

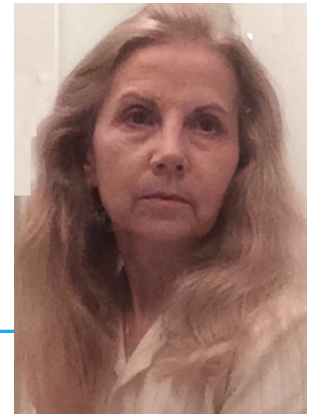
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Innovative and results driven Certified Food Scientist (CFS) with experience leading successful R&D projects including all aspects of product development and commercialization for consumer product companies ranging from Fortune 100 to nascent entrepreneurs.

Ability to: implement new cost-effective product & technology solutions, enhance customer experience, increase revenue, build productive relationships with customers, suppliers, and co-manufacturers.

Certifications:

Certified Food Scientist (CFS) by the Institute of Food Technologists (IFT), HACCP Manager, HACCP Development and Implementation (2015) by the Grocery Manufacturers Association (GMA)

Granted Patents: 7

Technical areas of expertise:

- High and Low Acid Foods.
- Functional Ingredients: Proteins and Hydrocolloids.
- Organic and Natural Foods.
- Botanicals.
- Innovation

Services Provided:

- Ingredient identification, evaluation and sourcing
- Formulation development and trouble shooting.
- Clean label (from inception or reformulation of current products)
- Technical feasibility assessment
- IP and white space
- Literature and patent searches.
- Concept optimization
- Margin improvement
- Manuals of operation
- Ingredient and finished product specifications
- In house laboratory: Aw, pH, TA, Brix, viscosity, density (liquids & powders), flowability.