Selected Outreach Activities- Ravishankar Team- UArizona

City High School Students Tour 2018- Tucson, AZ

Dr. Ravishankar and her team gave a tour of her labs and demonstrated the food safety projects in her lab to a group of students from City High School for their Food Science class on Nov. 9, 2018. They also presented their experience in food science and food safety as a career and why they selected this career.

Southern Arizona Research, Science and Engineering Foundation (SARSEF)- Future Innovator’s Night 2019- Tucson AZ

Dr. Ravishankar and her team hosted the University of Arizona- Food Safety Booth at the SARSEF- Future Innovator’s Night on March 8, 2019, held in the Tucson Convention Center, in which they explained the importance of food safety and microbiology, prevention of cross-contamination and use of natural sanitizers for washing fresh produce to thousands of children and their parents visiting the SARSEF posters and exhibits.

Cactus – Institute of Food Technologist Suppliers Night 2019- Phoenix, AZ

Food safety team members from Dr. Ravishankar’s lab exhibited the different antimicrobials and projects in the lab to around 15 food science professionals at the Cactus-IFT Suppliers' Night Food Safety Booth held in Phoenix on the 9th of April, 2019. This event was organized by the Cactus Institute of Food Technologists section, with a goal to represents all areas of the food industry and to promote all aspects of food technology.

USDA Ag Discovery Camp Students Tour 2018-2022- Tucson, AZ

Dr. Ravishankar and members from her lab demonstrated the food safety aspects of various projects to high school students and their mentors from across the United States and its territories as a part of the USDA-Ag Discovery Camp. This event was organized by the USDA-APHIS and UA-Yuma Campus, mainly focused on agriculture related research, and helping students understand the importance of agriculture and safe food production in our lives.


Dr. Ravishankar and members of her lab demonstrated the ongoing food safety work in her lab to a group of high school students from local schools when they visited/toured her lab as a part of the SaferFoodCats Summer Camp. This event was focused on helping students understand the importance of food safety.

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