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# GLUTEN FREE BREAD LINE MAKES DEBUT AT PROCESS EXPO

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## Production line participants announced

PROCESS EXPO today announced the list of manufacturers who will be participating in the gluten free flat bread production line that will be on display during the PROCESS EXPO 2021 show floor. PROCESS EXPO will take place November 2-5, 2021 at Chicago's McCormick Place and there will be live demonstrations of the bakery line, three times daily to show attendees the entire process from mixing of the ingredients, through simulated baking and freezing, depositing of toppings and packaging of the finished product.

Participating exhibitors in this line include:

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- CMC America
- Handtmann
- Senius/Naegele
- Linde
- Quantum Topping Systems
- Harpak/ULMA
- METTLER TOLEDO

Additionally, prominent engineering firm and FPSA member, <u>Dennis</u> <u>Group</u>, is serving as sponsor and Project Manager of the line, while G-free Di Tobia is also sponsoring the line by providing gluten free ingredients for all demonstrations.

"We are extremely excited to bring together this group of exceptional suppliers to the bakery industry for this project," said Tony Graves, Chairman of the FPSA Bakery Council. "This line illustrates how different manufacturers can work together, in concert, to build a production line that works efficiently by leveraging the technological strengths of each

company. This year's line will tackle the challenges of producing a gluten-free product which many of our customers are interested in seeing. The demonstrations at McCormick Place will be the culmination of roughly a year's work and provide an excellent reason to attend the show."



"This year's PROCESS EXPO is scheduled to be the first food focused trade show on the calendar, following the long pandemic layoff," said David Seckman, President & CEO of the Food Processing Suppliers Association (FPSA). "Our members report significant pent-up demand for capital projects among their customers, and this year's show will be the perfect venue to address that. This year's show will be our third event highlighting live demonstrations of lines with actual production of finished product. During previous events, a majority of all registrants attended at least one of the production line demonstrations as they have proved to be unique show floor activities that you simply don't find at other events. Not only do attendees get to see the equipment in action, but they also get to sit down with these suppliers and discuss how it might fit into their plans."

PROCESS EXPO brings together thousands of qualified buyers, food and beverage processors and packaging professionals, including C-level industry executives, engineers, technical directors, plant managers, product development managers and more.

Registration for the 2021 edition is open. <u>Sign up here</u>. For more details, visit the website at <u>www.myprocessexpo.com</u>.

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The Food Processing Suppliers Association (FPSA) is a global trade association serving suppliers in the food and beverage industries. The Association's programs and services support members' success by providing assistance in marketing their products and services, overall improvement in key business practices and many opportunities to network among industry colleagues. Programs and services to achieve these objectives include PROCESS EXPO (industry leading trade show), electronic media marketing, education, market intelligence, research, and advocation of critical industry issues such as food safety, sanitary design of equipment, and global trade. FPSA members are organized in vertical industry councils which focus on specific needs and concerns that are unique to each industry sector. FPSA councils currently represent the <u>Bakery, Beverage, Dairy, Pet Food, Prepared Foods</u> and <u>Meat</u> sectors.

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#### Messe Frankfurt international trade fairs for the food industry

Messe Frankfurt organizes trade fairs relating to food processing all over the world. They are grouped under the heading of 'Food Technology'. Currently, five events belong to this portfolio. In addition to IFFA, Leading International Trade Fair for the Meat Industry in Frankfurt am Main, and Tecno Fidta, International Food Technology, Additives and Ingredients Trade Fair in Argentina they are Meat Pro Asia in Thailand, Modern Bakery Moscow, International Trade Fair for Bakery and Confectionery and Salon du Chocolat, Moscow.

Further information about the events of Messe Frankfurt in the field of food processing at: <a href="https://www.food-technologies.messefrankfurt.com">www.food-technologies.messefrankfurt.com</a>.