sharing for 2021 still has to be agreed upon by European coastal states with regards to **blue whiting, Atlanto-Scandian herring and mackerel**. Only a transboundary cooperation and agreement will bring a solution.

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GAA shares with IFFO the main takeaways from the GOAL conference 2020

GAA's annual conference addressed offshore aquaculture, best practices to ensure fish welfare and growth as well as feed producers's analyses.

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New staff member at the IFFO China Office

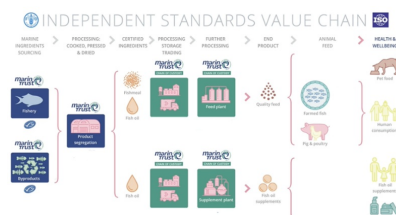
Alice Liu joined the IFFO China office in December 2020 as Office Manager.

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MarinTrust's positioning regarding loss of MSC certificate for Blue whiting

MarinTrust has stopped recognising the Blue Whiting fishery as MSC certified material that



MarinTrust unveils new verification tool for recipients of MSC certified materials

This tool clarifies the requirements for all fishmeal plants claiming to be receiving MSC

can be used to produce MarinTrust certified products.

certified materials with the intention of using this for MarinTrust recognition.

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Industry news

- [IntraFish](#): The blue whiting and herring fisheries didn't have to lose their MSC certification. Here's what should happen next.
- [SeafoodSource](#): Op-ed: A decade on, and the marine ingredients industry standard continues to evolve
- [IntraFish](#): Peru catches over half of second season anchovy quota
- [BBC](#): Brexit trade deal: What does it mean for fishing?
- [SeafoodSource](#): Danes reinforce responsible practices across marine ingredients sector
- [Seafoodcom](#): BioMar Responds After MSC Certificate Suspended for Atlanto-Scandian Herring, Blue Whiting Fisheries
- [IntraFish](#): Feed producer Skretting ready to divert sourcing if herring, blue whiting fisheries lose MSC status
- [IntraFish](#): Cargill: Loss of MSC eco-labels for herring, blue whiting is 'very bad news' for farmed salmon
- [SeafoodSource](#): Marine Stewardship Council targets China's growing private-label sector
- [UndercurrentNews](#): Watch: UCN panel gives views on novel feed ingredients
- [UndercurrentNews](#): UK body Seafish sets up Brexit customs guidance webinar, NI trade advice
- [SeafoodSource](#): WTO talks on fishing subsidies deal to resume 18 January
- [SeafoodSource](#): New tool tracks progress of fishery management worldwide
- [TheGuardian](#): EU set to miss targets on sustainability after agreeing fishing quotas
- [TheGuardian](#): Global sustainable fishing initiative agreed by 14 countries
- [UndercurrentNews](#): Japan launches new law to fight IUU fishing
- [FinancialExpress](#): Chinese trawlers on the prowl in the Indian Ocean: IUU pose the greatest maritime threat

Innovation & Research

- [The Roslin Institute of Aquaculture](#): New paper on structural variation in Atlantic salmon genome
- [MundoAcuicola](#): Chilean scientists create solution that would reduce antibiotic use in aquaculture

Calendar

19-21 April 2021: IFFO Members' Meeting - Miami, USA

18-20 October 2021: IFFO's Annual Conference - Lima, Peru



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