

## Seminars in Biotechnology BTEC 591 & BTEC 691

## "TÜGİP: A New Approach in the Innovation Processes of the Food Industry in Türkiye"

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Kevser Betül Kalyon recieved her B.S degree in Food Engineering in 2012 from Middle East Technical University. She went on to recieve her master's degree in the field of Chemical Engineering from Boğaziçi University in 2016. In her master thesis she investigated the mechanisms of antimicrobial resistance in drugs via computer aided simulations. Later, she worked as a project engineer for 2 and a half years in the Defence / IT sector carrying out program management work. In 2020, she started working in TÜBİTAK MAM (Marmara Research Center) as a Researcher, in the former Food Institute, now newly established Food Innovation Technologies Research Group governed by the Life Sciences Department of TÜBİTAK MAM. She joined the IPA-INNOFOOD Project as the Deputy Project Coordinator in June 2020 and is currently a part of the team that established and manages TÜGİP (The Food Innovation Platform of Türkiye). She has cowritten the review paper "Immunomodulatory effects of selected medicinal herbs and their essential oils: A comprehensive review." which was published in Journal of Functional Foods in 2022. Her current research interests include functional foods, and innovative processing technologies in juices and cereals.