

HRAWI continues FSSAI's FoSTaC Programme in 2021

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The Hotel and Restaurant Association of Western India (HRAWI) in association with the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) resumes conducting the Online Food Safety Supervisory Training in Advance Catering (FoSTaC) programme for the year 2021.

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Sherry Bhatia, President, HRAWI said, *"The FSSAI is taking extra efforts to prioritise education on food safety and handling SOPs amongst hospitality professionals and the HRAWI wants its members to equip themselves with this knowledge. Conducting such trainings has become all the more critical during the Coronavirus pandemic. Not only will it ensure that hospitality professionals are fully aware of the nuances in food handling and safety, but it will also help in building customer confidence. This training session was conducted virtually and we were pleasantly surprised to see a good turn-up. We are glad to know that hoteliers and restaurateurs see value in the programme."*

The HRAWI has successfully trained and certified over 3000 hospitality professionals across India's Western region. HRAWI is a 70 years old Association of Hotels and Restaurants in Western India. Its members include various restaurants and smaller Hotels up to 5-Star Deluxe categories. The bulk of its members like any growth economy are made up of restaurants and budget hotels. With membership base spread across Western India, HRAWI covers Maharashtra, Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Goa and the Union Territories of Daman, Diu & Silvassa.