

EFSA Stakeholder Discussion Group on Emerging Risks Agenda of the 33rd meeting

4 June 2025 09:30-17:00
5 June 2025 09:30-13:00



Location: Parma, Italy

Venue: EFSA, meeting room 00/M07

Chair: Bernard Bottex

Day 1- Wednesday 4 June 2025 (AM- PM)

Time	No.	Item	Presenter
09:30	1	Welcome and Apologies for absence	Chair
	2	Adoption of the agenda	Chair
09:35	3	Introduction to the event	Raquel Garcia Matas (EFSA)
	4	StaDG-ER members - Presentation and discussion of new emerging issues	
09.45	4.1	Edible electronics	Nicola King (ESR New Zealand)
	4.2	Carbon dots	Nicola King (ESR New Zealand)
	4.3	The potential for global spread of <i>Shewanella</i> spp.	Nicola King (ESR New Zealand)
10.45	4.4	Correlation between food additive mixtures and type 2 diabetes	Luigi Tozzi (SAFE Europe)
11.15		<i>Coffee Break</i>	
	4	StaDG-ER members - Presentation and discussion of new emerging issues (cont.)	
12.00	4.5	FMD: Two introductions into Europe in 3 months - Emerging risk?	Jan Dahl (Copa Cogeca)
12.30	4.6	Increased public health risk of Tick-Borne Encephalitis in Europe	Maurizio Ferri (FVE)
13.00		<i>Lunch Break</i>	
14.00	4.7	Compounds in Functional Foods: Cognitive Promise or Emerging Risk?	Mirka Piskorikova (AVC)
	5	EFSA Environmental scanning activities	
14.30	5.1	EFSA Update on Horizon Scanning Activities	Bernard Bottex (EFSA)
15.30	5.2	Compendium of Botanical (COMBO) EFSA Database	Eirini Kouloura (EFSA)
16.00		<i>Coffee Break</i>	
16.20	5.3	HoliFOOD project- Latest results/achievements/milestones of the project	Frederic Bayer (EUFIC)
16.50	5.4	EREN updates & 10 th survey	Milen Georgiev and Raquel Garcia Matas (EFSA)
17.30		<i>End of day 1</i>	



Day 2 – Thursday, 5 June 2025 (AM)

Time	No.	Item	Presenter
	5	EFSA Environmental scanning activities (cont.)	
9.30	5.5	Foresight experience: An Emerging Risk Identification System (ERIS) for New Zealand's Food Industry	Nicola King (ERS New Zealand)
	6	StaDG-ER members – Follow-up on previous issues discussed (cont.)	
9.45	6.1	Follow up Veterinary Vaccine Shortage as a driver of Emerging Issues	Rimma Ishimbaeva (AVC)
10.15	6.2	Additional information on the "Sugar and sugar-sweetened beverages in relation to premature aging in adult survivors of childhood cancer"	Stephan Ronsmans (UNESDA)
10.30	6.3	Next edition (2026) of the COCERAL Mycotoxins management report	Gianlucca Nurra (COCERAL)
11.00		<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11.30	6.4	Bluetongue/EHD general outlines of the 2023-2024 epidemic	Christian Quinet (FESASS)
11.45	6.5	Global warming and emergence of vector borne diseases in Europe	Stephan Zientara (ANSES)
	7	Reporting and monitoring	
12.15	7.1	Annual Report 2024	Ludovica Peli (EFSA)
12.30	7.2	News monitoring info	Katerina Vlachou (EFSA)
12.45	8	AOB/Final discussions & Conclusions	EFSA
13.00		<i>End of day 2</i>	