



## Europe Unlimited presents the award winners of the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the European Food Venture Forum, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> of September in Aarhus, Denmark

Brussels, 8 September 2014 - The fourth edition of the European Food Venture Forum took place in Aarhus, Denmark, last Wednesday and Thursday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 2014. The event was organized by Europe Unlimited in collaboration with the hosts [The City of Aarhus](#), [Future Food Innovation](#), [Foodbest](#), [Invest in Denmark - Ministry of foreign affairs Denmark](#), the event's sponsor [Arla Foods](#), and the event's local partners, [Danish Food Cluster](#), [Ernst & Young](#), [Kromann Reumert](#), [The Food Accelerator](#), [Enterprise Europe Network](#), and the [University of Aarhus](#).

29 emerging entrepreneurs coming from all around Europe- selected from a pool of more than 50 companies - presented their innovations, developments and needs in front of an investor jury of about 40 business angels, venture capitalists, corporate investors and other industry experts.

The award winners qualified to continue along the European Venture contest; a pan-European contest of venture events that gathers the best of each edition to join the European Venture Summit, Europe's largest venture capital match-making event, taking place on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> of December 2014 in Düsseldorf, Germany.

### **Below are the names of the award winners of the European Food Venture Forum 2014:**

- **AM Nutrition AS**- Norway  
Use of a new dry fractionation technique, "Air classification", to produce Natural, functional ingredients in large volumes to competitive prices.
- **Lovemade ApS** - Denmark  
Lovemade produces high quality Nordic baby food – 100% organic and natural
- **OAL Group** – United Kingdom  
Steam Infusion, Revolutionary Heating and Mixing
- **Plantui Oy** - Finland  
Plantui is an innovative development company building a unique international B2C concept that is based on a superior technology platform for growing plants at home.
- **QualySense AG** – Switzerland  
Pioneers high-end solutions for grains, seeds and beans sorting aiming to improve quality and reduce waste of food, that will change the quality paradigms of the agricultural commodities worldwide.
- **SiOx** - Denmark  
Quartz coating for hygienic metal applications.
- **UrbanFarmers** - Switzerland  
Commercial fresh food production system in and near cities with established consumer brand.
- **Vitalnext** - Netherlands  
Products with evidence based health benefits for the ageing population.
- **Winnow** – United Kingdom  
Simply helping companies minimise food waste in hospitality.



**You can view the list of presenting companies and their profile at the link:**

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The Investor Jury who selected the award winners of the European Food Venture Forum included - among others - investors from, *Anterra Capital*, *BASF Venture Capital GmbH*, *DuPont Nutrition & Health*, *Seventure Partners*, *Sisters Capital*, and many more.

**You can view the full list of Jury Members and their biographies at the link:**

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## **Note to the editors**

### **About Europe Unlimited**

[E-Unlimited](http://www.e-unlimited.com) is a private Brussels-based champion in entrepreneurship support. E-Unlimited is the organization behind the [European Venture Contest](#), Europe's most effective contest for technology entrepreneurs seeking international venture capital; the [International Venture Club](#), a global collaborative network of independent, corporate and institutional investors; the [TechTour](#), Europe's leading platform for growth stage entrepreneurs and investors; and several other [pan-European initiatives](#) in collaboration with regional and national development bodies and the European Commission.

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### **About the European Venture Contest**

The European Venture Contest finds, evaluates and awards the most promising entrepreneurs in the high technology sector by providing access to top-level international partners, advisors and financiers. The Contest reaches this year its 9th edition, and in the past years gathered over 800 companies and 600 venture capitalist and corporate investors from all over Europe. The top 100 companies awarded at the qualifier events will present in December at the European Venture Summit in front of an audience of 150 top European investors.

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