

Finnish Risk Assessment in Focus 19 May 2017

Name of the seminar: Finnish Risk Assessment in Focus
Date: 19th May 2017
Registration deadline: 5th May 2017
Location and address: House of Science and Letters (hall 104), Kirkkokatu 6, Helsinki

- 9:00 Registration and coffee
- 9:30 **Risk assessment or guess assessment?**
Pirkko Tuominen, Professor, Head of Risk assessment, Evira
- 10.00 **Pest-generic risk mapping based on spatial distribution of production**
Juha Tuomola, Researcher, Evira
- 10.30 **Asymptomatic spread of pinewood nematode in Finland - How widely could it spread, and can its surveys be improved?**
Salla Hannunen, Senior Researcher, Evira
- 11.00 Break
- 11.15 **What is the target? - Assessment of animal disease surveillance system**
Tapani Lyytikäinen, Senior Researcher, Evira
- 11.45 **Risk assessment of Salmonella in feed and pig production**
Maria Rönqvist, Researcher, Evira
- 12.15 Lunch (on own expense)
- 13.30 **Prioritization of dietary chemicals**
Johanna Suomi, Senior Researcher, Evira
- 14.00 **Risk profile of plant food supplements**
Tero Hirvonen, Senior Researcher, Evira
- 14.15 **Exposure to microbiological and chemical hazards via food:**
- **Model description**
Antti Mikkilä, Researcher, Evira
Jukka Ranta, Senior Researcher, Evira
 - **Example: Cadmium**
Johanna Suomi, Senior Researcher, Evira
 - **Example: Listeria monocytogenes and viruses**
Petra Pasonen, Researcher, Evira
 - **Example: Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons**
Tero Hirvonen, Senior Researcher, Evira
- 15.15 **Consumer behaviour related to food safety**
Petra Pasonen, Researcher, Evira
- 15.30 Coffee break
- 16.00 **Need for national risk assessment**
Matti Aho, Director General, Evira
- 16.30 Close of seminar