

## Special edition

### Message from our Director General



October and November have been busy months for IDF - we've welcomed a new President, launched our new [World Dairy Situation Report](#), celebrated our achievements at the IDF Forum, and heard from some of dairy's leading CEOs on their view of the future of dairy. We also released our [2019-20 Annual Report](#), and last week held the first ever virtual [IDF International Symposium on sheep, goat and other non-cow milk](#) - more on that in the next issue.

On behalf of IDF, I hope you enjoy this special round-up edition.

**Caroline Emond**  
IDF Director General

# News



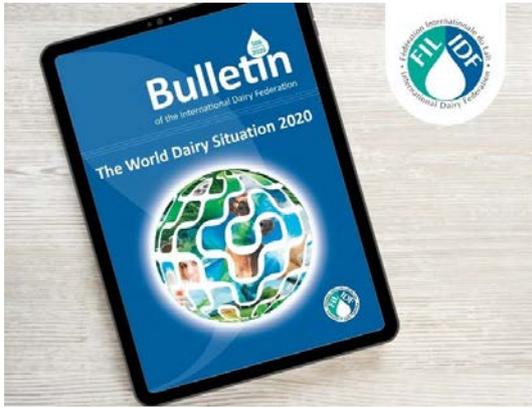
## New President for IDF

On 2 November 2020, Piercristiano Brazzale was elected President of IDF, taking over from Dr Judith Bryans. Read more about our new President [Read more](#)



## Insights from dairy leaders

On 3 November, IDF held a “member only” virtual Dairy Leader’s Panel. Moderator Dr Judith Bryans, outgoing IDF President and CEO of Dairy UK, had an inspirational discussion with 3 of dairy’s top CEOs: **Jeffrey (Minfang) Lu**, CEO of China Mengniu Dairy Company, **Lino Saputo, Jr**, CEO of Saputo and **Gunnar Hovland**, CEO of TINE SA. [Watch the recordings](#)



## Launch of IDF World Dairy Situation Report 2020

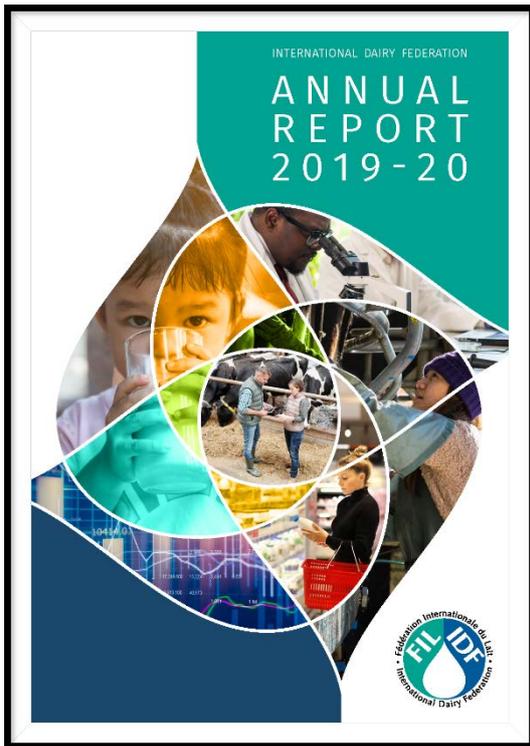
The International Dairy Federation's latest overview of the dairy sector, covering markets worldwide, global trends and preliminary COVID-19 impacts is now available.

[Read more](#) or watch the video



## Dairy award winners honoured at IDF Forum

Dairy champions were celebrated for their leadership, dedication, and commitment to the sector at the virtual IDF Forum, held on 3 November [read more](#) and [watch the recording](#)



## IDF Annual Report 2019-20

A picture of the activities and achievements of IDF over the last 12 months. The report showcases IDF's outstanding scientific and technical work, and provides an overview of IDF's activities in the areas of representation, advocacy and communications, information on dairy sustainability, and IDF's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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