



Affiliate Annual Report for Calendar Year 2025

(Complete Attachment B to be considered for one or more 2026 Affiliate Awards.)

To maintain compliance with IAFP Constitution and Bylaws, Affiliates must return this completed report. Please send by email to Susan Smith at: ssmith@foodprotection.org.

Please return the following items **electronically** by **Tuesday, March 3, 2026** (late reports will not be considered for awards):

REQUIRED:

This completed form (*in English*).

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 accepts **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. To avoid errors and omissions, please limit your submission to ONE email with all attachments.*

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

Australia Association for Food Protection

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.**

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IAFP Member? Y ☒ N ☐

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Same

2. Membership List

- a. Indicate the current total number of members in your Association: 38
- b. How many NEW members joined your Association in 2025? -5

Note: This year we have counted the number of members of the Australian Affiliate as the number of current IAFP members that are based in Australia (currently 38). We don't have a formal membership process for the Australian Affiliate (or collect membership fees).

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.
 - AAFP 18th Annual Business Meeting was held on 9th December 2025 via Zoom
 - 12 attendees
- b. Please provide the date(s) and location of your next scheduled major meeting (i.e., Annual Meeting/Conference):
 - 2026 AIFST/AAFP/ASM Australian Food Microbiology conference – May 6-7th, Sydney, Australia.
 - We are excited to have the IAFP Vice-President (Pam Wilger) in attendance in-person at this conference as the keynote speaker. A sincere thanks goes to the IAFP Executive Speaker Program for supporting Pam's travel to Australia.
 - We are aiming for >150 attendees at this event.
 - Next Annual 19th AAFP/bioMerieux Food Safety Symposium will be on July 27th 2026, again within the program of the AIFST Convention, Melbourne, Australia.
- c. List all other general membership meetings held in 2025 (excluding board meetings). Include title, dates and attendance numbers.

AAFP Executive Committee Meeting	25 th July, 2025, online • 7 attendees
18 th AAFP/bioMerieux Food Safety Symposium within the program of the 2025 AIFST Convention	12 th August, Melbourne • ~100 attendees • Workshop on risk assessment
AIFST/AAFP/ASM Australian Food Microbiology conference 2025	5-6 th March, Sydney • We were privileged to have the IAFP Vice-President (Dr Manan Sharma) in attendance virtually at this conference as the keynote speaker. • 120 attendees.

4. Awards and Scholarships

a. List members honored with an award from your Association and/or IAFP during 2025. Include name of award and qualification for award.

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b. List scholarships awarded during 2025; include recipient and qualification for scholarship.

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5. Web Communication

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

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

<https://www.aifst.asn.au/AAFP>

January 2026

Did you launch a new Affiliate Web site in 2025? 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 website and in select membership materials. The information may be typed in the fields below or may be sent to our office by email, fax or regular mail.*

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