

SIAL CANADA ANNOUNCES THE WINNERS OF THE 2022 INTERNATIONAL CHEESE COMPETITION!

SIAL CHEESE

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2022 WINNERS!

Discover the winner of each of the 20 cheese categories and the GRAND CHAMPION of the 2022 International Cheese Competition!

Cheese winners will benefit from international visibility and coverage through our media and the SIAL network.

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ABOUT THE INTERNATIONAL CHEESE COMPETITION

Building on its success in 2019 in Toronto, this special cheese competition was the first of its kind in Montreal with the addition of a Fresh Cheese Grain of the Day category, to showcase the province of Quebec! The jury, chaired by Gurth Pretty and made up of 13 cheese industry professionals, evaluated nearly 150 cheeses from 10 countries in 20 categories. For a category to be eligible, 3 cheeses had to be presented.

Thank you to our jury members:

Yannick Achim, Debra Amrein-Bowes, Caroline Bedard, Manon Duquenne, Pascal Fortin, Philippe Galand, Maryse Lamoureux, David Laurin, Louise Lefebvre, Ludovic Martin, Thierry Martin, Ghislain Paquet, Olivier Tourette.



A word from the jury president

The International Cheese Competition by SIAL Canada is an excellent opportunity for all cheesemakers to submit their cheeses for evaluation and feedback by cheese professionals. It is the only cheese competition in Canada where cheeses from all over the world can compete in their respective categories and compete for the title of Grand Champion. In the 2022 edition, I was pleased to announce that Canadian, American, Dutch Swiss and Italian cheeses won. Personally, the 150 cheeses submitted from ten countries were all winners.

Gurth M. Pretty, jury president



Congratulations to the GRAND CHAMPION COWS Creamery from Prince Edward Island with its Avonlea Clothbound Cheddar cheese which also won the Champion medal in the Banded Cotton Cheddar Cheese category.

A word from Armand Bernard, COWS Creamery cheesemaker.
"The Grand Champion award is the end result of having access to a top-notch dairy industry on Prince Edward Island and working with a team of dedicated colleagues who strive to produce a top-notch cheese."



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Piacere Burrata - Italie
J.K. Overweel
 Fresh cow cheese



Harbison - USA
Jasper Hill Farm
 Soft, bloomy rind cheese



Miranda - QC
Fromagerie Kaiser
Soumis par Fromages CDA
 Washed rind cheese



La Sauvagine - QC
Saputo Dairy Products Alexis de Portneuf
 Mixed rind cheese



Fromage en Grains Bio - QC
Fromagerie L'Ancêtre
 Fresh cheddar curds



Fancy Cheddar - Pays-Bas
Crystals Springs Cheese
 Cheddar cheese aged 3 to 6 months



One Year-Old Cheddar - I.P.E
COWS Creamery
 Cheddar cheese aged 6 to 12 months



Two Year Old Cheddar - I.P.E
COWS Creamery
 Cheddar aged more than 12 months



Avonlea Clothbound Cheddar - I.P.E
COWS Creamery
 Cheddar cheese bandaged



Extra Mature Gouda IGP - Pays-Bas
Frico, soumis par J.K. Overweel
 Gouda cheese aged 6 to 12 months



Le Lotbinière - QC
Fromagerie Bergeron
 Swiss-style



Goat Feta - Pays-Bas
Crystals Springs Cheese
 Cheese in brine



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Appletree Smoked Cheddar - I.P.E
COWS Creamery
Smoked cheese



Fleuron - QC
Les Fromagiers de la Table Ronde
Blue cheese with veining present



KALTBACH Raclette - Suisse
Emmi Canada
Grilling cheese raclette



Comtomme - QC
Fromagerie La Station
Semi-soft cheese



Chemin Hatley - QC
Fromagerie La Station
Firm cheese



Asiago - Pays-Bas
Crystals Springs Cheese
Hard cheese



Herbs & Garlic Cheddar - MB
Bothwell Cheese
Cheese with added physical particulates



Queen Bee - ON
Blyth Farm Cheese
Cheese with added non-physical particulates



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