The latest news from New Harvest:

Our Research Director Kate was recently at the University of Ottawa visiting Fellow Santiago Campuzano with Rachel of the In Vivo Foundation. Here they are checking out some of Santiago’s cells under the microscope!
• Our Annual Report and Reader for 2017 is now available to view and download on the New Harvest website! The report is a must-read for exclusive insights on our research program, conference, projects funded, and more.

• Did you know? Your input can have an impact on the future regulation of foods produced using animal cell culture technology. A reminder that members of the public are invited by the FDA to submit comments and information to the public docket, up to the deadline of September 25, 2018. Instructions may be found here.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

• Isha will be moderating a panel at the Reducetarian Summit, September 28-20 in LA

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FROM AROUND THE WEB

Curated highlights from the world of cellular agriculture:

• Here we go again! Matt Reynolds adds to the ongoing debates about how to define "meat", and what to call meat produced from animal cell cultures for WIRED. In a similar vascular track 😊, Deena Shanker further explores the question "Would you eat it?" in her piece for Bloomberg. As for regulatory? Kevin Kester, President of the National Cattlemen’s Beef Association shares his views on "Why USDA Oversight Matters for Consumers and Producers" for Drovers.

• New Harvest Research Fellow Scott Allan has written a blog post about his experience participating at this year’s Global Food Security Symposium.

• #NewHarvest2018 attendee Jess Charlap has published her recap of the conference over at 3DHEALS, a platform for innovation in 3D printing for healthcare.
Amanda Little describes **Tyson Foods'** investments in Future Meat Technologies, Memphis Meats, and plant-based players Beyond Meat (and much more) in her [article](#) about the behemoth's ambitions to become a "one stop protein shop" for **Bloomberg**.

**In cell ag startup news:** Cultured meat company **Bond Pet Foods** was featured in a [story](#) by Elaine Watson for **FoodNavigator**. Sarah Zhang covered fellow pet food producers **Wild Earth** in depth for **The Atlantic**. Canadian company **Chinova Bioworks** is developing chitosan derived from mushrooms for use in the food and beverage industry - and have just raised **$2M in funding**, as announced at **AgFunder**. **Memphis Meats** has been getting buzz for its inclusive hiring policies in **Business Insider**. We enjoyed this very frank [interview](#) with Peter Verstrate and Mark Post of **Mosa Meat** for **Global Meat News**. **Food Ingredients 1st** reports that new cellular aquaculture startup **Blue Nalu** has raised an impressive **$4.5M in seed funding**. Another new startup on the scene, **Cytera CellWorks**, was recently [highlighted](#) in **TechCrunch** for their aim of automizing the animal cell culture process. And two great new stories at **Forbes** about **Bolt Threads**: a [short video](#), and a captivating [longer read](#).

Finally, a shoutout to Hanna Tuomisto for bringing this very cool article to our attention: "Plant cell culture technology in the cosmetics and food industries: current state and future trends" by Regine Eibl, et al in **Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology**. The article provides a mini review of the use of plant cell culture technology in American and European food and cosmetics companies over the past 10 years. It is available to download [here](#).

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**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN CELLULAR AGRICULTURE**

- **New Age Meats** is looking to hire an **R&D Automation Engineer** and **Stem Cell Biologist**.

- **Ginkgo Bioworks** has a number of openings in Automation, Commercial, Engineering, Organism Design, Admin, and a number of internships.

- **Geltor** seeks a **Director of People Operations**.

- **Ecovative** currently has openings for an **several positions**.

- **Finless Foods** is looking for a **Research Assistant**.
- Modern Meadow is actively looking to fill a number of positions.
- The Good Food Institute is growing their team.
- Memphis Meats currently has several openings.
- JUST has several openings in cellular agriculture.
- Is your cell ag company looking to grow? Get in touch to have your job posting shared on the New Harvest newsletter.

Thanks for reading!

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