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Chris founded the Institute for Global Food Security at Queen's University Belfast and is also Professor of Food Security at Thammasat University in Thailand. He acts as a Senior Scientific Advisor on food safety and authenticity to a number of UN agencies

He has published more than 600 peer review articles relating to the detection and control of agriculture, food and environmental related contaminants. Chris led the independent review of Britain's food system following the 2013 horsemeat scandal.

Over the years, Chris has developed a high-level network of collaborators across Europe, the United States, the Middle East, and Asia. He is a recipient of a Winston Churchill Fellowship and is an elected Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry and Royal Society of Biology. Chris has received numerous prizes and awards for his work such as the Royal Society of Chemistry Theophilus Redwood Prize and an OBE. He was elected a member of the Royal Irish Academy in 2020. In 2024 he became the Honorary President of the Society of Food Hygiene and Technology and was awarded an Honorary Doctorate by the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna.