

Speaker Spotlight

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Talk title:

Contaminants without legal maximum levels – no limits or defined procedures?

meyer.science GmbH supports food industry clients across the entire EU throughout the full lifecycle of their products. We are a team of scientists working in interdisciplinary teams with our food lawyers meyer.rechtsanwälte, based in Munich.

As Managing Director, Dr. Uta Verbeek – a registered pharmacist with a PhD in pharmacology and toxicology – leads meyer.science's work on recipe and formulation checks (e.g. novel food status, nutrient limits) and risk assessments on contaminants, pesticide residues, and food contact material migration. She also directs the company's crisis management support and liaison with authorities and risk assessment bodies across the EU, including EFSA and the EU Commission.

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