

# The Conference Programme

## Registration Opens

**08.45** Coffee, Breakfast & Informal Networking

## GIC Welcome & Chair's Opening Remarks

**09.15**

Gideon Ashworth  
Head of Food Defence  
**Bart Ingredients**



## Supplier Assurance

**09.40** Too Good To Be True? Practical Steps To Engender Trust In Your Supply Chain To Maintain Transparency, Product Integrity & Diligent Working Practices

Antonio Nespoli  
Global Quality & Food Safety Governance &  
Thermal Process Authority Director  
**Barilla**



## Raw Materials, Ingredients Integrity & Adulteration

**10.20** Determine Exactly What You're Buying: Assessing Where Risk Lies To Accurately Test Raw Materials & Ingredient Integrity & Authenticity

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Head of Food Defence  
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## Break

**11.00** Morning Refreshment Break With Informal Networking

## Horizon Scanning

**11.30** Preparing For The Latest Threats, Emerging Issues & Business-Critical Vulnerabilities On The Horizon & What Proactive Steps Should We Be Taking Now?

Ron McNaughton  
Head of The Scottish Food Crime & Incidents Unit  
**Food Standards Scotland**



## Authenticity Testing

**12.10** Targeted Authenticity Testing Approaches Which Ensure Product Safety & Quality

Zoe Shuttlewood  
EMEA Food Safety and Quality Systems Lead  
**McCormick & Company**



## Lunch

**12.50** Lunch & Informal Networking For Speakers, Partners & Delegates

## Chair's Afternoon Remarks

**13.40**

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## Food Defence

**13.45** As BRC Version 8 Puts Food Defence Firmly On The Radar, How Can Organisations Prevent Deliberate Sabotage From Production To Purchase To Effectively Safeguard Consumers?

Corinne Begueria  
Group Quality Director  
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## Authentication Case Study

**14.20** Exploring The Impact & Management Of Adulteration Risk In Different Types Of Dairy Products

Virginie Rivas  
Global Regulation and Food Safety Director  
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## Break

**14.55** Afternoon Refreshment Break With Informal Networking

## Regulation

**15.25** Keeping Up-To-Date With Evolving HACCP, TACCP & VACCP, BRC V8 & Retailer's Changing Standards To Remain Compliant In Food Fraud & Defence

Robert Philips  
Audit & Investigation Manager  
**Food Safety Authority of Ireland**



## Consumer Perceptions Around Fraud

**16.00** Consumers Still Haven't Forgotten About Horsegate – Neither Have We! How To Plan Proactively, Manage Recalls With Minimal PR Fuss & Protect The Business?

Atanasios Moschos  
Director of Quality  
**Confiserie Leonidas S.A.**



## Chair's Closing Remarks

**16.35**