45TH ANNUAL NATIONAL FOOD POLICY CONFERENCE

EXAMINING KEY FOOD POLICY ISSUES AFFECTING CONSUMERS, THE FOOD INDUSTRY, AND GOVERNMENT

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  DR. SUSAN T. MAYNE, DIRECTOR, CENTER FOR FOOD SAFETY AND APPLIED NUTRITION
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  MICHAEL F. JACOBSON, PHD
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  SARA BLEICH, PHD, DIRECTOR OF NUTRITION SECURITY AND HEALTH EQUITY, USDA FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE

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CONSUMER TRENDS IN THE FACE OF FOOD INFLATION

The food system is experiencing significant disruptions, from shortages in basic commodities to soaring transportation and labor costs. How are consumers responding to higher prices and other shifts in the food retail landscape, and how are companies positioning themselves to capitalize on these changes? How should policymakers concerned about nutrition security, sustainability, and rising rates of diet-related disease respond?
ULTRA-PROCESSED FOODS: SCOUNDREL OR SCAPEGOAT?

Studies suggest that diets high in “ultra-processed foods” may cause obesity and other health problems, and federal officials recently announced that the 2025 Dietary Guidelines for Americans will specifically consider research on the role of ultra-processed foods in diet-related disease. What exactly are ultra-processed foods, and what does the latest science say about their impact on public health? How is this research influencing consumers? How should public policymakers respond?

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REGIONALIZING THE FOOD SYSTEM

Should the food system be less efficient, and more redundant? Advocates claim a more distributed and local food system could help to avoid future supply chain disruptions, foster competition in the food industry, and build prosperity in rural communities. Will more small meatpacking plants, regional “food hubs,” farm-to-school programs, and other “regionalist” strategies make the U.S. food system more resilient and environmentally sustainable? Can local and regional food systems survive, and thrive, in a global economy?

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FOOD AND RACISM: THE FIGHT FOR FOOD JUSTICE

Both the production and consumption of food in the United States are characterized by troubling racial disparities. Historically discriminatory practices at USDA have operated to dispossess Black farmers of their land, and labor laws exempt large numbers of predominantly Latino farmworkers from receiving overtime pay and many other benefits. Black and Latino youth are more likely to be targeted by junk food marketing, and Black and Latino households are more than twice as likely to experience food insecurity. How are policymakers addressing systemic racism in the food system? What does it mean to support a racially just food system? How should considerations of race inform food policy?

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NEW FRONTIERS OF FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Tens of millions of Americans depend on federal nutrition assistance programs, many of them children. For over a decade, pilot programs have experimented with giving recipients incentives to purchase more fruits and vegetables, and research indicates that these incentives succeed in increasing fruit and vegetable consumption. Yet healthy incentives remain fledgling. As programs like the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) continue to evolve, what role will healthy incentive programs take? What are the potential benefits, and limitations, of using healthy incentive programs to address the obesity epidemic?

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Maureen McNamara Best is the Executive Director with Local Environmental Agriculture Project (LEAP), a 501c3 non-profit based in Rock wall, TX. LEAP nurtures the food community to create an equitable food and farming system which prioritizes health and abundance by supporting community initiatives, markets, farms, and farmers. LEAP works closely with community and government partners. Maureen has over fifteen years of experience working with food, agriculture, and community. Her experience includes teaching high school agriculture, working with migrant farmworkers, food safety inspections, and studying nutrition education. Maureen has an MA in Anthropology from CO State University and undergraduate degrees in Agriculture Education, Spanish, and Anthropology from NC State University. Maureen is currently pursuing a master’s in public health at Johns Hopkins University as a Bloomberg Fellow.

Jonathan Bethony is the head baker and co-owner of SEYLOU Bakery and Mill, a “farm to loaf” bakery in downtown DC specializing in 100% wholegrain bread and pastries made from fresh, locally sourced flour, milled in-house. His baking background hails from the West Coast, having originally trained at the San Francisco Baking Institute as well as the WSU Bread Lab. His commitment to the practices of regenerative agriculture forms the foundation of SEYLOU’s model and manifests through imaginative offerings, often made from flour milled from SEYLOU’s own heritage wheat. The SEYLOU project development seeks to address the issues of food security and access by supporting robust, regional food systems built upon the core principles of nutritional integrity, respect for the land and intentional collaboration throughout the entire value chain.

Jeanne Blankenship is the Vice President, Policy Initiatives and Advocacy at the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. She is an experienced executive and visionary head of government affairs with a demonstrated history of working in the non-profit organization management industry. Skilled in healthcare, agriculture and nutrition, health policy, PAC strategy and grassroots advocacy. Strategically minded and outcome driven professional with a MS focused in Nutrition Sciences from Oklahoma State University.

Sara Bleich, PhD is the Director of Nutrition Security and Health Equity in the Food and Nutrition Service at the USDA, after serving as the Senior Advisor for COVID-19 in the Office of the Secretary at USDA. She is a policy expert and researcher specializing in diet-related diseases, food insecurity and racial inequality with more than 18 peer-reviewed publications. Prior to joining SHPE, she was a Senior Fellow at the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study. She was also a White House Fellow during the Obama administration, where she worked at USDA as a Senior Policy Adviser for Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services and with the First Lady Michelle Obama’s Let’s Move! Initiative. She holds degrees from Columbia (BA, Psychology) and Harvard (PhD, Health Policy).

John Boyd, Jr. is Founder and President of the National Black Farmers Association. A fourth-generation farmer from Baskerville, Virginia, he grows crops, rears cattle and tends a vegetable garden for his family’s culinary needs. Boyd founded the NBFA in 1995 after encountering the USDA’s discriminatory practices first-hand and meeting many more black farmers who shared this experience. Boyd and many NBFA members in a march on the White House. After numerous public rallies and an intensive NBFA member lobbying effort, Congress approved and President Obama signed into law in December 2010 legislation that set aside $1.15 billion to resolve the outstanding Black farmers cases. He is a past-in-residence at the Radcliffe Institute and honoree of the Springarn Award, and currently ranks as one of Ebony Magazine’s most influential African-Americans.

Robert M. Califf, M.D., is Commissioner of Food and Drugs at the FDA and was sworn in in 2022. Previously, Dr. Califf served as Commissioner of Food and Drugs. As the top official of the FDA, Dr. Califf is committed to strengthening programs and policies that enable the agency to carry out its mission to protect and promote the public health. Dr. Califf previously served as the FDA’s Deputy Commissioner for Medical Products and Tobacco. Prior to the FDA, Dr. Califf was head of medical strategy and Senior Advisor at Alphabet Inc. He joined Alphabet after serving as the FDA’s commissioner for clinical and translational research at Duke University. Dr. Califf has led many landmark clinical trials and is one of the most frequently cited authors in biomedical science, with more than 1,300 publications in peer-reviewed literature. Dr. Califf is a graduate of Duke University School of Medicine. He completed a residency in internal medicine at the University of California, San Francisco and a fellowship in cardiology at Duke.

Harold Chase is a government relations professional with a history of working to protect public health working with Congress and federal agencies. Prior to joining NSF, Chase worked for U.S. Senator Carl Levin of Michigan. His policy areas included appropriations, agriculture, housing and veterans’ affairs, and governmental affairs issues. Chase also worked on the Farm Bill and the Food Safety Modernization Act. Chase graduated with honors from the University of Detroit with a B.A. in political science and earned an MPH from the Milken Institute School of Public Health at George Washington University.

Joseph Clayton is CEO of the International Food Information Council (IFIC). He joined IFIC in 2016. Joseph previously served as Interim President of the American Frozen Food Institute (AFFI). Prior to AFFI, he served as Executive Vice President at International and CEO of Wm. Wrigley Jr. Company. He began his career in the U.S. Senate, where he worked on the legislative staff of former Illinois Senator Alan Dixon (D-IL). A graduate of the University of Illinois, Clayton serves on the Advisory Board of Illinois in Washington.

Janet Collins was formerly Executive Vice President for Science and regulatory affairs at CropLife America. Dr. Collins, brings over 30 years of experience in food and biotechnology regulation to CropLife Works. Prior to CropLife America, Dr. Collins was Director of Corporate Regulatory affairs at DuPont, and the Director of Global Advocacy and International Organizations at Monsanto. As the former President of the Institute of Food Technologists, Dr. Collins is a recognized leader in agricultural advocacy and regulatory affairs with a deep understanding of the U.S. meat and dairy industries.

Ron Estrada is the CEO of Farmworker Justice (FJ), a national advocacy organization for farmworkers. Founded in 1981, FJ collaborates with organizations throughout the country to empower farm, ranch, dairy, and agriculture workers to improve wages, working conditions, occupational safety, health, immigration status, and access to justice. Prior to FJ, Estrada worked for Univision Communications. Prior to Univision, Estrada was vice president for the UnidosUS. In addition, he was a producer for the American Latino Media Arts (ALMA) Awards. Previously, Mr. Estrada worked for the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. Estrada also served as the vice president & general manager of ECG.

Stephanie Goodwin joined the Public and Government Affairs team at Danone North America in 2019. She has been with Danone for 7 years, first on the science team for the division of medical foods, and then on the regulatory affairs team at Danone for 7 years, first on the science team for the division of medical foods, and then on the regulatory affairs team at Danone. Stephanie was formerly Executive Vice President for Regulatory Affairs at the American Quality and Performance Council. She currently serves as the vice president & general manager of ECG.

Sally Greenberg has been the Executive Director of the National Consumers League since 2007. NCL’s focus is on five key priority areas: fraud, child labor, LifeSmarts, health care, and food safety and nutrition. Sally has testified numerous times before Congress on consumer protection issues, including product safety, fraud, and deceptive fees on car rentals, consumer rip-offs and in support of protections for farmworker children. Sally came to NCL from Consumers Union, U.S. DOJ, and prior to that she spent a decade at the Anti-Defamation League. Sally started as a legislative correspondent for Sen. Gaylord Nelson (D-WI) and went on to spend four years as legislative assistant for Congressman Toby Moffett (D-CT).
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**Thomas Gremillion** is the Director of Food Policy at the Consumer Federation of America. He oversees the research, analysis, advocacy and media outreach for the group’s food policy activities, and monitors food safety activities at USDA, FDA and in Congress, where he advocates for strong food safety, foodborne illness, nutrition and consumer protection policies.

Prior to joining CFAFPC, Gremillion practiced environmental law at Georgetown University Law Center. He also served as an assistant professor of law at Environmental Law & Policy Center.

He graduated magna cum laude from the University of South Carolina with a B.S. in mathematics, and served as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar in Quito, Ecuador, where he received an M.A. in International Relations from La Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar.

**Kevin Dennis Hall**, Ph.D, is a Senior Investigator in the Integrative Physiology Section, Laboratory of Biological Modeling at NID. His laboratory investigates how metabolism and the brain adapt in response to a variety of interventions to diet and physical activity. They perform experiments in both humans and rodents to better understand the complex mechanisms regulating macronutrient metabolism, body composition, and energy expenditure. A unique aspect of the laboratory involves the development of mathematical models to quantitatively describe, explain, integrate, and predict the experimental results.

**Dr. Robert S. Harvey** (he/him) is an educator and community-leader pursuing a vision of justice, equity, and love. He is the President of FoodCorps, a national organization committed to ensuring that all our nation's children have access to nourishing food in schools, at the intersection of community-based policy and the community knowledge and experience of teachers. He is Pahara Institute Fellow; and serves as chair of the The Current Project Board of Directors and is a member of the National Black Theatre Board of Directors.

**Lisa Elaine Held** is the senior staff reporter at Civil Eats, a daily news source for critical thought about the American food system. Since 2015, she has reported on agriculture and the food system with an eye toward climate and other environmental impacts, equity, and health, and her stories have appeared in publications including The Guardian, The Washington Post, Mother Jones, Eater, and Saveur. She also hosted and produced more than 100 episodes of the podcast “The Farm Report” on Heritage Radio Network from 2018 – 2021. In the past, she covered health and wellness. She is based in Baltimore and has a master's degree from Columbia University's School of Journalism.

**Michael F. Jacobson**, who holds a PhD in microbiology from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, co-founded and then led a Washington-based health-advocacy organization, the Center for Science in the Public Interest, for four decades. Jacobson has received the Food and Drug Administration’s Commissioner’s Special Citation and Harvey W. Wiley Medal, Food Marketing Institute’s Consumer Service Award, American Diabetes Association’s Medal for Health Promotion and Awareness, CDC-Foundation’s Hero award, and American Heart Association’s Award for Advocacy of Public Health. Jacobson has loved museums since his childhood in Chicago, so after he left CSPI, he has continued his educational efforts related to food by founding the National Food Museum.

**Susan T. Mayne** is the Director of the Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (CFSAN) at the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). In this position, Dr. Mayne leads the Center’s development and implementation of programs and testimony before the U.S. Congress, and has vast expertise on food, color additives, and cosmetics. Dr. Mayne received a B.A. in chemistry from the University of Colorado. She earned a Ph.D. in nutritional sciences, with minors in biochemistry and toxicology, from Cornell University. Prior to joining the FDA she spent nearly three decades at Yale University, where she was a member of the Yale Cancer Center. She is author or coauthor of nearly 250 scientific publications and her work has been cited more than 17,000 times.

**Radha Muthiah**, President and CEO of the Capital Area Food Bank (CAFB), oversees the organization’s work to help people across greater Washington thrive by creating more equitable access to food and opportunity through community partnerships. Under her leadership, the CAFB serves as the backbone of the area’s hunger relief infrastructure, sourcing and supplying the food for over 45 million meals annually to hungry people at the food banks Muthiah served as CEO of the Global Alliance for Clean Cookstoves, a public-private partnership hosted by the United Nations Foundation. She also worked at CARE International, ICF International, the American Red Cross, Mercer Management Consulting, and the Council on Foreign Relations. Muthiah holds a bachelor’s and a master’s degree in economics from Tufts University and a Master of Business Administration degree from Stanford University.

**David L. Ortega** is a food economist and Associate Professor in the Department of Agricultural, Food and Resource Economics at Michigan State University. Dr. Ortega’s research focuses on understanding consumer, producer, and agribusiness decision-making to better inform food policies and marketing strategies. He has published over 60 articles in peer-reviewed journals, has been called to provide expert testimony before the U.S. Congress, and has worked in various developing and emerging countries, including China, India, Rwanda, and Kenya. In addition, Dr. Ortega has provided timely analysis of the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and Russia-Ukraine conflict on agri-food systems and food prices and is frequently interviewed by prominent media outlets, including The New York Times, National Public Radio, CNN, NBC News, Bloomberg, Forbes, Politico, and Newsweek. Dr. Ortega earned his Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics from Purdue University.

**Robert Paarlberg** is Emeritus Professor of Political Science at Wellesley College and is an Associate at Harvard’s Weatherhead Center. He received his PhD in International Relations from Harvard University. He is the author of six university press books and has been a member of the Board of Trustees of the National Research Council, and the Board of Directors of Winrock International. He recently chaired the independent steering committee for a CGIAR research program, Agriculture for Nutrition and Health (A4NH), and is a member of the Food and Nutrition Security Task Force at the Bipartisan Policy Center. His latest book, *Resetting the Table: Straight Talk About the Food We Grow and Eat*. **
Molly Paffenroth leads federal food safety and nutrition policy for Amazon. Previously, Molly worked for several national trade associations including most recently as senior director of government relations for the National Grocers Association. She also served in USDA’s Office of Communications and led the operations for a dairy product and agrotourism business in rural New Jersey. While a proud Wisconsinite, Molly is a graduate of Cornell University (B.S. Animal Science) and The George Washington University (M.A. Media and Public Affairs), and resides in Washington, D.C.

Dasha Shor is a global expert on dairy, animal proteins and their alternatives at Mintel, the world’s leading market intelligence agency. A Registered Dietitian, Dasha leans on her nutrition and food science expertise and experience working with commodity, foodservice and CPG companies to develop actionable insights for the dairy and food industry. Dasha received her BS in nutrition science from the University of Illinois at Chicago, MS in health communications from Boston University and MBA at Chicago Booth.

Lindsay Smith is the Regional Food Systems Planner at the Redstone Global Center for Prevention and Wellness University. She is also affiliated faculty at the undergraduate degree program at the George Washington University. Lindsay leads two Food Systems experts connect through COG to develop solutions to the region’s major challenges and plan for the future. Lindsay provides staff support to COG’s newest committee, the FARM Policy Committee, chaired by District of Columbia Councilmember Mary Cheh. FARM is comprised of elected leaders and food system experts in food and agriculture from DC & MD, and VA. Lindsay is in year two leading food systems issues in several roles for more than a decade. She holds graduate degrees from the University of Michigan.

U.S. Senator Debbie Stabenow made history in 2000 when she became the first woman from Michigan elected to the United States Senate. As Chairwoman of the Senate Agriculture Committee, a senior member of the Senate Finance Committee, and Budget Committee, and a member of the Environment and Public Works Committee, she has a powerful and unique role to play in shaping our nation’s health care, manufacturing, infrastructure, environment, and agriculture policies. Senator Stabenow knows that we don’t have an economy unless we make things and grow things. She is a national leader on food and agriculture policy and a forceful ally for Michigan agriculture, which is the second biggest source of jobs. Serving on Agriculture Committees in the state legislature, U.S. House, and U.S. Senate, she has shaped forward-thinking food and farm policy, expanding the diversity of what we grow and how we grow it. As Chairwoman of the Senate Agriculture Committee, Senator Stabenow authored the 2014 Farm Bill, which strengthens and improves funding for nutrition and investments in land and water conservation, clean energy, local food systems, specialty crops, cutting-edge research and biobased manufacturing. She built on that success in coauthoring the 2018 Farm Bill, which passed on a strong bipartisan vote of 87-13 – the most Senate votes ever. Thanks to her leadership, the Farm Bill provides historic levels of support for all types of farmers in Michigan – big and small, urban and rural. It also improves the dairy safety net, strengthens support for fruit and vegetable growers, protects land and water, expands local food economies, and invests in Michigan’s small towns and rural communities. Senator Stabenow has also long lobbied to protect and expand access to healthy foods for children, families, and seniors.

Dr. Allison Sylvestsky is an Associate Professor in the Department of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences and is Director of the Bachelor of Science in Nutrition Science undergraduate degree program at the George Washington University. She is also affiliated faculty at the Sumner M. Redstone Global Center for Prevention and Wellness and is a Special Volunteer Mentor in the National Institute of Child Health and Development (NICHD) in the Intramural Research Program of NIH. Prior to Dr. Sylvestsky was a post-doctoral fellow in the Diabetes, Endocrinology, and Obesity Branch of NIDDK in the Intramural Research Program of NIH.

She received a doctorate in Nutrition and Health Science from Emory University. Dr. Sylvestsky’s research focuses broadly on obesity and diabetes in youth. Her primary research interests are in studying the consumption and health effects of sugar-sweetened beverages and low-calorie (artificial) sweeteners, with a key focus on their consumption during childhood.

Mollie Van Lieu currently serves as Vice President of Nutrition and Health for the International Fresh Produce Association – the largest and most diverse trade association representing the full global fresh produce supply chain. Her work primarily involves increasing Americans’ access and consumption of fruits and vegetables through federal policies and programs. Mollie previously worked on nutrition, health, and education policy issues at the Pew Charitable Trusts and on Capitol Hill.

Brian Vines examines inequities in the marketplace, in an effort to ensure fairness for consumers at Consumer Reports. Previously, he served as Pew Charitable Trusts’ refrigerators placed in public areas, stocked by the community and providing free food to those in need. His work helped shine a light on the increasing food insecurity brought about by the Coronavirus pandemic and the underlying inequities that created a need for this type of food access. Brian’s expertise in food policy and the cultural and language divide between healthcare professionals and the Black and Hispanic communities they served often made it difficult for these communities to receive the support they needed.

Roberta Wagner is vice president of regulatory and technical affairs at the Consumer Brands Association. Wagner spent 33 years in public service, most recently as the assistant administrator of USDA’s FSIS, the agency’s lead policy position. Prior to this she served as the deputy administrator of the Office of Field Operations at USDA’s FSIS. Wagner began her regulatory career at the FDA in the Office of Regulatory Affairs’ Baltimore District Office in 1987. Wagner was also Assistant Commissioner for Operations in the ORA Development at USDA’s FSIS, the agency’s lead policy position. Prior to this she served as the deputy administrator of the Office of Compliance in FDA’s CFSAN. Wagner later served as the CFSAN Deputy Director for Regulatory Affairs and Associate Director for Food Safety Modernization Act Operations. Wagner holds a bachelor of science in biological science with a minor in environmental science from Hiram College and a master of public health in environmental health from Bowling Green State University.

Susan Weinstock is the CEO of the Consumer Federation of America. Previously, she was vice president of financial resilience programming at AARP. Prior to AARP, Susan worked at the U.S. Department of the Treasury. As the director of the office of consumer policy, she focused on emerging trends and the growing use of technology and data in the provision of consumer financial products and services. Previously, she directed The Pew Charitable Trusts’ Consumer Banking Project. Prior to Pew, Susan was the financial reform campaign director at the Consumer Federation of America. She has more than 20 years of advocacy, communications, research, grassroots and legislative experience working to protect consumers.

Margo Wootan, Dsc, is the President of MXG Strategies. Dr. Wootan led the successful effort to require trans fat labeling on packaged foods; coordinated efforts of the National Alliance for Nutrition and Activity to support passage of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act; led the effort to pass national legislation to require calorie labeling in fast-food; and worked on expanding nutrition and physical activity promotion and funding at the CDC and passage of over a dozen state and local healthy restaurant kids’ meal policies. She has testified before Congress and the White House, and been invited to speak by federal and state agencies including at the USDA, the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine, the National Nutrition Summit, and the Surgeon General’s Listening Session for the National Action Plan on Overweight and Obesity. She received her B.S. in nutrition science from Cornell University and her doctorate in nutrition from Harvard University’s School of Public Health.

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