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Our New Year's workshop

Contaminants: All the News

Wednesday, 20th January 2027

Half-day workshop in English ONLINE!



It is not only the EU that is focusing more closely on the issue of contaminants: Maximum levels for MOAH are now in sight, changes in the area of process contaminants must be respected. Issues such as PFAS (and especially TFA) are even arriving at the general public, with the PPWR adding even more urgency. Our workshop will bring you up to date.

The speakers

Dr. Silke Bruns **Dr. Andreas-Sascha Wendt**
Lach & Bruns Partnership

The programme

09:00 Welcome & introduction

09:10 MOAH: New Maximum Levels and further developments
Gradual introduction of Maximum Levels
New Indicative Levels for both MOSH and MOAH
Sampling and analysis: Update of Reg. 333/2007
EU: Revised FAQ document

10:00 MCPD- and Glycidyl Fatty Acid Esters
Further Maximum Levels in compound food and baby food
Consequences for compound food
Glycidyl fatty acid esters: Change in parameters to be analysed

10:30 Acrylamide and Furanes: The latest on process contaminants
Acrylamide: Will Maximum Levels finally be set after many years?
And what about new benchmark levels?
Furanes: Maximum Levels in baby food—despite analytical challenges

11:00 Coffee break

The PFAS Session

11:15 PFAS: Impact on foodstuffs and food contact materials
PPWR: Regulation (EU) 2025/40 on Packaging and Packaging Waste
General impact and key elements of the Regulation
Updated FAQ-Document of the European Commission
Analytical challenges: How to avoid background levels of PFAS? Which PFAS parameters are of relevance?
Established methods (food and food contact materials)

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12:15 Trifluoroacetic acid (TFA) – already occurring ubiquitously?
Occurrence and sources of TFA
Products with increased risks
Regulatory aspect
Toxicological assessment: New ARfD and ADI
Future developments

12:45 Open questions and discussion

13:00 The End

Price: 590 € (plus VAT, if applicable)

includes seminar materials and certificate of participation

Seminar held in English language
Given times refer to Central European Time (CET)

Registration:

Please use our **online form to register**: https://www.lach-bruns.de/en/campus/

Registration deadline: **Tuesday, 12th January 2027**.

If you have any **topics, questions or case studies** for the seminar please send them the latest until 12th January 2027 to as.wendt@lach-bruns.de.

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