2023 AOAC Southeast Asia (SEA) Section 2nd Annual Conference Agenda

Date	Time	Content	Speaker			
	7:30-8:30	Registration (Level 3 Corridor)				
	Conference Venue (Level 3 Ball Room), Poster Session (Outside Ball Room)					
	8:30-10:00	Welcome Speech by AOAC SEA	Dr. Xinping Hou, President of AOAC SEA			
		Welcome Speech by IDQC-HCMC	Dr. Tran Viet Hung, Director General of IDQC-HCMC			
		Opening Speech	VIP from ministry (tbc)			
		Keynote Speech The Tendency of Referencing to AOAC Methods in TCVNs, QCVNs and Harmonizing TCVNs in the Food Chain According to the AOAC Methods	Dr. Trieu Viet Phuong, Deputy Director of Vietnam Standards and Quality Institute (VSQI), Vietnam			
		Analytical technique presentation 1 (9.40-10.00 am)	Sponsor talk (Merck)			
	10:00-10:30	Coffee Break (Outside Ball Room)				
	10:30-12:20 Scientific Session 1	Applying the AOAC Method to Food Testing at Accredited Laboratories in Vietnam	Ms. Hoang Thanh Duong, Head of Testing Accreditation Division, Bureau of Accreditation (BoA), Vietnam			
		Challenges with Total Sugar Analysis	Dr. Erik Konings, Expert, Nestlé Institute of Food Safety and Analytical Sciences, Switzerland			
		AOAC and ISO Harmonization in Method Validation	Ms. DeAnn Benesh, Past-President of AOAC INTERNATIONAL; Board Director of MicroVal; Global Scientific Affairs Manager, Neogen, USA			
		Panel Discussion: Method Standardization - Key to Reduce Technical Barrier in Cross-border Trade	Moderator: tbc			
1 Aug	12:15-13:45	Lunch (Ball Room)				
2023	13:45-15:35 Scientific Session 2	Heavy Metal Testing and Regulation in Vietnam	Ms Phan Bich Ha, Vice Director of the Southern Regional Testing Center for Food Safety, Institute of Public Health, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam			
		Analysis Detection, Identify and Quantitative Analysis of a Number of Banned Substances in Dietary Products	Mr. Phan Nguyen Truong Thang, Institute of Drug Quality Control, Ho Chi Minh City (IDQC-HCMC), Vietnam			
		Nitrosamines – Analytical Methods and Risk Assessment in Vietnamese Food	Ms. Nguyen Thi Hong Ngoc, Laboratory Manager, National Institute for Food Control (NIFC), Vietnam			
		Analytical technique presentation 2 (3.05-3.20 pm)	Sponsor talk (Agilent)			
		Analytical technique presentation 3 $(3.20 - 3.35 \text{ pm})$	Sponsor talk (Romer)			
	15:35-16:05	Coffee Break (Outside Ball Room)				
	16:05-17:50 Scientific Session 3	Overview of MicroVal Method Validation Organization	Ms. DeAnn Benesh, Past-President of AOAC INTERNATIONAL; Board Director of MicroVal; Global Scientific Affairs Manager, Neogen, USA			
		Tolerance Limits for Nutrient Declaration and Claims	Dr. E Siong Tee TES Nutrihealth Strategic Consultancy, Malaysia			
		Sequencing the Future of Probiotics: Next Generation Testing for Safety and Quality	Professor Chai Lay Ching Pro Vice Chancellor (Education) Sunway University, Malaysia			
		Analytical technique presentation 4 $(5:20 - 5.35 \text{ pm})$	Sponsor talk (Eurofins)			
		Analytical technique presentation 5 (5.35 – 5.50 pm)	Sponsor talk (Bruker)			
	19:00-21:00	Gala Dinner (Huong Sen Hotel)				

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	7:30-8:30	Registration (Level 3 Corridor)			
	Conference Venue (Level 3 Ball Room), Poster Session (Outside Ball Room)				
	8:30-9:00	Keynote Speech (virtual) AOAC Food Safety Initiatives: Current and Future Standard Development Activities at AOAC	Dr. Katerina (Kate) Mastovska, Deputy Executive Director and Chief Science Officer of AOAC INTERNATIONAL		
	9:00-10:05 Scientific session 4	PFAS: Development in Global Regulations, Analytical Challenges and AOAC Activities (virtual)	Dr. Susan Genualdi, Research Chemist, Food and Drug Administration, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, Office of Regulatory Science, USA		
		Updates From the AOAC Heavy Metals Working Group (virtual)	Dr. Kevin Kubachka, Analytical Chemist, Food and Drug Administration, Forensic Chemistry Center, USA		
		Analytical technique presentation 6 (9.50-10.05 am)	Sponsor talk (Shimadzu)		
	10:05-10:35	Coffee Break (Outside Ball Room)			
	10:35-10:45	Student Awards Ceremony			
	10:45-12:30 Scientific session 5	Risk Assessment and Development of Ethylene Oxide Risk Mitigation Guidelines for Food	Dr. Didik Joko Pursito, Indonesian Food and Drug Authority (FDA)		
		Pesticides Residues in Food and Food Products: Analysis and Codex Standards for Maximum Recovery Limits	Ms. Edna Callejas-Mijares, RCh, MSc., CEO of Jefcor Laboratories, Inc., Philippines		
		Current Approaches of Multi-pesticide Residue Analysis in Food for Regulatory Compliance	Dr. Kaushik Banerjee, Director of ICAR NRC Grapes, India		
		Panel Discussion: Needs of Pesticide Analysis in the Southeast Asia Region	Moderator: Dr. Erik Konings		
	12:30-14:00	Lunch (Level 1 Restaurant)			
2 Aug 2023	14:00-15:30 Technical workshop 1	AOAC Official Methods and Method Validation (Level 3 Ball Room 2)			
		 AOAC Standard Method Development Process and SMPR[®] 	Mr. Darryl Sullivan, Chair of AOAC SPIFAN and Past-President of AOAC INTERNATIONAL; Chief Scientific Officer, Eurofins Scientific, USA		
		 Measurement Uncertainty in Chemical Analysis 	Dr. Erik Konings, Past-President of AOAC INTERNATIONAL; Expert, Nestlé Institute of Food Safety and Analytical Sciences, Switzerland		
		 Test Method Validation 	Mr. Darryl Sullivan, Chair of AOAC SPIFAN and Past-President of AOAC INTERNATIONAL; Chief Scientific Officer, Eurofins Scientific, USA		
	15:30-16:00	Coffee Break (Outside Ball Room)			
	16:00-17:30 Technical workshop 2	Assuring Microbiological Quality of Food (Level 3 Ball Room 2)			
		• AOAC Microbiology Method Validation	Mr. Andrew Lienau, Food Regulatory and Validation Senior Expert, MilliporeSigma, USA		
		• Environmental Monitoring of Pathogens	Ms. Kumud Ashish Singh, Senior Regulatory Expert – Food (South Asia), Merck Life Science Pvt Ltd, India		
		• Proficiency Testing (tbc)	Ms. Ho Tran Ngoc Quyen, Head of Proficiency Testing Department of QUATEST 3 - AFRL for food Microbiology (tbc)		
	17:30-17:45	Closing session (Level 3 Ball Room 2)			

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	12:40-14:00	Lunch (Level 1 Restaurant)	
	14:00-15:30 Breakout Session I	Breakout Session I (Level 3 VIP Room 1)	
		• Merck (2-2.20 pm)	
		• SCIEX (2.20-2.40 pm)	
		○ <i>Fujifilm</i> (2.45 – 3.05 pm)	
		• Waters (3.05 – 3.25 pm)	
	15:30-16:00	Coffee Break	
2 Aug 2023	16:00-17:30 Breakout Session II	Breakout Session II (Level 3 VIP Room 1)	
2023		• Abbott (4-4.20 pm)	 Determination of multiple human oligosaccharides (HMOs) in milk formula by HPAEC-PAD (AOAC First Action Method 2022.04) Determination of multiple HMOs in Vietnamese human milk by LC-MS/MS
		• Nestle (4.20-4.40 pm)	