2025

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

# FOOD CONTACT COMPLIANCE

### Dear friends and colleagues,

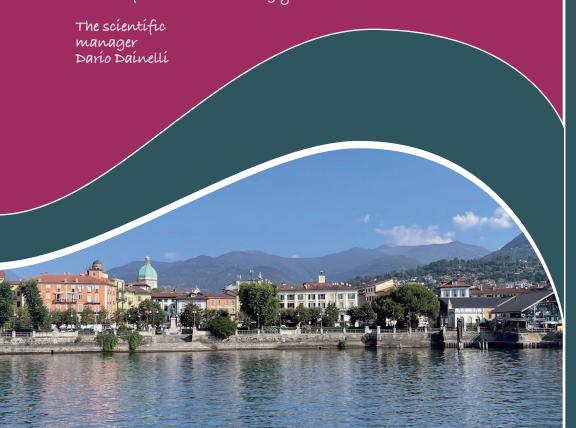
the year 2025 marks a turning point for European legislation on food contact materials. The long-awaited **Regulation (EU) 2025/40** on Packaging and Packaging Waste (PPWR) has finally been published, setting the stage for a radical transformation of the packaging sector. This new framework introduces ambitious requirements on recyclability, recycled content, and extended producer responsibility.

In parallel, **Regulation (EU) 2025/351** has significantly revised the safety requirements for plastic food contact materials, with new restrictions and specific rules on substances of high concern. Of particular relevance is the **ban on Bisphenol A (BPA)** in food contact applications and the **ongoing scientific re-evaluation of the entire bisphenol group**, which is already pushing the industry toward alternative substances and formulations.

In this constantly evolving landscape, shaped by increased focus on sustainability and chemical safety, businesses must navigate new regulatory and technical challenges. The growing interconnection between legal frameworks, the push for supply chain transparency, and the adoption of digital compliance tools are making up-to-date expertise more essential than ever.

In its **12th edition**, the **International Conference on Food Contact Compliance** in Baveno will once again provide a unique opportunity to explore these issues with leading experts, institutional representatives, and industry professionals. Thanks to its high technical level, vibrant discussions, and the beautiful setting of Lake Maggiore, the conference has become a must-attend event for the sector.

We look forward to welcoming you to Baveno!



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# **PROGRAM**

## **30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

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09.00 - 09.45	REGISTRATION
09.45 - 09.50	Welcome to the conference  Alessandra Fazio - President of ITALIAN INSTITUTE OF PACKAGING
09.50 - 10.00	Introduction to the conference CHAIRMAN: Dario Dainelli - Policy Regulatory
<b>10.00 - 10.30</b> <i>ONLINE SPEECH</i>	A roadmap for the future FCM legislation  Bastiaan Schupp - EU COMMISSION
10.30 - 11.00	Interpretation of the "high degree of purity" requirement in R. 2025_351 Pavlina Chopova-Lepretre - Hadjira Mazaiti - MAYER BROWN
11.00 - 11.30	COFFEE BREAK
11.30 - 12.00	REACH: a new approach to chemicals management and its impact on FCM Ulrich Wietschorke - WT CONSULTING
12.00 - 12.30	The new Regulation on BPA/bisphenols  Carole Berrard - ELIPSO
12.30 - 13.00	Q&A
13.00 - 14.30	LUNCH
14.30 - 15.00	BPS Project Fiona Wounderberg - ILAG
15.00 - 15.30	Expected PFAS restrictions and their impact on FCM Alessa Lubke - CFREP
15.30 - 16.00	COFFEE BREAK
16.00 - 16.30	From Regulatory Risk to Analytical Reliability: using interlaboratory statistics to select competent laboratories <b>Anna Bortoluzzi - QUOTA SETTE</b>
16.30 - 17.00	Modern analytical technologies for the new FCM challenges Marinella Vitulli - FOOD CONTACT CENTER
17.00 - 17.30	Q&A



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1 OCTOBER 2025 English-Only

#### CHAIRMAN: Dario Dainelli - Policy Regulatory 09.30 - 10.00 A political vision of food waste and packaging waste in Europe ONLINE SPEECH Massimiliano Salini - EU PARLIAMENT PPWR: how the regulation will change the packaging market 10.00 - 10.30 Laura Maurizio - SEALED AIR 10.30 - 11.00 Harmonising approaches for risk assessing NIAS formed from IAS Peter Oldring - SHERWIN WILLIAMS 11.00 - 11.30 COFFEE BREAK 11.30 - 12.00 The forecast role of the secondary legislation in the PPWR implementation process Ioannis Antonopoulos - DG ENV 12.00 - 12.30 Development of Design for Recycling standard Dennis Bankmann - CEFLEX 12.30 - 13.00 Q&A 13.00 - 14.30 LUNCH 14.30 - 15.00 Progresses of the FCM recycling legislation in China Marco Zhong - National reference laboratory for Food contact material, Inspection and Quarantine Technology Center (IQTC) - China 15.00 - 15.30 Progresses of the FCM legislation in Japan Katsuji Shibata - JCII (Japan Chemical Innovation and Inspection Institute) 15.30 - 16.00 COFFEE BREAK 16.00 - 16.30 Outlook of the US food contact legislation in the new administration Kevin C. Kenny - FOODCHAIN ID 16.30 - 17.00 Managing the new regulatory scenario in FCM Marco Scialpi - GPSNet 17.00 - 17.30 Q&A 20.00 PIZZA & PASTA PARTY

## **2 OCTOBER 2025**

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	CHAIRMAN: Dario Dainelli - Policy Regulatory		
09.30 - 10.00	Recycled polystyrene in food contact applications  Samuel Pardo - KLÖCKNER PENTAPLAST		
10.00 - 10.30	The future of polystyrene food contact packaging Ken Huestebeck - STYRENICS CIRCULAR SOLUTIONS		
10.30 - 11.00	Title to be defined  Chiara Brandonisio - Susanne Dorn - KNOELL		
11.00 - 11.30	First-life contaminations in plastic food packaging materials <b>Alberto Taffurelli - CSI SPA</b>		
11.30 - 12.00	Q&A and closing remarks		
12.00 - 14.30	COCKTAIL		

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The registration fee includes:

- participation to the conference
- 4 coffee breaks 2 lunches
- 1 dinner 1 cocktail
- speakers minutes

The International Conference will be held the **30 September - 1-2 October 2025** at the Grand Hotel Dino - Corso Garibaldi **20 - Baveno (VB) - Italy -** <u>How to reach Baveno</u>

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