Registration Information
* $1,000 Early-bird Registration Fee (US) by June 26, 2009
* $1,100 Regular Registration Fee (US)
You will receive a confirmation email within four weeks of registering. Payment in full is due by the start of the short course. Cancellations received after July 31, 2009, will be assessed a $50 fee. The remainder of the registration fee will be refunded. No cancellations or refunds will be allowed after the short course starts. Registration fee will be completely refunded if the short course is cancelled and students request a refund no later than two weeks after the start of the course. Approximately $200 of the registration fee will go toward food functions (continental breakfasts, scheduled breaks, and group luncheons) at the short course. This information is being provided for tax reporting purposes. Hotel rooms and other meals are not included in the registration fee.

Short Course Schedule
Participants may pick up their short course materials at the short course location (IGP Conference Center, 785-532-4070; www.ksu.edu/igp) starting at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 11. The short course will consist of a series of lectures beginning at 8:30 a.m. each day. There will be afternoon laboratory sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday, and an interactive business planning session on Friday afternoon. On Thursday participants will go on a field trip to the extrusion equipment manufacturing facilities of Wenger Manufacturing in Sabetha, KS. Sessions conclude at approximately 5:00 p.m. each day.

Hotel Information
Manhattan Clarion
530 Richards Drive, Manhattan KS
Phone: 785-539-5311
*Single/Double Room - $76.00 + tax
A block of rooms has been reserved at the Clarion at a special rate until July 11, 2009. Make your reservation directly with the hotel, and mention that you are with the IGP Extrusion Short Course in order to obtain the special rate. The hotel will provide transportation to and from the course location, IGP Conference Center.

Registration Discounts!
If two or more people from the same company or institution enroll in this short course, each is entitled to a 10% discount off the registration fee. Your registration forms MUST be submitted together in order to receive the discount. Students who attend this short course will receive a 20% discount when they enclose a written endorsement of their student status from a professor in their department.

Questions or Special Needs?
KSU is dedicated to making short courses accessible to all persons. Please contact one of the following if you have a special dietary need or are physically limited:
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Who Should Attend?
Food processors who want training in fundamentals and operations, entrepreneurs who desire to set up an extrusion-based business and would like to develop a business plan, and researchers and students interested in learning the latest trends in extrusion processing. The course is tailored for U.S. as well as international participants, and presents an excellent opportunity to develop contacts with experts and industry people from all over the world.

Comments from past participants:
“Every aspect was informative and some sections gave in-depth knowledge on application/processing... I have several suggestions/recommendations to take back to my company.”
“This short course was really wonderful. Please tell me every time whenever these type of courses (are) held. I’ll be grateful to join them.”
“Awesome! Real world case studies (in the business planning session) are great. This separates this extrusion course from any other I have attended. Perfect!”

August 11-14, 2009
IGP Conference Center
Dept. of Grain Science & Industry
Kansas State University
Manhattan, Kansas USA
An International Grains Program Short Course
Short Course Description
This course covers the underlying principles of extrusion processing from raw material selection and equipment to post-processing operations and control systems. Lectures will address a diverse range of extruded products including breakfast cereals, snacks, petfood, and feed for poultry, animal and aquatic species. A substantial portion of the course will be devoted to business planning and the commercialization aspects of setting up an extrusion plant. Lab sessions with hands-on experience with pilot-scale extrusion equipment will be an important part of this short course.

The course is jointly organized by the Dept. of Grain Science & Industry and Dept. of Agricultural Economics at Kansas State, with active participation by regional industry partners. The extrusion lab at Kansas State, which is part of the Grain Science Dept., has a strong emphasis on service, research and teaching. The extrusion pilot lab is primarily housed in the new Bioprocessing and Industrial Value-Added Program building, and has a variety of facilities including pilot-scale twin and single screw extruders and a pilot-scale gas-fired dryer.

Learn Basics of Extrusion Technology and Business Aspects
Extrusion processing of food and feed products is a multi-billion dollar industry in the US and Europe and is emerging in the rest of the world. This short course will cover the state-of-the-art technology including different types of extruders, dryers and control systems. Processing of various food, petfood and feed products will also be described. The intricacies of setting up an extrusion-based business will be addressed including capital decision-making and strategic planning. Case studies will be conducted with emphasis on both US and developing world markets.

Speakers
Sajid Alavi, Associate Professor
Grain Science and Industry, KSU
Vincent Amanor-Boadu, Assistant Professor
Agricultural Economics, KSU
Fadi Aramouni, Professor
Animal Sciences, KSU
Michael Bachelor, Engineer
Bachelor Controls, Inc., Sabetha, KS
Kaleb Beyer, Technical Center Manager
Wenger Manufacturing, Inc., Sabetha, KS
Girish Ganiyal, Principal Scientist
MGP Ingredients, Inc., Atchison, KS
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Spray Dynamics, Ltd., St. Clair, MO
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Grain Science and Industry, KSU
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Wenger Manufacturing, Inc., Sabetha, KS
Brad Strahm, Principal
The XIM Group, LLC, Sabetha, KS
Bhadriraju Subramanyam, Professor
Grain Science and Industry, KSU

Course Outline
Day 1 – August 11 (Tuesday)
8:00 am: Registration; Continental Breakfast
8:30 am:
• Ingredient Functionality
• Extrusion Hardware and Design
• Extruder Operation and Process Variables
12 Noon: Group Luncheon
1:00 pm:
• Drying and Toasting
• Hands-on Session on Pilot-Scale Extruders
• Campus Tour
6:00 pm: Banquet

Day 2 – August 12 (Wednesday)
8:00 am Continental Breakfast
8:30 am:
• Principles of Die Design
• Extrusion Applications - Food
• Coating of Snacks and Cereals
• Extrusion Control Systems
12 Noon: Group Luncheon
1:00 pm:
• Extrusion Troubleshooting
• Hands-on Session on Pilot-Scale Extruders

Day 3 – August 13 (Thursday)
8:00 am Continental Breakfast
8:15 am: Textured Soy Protein
10:00 am Instrumental/Analytical Techniques
11:00 am: Field trip to Wenger Manufacturing

Day 4 - August 14 (Friday)
8:00 am Continental Breakfast
8:30 am:
• Sensory Aspects of Extrusion Products
• Plant Sanitation and Pest Management
• Overview of the Product Development Process
12 Noon: Group Luncheon
1:00 pm:
• Business Plan: Capital Decision Making I
• Business Plan: Capital Decision Making II
• Business Plan: Strategic Planning
• Case Study and Active Interaction

Registration Form
Register me for the Extrusion Processing: Technology and Commercialization Short Course scheduled for August 11-14, 2009, at KSU:
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Payment Options
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