

Pre-Conference Seminar – October 20th-21st, 2015

Sustainable Supply Chain Practices for Competitive Advantage: New Strategies for a New Game

8:00 am – 5:00 pm

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Conference Agenda - Day 1 – Thursday, October 22nd

Registration & Networking Breakfast

7:00 am – 8:15 am

**Opening Ceremonies
& Keynote Speaker**

8:30 am – 9:45 am

Jennifer Jones

Olympic Gold Medalist,
2014 Canadian Olympic Curling Team

Jennifer will be available during the morning break for photos and autographs.

Concurrent Sessions

10:00 am – 10:45 am

**Leveraging Big Data to Better
Understand Traffic Congestion
in the GTA & Hamilton**

Dr. Mark Ferguson
Research Associate,
McMaster Institute of
Transportation & Logistics

**Bridging the Gap between the Tactical
and Strategic Supply Chains**

Dr. Steven A. Melnyk
Professor, Operations and Supply
Chain Management,
Michigan State University, Eli Broad
Graduate School of Management

**The Economic Outlook for Ontario
and Canada**

Paul Ferley
Assistant Chief Economist,
RBC Royal Bank

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<p>Session Break 10:45 am – 11:15 am</p>	<p>Facilitated Speed Networking Our facilitators will help you break the ice.</p>		<p>Jennifer Jones will be available for photos and autographs.</p>
<p>Concurrent Sessions 11:15 am – 12:15 pm</p>	<p>Job Search Skills for the New Economy Steven Bryce Vice President, Reimer Associates Inc.</p>	<p>What Benefits do 3PLs & their Clients Gain from Sharing Demand Information? Dr. Michael Haughton Professor, Operations and Decision Sciences, Wilfrid Laurier University, School of Business and Economics</p>	<p>Energy Efficiency Procurement (workshop) Robert Greene Professor, Niagara College <i>(This session goes from 11:15 am – 12:45 pm)</i></p>
<p>Lunch 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm</p>			
<p>Plenary Session 1:15 pm – 2:30 pm</p>	<p>Navigating Change at the Strategic Level (Panel) Doug Harrison – President & CEO, VersaCold Logistics Services Robert Wiebe – Senior Vice President of Supply Chain, Loblaw Companies Limited Mike Owens – Former Vice President of Physical Logistics, Nestlé Canada Inc. (Retired)</p>		
<p>Session Break 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm</p>	<p>Facilitated Speed Networking</p>		

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Concurrent Sessions 3:00 pm – 3:45 pm	Strategies on Leading Business Change Effort Lani Lindsay Senior Director, Supply Chain, Walmart Canada	Transportation Buying Trends 2016 and Beyond Lou Smyrlis Publisher & Editorial Director, Truck News, Truck West, Fleet Executive, Canadian Shipper, Newcom Business Media	Transforming Procurement – When It’s not a Priority Kathy Simon Director, Indirect Procurement and Vendor Relations, Indigo Books & Music Inc.	Transforming the Healthcare Supply Chain (Panel) Sarah Friesen CEO & GM, Central Ontario Healthcare Procurement Alliance (COHPA) Lyndon Smith CEO & GM, Shared Support Services Southeastern Ontario (3SO) Nils Clausen Associate Vice President, Supplier Sales North America, Global Healthcare Exchange (GHX)
Annual General Meeting (AGM) Registration 3:45 – 4:00 pm				

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Concurrent Sessions 4:00 pm – 5:15 pm	SCMAO Annual General Meeting - Pre-AGM Remarks: Update from the SCMA National Cheryl Paradowski, President & CEO, SCMA National - AGM
Cocktail Reception 2015 Volunteer Recognition 5:15 pm – 6:30 pm All welcome! (No ticket required)	
Convocation 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm	
Gala Dinner Celebrating Recent Grads, Award Winners and 25 Year Members 7:30 pm – 10:30 pm All welcome! (Ticket required)	

Conference Agenda - Day 2 – Friday, October 23rd

<p>Breakfast & Casual Networking 8:00 am – 9:00 am</p>	<p>Managing the Heat Hugh Lawson Director, Business Development, Staples Promotional Products</p>			
<p>Plenary Session 9:15 am – 10:15 am</p>	<p>CPO Perspective: The Road Ahead for Procurement? Geoff Parsons, Chief Procurement Officer, Deloitte</p>			
<p>Session Break 10:15 am – 10:45 am</p>	<p>Facilitated Speed Networking – Sign up for a time slot at the SCMAO Booth at the Conference is required</p>			
<p>Concurrent Sessions 10:45 am – 11:45 am</p>	<p>Coaching: From Stress to Strength (workshop) Bonnie Lindsay Executive & Life Coach Dave Loney The Leaders' Coach</p>	<p>Creating a Supply Chain Strategy in a Volatile Market Brian Ward Manufacturing Operations Manager, Miovision</p>	<p>Global Supply Chain Risk/Resilience Dan Georgescu Supplier Development, Ford Global Purchasing</p>	<p>Gender and Generational Issues in Leadership Dr. Alison Konrad Professor, Organizational Behavior, Richard Ivey School of Business, Western University</p>
<p>Lunch 11:45 am – 1:00 pm</p>				

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Concurrent Sessions 1:00 pm – 1:45 pm	Fairness Services and Its Role in Public Procurement Bill Mocsan Vice President, Knowles Canada	Contract Management & Supplier Performance Evaluations Larry Berglund Principal, Presentations Plus Training & Consulting Inc.	New Product Realization: The Vital Role of Supply Chain in Success Dan Henes GM, Product Realization, Celestica
Closing Remarks & Draw 2:00 pm – 2:15 pm			
Closing Keynote Speaker 2:15 pm – 3:00 pm	Creating Your Future with a Positive Approach to Change Bill Carr Communication Expert Award-Winning Humourist		