

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Monday, Nov. 17, 2008

Informal Get Together at Inn on the Lake (Wine provided by Constellation Brands)

Tuesday, Nov. 18, 2008

Registration & Refreshments

Opening Remarks - **Bob Seem, Anna Jensen**

Panel #1 Transport

8:30-8:50am Leveraging Technologies
8:50-9:10am **David Monson** - Batelle
9:10-9:30am TBD
9:30-9:50am Q & A Session

Break/Poster Viewing

Panel #2 Retail

10:15-10:35am **Rick Howitt** - AgriNetix
10:35-10:55am **Donna Reeves-Collins** - Cole and Parks
10:55-11:15am **Richard Kornbau** - Pactiv
11:15-11:45am Q & A Session

Lunch

Dr. Jean Buzby - Senior Economist, USDA Economic Research Service - Diet, Safety and Health Economics Branch

Break/Poster Viewing

Panel #3 Consumers

1:30-1:50pm **Noah Sheetz** - Executive Chef, New York State Governor's Mansion
1:50-2:10pm **J. Joseph Corby** - Executive Director, Association of Food and Drug Officials
2:10-2:30pm **Kristen Park** - Extension Associate, Cornell University, Food Industry Management
2:30-2:50pm Q & A Session

Break

Panel #4 Processing

3:00-3:20pm **Steven VonRhedey** - CASP LLC
3:20-3:40pm **Mark Steffens** - Ultra Dairy
3:40-4:00pm **Marilyn Konopka** - Constellation Brands
4:00-4:20pm Q & A Session

Closing Remarks - **Anna Jensen**

Networking Reception (w/cash bar)

Location: New York Wine and Culinary Center

Wednesday, Nov. 19, 2008

Full Buffet Breakfast

Panel #5 Production

8:00-8:20am **Peter Miller** - Organic Valley
8:20-8:40am **Dick de Graff** - Grindstone Farms
8:40-9:00am TBD
9:00-9:20am Q & A Session

Break

Patrick Hooker - Commissioner, Department of Agriculture and Markets

Report from the New York State Council on Food Policy; Q & A moderated by Commissioner Hooker

Closing Remarks

6:00pm

7:30-8:00am

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11:40am-12:00pm

