



Agenda

November 30, 2023

Setting the Stage: The Food Forum's Influence and Impact

9:00 AM

Opening Remarks

Monica N. Feit, Ph.D., M.P.H., Executive Director, Health and Medicine Division, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine

Marcia McNutt, Ph.D., President, National Academy of Sciences

Eric A. Decker, Ph.D., M.S., Food Forum Chair, Professor, Head of the Department of Food Science, University of Massachusetts Amherst

9:20 AM

History of the Food Forum and its Impact Over the Past 30 Years

Eric A. Decker, Ph.D., M.S., Food Forum Chair since 2022

Sylvia Rowe, M.A.T., President, SR Strategy, Food Forum Chair 2015–2021

Francis (Frank) F. Busta, Ph.D., M.S., Director Emeritus, National Center for Food Protection and Defense (now Food Protection & Defense Institute), Professor Emeritus, University of Minnesota, Food Forum Chair 2011-2014

Michael P. Doyle, Ph.D., M.S., Retired Regents Professor, Director, Center for Food Safety, University of Georgia, Food Forum Chair 2003–2011

Fergus (Ferg) M. Clydesdale, Ph.D., M.A., Distinguished University Professor, Department of Food Science, University of Massachusetts Amherst, Food Forum Chair 1996–2002

9:40 AM

Break

30 Years of the Food Forum: Reflecting on Progress, Envisioning the Road Ahead

10:00 AM

Key Area: Food Safety

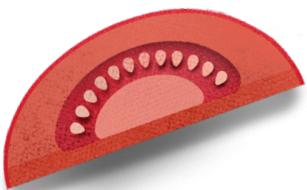
Moderator: Sam R. Nugen, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Food Science, Cornell University

Susan T. Mayne, Ph.D., Former Director, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, U.S. Food and Drug Administration

Stefanie N. Evans, Ph.D., Vice President, Food Safety, Quality, and Regulatory Affairs, Conagra Brands, Inc.

Haley Oliver, Ph.D., 150th Anniversary Professor, Assistant Dean for Online Programs, College of Agriculture, Director, United States Agency for International Development (USAID) Feed the Future Food Safety Innovation Lab, Purdue University

30-minute Panel Discussion



11:00 AM

Key Area: Food Systems & Sustainability

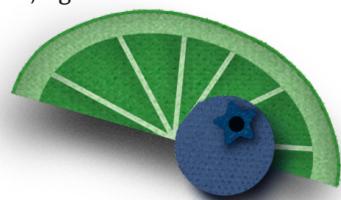
Moderator: Christina Khoo, Ph.D., Director, Emerging Science, Nutrition, and Regulatory Affairs, Ocean Spray Cranberries, Inc.

Jessica Fanzo, Ph.D., M.S., Professor, Director, Food for Humanity Initiative, Climate School, Columbia University

Stephanie K. Goodwin, Ph.D., M.P.H., R.D., Director, Nutrition Policy, Danone North America

Christian Peters, Ph.D., M.S., Research Leader, Food Systems Research Unit, Agricultural Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture

30-minute Panel Discussion



12:00 PM

Lunch

1:15 PM

Key Area: Nutrition & Health



Moderator: Steven H. Zeisel, M.D., Ph.D., Professor Emeritus, Department of Nutrition, Gillings School of Global Public Health and School of Medicine, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Josh Anthony, Ph.D., M.B.A., M.S., Founder and CEO, Nlumn

Naomi K. Fukagawa, M.D., Ph.D., Director, Beltsville Human Nutrition Research Center, Agricultural Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Professor of Medicine Emerita, University of Vermont

Angela Odoms-Young, Ph.D., M.S., The Nancy Schlegel Meinig Associate Professor of Maternal and Child Nutrition, Director, Food and Nutrition Education in Communities Program and New York State Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program, Cornell University

30-minute Panel Discussion



2:15 PM

Break

2:30 PM

A Visionary Perspective on the Future of Food

Guy Poppy, D.Phil, CB, FMedSci, Executive Chair, Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council, Executive Sponsor of Food Research and Innovation, UK Research and Innovation

3:00 PM

Fireside Chat: Food for Thought on the Next 30 Years

Moderator: Rodolphe Barrangou, Ph.D., M.B.A., M.S., Todd R. Klaenhammer Distinguished Professor in Probiotics Research, Department of Food Bioprocessing and Nutrition Sciences, North Carolina State University

Panelists:

Lauren Abda, M.S., Founder and CEO, Branchfood, Co-founder, Branch Venture Group

Ajay P. Malshe, Ph.D., R. Eugene and Susie E. Goodson Distinguished Professor of Mechanical Engineering, and Agricultural and Biological Engineering, Purdue University

Susan T. Mayne, Ph.D., Former Director, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, U.S. Food and Drug Administration

Xavier Morales, Ph.D., M.R.P., Executive Director, The Praxis Project

Guy Poppy, D.Phil, CB, FMedSci, Executive Chair, Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council, Executive Sponsor of Food Research and Innovation, UK Research and Innovation

4:00 PM

End



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