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International Symposium

Food Allergens : regulation, management and detection

2nd edition

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Registration (before 10th of October) : www.cergroupe.be

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Morning session - Chairman : Nathalie Gillard, CER Groupe

First Part - Consumers & Patients

- 9:00 – 9:30 **Registration and coffee**
- 9:30 – 9:40 **Welcome and introduction**
Nathalie GILLARD, CER Groupe (BE)
- 9:40 – 10:00 **EU legislation and enforcement**
Speaker to be confirmed
- 10:00 - 10:40 **Keynote 1 : Patients' viewpoint**
The patient's experience: better labeling to empower patients with food allergy
Roberta Savli, EFA (BE)
- 10:40 - 11:00 **Consumer's point of view and recent survey on non-prepacked food**
Katrien Renders, Test Aankoop (BE)
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Coffee break**

Second Part - Enforcement

- 11:30 – 12:10 **Keynote 2: Enforcement**
Food Allergen Declaration in Ireland – Some Challenges
Patrick O'Mahony, Food Safety Authority of Ireland (IR)
- 12:10 – 12:30 **The scientifically based FASFC strategy for the implementation of food legislation in the control of food allergens**
Leen Rasschaert, FAVV-DG control (BE)
- 12:30 – 12:45 **Industrial's point of view : Testimonies**
J. Michiels / M. Van Cauwenberghe, Puratos (BE)
- 12:45 – 13:00 **Industrial's point of view : Testimonies**
Speaker to be confirmed
- 13:00 – 14:00 **Lunch break**

Afternoon session - Chairman : Marc De Loose, ILVO

Third Part – Analytical detection methods

- 14:00 – 14:40 **Keynote 3: Analytical methods**
Advances in analytical methods applied to food allergen detection
Linda Monaci, CNR-ISPA (IT)
ThrAll-EFSA project: detection and quantification of allergens in food and minimum eliciting doses in food allergic individuals
Clare Mills, University of Manchester (UK)
- 14:40 – 15:00 **Food allergen analysis: CEN perspectives**
Philippe Delahaut, CER Groupe (BE)
- 15:00 – 15:20 **Need for harmonization**
Speaker to be confirmed
- 15:20 – 15:40 **Quantification of allergens in processed food products: selection of peptide biomarkers by high resolution mass spectrometry**
Kaatje Van Vlierberghe, ILVO (BE) and Maxime Gavage, CER Groupe (BE)
- 15:40 – 15:55 **Applications of droplet digital PCR (ddPCR) for food allergen detection**
Isabel Taverniers, ILVO (BE)
- 15:55 – 16:10 **Flow Cytometry Immunoassay for the detection of Allergens in food matrices**
Anne-Catherine Huet, CER Groupe (BE)
- 16:10 – 16:30 **Conclusions of the meeting and perspectives**
Marc de Loose, ILVO (BE)
- 16:30 **Farewell drink and closure**

