

Quantifying Food Risk -Executive Education

March 23-24, 2016:	QFR Executive Education – <i>Invitation Only</i>
June 8-9, 2016:	QFR Executive Education – <i>Invitation Only (Tentative)</i>
September 21-22, 2016:	QFR Executive Education – <i>Invitation Only</i>

Executive Education Program Overview:

The Food Fraud Initiative (FFI) within the Master of Science in Food Safety Program and the College of Veterinary Medicine at Michigan State University is proud to offer this Executive Education program on *Quantifying Food Risk* including Food Quality, Food Safety, Food Fraud, and Food Defense. This is led by Dr. John Spink, Director of the FFI. The content is applicable to anyone assessing food risks. The application of the concepts can support decision-making from the most basic level all the way to full enterprise risk management assessments. This course is based on the graduate course *Quantifying Food Risk* (VM 825), which is part of our Graduate Certificate in Food Fraud Prevention.

Before implementation of actions or solutions to reduce food risks, it is important to review and calibrate all food risks including: food quality, food safety, food fraud, and food defense. Participants will be led through the Graduate Course case study of implementing the Quantifying Food Risk Matrix – a method to estimate and quantify the range of food risks into one value. While there is a universal theory, the application is unique to each company and product.

This Executive Education is a structured, education-focused program that provides attendees with an insight into the emerging corporate management function of Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) and COSO accounting principles. The format is very interactive and we keep the class sizes smaller for one-on-one engagement. We incorporate many real-world applications and problem-solving exercises that will provide you with an effective framework for addressing your organization's product protection needs. In addition, there are presentations by industry and agency experts, determined by the topics covered.

MSU's Food Fraud Initiative contributes to or helps lead many of the world's strategic Food Fraud prevention activities. Recent activities have expanded to include leadership in defining the terms in laws, regulations, certification and standards. Also, there is a current focus on risk and vulnerability assessment.

Concepts Covered:

- Food Fraud
- Economically Motivated Adulteration (EMA)
- Food Quality
- Food Safety
- Food Defense
- COSO Accounting Principles
- The VACCP, TACCP, and HACCP continuum
- Legislation and Regulations – including US FSMA, EU, UK, GFSI, and ISO
- Criminology and Behavioral Sciences
- Consumer Behavior and Brand Equity
- Dietary Supplement Fraud
- Veterinary Product Fraud
- Food Fraud Prevention Policy

Enrollment Information:

Fee: The fee is \$1950 (US) for the two day session. Payment: Payment can be made by check or credit card.

Registration: To register see https://commerce.cashnet.com/msu_3794

Location: The course will be conducted on the campus of Michigan State University at the Henry Center,

Campus Map: <http://maps.msu.edu/interactive/>

Time: Day 1 will be 8:30am to 5:00pm with an optional dinner. Day 2 will be 8:30am to 3:30pm.

Lodging Recommendations:

- Candlewood Suites, MSU, PH: (800) 541-4998 (adjoining The Henry Center)
- Kellogg Center, MSU, PH: (800) 875-5090
- Marriott of East Lansing, PH: (517) 337-4440

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Affiliations:

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