

Consultant Directory

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Cellular
Agriculture
Australia

Disclaimer: The service providers on this list have not been formally vetted by Cellular Agriculture Australia, nor have they paid a fee to be included on this list. We strongly advise you to undertake due diligence according to your company's requirements.

Consultants

AUSTRALIA

Carl Ramage

Rautaki Solutions

Website: <https://www.rautakisolutions.com/rautaki-solutions-services>

Expertise: Regulation of biotechnology (including facility licenses), GM agricultural crops, novel ag & biotech products, compliance training.

Kim Tonnet

Website: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/kim-tonnet-nee-staples-7586bb18>

Email kim@tonnet.org

Ph: +61 402 347 010

Expertise: Local and global applications for pre-market approval of new foods, Cellular agriculture, Biosecurity, Biosafety, Allergen management and labelling, food policy and regulation, communication and government/public affairs.

KHQ Lawyers

Website: <https://khq.com.au/>

Key Contact: Charles Fisher

Ph: +61 3 8681 4007

AIFST

Website: <https://www.aifst.asn.au/Find-a-Consultant>

AIFST also has an extensive list of national and international consultants operating in the broader food industry.

NEW ZEALAND

Colin Oliver

Website: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/colinoliver2/?originalSubdomain=nz>

Expertise: designing, developing and maintaining HACCP plans.

Glen Neal Group

Website: <https://gngroup.nz/>

Expertise: Regulatory approval, food safety, auditing, biosecurity
(Also covers Australia)

INTERNATIONAL

Dr Susan Cho - US

AceOne Regulatory Sciences (AceOne RS)

Website: <https://aceoners.com/>

Email: scho@aceoners.com

Ph: +1-301-875-6454

Expertise: Development of Generally Recognised as Safe (GRAS) self-affirmation and notification dossiers for US market (precision fermentation and cell cultivated meat)

Vireo - US

Website: <https://www.vireoadvisors.com/>

Expertise: gaining regulatory approval for novel technologies such as cultivated products; knowledge of current and future regional regulatory requirements for ingredients and foods produced through new techniques.

Keller and Heckman - US, China

Website: <https://www.khlaw.com/>

David Ettinger - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/davidettinger/>, Ph: +86 21 6335 1000

Expertise: Legal firm with in-house scientists. Advise clients in promoting, protecting, and defending their products that are regulated by a variety of agencies and regulatory bodies, including the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), the Codex Alimentarius Commission (including the Committee on Food Labelling, Committee on Food Additives and Contaminants, the Committee on Nutrition and Foods for Special Dietary Use, and the Committee on General Principles), the European Commission and Member States authorities in the European Union (EU), the World Trade Organization (WTO)

Atova Consulting - Spain, Global

Website: <https://www.atovaconsulting.com/>

Hannah Lester

Expertise: regulatory advice for cell cultivated, precision fermented, and novel foods.

Eric Schulze - US

Website: <https://scienceric.com/>

Expertise: Specialises in US federal-level cultivated meat, poultry, and seafood policy. Risk assessment for novel food products. Note: Eric is the ex Vice President of Regulation at Upside Foods and former Federal biotechnology regulator.

Testing

AUSTRALIAN LAB PROVIDERS

AGRF - Australian Genetic Research Facility

Website: <https://www.agrf.org.au/agriculture-environment>

Description: partners with agriculture and environmental sectors. Advanced genomics tools and transcriptomics provider located in Melbourne.

Arta Bioanalytics

Website: <https://www.artabioanalytics.com/>

Description: Arta Bioanalytics is at the forefront of bioinformatics in the cellular agriculture industry. Specialising in Omics technologies (e.g. Genomics, Transcriptomics etc.), they provide data analysis support, experimental design, and strategic and technical consulting. Their mission is to transform complex biological data into actionable solutions for enhanced cultured meat production and improved cellular agriculture processes. Their expertise in the industry positions them to support cellular agriculture companies at each stage of their R&D and go-to-market pipeline, combining data analytics and bioinformatics to improve cell-line development, culture media optimisation, bioprocess and regulatory compliance.

Crux Biolabs

Website: <https://cruxbiolabs.com/>

Ph: +61 (03) 9763 0110

Description: Lab test supplier and service in Melbourne and Sydney

BVAQ

Website: <https://www.bvaq.com/>

Ph: +61 3 8371 7600 (VIC head office)

Description: Testing, inspecting and certification for the food industry. Located in multiple locations across Australia and SEA.

Eurofins

Website: <https://www.eurofins.com.au/>

Ph: +61 3 8564 5000

Email: foodsalesau@eurofins.com

Description: Facilities in Melbourne, Perth, Brisbane and Sydney. Microbiological tests as well as chemical testing (e.g heavy metals).