

UNIVERSITY OF  
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# Summer School *in* **FOOD REGULATORY AFFAIRS**

**20-22 AUGUST 2019, COPENHAGEN**

The Summer School in Food Regulatory Affairs is a **3-day** summer program taking place in **Copenhagen**, Denmark, with lecturers from some of the most renowned food law firms and experts in **food law & policy** from academia, authorities, consulting companies and industry.

The **food** sector is one of the most regulated markets in the European Union. This makes compliance a

delicate issue, even more so as it requires a combined skills set, **law expertise** and technical understanding, to apply legal requirements in practice in the food chain, from insourcing raw materials to commercializing your products globally.

If you are a **professional** eager to deepen your expertise in Food Regulatory Affairs and become best in class in your field, this course has been designed for you.



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# PROGRAMME

**TUESDAY 20TH OF AUGUST**

University of Copenhagen,  
Bülowsvej 17, Frederiksberg



► **Registration and coffee/tea  
(8:30-9:00)**

► **Morning session (9-12)**

Introduction to the European Food Law & Private Food Law  
Illustration of the transfer of norms from Private Law to European Law (e.g. use of the claim "natural")  
Bernd van der Meulen, **Professor in Food Law**, European Institute for Food Law

► **Afternoon session (13-17)**

Key concepts of European Law (e.g. mutual recognition principle, proportionality & subsidiarity) enabling the well-functioning of a common food market  
Gilles Boin, **Lawyer, Product law Firm**



► **Evening workshop hosted by  
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The legal status of ingredients sourced from nature & associated permissible claims  
Ditte Arltoft, **Head of EMEA Regulatory Affairs, CHR. HANSEN**

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**WEDNESDAY 21ST OF AUGUST**

Bech-Bruun Law Firm, Langelinie  
Allé 35, 2100 København

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► **Morning session (9-12)**

From understanding the basis of European secondary legislation to co-shaping regulations: a practical guide to the EU labyrinth  
Vicky Marissen, **EPPA, consultancy firm in public policies**



► **Afternoon session (13-17)**

Focus on Health Claims vs. Medicinal Claims: mitigating the risk to market an unapproved medicinal product  
Bernd van der Meulen, **Professor in Food Law, European Institute for Food Law**  
Wieke Huizing Edinger, **PhD in Food Law, Senior consultant in Miljø- og Fødevareministeriet**  
Gundula Kjaer, **Bech-Bruun Law Firm**

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At CHR Hansen  
The legal status of microbial food cultures (started cultures & probiotics)  
Caroline Herody, **Head of Global Regulatory Affairs, CHR. HANSEN**

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**THURSDAY 22ND OF AUGUST**

University of Copenhagen,  
Bülowsvej 17, Frederiksberg



► **Morning session (9-12)**

Official controls of food operators and sanctions in the European Member States  
Keller & Heckman, **Law Firm**



► **Afternoon session (13-17)**

Food Hygiene: what are the requirements to produce in Europe and export to the US safe food products (includes the European food hygiene legislation & associated standards as well as the Food Safety Modernization Act).  
Bernd van der Meulen, **Professor in Food Law, European Institute for Food Law & other experts**



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**Lunch will be offered each day.**

**Registration fee: 500 euros**

To register to the Summer School in Food Regulatory Affairs, applicants should follow the following link:

**<https://science.easysignup.com/61/>**

In case of problem signing up, please contact Helle Tegner Anker at **hta@ifro.ku.dk**

