On December, 7th, at the All-Russian Meat Research Institute has taken place the 14th scientifically-practical conference «Perspective directions of researches in the field of processing of meat raw materials and creation of competitive foodstuff», devoted to Vasily Gorbatov's memory.

In the center of attention of conference — consideration of actual problems facing meat branch, such as perfection of technological processes of meat raw materials processing, improvement of quality of raw materials and finished products, working out of modern methods of an estimation of quality and safety of meat raw materials and meat products, using of nonconventional raw materials in manufacture of meat products.

By tradition, before the beginning of plenary session of conference rewarding of winners of the award and the grant of V.M.Gorbatov for the most significant theoretical and scientifically-practical contribution to institute's "portfolio" has passed. Diplomas to winners were handed over by V.M.Gorbatov's daughter Tatyana Gavrilenkova.

The award of V.M.Gorbatov for the complex researches executed in 2009-2011 years which have laid down in a basis of working out of technology of boiled sausage products for a food of pregnant and nursing women taking into account specificity of their food awards a group of authors: A.V.Ustinova, M.A.Aslanova, I.A.Govor.

The grant of a name of V.M.Gorbatov for research work on studying physical and chemical, mechanical and technical characteristics on collagen films of either domestic or import manufacture and working out of a technique of control of process of manufacture of a domestic collagen film was received by the research assistant of laboratory «Technologies of sausages, semifinished products and packing» N.M.Revutskaya.

With the introductory report «About fundamental and priority-applied researches institute, executed in 2011» has acted the deputy director on scientific work of VNIIMP, Dr.Sci.Tech. I.M.Chernuha.

The great interest of participants of conference was caused by reports of experts of scientific and educational institutes: directors of Innovative center of science of Oryol state agrarian university, Dr.Sci.Biol. O.A.Shalimova — «Using of products of plant growing in meat technologies», managing chair of food biotechnology and processing of animal and fish raw materials of the Voronezh university of engineering technologies, Dr.Sci.Tech. L.V.Antipova — «Collagen fibers: reception, properties and scope expansion», the head of laboratory of biomedical researches of Institute of biochemistry of A.N.Bah of Russian Academy of Sciences S.S. Shishkina and the senior research assistant of the same laboratory, Cand.Biol.Sci. M.A.Kovaleva — «Proteome technology in researches of muscular fibers and meat products», the senior research assistant of the scientific research institute of food biotechnology Cand.Tech.Sci. V. L. Kudryashov — «Perspective directions of researches by manufacture of additives and processing of secondary raw materials of meat industry with application of methodology of through agrarian-food technologies membrane and nanobiological processes».

Results of the researches systematizing modern approaches in an estimation of safety and food value of functional foodstuff and components on biomodels, has presented the senior research assistant of VNIIMP, the candidate of veterinary sciences T.S.Yelizarova.

Within the limits of conference visitors heard messages of young scientists of VNIIMP, whose research works have received grants in 2011. These grants have been founded by institute in 2010

The reports presented at conference were included into the collection. The following international scientifically-practical conference «The meat industry — priorities of development and functioning» will take place in the beginning of December, 2012 and will be devoted century from the date of Vasily Gorbatov's birth.

On all questions it is necessary to address in organizing committee of the International conference:

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