

JOINT FAO/WHO FOOD STANDARDS PROGRAMME

CODEX COMMITTEE ON PESTICIDE RESIDUES

48th Session

SIDE EVENT

Thursday 28th April 2016

13:00-14:00

**NORTH AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL HARMONIZATION EFFORTS FOR PESTICIDES:
AN UPDATE ON CURRENT STATUS AND ACTIVITIES**

This presentation will focus on North American activities and efforts associated with improving international MRL harmonization and alignment. Topics will include North American use of the OECD calculator as well activities associated with investigation of global zoning and crop groups/crop grouping. Discussion will also include the newly available GlobalMRL.com for which US EPA and USDA have contracted to make this data available in various forms worldwide.