

# Hi & Fi Asia-China 2023 Sustainability Report





#### Hi & Fi Asia-China

#### **Overview**

Hi & Fi Asia-China is the go-to meeting place for all F&B industry players active in the Chinese food, beverage, and health industries, who come to reconnect with key contacts while making new connections. Our wide range of concurrent events will provide you with access to the entire industry value chain!



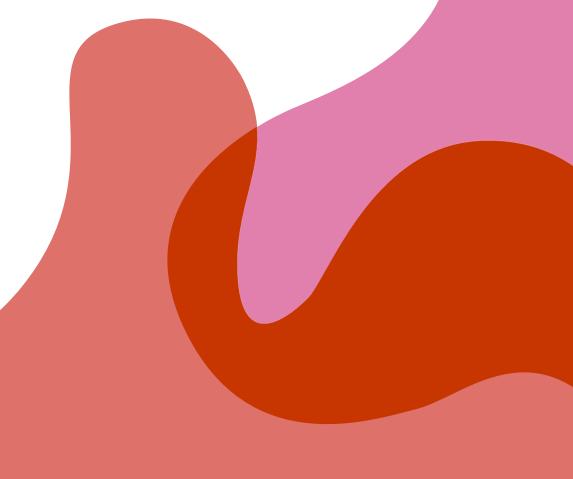
12,564 Visitors



110+ Countries of Visitors



480+ Exhibitors



#### **Our Mission**

Attaining these aspirations necessitates the unwavering commitment of every brand to not only meet but surpass established Fundamentals in every facet of our business. We take pride in the progress observed in Hi & Fi Asia-China's scores compared to last year's events across Informa Markets, and credit for this achievement is due to each member of the F&B community. Noteworthy highlights from this progress are outlined in this year's Sustainability Report. Our contribution to the industry's sustainable development involves a focus on the positive impact of supply chain transparency and gender equity. We are dedicated to enhancing accessibility to networks and knowledge, fostering well-being, promoting equality, and advocating for respect for all. In our role as event organizers, we persist in reducing waste levels and collaborating towards the goal of eliminating the use of disposable stands by 2025. We remain committed to supporting the continued development of the global F&B community, and invite you to be a part of the journey toward a more sustainable future.





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#### **Our Goals**

Our Sustainability Initiative includes a focus on the sustainable development-related features of the food and beverage industry that our team has been working on for several years. We aim to extend all levels of sustainable development of the exhibition and voice sustainable development as efficiently as possible by utilizing the advantages of the Fi series exhibition.







#### Faster to Zero

- Impact Multiplier
- Creative Sustainability Inside

- Powerful initiatives reducing waste and carbon.
- ☐ Interactive communication to let visitors know how to be sustainable at the show
- Successful purpose partnership with non-profit organizations.
- Support the local community and connect the disconnected.
- ☐ Innovative sustainability inside content embedded in the event.
- ☐ Improving access to our specialist knowledge and investing in our communities.





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#### Faster to Zero

In 2023, all lights ordered were energy-efficient LEDs, and the venue was engaged with our objective to be as energy-efficient as possible. Furthermore, significant sustainability communication was included in areas such as the event website, event guide, exhibitor manual, attendee travel, contractor communications, and social media.

#### What have we done?

- Achieved reduced carbon and waste at the show.
- Encouraged visitors and partners to reduce carbon and waste.







#### Reduce carbon and waste: What we achieved at our show?

- Elimination of printed badges.
- Use of LED lighting to reduce energy consumption.
- All additional lighting external lighting was LED.
- AC is not on during build and breakdown.
- We have reduced the printed board and increased LED signage screens.
- The building materials controlled by the organizers are all reusable.
- Full assessment of disposable stands and have communication of the new waste levy in the rebooking process.
- Carpets recycled after event.
- No paper print.
- All content agendas fully available online.
- This year, our LED advertisements increased a lot.





Sustainability Corner



Sustainability Video

#### Reduce carbon and waste: What we have done to encourage our visitors and partners?

#### **Visitors**

- •We have uploaded a checklist (guidance) for visitors to be involved in.
- •Communication with attendees includes encouragement to take notes digitally.
- •Display screens during the waiting time to remind visitors of the sustainability suggestions at the forums.
- •There were fewer promo items sent by any of the event partners to the attendees this year.
- We send out reusable bags & notebooks from the past to our visitors.

#### **Partners**

- •There were fewer promo items sent by any of the vent partners to the attendees this year. Almost all partners in Hall NH this year only sent out food as promo items.
- We encouraged the partners to provide QR for attendees to scan for more information. most of our partners prepared only 1 board with a QR code and information on it.



Sustainable Gifts



Sustainability Promotion Onsite







植物基创新食品大赛中国赛区一等奖
First Prize in Big Idea Food Competition Chinese Edition

出发 FROM:

上海 SHANGHAI



到达 TO:

新加坡 SINGAPORE

Boarding Time:

航班 FLIGHT:

59月23日 23,September, 2023

植物基创新食品总决赛 Big Idea Food Competition Fin

ATE:

主办方 Organ



第二十四届健康天然原料、食品配料中国展 Hi & Fi Asia-China



#### **Impact Multiplier**

For the 2023 event, we tried to reach out and connect with as many partners inside and outside of the restaurant industry such as startups and nonprofits as possible, and we were also mindful of groups like the student population that also needed attention and open opportunities.

#### What have we done?

- Offered Business opportunities for startups.
- Explored Interactions with non-profit organizations.
- Connected with local schools and student groups.

#### Onsite Interactions with startups and our non-profit organizations



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Our judges & startups

Pitching session Cooking session

Media interview



PBIF Global Plant-Based Industry Conference and Carbon Neutral Forum - <u>1.5°C InnoLAB Climate Economy Lab</u>



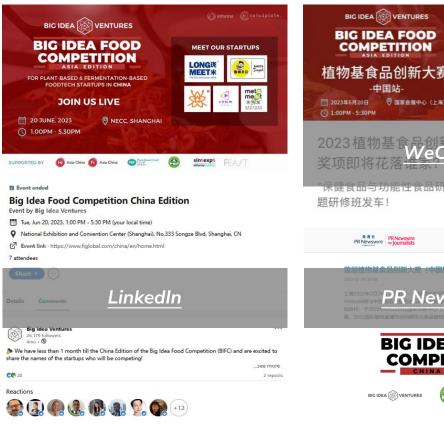
The Innovation and development in the Alternative protein industry - *GFIC & DaoFoods* 



A report they did to understand Chinese Gen Z's attitudes towards sustainable proteins - <u>ProVeg</u>

#### Free Online Marketing offered for startups and our non-profit organizations











Some free online publicities we and our partners did on LinkedIn, WeChat, and PR Newswire for Start-ups

Some free online publicity for nonprofit organizations in our official WeChat mini program

#### **Creativity Sustainability Inside**

Our Inside Initiative is on promoting sustainability within the food and beverage industry by utilizing our experience and strengths in this area, and we aim to accomplish this by leveraging the Hi & Fi Asia-China exhibition to effectively communicate our commitment.

#### What have we done?

- Supported knowledge and technology advances that drive sustainability.
- Enabled our visitors to experience sustainable food choices more intuitively.







#### We support knowledge and technology advances that drive sustainability

#### Forums related to sustainability



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How Sustainability Empowers Plant-Based Diet Change



The 3rd PBIF Global Plant-Based Industry Conference and Carbon Neutral Forum



The Innovation and development in the Alternative protein industry

#### The China station of the Big Idea Food Competition for startups in the alternative protein industry



Startups & Judges



Cooking session



Pitching session



Plant-based ice cream



Plant-based meat



Onsite voting

#### Our power can have a positive, long-lasting effect on the community.







#### Topic:

Exploring the relationship between the global food system and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

#### **Presenter:**

Oatly

#### **Topic:**

The college students' survey analysis according to the alternative protein industry

#### **Presenter:**

ProVeg

#### **Topic:**

Technological innovation of fermentation process in new protein industry

#### **Presenter:**

Daofoods

#### Engaging visitors with sustainable-related F&B content and activities.

#### Healthier food/ beverages sent out to visitors



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#### Tasting sessions for plant-based brands



















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