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Dr. Nino Binns is an independent international resource consultant working with Spherix in the area of Nutrition and Food Regulation. Dr. Binns has more than 30 years' experience with the food industry. She provides guidance on regulatory strategy and nutrition policy for clients engaged in food manufacturing and ingredient development. Her particular area of focus is currently EU novel foods and health claims. Dr. Binns has a Ph.D. in nutrition from the University of London and is a visiting Professor in nutrition at the Northern Ireland Centre for Food & Health, University of Ulster at Coleraine in Northern Ireland.

Dr. Binns brings a detailed understanding of the scientific, regulatory and political environment and excellent contacts with the regulatory authorities. Prior to becoming a consultant, Dr Binns worked for 25 years with a number of leading food marketing and ingredient companies. During this employment she was closely involved in lobbying the European Parliament, the European Commission and the EU Member States regarding amendments to the proposed Regulation on nutrition and health claims made on foods.

Previous roles include Nutrition Manager for Europe with The Coca-Cola Company, Regulatory Affairs Manager for Pfizer's ingredients business in Europe (that is now largely part of Danisco's business), Scientific Affairs Manager with Tate & Lyle and various roles in nutrition, regulatory affairs and research & development with Beecham Foods (now part of GSK).

Expertise

Nutrition

Scientific Food

Regulatory Affairs

Credentials

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