



## **Affiliate Annual Report for Calendar Year 2017** *(Complete Attachment B to be considered for one or more 2018 Affiliate Awards.)*

To maintain compliance with IAFP Constitution and Bylaws, Affiliates must return this completed report. Please send by E-mail to Susan Smith at: [ssmith@foodprotection.org](mailto:ssmith@foodprotection.org).

Please return the following items **electronically** by **Tuesday, February 13, 2018 (late reports will not be considered for awards)**:

**REQUIRED:**

This completed form (*in English*).

Your Association's membership list (Item 2).

Your Association's list of current term officers (complete Attachment A).

**OPTIONAL:**

Attachment B: Completion required **only** if your Association requests to be considered for one or more Affiliate Awards.

IAFP will now accept all Affiliate Annual Reports electronically, including those vying for one or more of the Affiliate Awards. *Affiliates seeking to present the highest quality visual presentation are encouraged to present their Annual Report in the highest quality possible for review by the Selection Committee.*

Digital photos (with names and descriptions) to appear in the *Affiliate View* quarterly newsletter.

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## **British Columbia Food Protection Association**

### **1. Your Official Delegate to IAFP Affiliate Council and Contact**

*Enter in the fields below the information requested for your Association's official Delegate to the IAFP Affiliate Council and your official Contact for IAFP correspondence. **Delegate must be an IAFP Member.***

#### **Official Delegate to IAFP Affiliate Council**

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IAFP Member? Y  N

**Official Contact for IAFP Correspondence (indicate “same” if person also serves as Delegate)**  
 “same”

**2. Membership List**

- a. Indicate the current total number of members in your Association: 99
- b. How many NEW members joined your Association in 2017? 19
- c. Fax or E-mail your current membership list. Include name, title, complete address, phone number, fax number, and E-mail address of all active members.

**3. Meetings: Annual Meeting/Conference, Educational, Workshops, Webinars, etc.**

- a. On what date(s) was your most recent general membership or major meeting (i.e., Annual Meeting/Conference) during the past year? Please list number of attendees.  
 One-day fall workshop “Introduction to FSMA: Preventive Controls for Human Food and What You Should Know”; November 9, 2017; 42 Attendees.
- b. Please provide the date(s) and location of your next scheduled major meeting (i.e., Annual Meeting/Conference):  
 Annual General Meeting 2017; January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018; Location: Shadbolt Centre for the Arts, 6450 Deer Lake Avenue, Burnaby, BC
- c. List all other general membership meetings held in 2017 (excluding board meetings). Include title, dates and attendance numbers.

Annual General Meeting 2016	January 31, 2017; 31 Attendees
Spring Speakers’ Evening “Sanitation and Biofilm Challenges in the Food Industry - A Chemical Company’s Perspective”	May 31, 2017; 31 Attendees
Student Networking Event 2017	September 21, 2017; 35 Attendees
One-day fall workshop “Introduction to FSMA: Preventive Controls for Human Food and What You Should Know”	November 9, 2017; 42 Attendees

#### 4. Awards and Scholarships

a. List members honored with an award from your Association and/or IAFP during 2017. Include name of award and qualification for award.

Lifetime Achievement Award	Lance Hill
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b. List scholarships awarded during 2017; include recipient and qualification for scholarship.

BCFPA Student Scholarship 2016/ First Place C\$1500	Justin Falardeau, for his essay titled "Metagenomics and the Future of Food Safety"
BCFPA Student Scholarship 2016/ Second Place C\$1000	Luyao Ma, for her essay titled "Food fraud: current situation and advanced detection technologies"

#### 5. Web Communication

*Please be sure to keep the IAFP office on your mailing list for newsletters, E-mail, and other communications to your general membership.*

Please provide your existing Affiliate's Web site address AND date last updated:

**www.bcfoodprotection.ca ; Last Updated – December 23, 2017**

Did you launch a new Affiliate Web site in 2017? Y  N

## Attachment A (completion required)

### Association Officers List

Provide the contact information requested below for all current officers of your Association. **Please indicate if each officer is an IAFP Member (reminder: Your President and Delegate are required to be IAFP Members).** The information you provide here is published on our Web site and in select membership materials. The information may be typed in the fields below or may be sent to our office by E-mail, fax or regular mail.

Indicate the term dates (e.g., 2017–2018) for your current Executive Board:  
2017 - 2018

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*Before continuing, please check one of the boxes below:*

**CHECK HERE and return electronically by 2/13/18 IF YOUR AFFILIATE REQUESTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ONE OR MORE 2018 AFFILIATE AWARDS. (You are required to complete Attachment B.)**

**CHECK HERE IF YOUR AFFILIATE DOES NOT WANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A 2018 AWARD. (You are done! It is not necessary to complete Attachment B.)**

## Attachment B (optional)

### Affiliate Award Considerations

*To be considered for one or more of the five Affiliate Awards to be presented at IAFP 2018, Affiliates are **required** to check the box next to the award(s) for which you wish to be considered and provide the related criteria (in English). (REMINDER: Please confirm IAFP Membership of your Affiliate President and Delegate **before** completing Attachment B to avoid award disqualification.)*

#### Affiliate Membership Achievement Award

How did your Affiliate grow **AND** retain members during the past year? Please provide details on:

- how new members were recruited throughout the year;
- the number of new members joining the Affiliate;
- the percent increase in membership from 2016 to 2017;
- specific efforts on how you retained existing members; and
- other methods related to helping grow and maintain your membership.

You may cut and paste copy in the space below or use a separate page if necessary; please limit your explanation to 500 words or less in 12 point type.

**Affiliate Communication Award**

How did your Affiliate communicate information to your Members during the past year? Please provide a description of the types of communication sent to your general membership and include samples with your Annual Report. Samples can be printed copies/screen shots of blast E-mails, Web site (include frequency of updating), electronic/print newsletters, brochures, etc., along with respective dates sent. If available, provide how effective specific communication was toward meeting your goals. You may cut and paste copy in the space below or use a separate page if necessary; please limit your explanation to 500 words or less in 12 point type.

**Affiliate Education Award**

What types of food safety education did your Affiliate provide to its members during the past year? Please provide the following details on all technical meetings, educational conferences, webinars, workshops, classes, and other methods pertinent to the interests of the membership:

- Background;
- Objectives;
- Agenda;
- Target audience;
- Dates held; and
- Numbers of attendees.

You may cut and paste copy in the space below or use a separate page if necessary; please limit your explanation to 500 words or less in 12 point type. *(Do not submit copies of speaker Power Point slide presentations.)*



**Best Overall Affiliate Meeting Award**

Did your Affiliate hold an outstanding self-sustainable (*not sponsored/co-sponsored by IAFP*) food protection meeting which you consider 'over and above' those normally held? If so, provide the following details, if applicable, on what led to a highly successful meeting:

**Event:** Introduction to FSMA: Preventive Controls for Human Food and What You Should Know (*sold-out event*)

**Location:** Langara Clubhouse, 6706 Alberta Street, Vancouver, British Columbia

**Event Date:** November 9, 2017

**Funding:** Growing Forward 2, a federal-provincial-territorial initiative – BC Traceability Speaker Funding Program

**Attendance:** 42 (23/42; 55% attendees were affiliate members)

The main representation was from the food manufacturing sector, followed by farming (blueberry). Other areas of representation included academia, food safety consulting, occupational and environmental health, food packaging, and government/regulatory.

**Speakers:**

- *Jovana Kovacevic*, PhD. Assistant Professor of Food Safety, Extension and Research, Oregon State University. Long standing member of BCFPA and IAFP.
- *Claudia Coles*. Policy and External Affairs Advisor for the Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA).
- *Justin Falardeau*, MSc. PhD student in the Wang Lab of Molecular Food Safety at The University of British Columbia. 2017 BCFPA Vice President.

**Workshop Description**

U.S. Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) was signed into law by President Obama in 2011. The core principle of the law is to focus on prevention of food safety contamination throughout the food chain, in order to protect the American public from foodborne illness. To implement FSMA, seven foundational rules have followed the law, addressing different aspects of food supply. Different requirements and implementation dates apply to facilities based on their sizes, types of value-added activities performed, and other factors.

This introductory workshop provided a foundation of food safety standards under FSMA, changes that FSMA brought to U.S. food industry, and how FSMA impacts both domestic and foreign processors, growers, and suppliers.

Individuals who participated in this workshop gained a basic understanding of:

- FSMA rules affecting processors and produce growers in U.S. and those exporting to U.S.
- Compliance dates and requirements under different rules
- FSMA agricultural water requirements and how B.C. waters compare to those

### Attendees' participation

- Long table set-up to enhance open discussions.
- The bulk of the talk on the Produce Safety Rule was discussing the conditions for various exemptions from the rule, as well as the rigorous record keeping. There was plenty of discussion throughout this section as many of the attendees represented blueberry growers who are preparing themselves for the future regulations for export of their product the United States.
- Throughout the workshop, many people had unique experiences which were discussed, allowing the audience to see things from a variety of different angles. There were also quite a few "outside-the-box" questions which resulted in some neat dialogue.

### Materials received by attendees

- Training booklet
- USB with all the learning materials added
- A certificate of course attendance

### Post-event survey

The event was well received and much was learned by the attendees. There were also many positive comments on the addition of a USB with all the learning materials added at the end of the workshop.

### Agenda

From	To	Topic	Speaker
8:30 AM	9:00 AM	Registration	
9:00 AM	10:15 AM	Overview of FSMA	Jovana Kovacevic
10:15 AM	10:30 AM	<i>Nutrition Break</i>	
10:30 AM	11:30 AM	Brief introduction to Produce Safety Rule	Jovana Kovacevic
11:30 AM	12:00 PM	Agricultural Water in British Columbia: What do we test for and what do we know about the quality?	Justin Falardeau
12:00 PM	1:00 PM	<i>Lunch</i>	
1:00 PM	1:30 PM	Introduction to Preventive Controls for Human Food Rule	Claudia Coles
1:30 PM	2:45 PM	The Future of Food Safety and FSMA	Claudia Coles
2:45 PM	3:00 PM	<i>Nutrition Break</i>	
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	What you should know about the Foreign Supplier Verification Program Rule	Claudia Coles
4:30 PM		<i>Networking</i>	