
Announcement

The Fifth Joint CSL/JIFSAN International Symposium on Food Safety and Nutrition 'Analytical Innovations in Food Safety'

**30th June – July 2nd 2004, Central Science Laboratory, Sand Hutton
York (UK)**

The fifth in an on-going series of Joint Symposia organized by the UK Central Science Laboratory (CSL) and the United States Joint Institute for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (JIFSAN) will cover 'Analytical Innovations in Food Safety' and will be held at the CSL, Sand Hutton, York (UK).

The aim of the meeting will be to look at innovations in diagnostics and analytical chemistry being applied in the USA and in Europe in the area of food safety.

Scope

Customers for analytical food safety work are demanding increased numbers of samples to be analysed, faster turnaround and multi-analyte determinations at equivalent or reduced costs. The ability to meet these demands requires reduction in sample handling, innovations in instrumentation and where possible introduction of automation. Additionally innovative new approaches are being introduced either for screening or combined with more traditional analytical methods to give rapid results on the possible presence of contaminants in foods. This Symposium will assess these novel analytical developments in food safety covering areas of application such as marine biotoxins, drug residues, pesticides, environmental contaminants, food allergens, packaging and food processing contaminants. Additionally detection of unknowns by NMR profiling, authenticity and traceability will be discussed with respect to novel analytical approaches.

The invited lectures will be complemented by poster presentations and an exhibition from instrument manufacturers and diagnostics companies.

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