SCOTT E. ZIMMERMAN, M.Sc., CP-FS

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PROFILE

Highly motivated, educated individual specializing in aquaculture, commercial fisheries management, feed production, seafood safety, and quality management systems. Professional training and working experience with FDA Seafood Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point (HACCP), Good Management Practices (GMP), Sanitation Control Procedures (SCP), Pre-Requisite Programs (PRP), processing technologies, warehousing/distribution, recall, and traceability requirements. Experience with second and third party audits, with a strong focus on Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI) benchmarked standards. Experienced with product evaluation, writing product specifications, traceability, and establishing food safety and quality management programs. Strong interpretation skills in regards to US and international regulatory and voluntary requirements for wild and aquacultured seafood.

EDUCATION

2006	James Cook University Master of Applied Science (Aquaculture)	Queensland, Australia	
2000	University of Miami Bachelor of Arts (Marine Affairs and Policy)	Coral Gables, FL	
1996	Sea Education Association (Boston University) Vocational training	Woods Hole, MA	
1995	Mitchell College Associates of Arts Degree in Marine Biology	New London, CT	
PROFESSIONAL HISTORY			
2011-Present	Safe Quality Seafood Associates, LLC Founder & CEO	Miami, FL	
2010-2011	Quirch Foods Company Compliance Specialist- Quality Control Department	Miami, FL	
2006-2009	Florida Keys Commercial Fishermen's Association Executive Director	Marathon, FL	
2001-2003	University of Miami. RSMAS Research Assistant	Key Biscayne, FL	
1999-2001	Aquaculture Center of the Florida Keys	Grassy Key, FL	

CERTIFICATIONS AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

• PADI/SCUBA certification (1998)

Aquaculture Technician

- USDC/NOAA Seafood HACCP certification (2006)
- International Standards Organization (ISO) 9001:2000 Quality Management Systems Lead Auditor Training (2006)

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- Best Aquaculture Practices (BAP) Auditor Training for Hatcheries, Farms, Processing Plants (2006-2016)
- NMFS-NOAA/ACC Workshop On Auditing Principles (2007)
- GlobalG.A.P "Train the Trainer" Certificate in Aquaculture: Sub-Scopes (tilapia, pangasius, shrimp, salmonids) (2010-2017)
- Neogen Laboratories Microbiology Training Program (2010)
- SQFI- SQF 2000 (Level 2) Lead Practitioner (2011)
- Steritech Internal Auditing Training (2011)
- AFDO Certificate of HACCP Course Completion/Train the Trainer (Seafood HACCP Alliance) (2012)
- AFDO/Seafood HACCP Alliance HACCP Trainer (2012-Present)
- FSPCA PCHF/PCQI and FSVP Trainer (2018-Present)
- Certified Professional in Food Safety (CP-FS) (National Environmental Health Assoc. (NEHA) (2012-Present)
- FDA/NFI Sensory Workshop Miami, FL (2013-2019)
- ASI Internal Audit Training (2014)
- FAMI-QS Lead Auditor Training (2014)
- University of Miami Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science Guest Lecturer (2011-Present)
- University of Maryland/JIFSAN Short Course "Analysis of Microbial Contaminants in Seafood (2016)
- SQFI Lead Auditor Training (2016)
- FSPCA PCQI Lead Instructor (2016)
- MSC Lead Auditor Update Training (2016-2018)

MEMBERSHIPS

- National Environmental Health Association (NEHA)
- International Association of Fish Inspectors (IAFI)
- ISO TC 234 Technical Committee (Aquaculture)
- National Fisheries Institute (Associate Member 2018-Present)

AQUACULTURE AND FISHERIES MANAGEMENT PANELS

- Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council (2007-2009)
- Federal Spiny Lobster and Stone Crab Advisory Panel's (2007-2009)
- South Atlantic Fisheries Management Council Snapper/Grouper IFQ/LAPP Advisory Panel (2008-2009)
- Southeast Data Assessment and Review Panel (SEDAR)- Amberjack
- Attended several Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and Federal Fisheries Council meetings.
- Panel Member- Marketing of Aquaculture Species in the EEUU (Aquaculture Investment Seminar, UM/RSMAS, 2010-2019)
- Guest Lecturer: UM/RSMAS- Aquaculture Certification (2010-Present)
- Member of International Standards Organization (ISO) Technical Committee (TC-234) Aquaculture and Fisheries
- National Fisheries Institute (NFI) Member of Import and Technical Committees (2018-Present)

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SEAFOOD INDUSTRY RELATED CONFERENCES

- Fish Expo WorkBoat Atlantic (1995)
- International Boston Seafood Show (2011- Present)
- World Aquaculture Society (2000-2016)
- Gulf Coast Fisheries Institute (2001, 2005)
- World Seafood Congress- Sydney, Australia (2005)
- Seafood Science and Technology (2009)
- Urner Barry Seafood Import Workshop Seafood Safety, Sustainability and Integrity (2010)
- Food Safety Summit (2012)
- International Feed and Meat Expo (IPPE) (2014)
- Miami Beach Food and Beverage Convention (2014-2019)
- US Customs and Border Trade Show Miami, FL (2014-2019)
- WAS Asia (2016)
- USSEC Aquaculture Wkshps (Malaysia, Indonesia, Vietnam, Philippines) (2017)

PUBLICATIONS

- Zimmerman, S. E. (2017). A Compliance Guide for Selling Seafood in the US.
 Toms River, NJ: Urner Barry.
- Zimmerman, S. E.. "Preparation, Management Techniques for Certification." *Global Aquaculture Advocate* 3 Apr. 2014. Print
- Zimmerman, S. E.. "5 Ways to Prepare for an Audit." Food Quality & Safety 22 April. 2014. Print
- Zimmerman, S. E.. "Point of View: Are Third Party Audits Worth the Money" Seafood Business 1 Mar. 2014. Print.
- Zimmerman, S. E. "5 Additional Ways to Prepare for an Audit." Food Quality & Safety 22 Feb. 2014. Print.
- Zimmerman, S. E. "Point of View: Time to Address FSMA Requirements." *Seafood Business* 13 Jan. 2012. Print.
- Zimmerman, S., Benetti, D.D. 2001. Mesocosm systems for the intensive larval rearing of marine fish. The Advocate. Global Aquaculture Alliance Technical Magazine Vol. 4(1): 45-46.
- Zimmerman, S. and D.D. Benetti 2001. Aquaculture in Brazil- Successful industry based on native and exotic species. Global Aquaculture Alliance Technical Magazine Vol. 4(1): 59-61
- Zimmerman, S. Rotman, F.J., Alarcon, J.F., Stevens, O., Matzie, W., Benetti, D.D. 2001. Cleaner Fish -- Neon Gobies Control Ectoparasites in Marine Fish Broodstock Systems. The Advocate Global Aquaculture Alliance Technical Magazine Vol. 4(1): 36-37.
- Benetti, D.D., J.F. Alarcón, O. M. Stevens, F. Rotman, G.Banner-Stevens, S. Zimmerman, M.W. Feeley, W. Matzie, M.R. Orhun, B. O'Hanlon and L. Eldridge. 2001. Marine fish culture prospects in Latin America and the Caribbean. Global Aquaculture Alliance Technical Magazine 4(4): 71-74



JAMES COOK UNIVERSITY

By the authority of the Council we certify that

Scott Zimmerman

has this day been admitted to the degree of

MASTER OF APPLIED SCIENCE (Aquaculture)

Given under the seal of the James Cook University

Vice-Chancellor and President

Genañ Karlon.

Michael Thern

University of Miami

Upon the recommendation of the Faculty has conferred on

Scott E. Zimmerman

the degree of

Bachelor of Liberal Arts

with all the rights, honors and privileges thereunto appertaining. In witness whereof, the seal of the University and the signatures of the President and the Dean are hereunto affixed.

Given at Coral Gables, Florida, on December 15th, 1999

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K.R. Strawamy

New London, Connecticut

This Certifies That

Scott K. Zimmerman

has completed the course of instruction in

Liberal Arts

and has been admitted to the Degree of

Associate in Arts

Given this eighteenth day of May, 1996.

Ward Lamer Chairman, Board of Trustees



May, Ellen Juhishi Dresident of the College

Certificate of Achievement

awarded to

Scott Zimmerman

This person has passed comprehensive examinations and continual evaluations in the competency units of:

ISO9001:2000 Lead Auditor

for International Quality Management systems
Serial # 1102563

on October 2-6, 2006, instructed by Ed Dunn, RABQSA Certified Provisional Auditor #Q08875.

Craig Deane, President QAI, Indianapolis, Indiana

www.trainingforQuality.com

3.6 CEUs

certified cour at a editation Numbers: QM850, AU849, TL858

Quality Training for Compliance and Continual Improvement



EXAMINATION CERTIFICATE

Scott Zimmerman, SeafoodFarms.com

successfully passed the examination at the GLOBALGAP TTS AQUACULTURE Workshop.

Content of the workshop and examination was:

General Regulations

All Farm

Salmonids (SN)

Aqua Base

Shrimp, Tilapia, Pangasius

Social Criteria for Shrimp
 GRASP

Chain of Custody

V 3.1 Nov09

V 3.0-3_Apr09

V 3.0-3_Mar10

V 1.0-2_Mar10 (SP, TA, PN)

V 1_0-2 Mar10

V 1.0_Apr08

V 1.2_Jan09

V 2.0-4_Jan10

Examination on:

Part A: Closed Book

86%

Part B:

Open Book

84%

Average:

85%

Criteria for passing each exam: 60 %

Course Organizer:

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GLOBALGAP, Spichernstr. 55, 50672 Köln

Place and Date of the exam:

Boston/USA, 15th - 19th March 2010

Dr. Kristian Moeller Secretary GLOBALGAP

This certificiate alone does not entitle the person to conduct public trainings in the name of GLOBALGAP. Only those persons can conduct public trainings, who went through the approval procedure and who's company is a member of GLOBALGAP (General Regulations Part V, 5.1 (iii))

GLOBALG.A.P.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

This is to certify that

Scott Zimmerman SeafoodFarms.com

has attended the
GLOBALGAP Train-the-Trainer Workshop for Aquaculture
Pangasius, Tilapia (Ver 1.0 Apr09), Shrimp (Ver 1.0-1 Apr09), Salmonids (V 3.0-2 Sep07)
on 15-17 March 2010
in Boston/USA

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Dr. Kristian Moeller GLOBALGAP Secretary 17th March 2010

GLOBALG.A.P.



CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

This is to certify that

Scott Zimmerman SeafoodFarms.com

has attended the 2 days Briefing on the International Standards for Responsible Tilapia developed by the WWF-initiated Aquaculture Dialogues on 18-19 March 2010 in Boston/USA during the GLOBALGAP Train-the-Trainer Workshop for Aquaculture

Dr. Kristian Moeller GLOBALGAP Secretary

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19th March 2010

GLOBALGA.I

THIS CERTIFIES THAT

SCOTT ZIMMERMAN

HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE
SEAFOOD HACCP TRAINING WORKSHOP
BASED ON HACCP ALLIANCE COURSE MATERIAL
IN HERMOSILLO, MEXICO
ON 25 JULY 2006

MONICA DRAZBA

25 JULY 2006

SEAFOOD HACCP ALLIANCE INSTRUCTOR #0033-042406-0019

THE SEAFOOD HACCP TRAINING WORKSHOP IS SPONSORED BY AQUACULTURE CERTIFICATION COUNCIL, INC. (ACC)





CERTIFYING BEST AQUACULTURE PRACTICES



The Accreditation Committee Of Aquaculture Certification Council, Inc.
Hereby Certifies That

Scott Zimmerman

Has Successfully Completed The Requirements To Serve As An Aquaculture Certification Council, Inc. Accredited Certifier.

Charles F. Woodhouse, ACC President

William R. More, ACC Vice President/Directo

11160

60 28 July 2006

ACC Certifier Number

Date Accredited

Certifying Best Practices for Responsible Aquaculture





This is to certify that

Scott Zimmerman

Has successfully completed a training course in

GAA Best Aquaculture Practices Seafood Processing Standard

Training included:

- BAP Standard Requirements and Interpretation

- ISO 65 Requirements

-Non Conformance preparation

- Auditor Skills

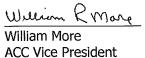
- Report Preparation

- Auditor Responsibilities

- Certification Process

Course Date: 27 - 29 July 2009







Approved Auditor Certificate



The Accreditation Committee Of Aquaculture Certification Council, Inc.
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Charles F. Woodhouse, ACC President

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ACC Certifier Number

William R. More, ACC Vice President/Director

12/13/2006

Date Approved

Certifying Best Practices for Responsible Aquaculture



SEAFOOD HACCP ALLIANCE

in cooperation with

THE ASSOCIATION OF FOOD AND DRUG OFFICIALS

present this

Certificate of HACCP Course Completion

to

Scott Zimmerman

having completed the Association of Food and Drug Officials/Seafood HACCP Alliance "Basic Course" in seafood Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point theory and practical application. This course developed through a National Sea Grant College Program project contained the core training manual and curriculum developed by the Seafood HACCP Alliance to teach HACCP concepts for food safety. This curriculum referenced and incorporated recommendations and concepts from the National Advisory Committee on Microbiological Criteria for Foods, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's Fish and Fishery Products Hazards and Control Guide, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's mandatory seafood HACCP regulations (21 CFR Part 123), and various HACCP models prepared by the governmental agencies, trade associations, academia and individuals having expert knowledge of the concepts and application of HACCP. This course satisfies the mandatory training requirement contained in 21 CFR, part 123.10.

1551-121609-29532

Certificate Number

Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO) in conjunction with Association of Food and Drug Officials of the Southern States

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Davie, FL 12/16/2009

Training Location and Date

SEAFOOD HACCP ALLIANCE

in cooperation with

THE ASSOCIATION OF FOOD AND DRUG OFFICIALS

present this

Certificate of HACCP Trainer Course Completion

to

Scott E. Zimmerman

having completed the Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO)/Seafood HACCP Alliance "Train the Trainer Course" in seafood Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point theory and practical application. This course, developed through a National Sea Grant College Program project, contained the core training manual and curriculum developed by the Seafood HACCP Alliance to teach HACCP concepts for food safety. This curriculum referenced and incorporated recommendations and concepts from the National Advisory Committee on Microbiological Criteria for Foods, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's Fish and Fishery Products Hazards and Control Guide, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's mandatory seafood HACCP regulations (21 CFR Part 123), and various HACCP models prepared by the governmental agencies, trade associations, academia and individuals having expert knowledge of the concepts and application of HACCP. This course satisfies the mandatory training requirement contained in 21 CFR, part 123.10.

0074-062712-36176

Certificate Number

Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO)

Manchi C. John

Miami, FL 6/27/2012

Training Location and Date

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

No. 031402



Scott Zimmerman

USDC/NOAA HACCP Training Workshop for Seafood September 24-26, 2002

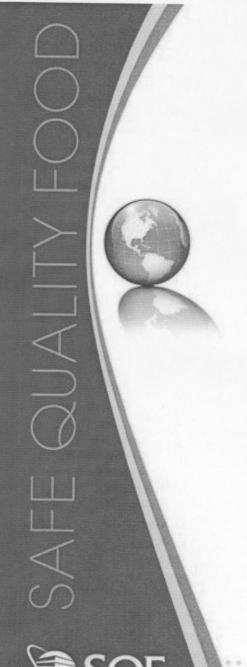


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Karla Ruzicka, Chief National Training Section



Completion of this workshop fulfills training requirements for the FDA as outlined in 21 CFR Part 123.10 and USDC HACCP Quality Management Program



SQF Program

CERTIFICATE OF ATTAINMENT

This is to certify that

Scott Zimmerman

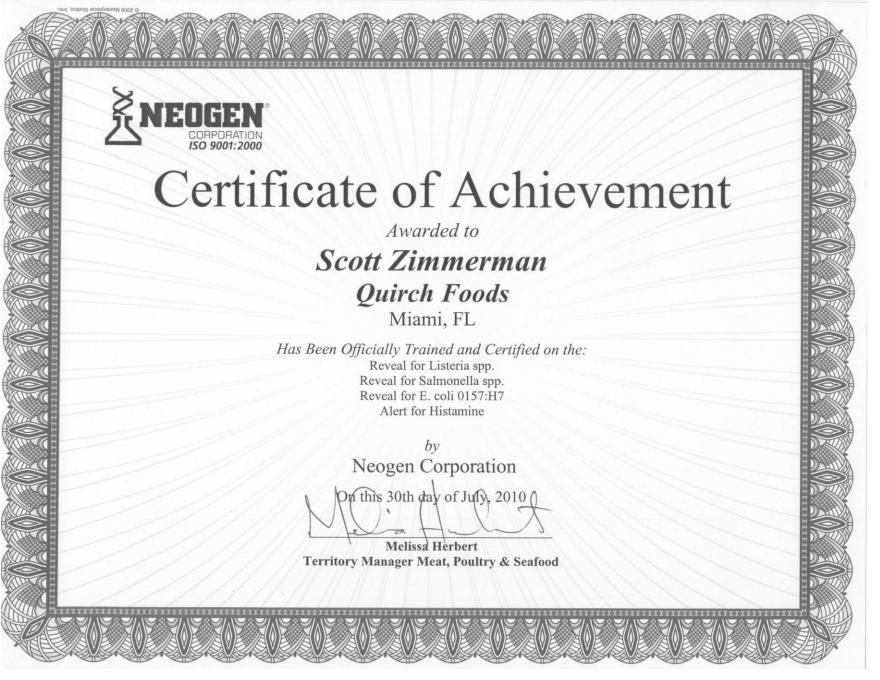
has successfully completed Implementing

SQF 2000 Systems

Dated April 1, 2011 Training Center SQF Institute

Certificate ID ca94d121-d358-4842-94d5-087cb5f121bd Member ID: 3ae105af-2d36-4517-bf51-e12c69cd9446

Urner Barry Publications, Inc. **Certificate of Completion** This Document Certifies That **Scott Zimmerman** Has successfully accomplished six hours of instruction in the following program: VORKSHOP **Urner Barry Publications, Inc.** P.O. Box 389 • Toms River, NJ 08754 • (732) 240-5330 • FAX (732) 341-0891 • www.urnerbarry.com



The National Environmental Health Association

(Incorporated 1937)

Issues This

Certificate Of Registration

As Testimony That

Scott Zimmerman

has satisfactorily fulfilled the requirements set forth by the National Credentialing Board and is therefore, by these presents, entitled to recognition as a Certified Professional-Food Safety

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Credential ID Number

by the National Environmental Health Association.
In Witness Whereof, we have subscribed our names and affixed our Seal of the Association this day of January 23, 2013.
Initial certification issued January 01, 2013.

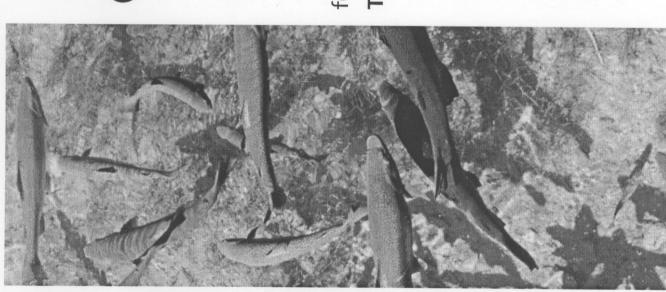
Current Certification Period

January 01, 2013 - December 31, 2014

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President, NEHA



ertificate of Completion

awarded to

Scott Zimmerman

for completion of the Aquaculture Drugs and US Regulations Training Module for International Producers

February 12, 2013

Date



Certificate of Attendance Scott Zimmerman

frozen tuna (natural and CO), swordfish, squid, vannemai shrimp, octopus, snapper Has attended the Sensory Evaluation Workshop in Miami, FL on March 5 & 6, 2014, for the following species:

Sponsored by:

National Fisheries Institute in cooperation with Food and Orug Administration USDC/NOAA-SIP
Quirch Foods



Jaylar Rehistore Ph.D.

Barbara Blakistone, Ph.D.' Director, Scientific Affairs National Fisheries Institute



This certificate acknowledges that

Scott Zimmerman

has both attended and successfully completed the course for

Internal Auditor with GMP's

16 Hour Course

This seminar was conducted by Mike Nolan for

ASI Food Safety Consultants, Inc.

























The SQF Institute

Confirms that



Scott Zimmerman Zimmerman

Has met the requirements for SQF Auditor - High Risk

In the following Food Sector Categories:

02,06,09,26.

- 01. Production, Capture & harvesting of Livestock & Game Animals
- 03. Growing & Production of Fresh Produce (HR)
- 05. Extensive Acre Agriculture Operations (HR)
- ${\it 07. Slaughterhouse, Boning \& butchery Operations}\\$
- 09. Seafood Processing (HR)
- 11. Honey Processing (HR)
- 13. Bakery & Snack Food Processing (HR)
- 15. Canning, Pasteurizing, UHT & Aseptic Operations (HR)
- 17. Confectionary Manufacturing (HR)
- 19. Food Ingredient Manufacturing (HR)
- 21. Oils, Fats, & the Manufacture of Oil or Fat-Based Spreads
- 23. Food Catering & Food Service Operations (HR)
- 25. Fresh Produce Wholesaling & Distribution
- 27. Manufacture of Food Sector Packaging Materials
- 29. Provision of Field Harvest Services (HR)
- 31. Manufacture of Dietary Supplements (HR)
- 33. Manufacturing of Agricultural Chemicals & Food Process Aids
- 35. Broker or Agent

- 02. Growing & Harvesting of Animal Feeds
- 04. Fresh Produce Pack House Operations
- 06. Harvest & Intensive Farming of Fish (HR)
- 08. Processing of Manufactured Meats & Poultry (HR)
- 10. Dairy Food Processing (HR)
- 12. Egg Processing (HR)
- 14. Fruit & Vegetable Processing (HR)
- 16. Ice, Drink & Beverage Processing (HR)
- 18. Preserved Foods Manufacturing (HR)
- 20. Recipe Meals Manufacturing (HR)
- 22. Processing of Cereal Grains & Nuts (HR) 24. Food Retailing
- 26. Food Wholesaling & Distribution
- 28. Provision of Crop Spray Services (HR)
- 30. Provision of Sanitation & Hygiene Services
- 32. Manufacture of Pet Food
- 34. Manufacturing of Animal Feeds

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May 2016

May 2017

Certificate Number

Certificate Date

Expiry Date

John F Schug

John F. Schulz

Director of Business Operations, SQF Institute





CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

This is to certify that

Scott Zimmerman

has successfully completed the course.

Completion Date: 23 October 2015 Training Center: SQFI

Certificate Number: 20631





CERTIFICATE OF TRAINING

is awarded to

Scott Zimmerman

in recognition for having successfully completed the Food Safety Preventive Controls Alliance course:

Lead Instructor Training for FSPCA Preventive Controls for Human Food

delivered by Lead Instructor,

Faith Critzer completed on, 06/30/2016

Robert Brackett, VP and Director Institute for Food Safety and Health

WIFSH INSTITUTE FOR FOOD SAFETY AND HEALTH

ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Gerald Wojtala, Executive Director
International Food Protection Training Institute

INTERNATIONAL FOOD PROTECTION TRAINING INSTITUTE

Certificate # cbc3eb26

Joseph Corby, Executive Director Association of Food and Prug Officials



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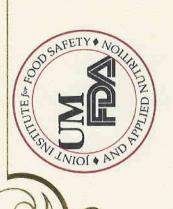
ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Gerald Wojtala, Executive Director
International Food Protection Training Institute



Certificate # cbc3eb26

Joseph Corby, Executive Director Association of Food and Drug Officials



Certificate of Participation

This certificate is awarded to:

Scott Zimmerman

University of Maryland and the FDA Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition in College Park, for attending the Analysis of Microbial Contaminants in Seafood training organized by the

April 11-15, 2016

Instructors:

Atin Datta, Ph.D., FDA
Angelo DePaola, FDA (retired)
John Bosland, BioMerieux
Jessica Jones, Ph.D., FDA

Chengchu (Cathy) Liu, Ph.D., UMD Extension Salina Parveen, Ph.D. UMES Angela Winslow, UMD/JIFSAN

Jani Debai

Janie Dubois, Ph.D Laboratory Manager, JIFSAN/IFSTL



INTERNATIONAL FOOD SAFETY

Best Aquaculture Practices Certificate



This certificate is awarded to

Scott Zimmerman

This individual has successfully completed the November 2016 BAP Auditor Training Course in Miami, FL, USA Best Aquaculture Practices Certification Program Course and may conduct audits

21 December 2016

Date

	(upon completion of a BAP-Approved CB's 1	Training Shadow/Witness Audit requirements) ving catagories:
√	C1 Seafood Processing Plants	C4 Marine Cage Culture Farm Systems only (no salmon experience) and related hatcheries
√	C2 Land-Based Aquaculture Systems (including ponds, raceways, recirculating systems, fresh and/or brackish	C5 Mollusk farms (including mussels) and related hatcheries
	water cages - all species and related hatcheries)	C6 Feed Mills
L '	C3 Salmon and Marine Cage Farms (all marine finfish species and related hatcheries)	C7 Group Farms & Cluster Farms & Hatcheries

Ali Blais, BAP Certification Manager