

Call for Papers 265th ACS National Meeting & Exposition March 26-30, 2023 Indianapolis, Indiana USA

Advancing Agrochemical Regulation, Education, and Public Policy in an Age of Skepticism and Scientific Illiteracy

Purpose of Symposium

This symposium will share examples and best practices describing how scientists can contribute to public education of scientific regulations, guidelines and weight-of-evidence. Any level of expertise is welcomed to submit examples of publications, communication tools and concerns on policy issues that might need further attention and possibly joint efforts and cross-sectorial cooperation, at national and international level. The outcome of the symposium is more important than ever, as it attempts to provide solutions to increase effectiveness of scientific education to the public in an era of skepticism and scientific illiteracy.

Participation and contributions are welcome from members of other ACS Divisions, including ANYL, ENVR, ORGN, and AGFD, as well as those with other organizations.

Suggested Topics

- Regulatory progress and gaps
- FIFRA improvements
- The Endangered Species Act (ESA) conundrum
- Education and public outreach
- Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) and trade
- Building trust with consumers and agencies (transparency, communications)
- · Food safety paradigms
- Educational programs
- Communication tools

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