Electronic Working Group Invitation

This message is sent on behalf of **New Zealand**.

Title	Review of the Guidelines on Sampling (CXG50/2004)
Committee	Codex Committee on Methods of Analysis and Sampling
Session	40 th
Chair of EWG	New Zealand
Co-Chair	United States of America
Working Language	English
Description of work	The EWG should revise the Guidelines in accordance with the prioritisation of work agreed by CCMAS39 (2018) and develop the supplementary electronic book providing sampling plan applications
Timetable for work	The document should be submitted to the Codex Secretariat for comments and consideration by CCMAS41 (2020) by not later than 28 February 2020
Email for registration	<u>CodexNZ@mpi.govt.nz</u>
Registration deadline	31 August 2019
EWG online platform	Yes

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this Electronic Working Group.

When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organization shall designate **one** as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point (CCP) of the member or recognized observer organization in an email detailing:

- participant's name
- official title or position
- organization or country
- email address.

The EWG platform

Link: http://forum.codex-alimentarius.net/index.php

User-Group name: CCMAS41-CXG50

The platform will require members to login.

New participants to the platform should first register (online guide, video tutorial)

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the user-group directly.

The EWG chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so please ensure that you follow the procedure for applications and email the chair through your CCP even if you are already registered on the platform.

Programme and timeline

The work programme and timelines will be circulated to members of the EWG soon after its establishment.

We look forward to your participation.

Chair and Co-Chair of the EWG (New Zealand and United States of America) Codex Contact Points of New Zealand and United States of America