2014 International Trade Symposium

Cultivating Partnerships with the "Third Coast"

June 5 - 8

Grand Marriott Hotel - Point Clear, Alabama

Hosted by: The International Freight Forwarders & Customs Brokers Association of New Orleans

Thu., 6/5 0630 - 0930 Registration & Welcome Reception

Sponsor: Roanoke Trade Services

Program Sponsored by: Boasso America

0815 - 0900 Continental Breakfast

Sponsor: Dupuy Storage & Forwarding

Fri., 6/6 0900-0915 Welcoming remarks: Kristi App, President IFFCBANO

Housekeeping: Sandy Frazier, Symposium Chair

0915-1000 Moderator: Susan Wilkinson, Vice President International Banking - Hancock/Whitney Bank Group

Panelists Colby Cooper, Chief Staff - City of Mobile

Frank Fogarty, Vice President Sales & Regional Development - Alabama State Docks

1000-1100 Latin America panel: Moderator: Kristi App, J. W. Allen & Co.

Theme:

Panelists Jovie Lynn Swain, Director of International Sales, Tyson Foods, Inc.

Raul Garcia Granados Dubon, Director, Group-Buena

1100-1115 Coffee break

Sponsor: Mediterranean Shipping

1115-1200 Lake Charles panel: Moderator: Channing Hayden, Port of Lake Charles

Theme: Port of Lake Charles - Southwest Louisiana's Economic Engine - LNG/LPG Industry

Panelists: G. Carl Sweet, Marine Terminal Operations Manager - British Gas

Steve Hirsh, Vice President Product Development - G2XEnergy

1200 Housekeeping: Sandy Frazier, Symposium Chair

1330 Golf Outing - Rock Creek Golf Club

Sponsor: Crescent River Port Pilots

1900-2200 Poolside Luau

Sponsor: Avalon Rsik Management

Refreshments Sponsored by: New Orleans Terminals

0815 - 0900 Continental Breakfast

Sponsor: Port of Lake Charles

0900-0915 Welcoming remarks: Kristi App, President IFFCBANO

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0915-1000 Keynote address: Ann M. Glynn, President GJB Partners, Inc.

Theme: Pitfalls & Positives of Social Media in the Workplace

1000-1100 Regulatory panel: Moderator: Jerry Becnel, Ex-Officio IFFCBANO

Panelists: Lenny Feldman, Esq. - Sandler, Travis & Rosenberg, P.A.

Merlin Hymel, Assistant Area Port Director - Customs & Border Protection - New Orleans

Anthony Acrey, Port Director - Customs & Border Protection - Mobile

1100-1130 Break

Sponsor: Red River Waterway Comi

1130-1230 Memphis panel: Moderator: Donna Lemm, Vice President Marketing & Sales - Mallory Alexander

Theme: TBA

Panelists: David Camp, Vice President Sales Operations - Staplctn

Gene Seroka, President - American Presidents Line

6:00P IFFCBANO Award of Exellence Reception, Banquet and Dance

Honoring New Orleans Cold Storage as the 2014 Award of Excellence Recipient

Sponsors --

Banquet: Port of New Orleans

Entertainment: Dole Ocean Cargo Express

Grand Giveway: TCI Trucking & Transportation

Sun, 6/8

Grand Hotel's Breakfast Buffet

Sponsor: Louisiana Maritime International Chamber of Commerce

New Orleans Public Belt Railroad

Hotel Room Keys

Sponsor: Hancock & Whitney Banks