



3rd Pan-American Conference for Alternative Methods

Starting in 2016 in Baltimore, 2018 in Rio and now a bit delayed due to COVID in 2023 in Canada, the Pan-American Conference for Alternative Methods series brings South, Central, and North America together to further alternatives to animal testing and build collaboration for the exchange of scientific ideas. This year we will focus on reconnecting pos-pandemic and sharing new developments in the governmental commitment for the alternatives.

Date: August 27, 2023
12:30 pm – 3:00 pm EST

Venue: Niagara Convention & Civic Centre
6815 Stanley Avenue, Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada

Registration [here](#).

Program:

12:30 pm – **Welcome** - Charu Chandrasekera (Canadian Centre for Alternatives to Animal Methods)

12:35 pm - **Pan American: History and Updates** - Thomas Hartung (Johns Hopkins Center for Alternatives to Animal Testing - USA) and Kristie Sullivan (Institute for In Vitro Sciences, Inc)

1:15 pm - **Updates on Regulations** - Nicole Kleinstreuer (National Toxicology Program Interagency Center for the Evaluation of Alternative Toxicological Methods - USA) and Jose Mauro Granjeiro (National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - Brazil)

2:00 pm - **Governmental Structure and Dissemination** - Luciene Balottin (National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology – Brazil) and Maria Laura Gutierrez (National Scientific and Technical Research Council – Argentina)

2:45 pm – **Open Discussion and Closing Remarks**