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**Dr. Kayanush (Kai) Aryana Receives Milk Industry Foundation  
Teaching Award in Dairy Science**

**Champaign, IL** – The American Dairy Science Association® (ADSA®) is pleased to announce Dr. Kayanush Aryana as the 2013 recipient of the Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Science. The award was presented on Wednesday, July 10, 2013, during the awards ceremony at the ADSA Annual Meeting in Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Science was created to recognize outstanding teaching of undergraduate students in dairy foods. The winner must have demonstrated outstanding ability as a teacher of undergraduate students in dairy foods at an accredited college or university. The winner must have been an active teacher when nominated with no less than 10 total years of active teaching preceding the year of recognition. The winner must be a member of the ADSA, and be a resident of the United States, Canada, or Mexico.

Over the past 11 years, Kayanush (Kai) Aryana has had major accomplishments in training dairy food undergraduates through teaching the undergraduate course Milk and Dairy Foods and split-level courses Dairy Microbiology and Quality Assurance in the Food Industries. Over the years, Aryana has mentored undergraduates in writing and obtaining 20 undergraduate research grants, advised undergraduates during their undergraduate research, helped undergraduates in preparing their 17 presentations at annual meetings, assisted undergraduates in preparing their 13 published manuscripts in peer-reviewed journals, assisted undergraduates to find internships in dairy-food companies, and assisted undergraduates to find jobs in dairy food companies, providing the dairy-foods industry with a well-rounded undergraduate with not just theoretical, plant, and laboratory knowledge but also practice in obtaining undergraduate research grants and conducting successful research.

It is with great pleasure that ADSA and the Milk Industry Foundation present Dr. Kayanush Aryana with the 2013 Milk Industry Foundation Teaching Award in Dairy Science.

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