



**WESTERN REGIONAL CENTER TO ENHANCE FOOD SAFETY
4th ANNUAL MEETING**

Online Format via Zoom

May 12, 2020

* Times listed are based on the Pacific Standard Time (PST).

May 12, 2020

8:30 AM Participants Test Videoconferencing Software (30 min)

9:00 AM Welcome and Meeting Objectives (20 min)- Jovana Kovacevic

9:20 AM WRCEFS Sub-Region & NGO Updates (~5 min each)

- Southwest
- Mountain
- Northwest
- Pacific

9:55 AM **First Break** (15 min)

10:10 AM Western NIFA FSOP Projects – Updates and Introductions (~5 min each)

Presentations from Community Outreach Projects

- Food Safety Outreach and Education for Local Food Systems in California- Kali Feiereisel
- Online Food Safety Training for New Mexico Food Manufacturers- Nancy Flores
- A Primer to the Produce Safety Rule for Small and Very Small Farms in Washington State- Stephanie Smith
- Customized Food Safety Education Strategy for Hard-To-Reach Audiences in the Western Pacific Islands- Jang Ho Kim
- Supporting Underserved CA Leafy-Green Producers' FSMA Compliance, through Interdisciplinary Food Safety, Communication and Marketing Training- Jeta Polloshka
- Hawaii Roots Food Safety Community Outreach Project: A Look at Food Safety Through a Cultural Lens- Sharon Kaiulani Odom
- Food Safety Education for Korean Speaking Specialty Fruit Growers in California- Luis Sierra
- Extending Food Safety, Sanitation and Quality Training to Primary Processor Employees that have Frontline Interactions with Seafood Harvesters- Christina DeWitt
- Latino Immigrant Farmers Trained in Organic Farm Food Safety (LIFT OFFS)- Antonio Acosta and Nathan Harkleroad
- Supporting FSMA Compliance for California's Regional Food Hubs through Training and Technical Assistance- Erin DiCaprio
- Food Safety Outreach to Socially Disadvantaged Farmers in Santa Clara, San Benito, and Santa Cruz Counties – Aparna Gazula

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- Achieving FSMA Compliance through USDA Harmonized GAP: Preparing the Four Corners Region's Diverse Farmers for Food Safety Certification- Valerie Smith

Presentation from Multistate Projects

- Colorado Produce Safety Collaborative: Regionally Adapted Training and Outreach- Adrian Card

11:20 AM Add-on Peer Review Process – WRCEFS/NECAFS (~35 min)

11:55 PM ***Second Break*** (20 min)

12:15 PM Reports from Partners (~5 min each)
USDA, FDA, Regional Centers (LRCC/SC, NCR, NE) & Collaboratives (LFSC, IFAI), Alliances (PSA, FSPCA)

1:30 PM Food Safety in the Time of COVID-19 Outbreak

- Session Overview
- Considerations for Health and Hygiene and Cleaning and Sanitation Practices:
 - Produce Growers/Farms (Betsy Bihn, PSA)
 - Food Processing Facilities (Joy Waite-Cusic, OSU)
 - Retail (Ben Chapman, NCSU)
 - Virtual panel: FAQs, Dispelling Myths (Betsy Bihn, PSA; Joy Waite-Cusic, OSU; Ben Chapman, NCSU; Erin DiCaprio, UC-Davis; Dave Stone, OSU; Jovana Kovacevic, OSU [moderator])

3:00 PM Updates and Opportunities for Research Related to FSMA through Office of Applied Research and Safety Assessment, CFSAN, FDA (Socrates Trujillo, FDA)

3:15 PM Concluding Remarks and Questions

3:30 PM *Adjourn*