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Pal Molnar, Professor for Quality Management and Food Quality and Safety at the University of Szeged (Hungary). He studied Food Technology and Biochemistry at the Humboldt University of Berlin. He got PhD by the same University in 1972 and DSc by the Hungarian Academy of Sciences in 1996. Now he is President and CEO of the Hungarian National Committee of the European Organization for Quality (EOQ). He has been Hungarian National Representative in the EOQ since 1994, its Vice President 1999-2003. Pal was Vice President of the International Academy for Quality (IAQ) in the periods 2005-2008 and 2008-2011 and President from 2015-2017. Now he is the Chair of IAQ for the period 2018-2020. He was Congress Chairman of the 44<sup>th</sup> EOQ Congress in 2000 and of the 55<sup>th</sup> EOQ Congress (World Quality Congress) in 2011 as well as of the 1<sup>st</sup> World Quality Forum of IAQ in Budapest and the 2<sup>nd</sup> World Quality Forum of IAQ in Bled/Slovenia in 2017. Professor Molnar has been invited lecturer of many international Quality Conferences and he is Honorary Member of the Croatian Quality Organization and of the Philippine Society for Quality. He is recognized by several other awards in Hungary and abroad.