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Methods and Systems for Tracking, Tracing and Verifying Foods

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A Cooperative Venture of University of Maryland
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Mission

to advance sound strategies that improve public health, food safety, applied nutrition and animal health using risk analysis principles through cooperative research, education and outreach programs
A Shared Vision

Bring together resources and ideas for development of sound public health policy

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JIFSAN Programs

Research
- Research Grants
- CRCR
- Internship Postdoc

Education
- Certificate
- International Training

Outreach
- FoodRisk.org
- Workshops Symposia
- WTO-SPS
- GAPs
- GAqPs
- CSPF
- Afghan

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Food Safety Risk Analysis Courses

• Core Courses
  ▪ Overview of risk analysis
  ▪ Risk management
  ▪ Risk communication
  ▪ Risk assessment

• Intermediate Courses
  ▪ Quantitative risk assessment methods: probabilistic methods
  ▪ Quantitative risk assessment methods: model building
Food Safety Risk Analysis Programs

- Summer Integrated Program
  - 15 days in Washington DC in June/July

- Customized In-Country Training
  - Thailand, Mexico, Nicaragua

- Distance Learning (Online) Courses
  - 300 professionals from 27 countries participated

- FoodRisk.org
  - Online resource specialized in food safety risk analysis
  - Supports risk assessment model building and data analysis
International Food Safety Trainings

- Good Agricultural Practices (GAPs)
- World Trade Organization Sanitary/Phytosanitary (WTO SPS) Leadership Development
- Good Aquacultural Practices (GAqPs)
- Commercially Sterile Packaged Foods (CSPF)