Asian Quinoa Salad



This is a great vegetarian salad that packs in a lot of protein, thanks to the quinoa, nuts, and edamame! Make it in advance; it's a perfect lunch for the entire week.

Ingredients:

³⁄₄ c uncooked quinoa
1 1/4c vegetable broth
1 package broccoli slaw
1 red pepper, sliced thin
¹⁄₄ c red onion, chopped
¹⁄₂ c cilantro, chopped
¹⁄₄ c green onions, sliced thin
1/2c cashews
1 c edamame

Dressing:

1/4c peanut butter1T honey1t ground ginger3T soy sauce1T rice vinegar1-2t sesame oil

Directions:

- Cook the quinoa in the vegetable broth per the package instructions (you can use water instead, if needed)
- 2. In a large bowl, add all ingredients.
- For the dressing, melt the peanut butter and honey in the microwave (about 20-30 secs), whisk together.
- 4. Add remaining dressing ingredients and mix well until creamy.
- 5. Pour the dressing over the salad and mix well.

Enjoy!

Tips:

- You can always add an additional protein if you'd like, ideally chicken or tofu.
- I would omit the red onion the next time I make this, but Sean really liked it. User-preference. :)