2011 Schedule of Activities
Iowa State University
Meat and Poultry Science Extension

January 18-20  Cured Meat Short Course
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163 Processing Room

February 7-11  ISU/Smithfield Foods Meat & Poultry Brown Belt Training Level 3
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163, Processing Room

February 18  IMPA Seminar - held in conjunction with the Iowa Meat Processors Association Annual Convention
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163 Processing Room

February 19  Iowa Meat Processors Association Cured Meat Competition - held in conjunction with their annual convention
Location: Gateway Hotel & Conference Center

February 21-25  ISU/Smithfield Foods Maintenance & Engineering Brown Belt Training Level 3
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163, Processing Room

March 1-3  Pork 101
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 137, Processing Room, Room 163, Farm Bureau Livestock Pavilion

March 26  BBQ Spring Training Camp
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163, Processing Room

March 28-31  ISU/Smithfield Foods Finance Training
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 137, Room 163, Room 223, Room 191, Processing Room

April 5-7  Dry & Semi-Dry Sausage Short Course
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163, Processing Room

April 28  FSIS Food Safety Summit
Location: Ensminger Room, Kildee Hall Atrium

May 2-6  ISU/Smithfield Foods Maintenance & Engineering Brown Belt Training Level 1
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163, Processing Room

May 16-19  ISU/Smithfield Foods Meat & Poultry Brown Belt Training Level 1
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June 7-9  ISU/Smithfield Foods Meat and Poultry Black Belt Training Session 2
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Processing Room, Room 223, Room 191, Room 163

June 17  American Cured Meat Championships
Location: Reno, Nevada

June  Iowa BBQ Society Contest
Location: Marshalltown

July 18-22  33rd Annual Sausage and Processed Meat Short Course
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 137, Room 163, Room 223, Room 191, Processing Room

August 11  Iowa Meat Processors Association State Fair Ham, Bacon and Dried Beef Competition
Location: Des Moines, Iowa

August 11-21  Food Product Judging at the Iowa State Fair Family Center
Location: Des Moines, Iowa

September 12-16  ISU/Smithfield Foods Meat and Poultry Brown Belt Training Level 2
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Processing Room, Room 223, Room 191, Room 163

September 26-30  ISU/Smithfield Foods Maintenance & Engineering Brown Belt Training Level 2
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Room 163, Processing Room

October 4-5  ISU/Smithfield Foods Meat and Poultry Black Belt Training Session 1
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Processing Room, Room 223, Room 191, Room 163, Room 223, Room 191, Room 163; Kildee Hall Ensminger Room

October 8  Iowa State Meat Evaluation Contest
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 144, Room 163, Processing Room; Kildee Hall Atrium

October 13-15  HACCP Workshop
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Processing

November 8-10  Basic Sausage Short Course
Location: ISU Meat Laboratory: Room 133, Processing Room, Room 163