

12th February 2026

RE: Confirmation of roles for Dr Tatiana Zuniga-Burgos

To whom it may concern,

I am pleased to confirm the roles that Tatiana Zuniga-Burgos contributed to for the successful delivery of our EU EIT Food activities over the past few years.

I am the course leader for the EU EIT Food Algal Biotechnology courses, running since 2018. These courses deliver in-person and online training in the latest algal biotechnology techniques and theory to international researchers from both academia and industry.

I can certify that Tatiana Zuniga-Burgos in her role at the University of Cambridge Algal Innovation Centre professionally and successfully contributed to the course training and outreach activities. In particular, Tatiana contributed to the design, planning, and delivery of the professional course Algal Biotechnology: Techniques and Opportunities for the Sustainable Bioeconomy, held over a week in April 2024 in the University of Cambridge, in collaboration with us at SAMS and partner institutions in Iceland (Matis) and Germany (Fraunhofer). The delivery of the Cambridge course involved substantial planning for both theory and practical training at its highest standards.

In addition, in 2025 in Reykjavík, Iceland during the EIT Food Course in Algal Biotechnology, Tatiana participated as a course contributor representing the Algal Innovation Centre (AIC), delivered the talk titled: "Don't fail to scale: The role of the Algal Innovation Centre to support the algal biotechnology sector." and contributed to the course management over the week and promotion activities both before and after the course, all of which helped us with the course reporting metrics and documents for EIT Food.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you need further information.

Yours sincerely,



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