

1st Croatian Food Safety Risk Assessment Conference

6 – 7 October 2015

Faculty of Agriculture in Osijek (Kralja Petra Svačića street 1d)

DAY 1, 6th October, Tuesday

09.00 – 10.00 Registration of participants



10.00 – 10.30 Opening words

- Andrea Gross Bošković, Director of Croatian Food Agency (HAH)
- Prof dr Vlado Guberac, Dean of Faculty of Agriculture in Osijek
- Prof dr Mirjana Hruškar, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology, University of Zagreb
- Representative of the city government/Mayor, Osijek (TBC)
- Representative of the county government/County Perfect, Osijek-Baranja County (TBC)
- Representative of FAO (TBC)
- Dr Bernhard Url, Executive Director of European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)
- Minister of Agriculture of Republic of Croatia (TBC)
- President of Republic of Croatia (TBC)

10.30 – 11.00 Coffee/Tea break + Press statements



11.00 – 13.00 **Session 1 – Marking of World Food Day 2015**

- Lectures on World Food Day theme

13.00 -14.00 Lunch



14.00 – 17.00 **Session 2 – Risk Assessment Overview: EFSA, MS countries, HR**

14.00 – 14.10 Opening and Introduction to the Conference – **Prof dr Mirjana Hruškar, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology, University of Zagreb, Croatia, Chair of the conference**

14,10 – 14,35	Risk Assessment workflow in EFSA: How it work in practise – Davide Arcella , Officer in Evidence Management Unit, Risk Assessment and Scientific Assistance Directorate, EFSA
14,35 – 15,00	International food safety: perceived versus real risks – Dr Gaby-Fleur Böhl , Head of Department Risk Communication, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR), Germany
15,00 – 15,25	Risk Ranking Methodology – Prof dr Leif Busk , Scientific Adviser at National Food Agency (NFA), Sweden, EFSA Advisory Forum member
15,25 -15,50	Better cooperation and networking for safer food in Slovenia and Croatia – dr Ada Hočevar Grom , Deputy Director of Institute of Public Health (NIJZ), Slovenia, EFSA Advisory Forum member
15,50 -16,15	The Role of Risk Assessment: Perspective of Risk Management – dr Mirjana Mataušić Pišl , Assistant Minister in Ministry of Agriculture, Croatia
16,15 – 16,40	The review of the results of risk assessment in Croatia – Andrea Gross-Bošković , Director of HAH
16,40 – 17,00	<i>Discussion and conclusions</i>
20,00	Gala dinner

DAY 2, 7th October, Wednesday

09,00 – 11,00 Session 3 – Microbiological and Chemical Risk Assessment

Chair: **Prof dr Lidija Kozačinski**, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, University of Zagreb, Croatia

09,00 – 09,20	An exposure model on <i>Campylobacter</i> concerning cross contamination in Austrian private kitchens – Monika Matt , Senior expert in Data, Statistics and Integrative Risk Assessment Department, Austrian Agency for Health and Food Safety (AGES)
09,20 – 09,40	Risk assesment: EFSA opinion on public health risk related to the consumption of raw drinking milk – Dr Michaela Hempen , Scientific Officer in Unit on Biological Hazards and Contaminants, Risk Assessment and Scientific Assistance Department, EFSA
09,40 – 10,00	Risk assessment: arsenic – Dr Max Hansen , Senior Advisor in Department of Risk Assessment and Nutrition, National Food Institute, Technical University of Denmark (DTU)

10,00 – 10,20	Risk assessment: food additives – Dr Mária Szeitzné-Szabó, Laszlo Meszaros , National Food Chain Safety Office (NEBIH), Hungary (<i>tbc</i>)
10,20 -10,40	Risk assessment: raw milk from vending machines in Croatia – Dr Brigita Hengl , Senior Expert Adviser in Department for Risk Assessment, HAH
10,40 – 11,00	<i>Discussion and conclusions</i>
11,00 – 11,30	Coffee/Tea break 
11,30 – 13,00	Session 4 – Food consumption

Chair: **Prof dr Irena Colić Barić**, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology, University of Zagreb, Croatia

11,30 – 11,50	European food consumption data: achievements made so far and future challenges – Davide Arcella , Officer in Evidence Management Unit, Risk Assessment and Scientific Assistance Directorate, EFSA
11,50 – 12,10	The Irish National Food Consumption Surveys: Application and Uses – Dr Breige McNulty , Research fellow at UCD Institute of Food and Health, Ireland
12,10 – 12,30	A review of survey on food consumption in Croatia, and its application – Dr Darja Sokolić , Head of Department for Data Management and Nutrition, HAH
12,30 – 13,00	<i>Discussion and conclusions</i>
13,00 – 14,30	Session 5 – Risk Communication

Chair: **Sara Mikrut Vunjak**, Senior Expert Adviser for Communication and PR, Head Office, HAH

13,00 – 13,20	EFSA: How we Communicate about risk – Shira Tabachnikoff , International Cooperation Adviser in Communications & External Relations Department, EFSA
13,20 – 13,40	EFSA Focal Point: role & activities – Dr Sanja Miloš , Senior Adviser in Department for Risk Assessment, HAH
13,40 – 14,00	Risk communication: Challenges and new formats – Dr Suzan Fiack , Head of the Unit Press and Public Relations, Department Risk Communication, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR), Germany
14,00 -14,20	Risk communication – Consumers: United in differences – Sara Mikrut Vunjak , Senior Expert Adviser for Communication and PR, Head Office, HAH

14,20 – 14,30 *Discussion and conclusions*

14,30 -15,00 **Conclusions and closure of the conference – Prof dr Mirjana Hruškar, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology, University of Zagreb, Croatia, Chair of the conference**

15,00 **Lunch**

