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Membership Status: Current for Year: 2011  2012   
Individual  Student/Retired  New-member   
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Complimentary parking for event!

2012 Membership Fee  
(if required) enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

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## AGM invitation to members only Become a member today!

Individual Membership: \$30

Student / Retired : \$15

Sustaining Membership:

Bronze Level: \$100

Silver Level: \$250

Gold Level: \$500

For full description of membership  
benefits go to: [www.bcfpa.net](http://www.bcfpa.net)

Want to get involved? JOIN THE EXECUTIVE!

Positions on the board are open!  
*Network, Learn New Skills, Lead*  
For more info, contact Alex Montgomery at  
[president@bcfpa.net](mailto:president@bcfpa.net)

**Special Note:** All 2011 members are invited to attend; however, only those members who have renewed their memberships for 2012 (active members) will be entitled to vote or stand for the board at the AGM. Unsure about your membership status? Please contact Lance Hill at [members@bcfpa.net](mailto:members@bcfpa.net) or tel 604.666.7534

For catering purposes please  
pre-register to:

Peter Taylor

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BC Food  
Protection  
Association

**2011 Annual  
General Meeting**  
Monday, January 23, 2012

### Feature Speakers:

Dr. Don Schaffner *Rutger's University &  
Vice-President, IAFF*

Dr. Wei Zhang, *Illinois Institute of  
Technology*

**Sustaining Member Displays**

**Delta Airport Hotel and  
Conference Centre –  
Sea Island Ballroom  
3500 Cessna Drive,  
Richmond, BC**

## Event speakers



**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:**  
**Donald Schaffner Ph.D.** is Extension Specialist in Food Science and Professor at Rutgers University. He is currently serving as the Vice-President of our parent organization, IAFP. He also serves as the Director of the Center for Advanced Food

Technology. His research interests include quantitative microbial risk assessment and predictive food microbiology. Dr. Schaffner has authored more than 100 peer-reviewed publications, book chapters and abstracts. Dr. Schaffner has educated thousands of Food Industry professionals through numerous short courses and workshops in the United States and more than a dozen countries around the world. Dr. Schaffner will be presenting on “*Understanding and Managing Food Safety Risks*”

**Wei Zhang, PhD** is an Associate Professor of Biology at the Institute of Technology in Illinois. His research focuses on using cutting-edge molecular biology and genomic approaches to study the ecology, stress response, and pathogenesis of foodborne bacterial pathogens that pose major threats to food safety and public health. His long-term research goals are to better understand the genetic and physiological basis by which bacterial pathogens colonize environmental niches, survive and grow in foods, and infect animal and human hosts. Dr. Zhang will be presenting on “*Bacterial Stress Response and Genomics*”

**For more information, visit the AGM page on our web-site at [www.bcfpa.net](http://www.bcfpa.net)**

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*To provide a forum to exchange  
information on protecting the food supply*

THANKS —

BCFPA gratefully acknowledges all our REGULAR and SUSTAINING MEMBERS for their support and IAFP for sponsoring the executive board speaker program and Dr. Donald Schaffner

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3500 Cessna Drive, Richmond BC

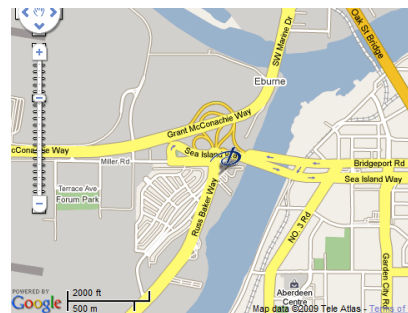
tel 604.287.1241 or 1.800.447.4136

Hotel Booking Reservations at \$119 per night plus tax

Directions—

By car: via Arthur Laing bridge, exit South terminal, left on Miller Rd, right on Cessna Dr.

By transit: Canada Line to Bridgeport Stn, C92 Sea Island South bus (2 min ride) to Airport Stn Bay 6



## SUSTAINING MEMBERS!!

A limited number of **FREE** Sustaining Member Display Tables will be available for the event.

Reserve your table now—contact Lance Hill at 604.666.7534 or [members@bcfpa.net](mailto:members@bcfpa.net)

Help us out— **Donate a Door Prize** for the event!

## 2011 AGM AGENDA

5:30pm	Registration Desk Open, Sustaining Member Displays, Appetizers
6:00 pm	Welcome BCFPA President, Alex Montgomery
6:10pm	IAFP Speaker, Dr. Don Schaffner
7:00pm	Networking Break, Refreshments
8:00pm	Presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Scholarship Awards</li><li>• New members</li><li>• AGM</li></ul>
8:15pm	Dr. Wei Zhang
9:00pm	Closing Remarks

*Thank-you for your support!*

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### COMPLIMENTARY PARKING

REMEMBER:

GO TO REGISTRATION DESK TO GET

TICKET TO PUT ON YOUR CAR

DASHBOARD!!



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