TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2019

8:00 am – 12:00 pm  Low Moisture Foods Taskforce Meeting
8:00 am – 12:00 pm  Sprout Safety Taskforce Meeting
8:00 am – 12:00 pm  Juice and Beverage Safety Taskforce Meeting

11:30 am – 1:00 pm  Registration and Lunch Available for Meeting Attendees

1:00 pm – 1:30 pm  WELCOMING REMARKS AND IFSH UPDATE
Robert Brackett, Ph.D., Vice President, Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT) and Director, Institute for Food Safety and Health (IFSH)

1:30 pm – 2:00 pm  CFSAN UPDATE
Steven Musser, Ph.D., Deputy Director for Scientific Operations, FDA CFSAN

2:00 pm – 2:30 pm  INVITED KEYNOTE PRESENTATION
Frank Yiannas, Deputy Commissioner for Food Policy and Response, FDA

2:30 pm – 2:45 pm  Break

2:45 pm – 3:15 pm  Listeria Control - Industry Perspective title TBC
Sanjay Gummalla, Ph.D., Vice President Scientific and Regulatory Affairs, AFFI

3:15 pm – 3:45 pm  Taskforce Recaps
Low Moisture Foods
Nathan Anderson, Ph.D., Research Agricultural Engineer, FDA CFSAN DFPST
Sprout Safety
T.J. Fu, Ph.D., Research Chemical Engineer, FDA CFSAN DFPST
Juice and Beverage
Alvin Lee, Ph.D., Director - Center for Processing Innovation, IIT IFSH

3:45 pm – 4:00 pm  IFSH AWARDS

5:00 pm – 8:00 pm  RECEPTION AT IFSH, IIT MOFFETT CAMPUS, BEDFORD PARK, IL
6:00 – 7:00 pm  Research Laboratories and Pilot Plant Tours
8:00 am – 8:25 am  
*Continental Breakfast*

8:25 am – 8:30 am  
**IFSH RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS – Management and Oversight**

*Les Smoot, Ph.D.*, Moffett Project Officer, FDA, CFSAN, Office of Food Safety

8:30 am – 9:00 am  
**Food Processing Platform**

*Jason Wan, Ph.D.*, Associate Director, IFSH & Professor, Department Food Science and Nutrition, IIT

Modeling microbial inactivation during baking

*Nathan Anderson, Ph.D.*, Research Agricultural Engineer, FDA CFSAN DFPST

9:00 am – 9:30 am  
**Food Microbiology Platform**

*Glenn Black, Ph.D.*, Associate Director for Research, FDA CFSAN DFPST

High throughput genomic and transcriptomic analysis of *Salmonella* survival in fresh-cut produce

*Wei Zhang, Ph.D.*, Professor, Department of Food Science and Nutrition, IIT

9:30 am – 10:00 am  
**Food Chemistry and Packaging Platform**

*Lauren Jackson, Ph.D.*, Branch Chief – Process Engineering Branch, FDA CFSAN DFPST

Food allergen detection and control research at IFSH

*Binaifer (Binu) Bedford, M.S.*, Chemist, FDA CFSAN DFPST

10:00 am – 10:20 am  
*Break*

10:20 am – 10:50 am  
**Nutrition Platform**

*Britt Burton-Freeman, Ph.D.*, Professor and Chair, Department of Food Science and Nutrition, IIT

Nutrition Project title TBC

*Amandeep Sandhu, Ph.D.*, Assistant Professor, Department of Food Science and Nutrition, IIT

10:50 am – 11:20 am  
**Proficiency Testing and Method Validation Platform**

*Ravinder Reddy, Ph.D.*, Senior Microbiologist, FDA CFSAN DFPST

Multi-Laboratory Validation Study of *Cylospora* Detection from Agricultural Water

*Kaiping Deng, Ph.D.*, Research Assistant Professor IIT IFSH

11:20 am – 12:00 pm  
**POSTER SESSION OVERVIEW & POSTER VIEWING**

*Jason Wan, Ph.D.*, Associate Director, IFSH & Professor, Department of Food Science and Nutrition IIT

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm  
*Lunch*

1:00 pm – 1:30

**INVITED KEYNOTE PRESENTATION**

*Listeria Control - Regulatory Perspective*

*Mickey Parish, Ph.D.*, Senior Science Adviser, FDA CFSAN (TBC)

1:30 pm – 2:00 pm  
**FERN Invited Speaker**

Fifteen Years of the Food Emergency Response Network

*Tara Doran, Health Scientist, FDA ORA ORS*

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm  
**CULTURED MEAT PRODUCTS**

Regulatory Perspectives

*William Jones, Ph.D.*, Director of Office of Food Safety, FDA CFSAN

Industry Perspective
Presenter TBC

3:00 pm – 3:10 pm CLOSING REMARKS AND ADJOURNMENT