# EXHIBIT & SPONSORSHIP PROSPECTUS

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The Global Plant-Based Gathering for Retail & Foodservice

### HIGHLIGHTS

The new era of plant-based food and beverages is here. Products are evolving in terms of taste, texture, nutrient density, protein sources, sustainability, and more — and consumers are eating it up.

With the market projected to reach \$77.8 billion by 2025 (and double just five years later), this is the time to discover the full range of innovations available.

And there's no better place to do that than the only 100% plant-based expo for retail and foodservice.





"We appreciated the fact that there was a wide range of people such as retailers, investors, media, and like-minded thought leaders – all working on making an impact. And the best part was seeing the variety and the innovation happening in the plant-based space."

> Pete Speranza, CEO, Wicked Kitchen

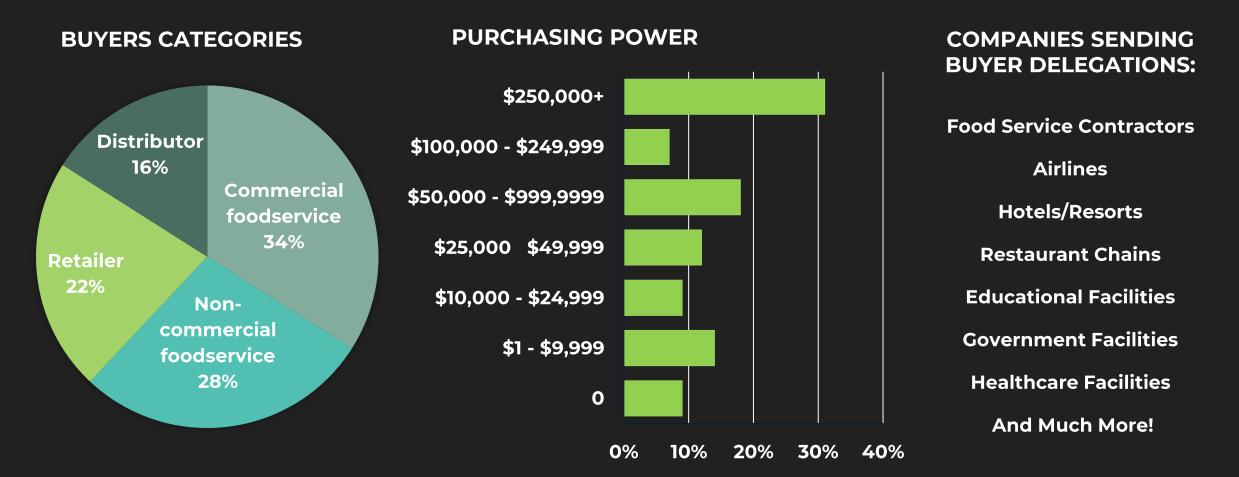






## WHO ATTENDS?

Thousands of professionals from big-box stores, specialty shops, restaurants, the noncommercial dining sector, and more come to Plant Based World Expo to see (and sample) the latest trends in plant-based, from whole-muscle meat alternatives to keto and clean-label options.



## SAMPLE BUYER LIST

Amtrak

Drexel University

California Prison Authority

Whole Foods Market

Cornell University

HelloFresh

Amazon

Le Bernardin

Wakefern

Ace Natural

WeWork

FreshDirect

Aramark

VeganSupply

Purple Carrot

KeHe

Dot Foods

**DPI Specialty Foods** 

Hannaford

Golden Acre Foods

Bank of America

Eleven Madison Park

Walmart

Jaiaia Group

UNFI

NYC Public School

Sodexo

Compass Group

The Estee Lauder Companies

Just Salad

Hilton Hotel

Le Botaniste

Starbucks Corporation

7-Eleven

Bareburger

Chartwell's Higher Education

Chipotle Mexican Grill

Daily Harvest

Five Guys

Memorial Sloan Kettering

Target



## ATTENDEES SEEK DIVERSE AND INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS











## TNDF

#### MOST SOUGHT-AFTER PRODUCT CATEGORIES

- 1. PLANT-BASED PROTEIN
- 2. PLANT-BASED DAIRY
- 3. PLANT-BASED CHEESE
- 4. SNACKS
- 5. FROZEN FOOD

#### MORE CATEGORIES AT THE SHOW:

Baked Goods, Sweets, and Desserts Functional Food & Drinks Condiments/Sauces/Dips/Spreads

Beverages

Pastas/Grains/Rice

Baking Mix/Ingredients/Spices/Seasonings

Stews/Soups

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

Supplements

Pet Food

Cosmetics

Household Cleaners

## **PRICING**

Join hundreds of companies presenting their plant-based lines by becoming an exhibitor.

#### **Plant-Based Food Manufacturer** \$37.95/Sq Ft

#### **EACH BOOTH SPACE INCLUDES**

ID Sign
Drape (rear/side rail)
Website Listing
Event Map Listing
5 Exhibitor Personnel Badges

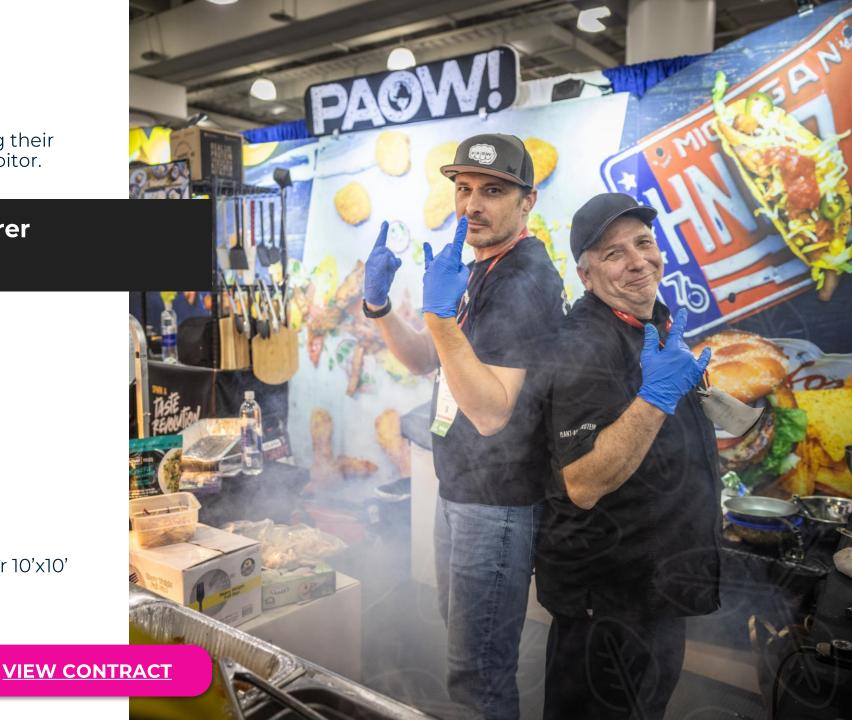
#### **UPGRADES**

Corner booth: +\$250

Convenient Booth Package: +\$1,950 per 10'x10'

Carpet

6 ft Skirted Table
Two black diamond side chairs
500-watt outlet
Up to 200lbs of freight
One waste basket



## **PRICING**

For Raw Materials or Business Solutions Companies

Ingredients/Business Solutions Packages

\$10,000 each

#### **PACKAGE 1**

10'x10' Booth space
PBW Pulse Enhanced Exhibitor Package
25,000 Impressions, 3 Sponsored Submitted
Articles, 3 Newsletter Ads
PBW 2024 Enhanced Exhibitor Package
Logo as General Sponsor, Enhanced Exhibitor
listing, 1 Month Leaderboard Ad, Inclusion in
Product Spotlight

#### **PACKAGE 2**

10'x20' Booth Space
PBW Pulse Enhanced Exhibitor Package
25,000 Impressions, 2 Sponsor
Submitted Articles 2 Newsletter
Ads



## **SPONSORSHIPS**

Sponsorships are an opportunity to present your products to influential retail and food service buyers, as well as investors, media, and other industry players. We have a wide variety of sponsorships to choose from to reinforce your brand to our high-value attendees.

#### **ROI Bundle:**

\$1,750

#### THE ESSENTIAL MARKETING STARTER KIT

Product spotlight listing (one email)
Website Display ad (one month)
Enhanced exhibitor listing
Enhanced listing on PBW Pulse (1 year)

**VIEW MEDIA KIT HERE** 

#### **GOLD SPONSORSHIP BRANDING:**

\$8,000

Logo on website sponsor page and applicable marketing material

Exhibitor listing on website, mobile app, in rotation on website home page, and onsite sponsorship banners 20 Complimentary Expo Only Passes

Featured in special gold sponsor edition of Product Spotlight (one email)

#### **PREVIOUS SPONSORS INCLUDE:**















## **EDUCATION**

#### **CONFERENCE PROGRAM**

Two days of sessions, designed with the objective to learn from industry leaders and pioneers who are shaping the future of the plant-based sector.

#### LEARNING GARDEN THEATER

Exhibitors and industry professionals take center stage, designed to create a comfortable, collaborative space to learn and share ideas.

#### **CULINARY THEATER**

Professional chef-led sessions demonstrate how to make a variety of dishes using plant-based products, including those found at the show.



## **PAST SPEAKERS**



Jay Margolis, CEO, Spins



Erin Harper, Director of Merchandising-Refrigerated Foods, Whole Foods Market



Chef Eric Ripert, Co-Owner, Le Bernadin



Jennifer DiFrancesco, Director of Culinary Innovation, Sodexo



Alicia Bell, Culinary Program Manager, the Humane Society of the United States



Priyanka Naik, Chef, Food Network Champion, Author, TV Personality



Spike Mendelsohn, Chef, PLNT Burger



Rachel Atcheson, Deputy Director, NYC Mayor's Office of Food Policy Special Advisor



Fabrizio Facchini, Chef Owner, Restauranteur



Kate Harper, Chief Brand Curator & Head of Product, Hive Brands

## HOSTED BUYER PROGRAM

## Get face-to-face with the buyers you need to meet to grow your business!

The Hosted Buyer Program at Plant Based World invites key buyers representing key retail and food service operators to attend the show. As part of the program, our exhibitors can benefit from a **FREE** business-to-business matchmaking program with these buyers, designed to save time and enhance the ROI for both parties.

- Matches are pre-qualified to meet the goals of both buyers and suppliers.
- Meetings are one-on-one during show days on the expofloor.
- Each meeting is 15 minutes so you can make the most of your valuable time.

For more information, reach out to Katie Nehmer at <a href="mailto:katie@jdevents.com">katie@jdevents.com</a>



## **ADVISORY BOARD**

At Plant-Based World Expo, we benefit from a diverse advisory board that features leading industry, policy, and subject experts to guide our event.



Eric Adams: Mayor of New York City



Caroline Bushnell: Director of Corporate Engagement, the Good Food Institute



James Corwell: Certified Master Chef, BlueDot Int.



Benjamin Davis: Content Chair and Strategic Advisor, Plant Based World Expo



Tom Dunnam: Co-Founder, The Plantrician Project



Julie Emmett: Sr. Director of Retail Partnerships, Plant Based Foods Association





Marcellus Harris: Asst. Commodity Manager, Poultry, The Kroger Co.



Julie Mann: Chief Innovative Officer, Puris Holdings



Jay Margolis: CEO, Spins



David Meyer: CEO, Food Systems Innovations



Palak Patel: Chef and Owner, Dash & Chutney



Armetha Pihlstrom: Owner, Founder & Chairwoman of the Board, Pihlstrom Consulting Group, LLC



Alison Rabschnuk: Director of Business Development Plant Protein, Kerry



Danny O'Malley: President & Founder, Before the Butcher



Vir Satyan: SVP, Supplier Success, RangeMe



Scott Swiger: Business Development, JBH Advisory Group



Le'Spencer Walker: Director of Merchandising Vendor Development, Target



Nil Zacharias: Founder & CEO, Plantega and Eat for the Planet

## **BUYERS COUNCIL**

In addition to our Advisory Board who help guide our broader vision, we have regular meetings with our Buyers Council, who advise on how we can best serve the retail and foodservice buyers at our in-person events and beyond.

























John Brugge: Director of Sustainable Sourcing, Sysco



LC Ede: Sr. Manager of Sustainable Sourcing, Sysco



Erica Gibson: Vendor Relations Manager, DPI



John Lawson: Senior Local Forager, Northeast Region, Whole Foods Market



Rob Morasco: Vice President, Innovation, Sodexo Campus



Tor Newman: CEO, Ace Natural



Bernice Radaideh: SVP Food & Conference Services Director, Bank of America



Gabriela Reyes: Category Specialist, Cheese Alt & Food Service Cheese, KeHE Distributors



Stephanie Seper: SVP Marketing, Hanson Faso Sales & Marketing, Inc.



Steven Spencer: Category Manager, UNFI



Jason Stein: Category Management Director, National Co-op Grocers



Rodd Willis: Director – National & Specialty, Dot Foods

## ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES



#### Your go-to resource for the plant-based industry.

Plant Based World Pulse is a content platform to inform retailers, caterers, distributors, suppliers and investors eager to keep up with plant-based. Purchase the Exhibitor Package Offer to advertise with Pulse's engaged database of thousands of decision-makers, with 6,000+ monthly views and 18,000+ syndicated audience across PBW Expos.



#### November 13-14, 2024 | ExCeL London

Sign up now for the Transatlantic Package to be an exhibitor at both shows, which includes VIP Lounge Access, 2 for 1 deals on certain sponsorships, spotlight emails sent to all attendees, enhanced exhibitor listings and your logo featured prominently on both websites and marketing materials, and more.

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