

8:30 a.m. Registration, Morning Networking and Refreshments

9:00 a.m. Welcome Remarks (Grand Ballroom)

> Rebecca A. Singer President and CEO

Center for Innovative Food Technology

9:15 a.m. Enhancing our Food System (Grand Ballroom)

La June Montgomery Tabron

President and CEO

W.K. Kellogg Foundation

10:15 a.m. **Growing the Food Industry Workforce** (Grand Ballroom)

Ryan D. Burgess

Director

Governor's Office of Workforce Transformation

10:45 a.m. Break

**Break Out Session I Topics** 11:00 a.m.

> Food Safety (Syc. 1) Food Innovation by Design (Syc. 2) Workforce (GB 4) Gina Kramer Cvnthia Holub Rvan D. Burgess

Executive Director Culinary Consultant Director

Savour Food Safety Intl. Creative Culinary Concepts Office of Workforce Transformation

Food Industry Highlights (GB 4)

Co-owner, and VP of Operations

Joe Maas

JTM Food Group

12:00 p.m. **Lunch** (Ohio Building, Edgewater Room)

1:15 p.m. **Break Out Session II Topics** 

Robots/Cobots (Syc. 1) Food Safety Challenges (Syc. 2) Anthony Nighswander Ahmed E. Yousef, Ph.D.

President Professor of Food Microbiology

APT Manufacturing Sol. The Ohio State University

Dick Motely Abby Snyder Mike Billia

Director Assistant Professor VP. Business Development

**FANUC America** The Ohio State University Hvdrofresh HPP

2:15 p.m. Unicorns and Magic Beans: How to determine if the

next 'hot' ingredient has legs (Grand Ballroom)

David Feder **Executive Editor** 

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Networking in Grand Ballroom