

REGISTRATION

Registration

Use the enclosed form or register online:

<https://events.uwex.uwc.edu/cos/getdemo.ei?id=28004&s= 4E40U5Y52>

(more forms available at <http://fri.wisc.edu>)

Registration Coordinator:

CALS Conference Services, 608-263-1672

Registration Deadline: May 7, 2012

Registration required to attend.

Where to stay:

- Best Western InnTowner (code "FRI Meeting"); \$125 per night; held until April 20th; call 608-233-8778 or 1-800-258-8321;
- Concourse Hotel (code "FRI Meeting"); \$70-110 per night; held until April 20th; call 608-257-6000 or 1-800-356-8293;
- The Lowell Center (code "FRISPRIN"); \$70-99 per night; held until April 20th; call 608-256-2621 or 1-866-301-1753
- Union South (code "FRI Meeting"); \$70-110 per night; held until April 20th; call 608-263-2600

View the attached list for more details for these and other hotels close to the meeting site, their rates, and shuttle availability:

http://fri.wisc.edu/docs/pdf/FRI_Spring2012_hotels.pdf

Parking: Parking is difficult on the UW campus. If you must use a car, please leave it at your hotel. Many hotels that are not within walking distance have free shuttles to the UW campus; see enclosed list (link above) for details.

Map to public parking (lot/ramp 7 on the map is one block from meeting site): <http://www.cityofmadison.com/parkingUtility/maps/Downtown.cfm>

Payment: Send payment to the registration coordinator in advance (see the enclosed registration form) or register online by credit card (<https://events.uwex.uwc.edu/cos/getdemo.ei?id=28004&s= 4E40U5Y52>). Registration deadline is **May 7, 2012**

Dress: Dress is business casual.

Program Questions:

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Food Research Institute

Food Research Institute 2012 Spring Meeting



Food Research Institute
University of Wisconsin–Madison

May 22–23, 2012

meeting location:
Pyle Center
702 Langdon Street
University of Wisconsin–Madison
Madison, WI 53706-1420

AGENDA SUMMARY

FRI 2012 Spring Meeting

Description

Food safety experts from government, industry, and academia will gather in Madison, Wisconsin on May 22 and 23 for the annual Food Research Institute Spring Meeting at the University of Wisconsin–Madison. The Institute has a long history of excellence in identifying and addressing food safety issues. This focus on food microbiology and toxicology has developed through academic pursuits and partnerships with industry and government.

The formal program will include presentations on foodborne pathogen virulence, detection, and intervention strategies, applied food safety and quality, epidemiology and health, as well as exploiting microbes to improve food safety and health. This meeting features scientists from the University of Wisconsin–Madison and other universities as well as industry and government.

Dr. Gale Prince, of SAGE Food Safety Consultants, will present the William C. Frazier Memorial Award lecture and will be recognized for his contributions to food microbiology. Tuesday evening will also feature a poster session, reception, and opportunities to network with colleagues.

Who Should Attend

Anyone involved in food safety, product development, food microbiology, food quality assurance, or public health, including processors, retailers, nutritionists, consultants, educators, students, and government professionals.

LOCATION OF EVENTS

Pyle Center, 702 Langdon Street
University of Wisconsin–Madison, Madison, WI 53706-1420
<http://conferencing.uwex.edu/>

Dates	Start Time	End Time
5/22/2012, Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
5/23/2012, Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.

directions & map: <http://conferencing.uwex.edu/directions.cfm>

AGENDA

Tuesday, May 22, 2012

- 7:30 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am Welcome / Overview of FRI; Welcome from CALS and UW–Madison
- 8:30 am **STEC: Shiga-toxin-producing *E. coli*:**
 - Virulence and prevalence differences
 - FSIS risk management and sampling/Testing for non-O157 Shiga-toxin-producing *E. coli*
 - Industry response to sampling of STEC
- 10:30 am **Salmonella and friends:**
 - *Salmonella* in reduced water activity foods
 - Produce safety (*Salmonella/Listeria*, cantaloupe)
 - Antibiotic-resistant *Salmonella*
- 12:00 noon Lunch
- 1:00 pm **Safety and Quality:**
 - Thermal inactivation of vegetative foodborne pathogens
 - Validation of growth/no growth boundary of pathogens in cheese
 - Molds / Yeast 202: strategies for control
- 3:00 pm **Epidemiology and Health:**
 - CORE (microbial foodborne illness)
 - Cancer prevention through sensible nutrition
- 4:00 pm **Presentation of Student Awards**
- 4:15 pm **Wm. C. Frazier Memorial Award: Dr. Gale Prince**
 - Food Safety Eras: Past, Present, and What is Next!
- 4:45–6:00 pm Poster session
- 5:00–7:00 pm Reception and Social Hour

Wednesday, May 23, 2012

- 7:30 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am **Bacteria and Beyond:**
 - Recent findings on *Clostridium botulinum* and its neurotoxins
 - *Toxoplasma* research
 - Norovirus: detection and intervention
 - *Aspergillus* secondary metabolites
 - Probiotics and hygiene hypothesis
 - Interactive food packaging
- 11:30 am Adjourn

Registration Form

Registration deadline is May 7, 2012

Fill out a separate registration form (or copy) for each registrant.

You may also register online at

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Name _____
Title _____
Organization _____
Address _____
City/State/ZIP _____
Daytime Phone _____
EMAIL _____

Registration Fees (fee includes continental breakfasts, lunch, reception, breaks and conference materials):

- Registration Fee \$350
- FRI Sponsor Company* \$250
- UW–Madison and State Employees \$ 50

*inquire reduced rate for >2 registrants from the same company

http://fri.wisc.edu/docs/pdf/FRI_sponsor_companies_2012.pdf

Enclose fee:

Check enclosed payable to **UW–Madison**

Charge on the following account:

_____ VISA _____ Mastercard Exp. Date _____

Card Number _____

Name on Credit Card _____

Signature _____

Mail or fax registration form and fees to:

CALS Conference Services
620 Babcock Drive
Madison, WI 53706
FAX: (608) 262-5088.

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Confirmation letters will be emailed to the address above.

Cancellation Policy: No refunds will be given after May 14, 2012. Substitutions are welcome at any time. To make a cancellation or substitution, contact CALS Conference Services at 608-263-1672, or email at conference@cals.wisc.edu.

Registration questions: Call CALS Conference Services at 608-263-1672. No phone registrations, please.

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