

MARCH 21 - 23 • Loews Ventana Canyon Resort • Tucson, AZ

2018 ANNUAL  
CONFERENCE

FPSA

WHERE  
LEADERS  
MEET



**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21**

|                  |  |                     |
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| 7:30am – 9:00am  | Foundation Board Meeting <i>(closed meeting)</i>   | Executive Boardroom |
| 9:00am – 11:30am | Board of Directors Meeting <i>(closed meeting)</i>   | Executive Boardroom |
| 10:00am – 6:00pm | Registration   | Tri AB Foyer        |
| 12:00pm – 4:30pm | President’s Cup Golf   | Canyon Course       |
| 1:30pm – 3:30pm  | FPSA Scavenger Hunt <b>Sponsored by: The Women’s Council</b>   | Executive Boardroom |
| 4:30pm – 5:15pm  | Golf Awards  | Flying V Patio      |
| 5:00pm – 6:00pm  | Women’s Council Annual Meeting   | Executive Boardroom |
| 6:00pm – 7:00pm  | New Member, First Timer & Sponsor Reception <i>(by invitation only)</i><br><i>1<sup>st</sup> Timers, New Members, Sponsors please attend! The FPSA Board and Membership Committee look forward to welcoming you!</i> | Upper Terrace       |
| 7:00pm – 8:00pm  | Opening Welcome Reception <b>Sponsored by: RISCO</b>   | Bill’s Grill        |

**THURSDAY, MARCH 22**

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| 7:00am – 4:30pm  | Registration  | Tri AB Foyer            |
| 7:00am – 9:00am  | Breakfast<br><i>Council Networking Breakfasts are open to all attendees. Attend a council breakfast meeting of your choice. Help yourself to the buffet and take to the designated council conference room.</i>   | Tri AB Foyer            |
| 7:30am – 9:00am  | <b>Bakery Council</b> Networking Breakfast & Annual Meeting<br><b>Sponsored by: Naegele Inc., CMC America, Dennis Group</b>   | Salon D                 |
| 7:30am – 9:00am  | <b>Dairy Council</b> Networking Breakfast & Annual Meeting<br><b>Sponsored by: Dairy Foods</b>  | Rincon                  |
| 7:30am – 9:00am  | <b>Prepared Foods Council</b> Networking Breakfast & Annual Meeting   | Executive Board Room    |
| 7:30am – 9:00am  | <b>Beverage Council</b> Networking Breakfast & Annual Meeting   | Santa Rita              |
| 7:30am – 9:00am  | <b>MISA Council</b> Networking Breakfast & Annual Meeting<br><b>Sponsored by: Marlen International</b>  | Salon EF                |
| 8:00am – 9:45am  | Chairman’s Spouse Breakfast <i>(open to all spouses)</i>  | Presidential Ste. #4274 |
| 10:00am – 2:00pm | Optional Spouse/Guest Event – Downtown Tucson Culinary Tour   | Meet in Hotel Lobby     |
| 9:30am – 11:30am | <b>Food Safety &amp; Sanitary Design Panel Discussion</b><br><b>Sponsored by: Food Safety Summit and National Provisioner</b><br>Moderator: Andrew Hanacek, Editor In Chief, National Provisioner<br><b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chad Larson, Vice President of Manufacturing, Palermo Villa, Inc.</li> <li>• Michael Woodland, Director, Corporate Sanitation, Dairy Farmers of America</li> <li>• Jean-Pierre Haché, Vice-President Quality, Health &amp; Safety, Bonduelle Americas Long Life</li> <li>• Craig Wilson, Vice President, General Merchandising Manager of Quality Assurance / Food Safety, Costco</li> <li>• Dr. Scott Brooks, Owner, River Run Consulting LLC (formerly VP of Food Safety, Kraft Foods, Pepsi Co.)</li> <li>• Lee Johnson, Director of Technical Services, West Liberty Foods</li> </ul> | Salon BC                |

## THURSDAY, MARCH 22 (continued)

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| 11:45am – 1:00pm | Attendee Networking Lunch<br><b>Sponsored by: ROCKET RACK</b>   | Cascade Terrace       |
| 1:15pm – 2:00pm  | FPSPA Annual Business Meeting<br><i>(all conference attendees are encouraged to attend)</i>   | Salon BC              |
| 2:00pm – 3:15pm  | <b>Keynote Address:</b><br>• <b>Captain Scott O’Grady – An American Hero and New York Times Best-Selling Author</b><br><b><i>Leading, Building Teams, and Succeeding through Adversity</i></b><br><b>Sponsored by: Food Processing Magazine</b> | Salon BC              |
| 3:15pm – 3:30pm  | Break   | Outside Council Rooms |
| 3:30pm – 4:15pm  | Bakery Council Session<br>• Chad Larson, Vice President of Manufacturing, Palermo Villa, Inc.<br><i>What’s Real? – OEMs owe their customers real, clear, start-up expectations</i>  | Salon D               |
| 3:30pm – 4:15pm  | Dairy & Beverage Joint Council Session<br>• Diane Wolf, former Vice President of Operations, Kraft Foods<br><i>Addressing the Talent Shortage in Today’s Food &amp; Beverage Industry</i>   | Rincon                |
| 3:30pm – 4:15pm  | MISA Council & Prepared Foods Joint Council Session<br>• Robert Davis, founder of New Edge Systems<br><i>The Evolution of Plant Based Meat Alternatives and the Meat Industry</i><br><b>Sponsored by: meatingplace</b>                          | Salon EF              |
| 4:15pm – 4:30pm  | Networking Break  | Outside Council Rooms |
| 4:30pm – 5:15pm  | Bakery Council Session<br>• Sinclair Powell, Project Manager – Global Engineering, Campbell Soup Co.<br><i>Factory Acceptance Test Planning</i>   | Salon D               |
| 4:30pm – 5:15pm  | Dairy & Beverage Joint Council Session<br>• Greg Steltenpohl, CEO, Califia Farms<br><i>Winning Through Innovation and Embracing Disruption</i>  | Rincon                |
| 4:30pm – 5:15pm  | Prepared Foods Council Session<br>• Jean-Pierre Haché, Vice-President Quality, Health & Safety, Bonduelle Americas Long Life<br><i>The New Reality of Equipment Design... Health &amp; Safety vs. Food Safety vs. Cost</i>                      | Executive Board Room  |
| 4:30pm – 5:15pm  | MISA Council Session<br>• Robert Rebholtz, CEO and President, Agri Beef Company<br>Recipient - 2018 Richard L. Knowlton Innovation Award<br><b>Sponsored by: meatingplace</b>   | Salon EF              |
| 5:30pm – 6:30pm  | Cocktail Reception<br><b>Sponsored by The Middleby Corporation</b>  | Tri AB Foyer          |
| 6:30pm – 10:00pm | MISA Foundation Banquet & Auction <i>(additional ticketed event)</i>  | Salon BC              |

## FRIDAY, MARCH 23

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|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 8:00am – 12:00pm  | Registration  | Tri AB Foyer          |
| 7:30am – 9:00am   | Council Leadership Breakfast <i>(closed meeting)</i>  | Executive Boardroom   |
| 8:00am – 9:00am   | Continental Breakfast   | Ballroom Foyer        |
| 9:00am – 9:30am   | Foundation Report<br><i>(all conference attendees are encouraged to attend)</i>   | Salon BC              |
| 9:30am – 10:45am  | <b>Keynote Address:</b><br>•Larry Winget – <b>The Pitbull of Personal Development</b><br><b><i>The Cold, Hard, Ugly Truth About Success</i></b><br><b>Sponsored by: Distribution By Air</b>   | Salon BC              |
| 10:00am – 2:00pm  | Optional Spouse/Guest Event – Sabino Canyon Tour  | Meet in Lobby         |
| 10:45am – 11:00am | Networking Break  | Outside Council Rooms |
| 11:00am – 11:45am | Attendee / Speaker Networking Roundtables<br><i>All attendees are encouraged to participate in these roundtables being led by Council speakers – pick a topic and table!</i>  | Salon BC              |
| 11:00am – 2:00pm  | Head Shot Lounge<br><i>Attendees are invited to have head shots taken which will be emailed to them after the conference</i>  | Tri AB Foyer          |
| 11:45am – 1:00pm  | Attendee Networking Lunch<br><b>Sponsored by: MEAT + POULTRY</b><br><b>PETfood Processing</b>   | Bill's Grill          |
| 1:30pm – 3:00pm   | Member Focus Group<br><i>An important session on FPSA's Councils and Future Directions. Members are encouraged to attend this discussion where ideas from the members regarding ways to strengthen, provide more relevancy, and add value to the membership through our Councils will be sought and debated</i> | Executive Boardroom   |
| 1:30pm – 3:00pm   | Young Professionals Group Annual Meeting <i>(by invitation only)</i>  | Coronado              |
| 6:00pm – 7:00pm   | *Boots & Bling Cocktail Reception<br><b>Sponsored by: The Alliant Group</b>   | Coyote Corral         |
| 7:00pm – 10:00pm  | *Boots & Bling Gala Dinner<br><b>Sponsored By: FBP   Food Engineering</b>   | Coyote Corral         |
| 10:00pm – 11:00pm | Post Gala Dessert & Cordials Reception  | Flying V              |

*\*The Boots & Bling Reception & Dinner will take place outside on the property at the Coyote Corral.*

*Dress Code for this outdoor event is casual. Optional - Western attire!  
Temperatures may drop later in the evening so a wrap/sweater is recommended.*