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1350 1 Street NW, Suite 300
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**You don't want to miss
this year's keynote sessions:**

- Welcome and Opening Keynote Address
Innovation to Meet Consumer Preferences
and Needs
- Keynote Luncheon - Update on FDA's
Regulatory Agenda
With FDA Deputy Commissioner:
Dr. Stephen Ostroff
- Closing General Session - Panel Presentation
A Look Back and A Look Forward - What
Does the Future Hold for the Food Industry

The **GMA Science Forum** has consistently educated scientists and decision makers within the food, beverage and consumer products industry for nearly a decade. During this unique event, we'll examine the most newsworthy regulatory and legislative issues affecting manufacturers across the globe. In 2018, the GMA Science Forum will provide attendees with multiple views and actions to be taken to ensure policies, laws and regulations are based on sound, up-to-date science, and achieve compliance with the ever-changing regulatory environment.

Join food, beverage and consumer product leaders as they hear from acclaimed scientific and regulatory manufacturing experts on emerging science, safety and legal requirements in:

- Food Safety Training
- Global Nutrition, Health and Labeling
- Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs) and Biotechnology
- Emerging Ingredient and CPG Issues
- FSMA Implementation and Inspections
- TSCA Reform
- Intentional Adulteration
- Supply Chain Management
- Whole Genome Sequencing
- Healthy Living & Nutrition

Pre-Conference Workshops

Register for the three hour sessions on:



Biotechnology Workshop

This workshop will dive into hot topics associated with biotechnology and new breeding techniques.



Food Safety Workshop

We will dive into hot topics associated with food safety, regulatory compliance and supply chain controls in this interactive and informative workshop.



Ingredient Safety Workshop

This workshop will dive into hot topics associated with Ingredient safety for both food products and consumer and household products.

Over 20 Breakout Sessions Focused on Four Separate Tracks:

NUTRITION

INGREDIENT SAFETY

FSMA

FOOD SAFETY



2018 Guest Entertainment Speaker: GRANT IMAHARA

We're excited that the Discovery Channel's MythBusters' star, Grant Imahara will provide our feature dinner entertainment!

IDEA EXCHANGE

IDX Returns!

The ever popular Idea Exchange will return at one of the event's most highly rated features! This is an exclusive setting to dialogue with industry peers about emerging topics in the food, safety, legal and regulatory landscape, while helping to inform GMA's areas of focus. Attendees will be able to engage directly with one another during this session, selecting one of four subject matter areas to attend based on their specific interest.



Book Your Hotel Today! Renaissance DC Downtown Hotel

Group rates and availability cannot be guaranteed after the cut-off date of February 26, 2018.