

IAFP EXECUTIVE BOARD SPEAKER PROGRAM

FOR AFFILIATES



Manpreet Singh, Ph.D., University of Georgia
President

- Managing Risks in Meat & Poultry Processing
- Food Safety Management Systems in Food Processing
- Antimicrobial Resistance of Foodborne Pathogens



Manan Sharma, Ph.D., U.S. Department of Agriculture/ARS
President-Elect

- Produce Safety (Irrigation Water, Soil Amendment)
- Bacteriophages and Food Safety
- Detection Methods of Pathogens in Water/Water Filtration



Pam Wilger, Post Consumer Brands
Vice President

- Environmental Monitoring
- Dry Industry Microbiology and HACCP
- Sampling, Micro Testing Methods and Lab Management



Wendy White, Georgia Institute of Technology
Secretary

- Sanitation Troubleshooting
- Third-Party Auditing
- Recall and/or Crisis Management



Mark Carter, MC Squared
Past President

- Method Development and Validation
- Statistical Sampling Plans and Development



Helen Taylor, Cardiff Metropolitan University
Affiliate Council Chair

- Food Safety & Quality Management Systems
- HACCP – Food Safety – Auditing
- Food Manufacturing – Small & Medium Enterprises – Auditing



Takiyah Ball, Ph.D., Sargento Foods, Inc.
Affiliate Council Secretary

- Food Microbiology
- Tools for Monitoring Emerging Risks
- Career Development for Young Professionals in Industry, Academia, and Government

How It Works

1. IAFP Board Members are available to speak at Affiliate meetings on numerous topics involving food safety.
2. Each Affiliate may request one Executive Board speaker for one Affiliate meeting within a 12-month calendar year.
3. A minimum of 15 minutes should be allowed for the Board Member to deliver information about the International Association for Food Protection in addition to their main subject(s) (see #1).
4. IAFP will pay the Board Member's expense to travel to the Affiliate meeting location.
5. The Affiliate covers local expenses, including meals, lodging, and local transportation for the Board Member.
6. The Board Member makes their own travel reservations and will submit an expense report to the IAFP office within 10 days of completion of their travel to the Affiliate meeting. Any local expense (see #5) will be billed to the Affiliate.
7. A two-month advance notice is required.
8. To invite a Board Member to speak at your Affiliate meeting, contact Susan Smith, IAFP Affiliate Liaison, at +1 515.276.3344; or email ssmith@foodprotection.org. (Please do not contact Board Members directly until approved by IAFP.)