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11th Workshop on Food Allergens Methodologies

May 4-6, 2020

**JW Marriott, Edmonton ICE District
Edmonton, Alberta, Canada**

General Session

(Please check Hotel postings for any last minute changes)

Sunday, May 3

7:00 PM Opening Reception
(Location TBD)

Monday, May 4

7:30 – 8:15 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast
(Location TBD)

8:15– 8:30 AM Welcome
Michael Abbott, Health Canada
Joe Baumert, FARRP - USA

8:30 – 8:45 AM Official Opening of the Workshop
TBD

Session #1: Consumer Impacts of Food Allergies
Session Chair: Michael Abbott, Health Canada and Steve Taylor, FARRP - USA

8:45 – 9:10 AM *Prevalence of Food Allergies in Canada*
Ann Clarke, University of Alberta - Canada

9:10 – 9:40 AM *The EuroPrevall Findings – Prevalence in EU*
Andre Knulst, Univ. Utrecht - Netherlands

9:40 – 10:10 AM *Early Weaning – Will this Slow the Epidemic?*
Meghan Azad, Children’s Hospital – Manitoba - Canada

10:10 – 10:30 AM Coffee Break
(Location TBD)

10:30 – 11:00 AM *How Effective is Immunotherapy?*
Derek Chu, McMaster University - Canada

Session #1 (continued)

11:00 – 11:30 AM *Immunotherapy and Maintenance Doses*
Matthew Greenhawt, Children’s Hospital Colorado - USA

11:30 – Noon Discussion – Session 1 Speakers

Noon – 1:00 PM Lunch
(Location TBD)

Session #2: Novel Foods and Allergenicity **Session Chairs: Phil Johnson, FARRP and Joe Baumert, FARRP**

1:00 – 1:30 PM *The EU Approach to Allergenicity Assessment of Novel Foods*
Kitty Verhoeckx, Univ. Utrecht - Netherlands

1:30 – 2:00 PM *Assessing the Allergenicity of Novel Foods*
Rick Goodman, FARRP - USA

2:00 – 2:30 PM *An Example: Insect-Derived Foods*
Phil Johnson, FARRP - USA

2:30 – 3:00 PM *An Example: Pea Protein*
Moshe Ben-Shoshan, McGill University - Canada

3:00 – 3:30 PM *Prevalence of Food Allergies – Adults and Children in U.S.*
Ruchi Gupta, Northwestern University - USA
*Note: A continuation and conclusion to Session 1 due to Speaker availability

3:30 – 4:00 PM Discussion – Session #2

4:00 – 5:00 PM **Poster Session with Refreshments**
(Location TBD)

6:30 PM **Optional Monday Night Group Dinner**
(Location TBD)
(Cost not included in Registration-Pre-registration required)

Tuesday, May 5

7:30 – 8:30 AM Continental Breakfast
(Location TBD)

Session #3: Mass Spectrometry Methods for Allergen Detection and Quantification **Session Co-Chairs: Terry Koerner, Health Canada and Melanie Downs, FARRP - USA**

8:30 – 9:00 AM Quantification Strategies for MS Allergen Methods
Katherine Fiedler, U.S. FDA - USA

Session #3 (continued)

9:00 – 9:30 AM	EFSA ThRALL Project: Harmonized MS Methods for Quantitative Allergen Analysis Nathalie Gillard, CER Group - Belgium
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Targeted and Untargeted (DIA) MS Methods for Gluten Quantification in Processed Foods Michelle Colgrave, CSIRO - Australia
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Coffee Break (Location TBD)
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Approaches to Specificity (MRM ³) and Quantification Challenges for Multi-Tree Nut MS Methods Jens Brockmeyer, Universitat Stuttgart - Germany
11:00 – 11:30 AM	PRM Approaches to Allergen Detection and Quantification Melanie Downs, FARRP
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Lunch (Location TBD)

Session #4

Updates on ELISA Approaches for Allergen Analysis

Session Co-Chairs: Joe Baumert, FARRP and Jean-Marc Gelinias, Health Canada

12:30 – 1:00 PM	<i>AOAC SMPRs on ELISA Methods</i> Samuel Godefroy, University of Laval - Canada
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Presentations by ELISA Kit Company Sponsors

1:00 – 1:30 PM	Speaker #1 – Neogen
1:30 – 2:00 PM	Speaker #2 – r-Biopharm
2:00 – 2:30 PM	Speaker #3 – Biofront
2:30 – 3:00 PM	Speaker #4 – 3M
3:00 – 3:15 PM	Coffee Break
3:15 – 3:45 PM	Speaker #5 – Morinaga
3:45 – 4:15 PM	Speaker #6 – ELISA Systems
4:15 – 4:45 PM	Speaker #7 – Romer
4:45 – 6:15 PM	Product Demonstration and Reception (Location TBD)

Wednesday, May 6

7:30 – 8:15 AM Continental Breakfast
(Location TBD)

Session #5 Food Allergen - Risk Assessment and Risk Management
Session Co-Chairs: Steve Taylor, FARRP and Joe Baumert, FARRP

8:15 – 8:45 AM *An Update on Thresholds and Reference Doses*
Ben Remington, Remington Consulting - Netherlands

8:45 – 9:15 AM *VITAL 3.0*
Kirsten Grinter, Allergen Bureau - Australia

9:15 – 9:45 AM Coffee Break
(Location TBD)

9:45 – 10:15 AM *An Example (Part 1): Grain Comingling in Canada*
Terry Koerner, Health Canada

10:15 – 10:45 AM *An Example (Part 2): Does Grain Comingling Pose a Consumer Risk?*
Joe Baumert, FARRP

10:45 -11:15 AM Milk in Dark Chocolate – A Conundrum Revisited
Kirsten Grinter, Allergen Bureau

11:15 – 11:45 AM Discussion – Session #5

11:45 – 12:30 PM Lunch
(Location TBD)

Session #6 Food Allergies – Codex, Sanitation, Labeling, and Consumer Response
Session Co-Chairs: Michael Abbott, Health Canada and Phil Johnson, FARRP

12:30 – 1:00 PM *Update from Codex Committee on Food Hygiene*
Jenny Scott, FDA - USA

1:00 – 1:30 PM *Update from Codex Committee on Food Labeling*
Michael Abbott, Health Canada

1:30– 2:00 PM Japanese Regulations, Use of Detection Methods in Japan and Regulatory Threshold Approaches
Hiroshi Akiyama, National Institute of Health Sciences, Japan

2:00 – 2:30 PM Consumer Response to Labeling, Precautionary Labeling & Industry Practices
Jennifer Gerds and/or Beatrice Povolo, Food Allergy Canada

2:30 – 3:00 PM Discussion – Sessions #6

3:00 – 3:15 PM Conference Wrap-Up
Michael Abbott, Health Canada and Joe Baumert, FARRP