

Food Safety Assessment, Audit, and Inspection PDG

Attendees: Betsy Craig (Chair), Shahram Ajamian, Alphajou Bah, III, Robert Barlow, Laura Bautista, Richelle Beverly, Francie Buck, LeAnn Chuboff, Samantha Cooper, Gina Cullerton, Toni de Senna, Maria Diaz, Jim Dickson, Clare Edgar, Amanda Farrens, Mark Flanagan, Tamara Ford, Dayane Gossner, Rocelle Grabarek, Ellen Gravi, Virginia Hamilton, Lili He, Adrienne Hill, Dean Hornsby, Allison Howell, Cathleen Howick, Sharon Humphries, Richard Jacobs, Melissa Joaquin, Chris Jordan, Israel Juarbe, Jr., Ron Judge, Veeramani Karuppuchamy, Alison Lacombe, Patrick Logan, William Long, Tatiana Lorca, Yuqian Lou, Jackie Lyle, Tania Martinez, Fabien Matsiko, Amanda McCarthy, Joseph Meyer, Nadia Narine, Krystalyn Nation, Donna Novev, Rocio Nunez, Adeniyi Odugbemi, Raghu Ramaswamy, Evan Rosen, Alyssa Rosenbaum, John Saniga, Deborah Sattely, Marsha Sayre, Nic Sharman, Tracie Sheehan, Shyam Singh, Malavika Sinha, Erin Slutz, Kimberly Trowers, Richard Walsh, Kasey Ward, Tom Weaver, Nathaniel Wilson, Yuzhen Zhang.

Number of Attendees: 64.

Meeting Called to Order: Sunday, July 14, 2024, 8:30 a.m. Pacific Time.

Minutes Recording Secretary: Alyssa Rosenbaum (Student Liaison).

Old Business: A motion was received and seconded, approving 2023 IAAP Annual Meeting minutes .

New Business: The anti-trust guidelines and mission statement were read out loud reviewed. Alyssa Rosenbaum represented the student PDG, presenting opportunities for PDG members to become involved with students. Amanda McCarthy presented BRCS general updates and requirement changes, including Food Safety Issue 9 nonconformities, current GFSI Benchmarking requirement comment period, and Packaging Materials Issue 7. Betsy Craig presented an overview and updates on Certified Free From. LeAnn Chuboff presented an SQF updates, including Edition 10 (to be based upon GFSI Benchmarking requirements), certification additions, and reviewing nonconformity data. Four sessions were sponsored by the PDG for the 2024 IAAP Annual Meeting. The meeting was concluded with PDG group discussion discussing topics related to AI in audits; difference between AI Learning and Machine Learning; what a competent internal audit/auditor looks like; and additional possible session topics for 2025. Future idea development for symposia and roundtables will be conducted online in August 2024.

Recommendations to the Executive Board:

1. Longer PDG time. 90 minutes was extremely rushed.

Next Meeting Date: July 27, 2025, Cleveland, Ohio.

Meeting Adjourned: 9:59 a.m. Pacific Time.

Chairperson Name: Betsy Craig