



WORLD  
ASSOCIATION  
OF CHEFS  
SOCIETIES

# WORLD CONGRESS SANTIAGO CHILE 2010 PROGRAMME

24 - 28 JANUARY 2010



# RETHINKING TRADITIONS

“Tradition becomes our security, and when the mind is secure it is in decay”

- Jiddu Krishnamurti



We believe in a WACS that is truly a guiding light for chefs all over the world and that is conscientiously devoted to its members' voice. The challenge before us now is to focus on the greater issues of our industry; the next generation of chefs must become a greater focal point of our effort within WACS. Other important issues concern getting the network of chefs which exist to reach further out to draw new members and connect existing members. We believe the accessibility of information and development resources related to the culinary industry is crucial to this.

Trying to uphold tradition while keeping up with the changes of modern times should lead WACS to regularly rethink the way it operates. This means some risks have to be taken in order to let the culinary arts advance in a positive way; a way that can benefit all members of WACS.

*Gissur Gudmundsson*  
*WACS President*



# PROGRAMME

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## SUNDAY 24TH OF JANUARY

1000 - 1700	WACS Congress 2010 Registration CasaPiedra convention centre
1000 - 1700	All member countries to register with WACS Treasurer and WACS Secretary to ensure eligibility to vote CasaPiedra convention centre
1000 - 1300	Welcome-City Tour of Santiago de Chile Depart from CasaPiedra
1500 - 1800	Welcome-City Tour of Santiago de Chile Depart from CasaPiedra
1830 - 1930	Honorary Members meeting Hotel Sheraton
1930 - 2230	Cocktail Party - Official opening Dress code: Cocktail/Lounge Hotel Sheraton

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## MONDAY 25TH OF JANUARY

0800 - 1700	WACS Congress 2010 Registration CasaPiedra convention centre
0730 - 0800	Morning Arrival coffee, tea and water
0800 - 1000	Continental Meetings - Presidents from all nations Salón del Polo (America), Salón del Parque (Europe), Salón Manquehue (Africa, Asia, Pacific).
1000 - 1030	Morning Coffee Area de exhibición Comercial
1030 - 1230	Opening Ceremony Gran Salón
1030 - 1040	Congress Director's Welcome Speech Gran Salón
1040 - 1050	Opening Address by President of ACHIGA Gran Salón
1050 - 1100	WACS President Speech Gran Salón
1100 - 1120	Opening Address Honorary Guest Speaker Gran Salón
1120 - 1130	Determination of Quorum Gran Salón
1130 - 1135	Appointment of Auditing Committee Gran Salón
1135 - 1140	Approval of Proxies and Minutes Gran Salón
1140 - 1150	Introduction of new WACS member countries Gran Salón
1150 - 1200	Vote on New Membership Gran Salón
1200 - 1205	Approval and welcome of new member countries Gran Salón
1205 - 1230	PARADE OF NATIONS Gran Salón
1230 - 1345	Lunch Salón Manquehue
1345 - 1400	By-law Vote
1400 - 1415	WACS President's report Gran Salón
1415 - 1425	WACS Honorary President's Report Gran Salón
1425 - 1435	Past President's Report Gran Salón
1435 - 1445	Vice President's Report Gran Salón
1445 - 1455	Secretary General's Report Gran Salón
1455 - 1500	Treasurer's Report Gran Salón



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1500 - 1510	Report Back Audit Committee <i>Gran Salón</i>
1510 - 1530	Official Photograph <i>Gardens of Casa Piedra</i>
1530 - 1600	Afternoon Coffee <i>Area de exhibición comercial</i>
1600 - 1700	Continental Directors' Cook off - mystery basket
2000 - 2300	Dinner - Educational Award Evening <i>Palacio de la Moneda</i> <i>Dress Code Chefs Whites for Chefs – Cocktail for Ladies, Lounge for Gentleman</i>

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## TUESDAY 26TH OF JANUARY

0800 - 1700	WACS Congress 2010 Registration <i>Casa Piedra convention centre</i>
0730 - 0800	Morning Arrival coffee, tea and water
0800 - 0805	Sergeant at Arms call to order. Housekeeping matters for the day. <i>Gran Salón</i>
0805 - 0845	Continental Directors' Reports <i>Gran Salón</i>
0845 - 0900	Education Committee Report <i>Gran Salón</i>
0900 - 0915	Master Chef Committee Report <i>Gran Salón</i>
0915 - 0930	Marketing and Communication Committee Report <i>Gran Salón</i>
0930 - 0945	Culinary Competition Committee Report <i>Gran Salón</i>
0945 - 1000	Speaker: Candan Karabagli - Vice president Unilever Food Solutions Europe: Chefmanship for a better Future <i>Gran Salón</i>
1000 - 1030	Morning coffee <i>Area de exhibición comercial</i>
1030 - 1100	Chilean Cuisine and its products <i>Gran Salón</i>
1100 - 1130	Speaker: Dr Jim Peacock
1130 - 1200	Speaker: Jonathan Bloom - <i>Trimming Our Waste: Why We Waste Food and How We Can Improve</i>
1200 - 1230	International Chefs Day Forum, The Task for 2010
1230 - 1400	Lunch <i>Salón Manquehue</i>
1400 - 1430	Presentation ABIC - Cooking with Coffee
1430 - 1445	Presentation of Halaal
1445 - 1530	William Bincoletto speaker <i>The Joy of Pairing: Evolution and Revolution.</i>
1530 - 1600	Afternoon coffee <i>Area de exhibición comercial</i>
1530 - 1700	Wine marathon
1930 - 2300	Dinner - Humanitarian Award Evening <i>Dress Code: Smart and Casual</i> <i>Concha y Toro Winery</i>

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## WEDNESDAY 27TH OF JANUARY



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0800 - 1700	WACS Congress 2010 Registration CasaPiedra convention centre
0800 - 0830	Morning Arrival coffee, tea and water
0830 - 0835	Sergeant at Arms call to order. Housekeeping matters for the day. Gran Salón
0835 - 0850	Presentation of New Continental Directors Gran Salón
0850 - 0930	Charles Carroll Speaker <i>Where Am I Going, What Am I Doing, How Do I Get There?</i>
0930 - 0940	Presentation - An update by Korea of the WACS Congress in 2012 Gran Salón
0940 - 0950	Presentations of Bid for 2014 Congress Gran Salón
0950 - 1015	Speaker: Alberto Aroche - <i>Green Spirit</i> Gran Salón
1015 - 1040	Morning coffee Area de exhibición comercial
1040 - 1115	Unilever Presentation Gran Salón
1115 - 1145	Wine of Chile Gran Salón
1145 - 1200	Presentation of The World Cooks Tour for Hunger 2011 Gran Salón
1200 - 1300	Open Discussion: WACS Future - <i>What is our vision? New task: Rethinking our traditions</i>
1300 - 1430	WACS Junior AMBASSADORS LUNCH Salón Manguehue
1430 - 1600	WACS SEMINARS 1. Women in WACS - Salón del Polo, 2. Future of Chefs Education - Salón del Parque
1615 - 1700	Afternoon coffee - FUN activity Area de exhibición comercial FREE EVENING TO DINE AT RESTAURANT OF YOUR CHOICE IN SANTIAGO

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## THURSDAY 28TH OF JANUARY

0800 - 1700	WACS Congress 2010 Registration CasaPiedra convention centre
0830 - 0900	Morning Arrival coffee, tea and water
0900 - 0905	Sergeant at Arms call to order. Housekeeping matters for the day. Gran Salón
0905 - 1015	Questions & Answers to the Board <i>Open floor</i>
1015 - 1045	Morning coffee Area de exhibición comercial
1045 - 1100	Presentation: Thai
1100 - 1145	Celebrity Chef Gran Salón
1145 - 1150	Vote for Congress 2014 Gran Salón
1150 - 1200	Vote for Continental Directors Gran Salón
1200 - 1330	Closing Ceremony Gran Salón
1330 - 1430	Lunch with guests and spouses - Sponsored by Korea Salón Manquehue Free Afternoon
2000 - 2300	WACS President's Gala Dinner <i>Dress code: Formal</i> Palacio Cousiño (bus leaves 19:30)



# HIGHLIGHTS

SUNDAY 24TH TO THURSDAY 28TH OF JANUARY

## **BILL GALLAGHER JUNIOR CHEFS FORUM**

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to attend the fourth Bill Gallagher Junior Chefs Forum to be held during the World Association of Cooks Societies Congress in Chile, from 24 to 29 January 2010. The inaugural Bill Gallagher Junior Chefs Forum was held in Kyoto Japan in 2002 and was a resounding success bringing together young chefs from over 20 different countries, thus setting the stage for the Forum to grow with successful events in Auckland, Dublin and Dubai. These events featured a programme of speakers to inform, enlighten and inspire you, the young chef.

*- Bill Gallagher, WACS Honorary Life President*



WEDNESDAY 27TH OF JANUARY

## **HANS BUESCHKENS JUNIOR CHEFS CHALLENGE**

Named in honour of former WACS President, Hans Bueschkens whose vision was to embrace and encourage young chefs of the world to challenge themselves to learn and develop their talents as practitioners of the culinary arts. It has been a career trampoline for many young chefs. This 6th edition of the competition, will see 14 ambitious young chefs from all over the world, competing and surpassing them selves.



THURSDAY 28TH OF JANUARY

## **GLOBAL CHEFS CHALLENGE FINALS**

After 2 years of competitions with more than 600 local selections, 42 national championships and 7 continental finals, it has come down to 7 chefs to dispute the bi-annual Global Chef Challenge Title. This second edition of Global Chef Challenge has truly lived up to its name, with candidates from 42 nationalities coming from all continents participating in this Global event. At the end their can be only one candidate on the highest march of the podium. But we can agree that they are all winners and that they represent the true values of our profession.



# PARTNERS PROGRAMME

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## SUNDAY 24TH OF JANUARY

### CITY TOUR - For All Congress guests

Duration: 3 hours.

AM Schedule: 10:00 -13:00 hrs.

PM Schedule: 15:00 a 18:00 hrs.

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## MONDAY 25TH OF JANUARY

### FD VIÑA DEL MAR / VALPARAISO

Duration: 8 hrs.

Departure Time: 09:00 am From CasaPiedra

Arrival Time: 17:00 pm to hotels Sheraton San Cristobal, Radisson Vitacura and Regal Pacific.

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## TUESDAY 26TH OF JANUARY

### POMAIRE ISLA NEGRA WITH PABLO NERUDA MUSEUM

Duration: 6 hrs.

Departure Time: 10:00 am. From CasaPiedra

Arrival Time: 16:00 pm. to hotels Sheraton San Cristobal, Radisson Vitacura and Regal Pacific.

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## WEDNESDAY 27TH OF JANUARY

### MAIPO CANNON & SANTA RITA VINEYARD

Duration: 8 hrs.

Departure Time: 09:00 am. From CasaPiedra

Arrival Time: 17:00 pm to hotels Sheraton San Cristobal, Radisson Vitacura and Regal Pacific.

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## THURSDAY 28TH OF JANUARY

### SHOPPING TOUR - LOS DOMINICOS & ALTO LAS CONDES MALL

Duration: 3 hrs.

Departure Time: 10:00 am. From CasaPiedra

Arrival Time: 13:00 pm. To CasaPiedra.

#### INCLUDED:

- Transportation by private bus with air conditioning.
- Local bilingual guide assistance (English or Spanish).
- All organised dinners and lunches during the congress
- Programme details can be found on [www.wacs2010.com](http://www.wacs2010.com)

THE ROUTE MAY BE MODIFIED DEPENDING ON TRAFFIC OR OTHER FACTORS.





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