

GETTING READY FOR THE FUTURE: SC 4.0



11th Edition

15-17 April 2019 | InterContinental Festival City Hotel, Dubai, UAE

PROGRAM

Day 0: Monday, 15 April 2019

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| 12:00 – 15:00 | Registration |
| 12:00 – 14:00 | Networking lunch and prayer |
| 14:00 – 14:20 | GCC chemical SCs: Enabling a low carbon future |
| 14:20 – 14:40 | Investing in sustainable SC: Realizing the economic benefits |
| 14:40 – 15:00 | Case study: Enhanced ROI from green investments Abhishek Shah, Co-Founder and Group CEO, RSA Global |
| 15:00 – 15:45 | Q&A and attendee engagement |
| 15:45 – 16:15 | Joint declarations by GCC producers on pellet loss and GHG emission reduction targets |

Day 1: Tuesday, 16 April 2019

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| 08:00 – 09:00 | Registration and welcome coffee |
| 09:00 – 09:05 | Housekeeping announcements |
| 09:05 – 09:20 | Welcome remarks Ahmed Al-Shamsi, SVP, Regional MEAE, Borouge and Chairman, Supply Chain Committee, GPCA |
| Session 1: Keynotes | |
| 09:20 – 09:40 | Keynote session 1: What does the SC of the future look like in the GCC? |
| 09:40 – 10:00 | Keynote session 2: Strategies for SC 4.0 adoption |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Panel discussion and Q&A |
| 10:30 – 11:00 | Networking break |
| Session 2: Supply Chain 4.0 – A new adventure | |
| 11:00 – 11:20 | Case study: Improved productivity through a connected supply chain |

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| 11:20 – 11:40 | Case study: One-stop shop for all logistics processes |
| 11:40 – 12:00 | Enhancing customer experience through digitalization |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | Panel discussion and Q&A |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Networking lunch and prayer |

Session 3-A: Enhancing procurement 4.0

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| 14:00 – 14:20 | Digital procurement: A strategy for profitability Shirin Kamshad, Senior Strategic Sourcing Specialist, EQUATE |
| 14:20 – 14:40 | Creating procurement value in complexity Bernd Schreiber, Partner, Arthur D. Little |
| 14:40 – 15:30 | Panel discussion and Q&A |

Session 3-B: Meeting the needs for a new supply chain in the GCC

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| 14:00 – 14:20 | A new set of complexities and challenges |
| 14:20 – 14:40 | SC capability requirements for specialty chemicals in the GCC |
| 14:40 – 15:30 | Panel discussion and Q&A |
| 19:00 – 21:00 | Gala dinner and awards |

Day 2: Wednesday, 17 April 2019

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| 08:00 – 09:00 | Registration and welcome coffee |
| 09:00 – 09:05 | Recap of day one |
| Session 4: Localization – A regional trend | |
| 09:05 – 09:30 | Keynote session 1: Enabling local content to support GCC national visions |
| 09:30 – 09:50 | Keynote session 2: Powering innovation through digitalization |
| 09:50 – 10:30 | Townhall debate: Outsourcing vs. localization |

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| 10:30 – 11:00 | Networking break |
| Session 5: Automation and integration | |
| 11:00 – 11:20 | SC control tower Mehtab Gilani , Associate Partner, Chemical and Petroleum, IBM Global Business Services |
| 11:20 – 11:40 | Blockchain: A game changer for SCM Adam Lalani , Group Head of IT, Tristar |
| 11:40 – 12:30 | Roundtable discussion: Opportunities for regional players to automate and integrate their SCs |
| 12:30 – 12:40 | Closing remarks Dr. Abdulwahab Al-Sadoun , Secretary General, GPCA |
| 12:40 – 14:00 | Networking lunch |