



JOIN US!

78th ANNUAL PRODUCTION CONFERENCE

APRIL 7-9, 2025
LANCASTER, PA

MONDAY, APRIL 7

MORNING: FROM BAR TO BEYOND – CHOCOLATE APPLICATIONS

- Compounds
- Sauces
- Frozen desserts
- Bakery

Attendees will be treated to demos and tasting samples!

AFTERNOON: SUPPLIER EXHIBIT

2025 HIGHLIGHTS

- Dynamic exhibit floor layout
- Advertising options for exhibitors in show materials
- Regular and expanded booth space options
- Complimentary exhibit hall-only passes available – includes admission to supplier show and cocktail reception



TUESDAY, APRIL 8

MORNING: PRESENTATIONS

- Milk in Confectionery
- Flex Work Program
- Everything I Needed to Know About Regulatory I Learned on the Farm
- Development of Sugar Free & Reduced Sugar Products

AFTERNOON: CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE

PMCA HOSTED LUNCH

Catch up with friends and colleagues or recharge to get ready for the rest of the day.

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Customize your Tuesday afternoon experience by choosing from six different topics led by experienced industry professionals.

- Caramel Panel
- Gelatin Substitutes: How Plant-Based Marshmallows Differ from Commercial Standards
- Auditory Cues in Sensory Experience
- Oil Migration
- Analysis of Cadmium & Lead in Chocolate Manufacture
- How AI Impacts the Role of a Candy Technologist

EVENING: AWARDS DINNER

Enjoy a cocktail reception followed by a dinner and brief awards ceremony.

- Marie Kelso Memorial Award
- Distinguished Service Award

And of course, distribution of the renowned PMCA Candy Bag!



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9

MORNING: SUSTAINABILITY IN ACTION

- Overcoming Manufacturing & Sourcing Obstacles: Strategies for Achieving Stability in Sustainability
- Navigating a Climate-Conscious World

