Maine Specialty Food Mission

Winter Fancy Food Show - Buyers Meetings

January 17-22, 2020 | San Francisco, CA

Maine International Trade Center (MITC) invites you to participate in the **State of Maine Pavilion** at the Winter Fancy Food Show in San Francisco.

Each year, 18,000+ Winter Fancy Food Show attendees discover more than 80,000 products featuring the world's finest foods and beverages from more than 1,400 exhibitors representing over 35 countries.



Since 1955, the Fancy Food Shows have been North America's largest specialty food and beverage marketplace. Between the Winter Show in San Francisco and the Summer Show in New York City, the National Association for the Specialty Food Trade events bring in more than 40,000 attendees from more than 80 countries and regions to see 260,000 innovative food and specialty food products.

In addition to the trade show, companies will participate in the Food Export USA Buyers Mission, giving Maine companies the opportunity to present products in pre-scheduled,

one-on-one appointments with some of the industry's most important international distributors, retailers, and foodservice buyers.

Maine International Trade Center will provide companies with trade show assistance, including market research reports, and help with post trade show follow up.

SCHEDULE

January 17th, Friday: Departure for San Francisco; Booth Set Up January 18th, Saturday: One-on-One Buyers Meetings; Booth Set Up January 19th - 22nd, Sunday - Tuesday: Trade Show January 23rd, Wednesday: Departure for Maine

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Registration Cost Booth Cost

MITC member: \$350 \$3,400

10 x 10 exhibit space

Non-member: \$450 electrical and furniture included (additional costs may apply)

freight not included



IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Airfare and lodging costs are not included in the above prices.
- Exhibiting companies must be Specialty Food Association members.
- STEP reimbursement funds are available to qualifying companies participating in Food Export USA international buyers meetings.
- 50% cost reimbursements are available through Food Export USA's branded program for qualifying companies.
- Refunds will not be issued after registration.



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STEP Financial Assistance Awards are available for SBA-eligible Maine companies seeking new international sales.

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