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Stella's research expertise lies in the following research areas: Circular food supply chains, supply chain resilience, industry 5.0, honey supply chain, food waste and food sustainability. Currently she works on multi-partner projects related to food supply chain resilience, climatic changes, and Industry 5.0. She also works as food supply chain consultant and she is co-owner of a honey processing company called Melizin.

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