A two-day Conference bringing together experts from the USA, Asia and Europe to discuss latest developments in the regulation of Biocides (Antimicrobials)
US/GLOBAL BIOCIDES (ANTIMICROBIALS) REGULATION CONFERENCE

25-26 SEPTEMBER 2014
WASHINGTON DC

About this event

This Conference focuses on the regulation of biocides. The first day covers new developments in the US, including:

- New Data Requirements for Antimicrobials (implementation of 158W)
- Efficacy Testing for Public Health Products
- Testing – the Rise of Alternative Approaches
- Food contact and antimicrobials

Day Two of the Conference looks at global developments in the regulation of biocides. Countries and legislation to be covered include:

- Canada
- Europe and the BPR
- Asia
- And a global overview from the OECD

The conference closes with a workshop covering the challenges of working in a global market and will include cross-comparisons between the European Union, the US and China.

Who should attend?

- Representatives from producers, exporters and retailers of biocidal products
- Regulators
- Advisors
- Competent authorities
- Formulators
- All other stakeholders

WHY ATTEND?

EXPERT PANEL
Listen to senior representatives from Institutions and Regulators together with industry representatives and service providers

CURRENT THINKING
Gain valuable insight into the current state of biocides regulation in the US, Europe and Asia

TIME EFFICIENCY
Bring yourself completely up-to-date with the complex and changeable landscape of biocides regulation in the US, Europe and Asia by attending two conference days

FOCUS
Meet the experts and bring yourself up-to-date with the latest thinking across a wide range of jurisdictions

Q&A PANEL SESSIONS
Have your specific questions answered by making use of the multiple Q&A sessions. Remember – you can send in any questions you might have in writing in advance of the Summit
Key issues to be addressed during the Conference, include:

- New data requirements for antimicrobials (implementation of 158W)
- Efficacy testing for public health products
- Testing – the rise of alternative approaches
- Food contact and antimicrobials
- Recent changes in Canada including the new Disinfectant Guidance Document
- The new EU Biocidal Product Regulation (‘BPR’)
- Biocides regulations in China and their changes in July 2014
- Significant regulations in the rest of Asia
- The OECD Task Force on Biocides Activities
- Regulation of treated articles
### DEVELOPMENTS IN THE US, DAY 1 (25 Sept)

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#### SESSION 1: Efficacy Testing for Public Health Products

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| 09:30 | Antimicrobial testing program, including verifying the effectiveness on ATP disinfection claims and public Health antimicrobials  
*Mark Hartman, Senior Advisor, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency* |
| 09:45 | The EPA’s new Data Requirements for efficacy testing  
*Mark Perry, Team Leader, Efficacy Evaluation Team, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency* |
| 10:00 | A Registrant’s view of the new data requirements for efficacy testing  
*Diane Boesenberg, Reckitt Benckiser Group* |
| 10:30 | The Impact of the EPA changes  
- Overview of EPA 810 Guidelines  
- Overview of Recent and Proposed Method Changes and Potential Impact on Product Performance  
- Overview of Development of New Quantitative Test Methods and Potential Impact on Product Performance  
*Rhonda Jones, President, Scientific and Regulatory Consultants Inc* |
| 11:00 | Q&A Panel Discussion on Session One |
| 11:15 | Refreshments and networking |

#### SESSION 2: Testing – The Rise of Alternative Approaches

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| 11:30 | 21st Century Tox Program – Status and Update  
- An outline of the requirements for antimicrobials  
- What does the EPA look for in waiver/bridging applications?  
*Tim McMahon, Senior Scientist, Risk Assessment and Science Support Branch, Antimicrobials Division, Office of Pesticides Program, US Environmental Protection Agency* |
| 12:00 | Industry perspective on how to use new testing strategies in the field of Antimicrobials  
*Pat Quinn, Principal, The Accord Group* |
| 12:30 | A New, Non-animal Based, Hazard Identification Strategy For Ocular Irritation of Antimicrobial Cleaning Products  
- Original EPA hazard identification testing which required the rabbit eye test  
- Description of how EPA hazard categories are determined and used |
| 13:00 | Q&A |
| 13:15 | Lunch and Networking |

#### SESSION 3: Food Contact and Antimicrobials (Residues and food contact including approval of products that might leave residue on food)

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| 14:15 | Cooperation and collaboration between EPA and FDA, including food contact  
*Melba S. Morrow, DVM, Special Assistant Antimicrobials Division, Office of Pesticides Programs, US Environmental Protection Agency* |
| 14:45 | Industry perspective – which agency to apply to for approval of your product  
- EPA and FDA regulatory jurisdiction of food use antimicrobials  
*John G. Wood, Senior Director – Agency Relations, Law & Regulatory Affairs, Ecolab* |
| 15:15 | Q&A Panel Discussion on Session Three |
| 15:30 | Refreshments and networking |

#### SESSION 4: Developments in Canada

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| 16:00 | Recent changes in Canada including the new Disinfectants Guidance Document  
- An overview of regulatory developments in Canada  
- Current status of antimicrobials and disinfectants regulation in Canada  
- Vision for the future  
- Overall challenges  
- Guidance on technical issues and challenges  
*Shannon Wright, Assessment Officer, Disinfectants Unit, Natural Health Products Directorate, Health Products Food Branch, Health Canada* |
| 16:30 | Q&A Panel Discussion on Session Four |
| 17:00 | Close of Day One/Cocktails |

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SESSION 5: New Data Requirements for Antimicrobials (implementation of 158W)

09:00 Data Requirements for Hard Surface and Food Contact Products
- Data requirements for new applications in specific use sites
- Concerns with application of data requirements to existing registrations

Bill McCormick, Research Fellow, Global Stewardship, The Clorox Company, USA

09:30 New Ecotox Environmental Fate & Other Requirements

Seth Goldberg, Partner, Steptoe & Johnson, LLP, USA

10:00 Q&A Panel Discussion on Session One

10:15 Refreshments and networking

SESSION 6: Europe and the Biocidal Product Regulation (BPR)

10:45 Overview of the new Biocidal Product Regulation (BPR)
- Objectives and aims
- Key definitions
- Procedure
- Product authorisation
- Recent amendments

Pierre Choraine, EU Commission by video link from Brussels

11:15 US Industry View of the BPR from First Years of Implementation
- First experiences with product authorization
- Clarifying treated articles status
- Active substance suppliers
- Data sharing and compensation challenges and comparison to FIFRA
- Status of Guidance

Lisa Burchi, The ACTA Group, USA

SESSION 7: Update on Regulation in Asia

13:30 China – Biocides regulations and their changes, July 2014
- How to identify the appropriate regulation for biocidal products
- Pesticide regulation, disinfectant regulation and their changes
- The Registration process
- Data requirement
- Duration and estimated cost
- Case Studies

David Wan, Head of Biocides, CIRS, China

14:00 Significant Regulation in The Rest of Asia
- Thailand
- Vietnam
- Indonesia
- The Philippines
- Singapore

Dr. Piyatida Pukclai, Project Manager (Asia Pacific Regulatory Affairs & Business Development)
Dr. Knoell Consult Thai Co. Ltd.

14:45 OECD Task Force on Biocides Activities
- The OECD and its programme on chemical safety
- The activities on biocides
- Future challenges and new approaches

Jennifer McLain

15:15 Regulation of Treated Articles in Canada, the EU and United States
- Review of regulations in Canada, EU, US
- Recent developments in Canada
- Recent developments in EU
- BPR and treated articles
- Business consequences due to differences in approach
- Costs for compliance due to labeling
- Non-tariff barriers to trade (NTB)

Adrian Krygsman, Director, Product Registration, Troy Corporation

15:45 Q&A Panel Discussion on Session Eight

16:00 Refreshments and networking

SESSION 8: Global Overview

16:15 Workshop: The Challenges of Working in a Global Market: Cross comparison between EU – US – China
Including data requirements
Workshop participants to include:
Jennifer McLain, Seth Goldberg, David Wan and Rhonda Jones

17:30 Close of conference
3 WAYS TO REGISTER

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PRICES

TWO-DAY CONFERENCE
CHEMICAL WATCH SUBSCRIBERS:
- $1125 (if booked before July 31, 2014)
- $1345 (after July 31, 2014)

TWO-DAY CONFERENCE
NON-SUBSCRIBERS:
- $1195 (if booked before July 31, 2014)
- $1425 (after July 31, 2014)

Payment options:
1. Invoice payable by bank transfer, credit card or check made payable to CW Research LLC.
2. Online using our secure order-form

Payment must be made before the event starts

LOCATION & TIMINGS

Renaissance Washington, DC Downtown Hotel
999 Ninth Street NW
Washington DC, 20001 USA

We have arranged a special bedroom rate for Conference participants at the Renaissance Washington, DC Downtown Hotel: $225 per night. Participants will be sent a link for booking hotel accommodation directly with the hotel.

EVENT TIMINGS:
Thursday 25th September, 2014
09:00-17:30

Friday 26th September, 2014
09:00-17:15

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