

- The practice of eating insects is called Entomophagy. Insects have been consumed by humans for thousands of years. Currently, there are about 2 billion people who eat insects. That's a quarter of the world's population!
- A Geoentomarian is a person who chooses to eat insects because it is a sustainable protein alternative that can help reduce our ecological footprint. (Or: A geoentomarian eats insects for their own health and to keep our planet healthy by choosing a sustainable protein source.)
- By the year 2050, agricultural production will need to increase by 60% in order to produce enough food to feed the world (FAO, 2015).
- Scientists at Purdue study ways to improve insect protein so that it can be easily added to our food and types of animal feed. At Purdue we evaluate the healthy benefits of insect protein for people with high blood pressure and type-2 diabetes. We also study its potential for causing allergies and how consumers like you would feel about purchasing alternative proteins.

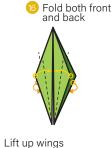


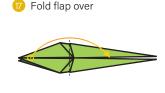
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