

**Name:**

Adriene Abbott

**Country:**

United States

**Company:**

Mountaire Farms of Delaware

**Job Title:**

Director of Food Safety and Quality Assurance

**What is your current role?**

My Current role is with Mountaire Farms Inc. as Director of Food Safety and Quality Assurance.

**Why did you join the BRCGS Professional Programme?**

I joined the BRCGS Professional Programme to further advance knowledge, achieve top test and project scores to demonstrate my ability to implement the knowledge, and be accepted into the new challenges offered by the Professional Programme Academy courses.

**What value do you personally feel the BRCGS Professional certification brings to you?**

To me personally, the BRCGS Professional certification strengthens my knowledge of the diverse audit scheme, food safety, risk management, and quality programs which will contribute to grow and protect the food industry. It is my hope to continue learning, implementing, and pass on the commitment to quality to our next generation of Quality Professionals.

**How has/will the recognition programme impacted your work?**

Certification lends meaningful credentials to aid and support Quality Assurance professional background. The learning categories required to achieve the final certification demonstrate subject matter expertise and program management discipline across Food Safety and Quality platforms. The program is recognized by many Food Processing arenas around the globe. Conducting project work to achieve excellent audit scores, practice, deploy, and expand the standard and programs across multi sight facilities raises confidence and integrity to our food supply chain.

**How did you get to your current role?**

My background is Food Microbiology, Commercial Processing, and Fast Food Services which all benefit from consistent Food Safety and Quality schemes. The programs provoke producing food to higher standards, reliability, and safety to serve consumers around the world.