

WHAT'S NEW IN FOOD SCIENCE

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Upcoming Trainings

PSA GROWER TRAINING

May 5-6, 2025

1:00pm-5:00pm each day

Virtual via Zoom

Register [here](#)

BPCS ACIDIFIED FOODS

July 1-2, 2025

8:00am-5:30pm each day

Rapidan, VA

Register [here](#)

GENERAL HACCP

August 18-21, 2025

1:00pm-5:00pm each day

Virtual via Zoom

Register [here](#)

FOOD SAFETY SCHOOL

September 4, 2025

8:30am-4:00pm

Petersburg, VA

Register [here](#)

Welcome to the Team!



Dr. Taozhu Sun joined FST Extension as a Muscle Food Safety Extension Specialist at the Seafood AREC!

New Resources

SANITATION PROGRAMS

Learn how to use a systematic approach to develop a sanitation program [here](#).

OUTREACH PREFERENCES

See results of a survey that described stakeholder preferences for extension/outreach activities by race/ethnicity, income status, and years operating a business [here](#).

SANITARY TRANSPORT REGS

Learn the basics of the Sanitary Transportation Rule [here](#).

UPDATED FOOD HANDLER FOOD SAFETY PROGRAMS

Updated programs include Cooking for Crowds and Food Allergen Awareness, and piloting UNH's SAFE Food Pantries program. Contact Lester for more.

LEARNINGS FROM A FOODBORNE OUTBREAK

See how the principles of FATTOM apply to a caramel apple outbreak [here](#).

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