



AmericasMart Atlanta – Atlanta, Georgia

2014 Logistics Conference

TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 2014

6:00 pm-7:30 pm **Networking Cocktail Reception** *AmericasMart, Bldg 2 West
4th Floor Foyer*

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 2014

8:30 am-9:15 am **Check-in and Registration** *4th Floor Foyer*

9:15 am-9:20 am **Welcome Remarks** *204-F/G*
Ray Allegrezza
Editor in Chief, Furniture/Today

9:20 am-10:05 am **How Overstock.com and E-Commerce Are Rewriting the Logistics Rulebook** *204-F/G*
Everyone knows e-tailing is a hot and growing channel. But how is this channel challenging and changing today's supply chain? And, how will it fuel supply-chain change tomorrow? In explaining its successful model, Dave Nielsen, Co-President, of Overstock.com, will share how online retailing is upping the ante for every link in the supply chain.

10:05 am-10:50 am **Time, Money, Logistics and You:** *204-F/G*
Logistics is all about time and time is money. John Haber, President and CEO, of Spend Management Experts, will share how a deep understanding of carrier costing and profitability is key to optimized shipping, freight and transportation spend management.

10:50 am-11:05 am **Break** *4th Floor Foyer*

11:05 am-11:50 am **Compliance, Logistics and You** *204-F/G*
Bill Perdue, Vice President, Government and Regulatory Affairs, of the American Home Furnishings Alliance will highlight many of the compliance and regulatory issues that impact the home furnishings sector.

11:50 am-1:00 pm **Lunch and Networking** *4th Floor Foyer*



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| 1:00 pm-1:45 pm | <p>Ocean Freight Update 204-F/G</p> <p>Our panel of experts, including <u>Art Pruett, Vice President/Cargo Sales, of the South Carolina Ports Authority</u>, <u>Gene Winters, President, of Global Link Logistics</u>, <u>Robert Buford, Logistics Manager, of Home Meridian</u>, <u>Steve Wolfe, Vice President, Global Supply Chain and Logistics, of Stanley Furniture</u>, and <u>Steve Kaufman, Commercial Manager, of American Global Logistics</u>, will discuss rate increases, peak season issues, the impacts of a potential West Coast Port strike and more.</p> |
| 1:45 pm-2:30 pm | <p>Home Sweet Home 204-F/G</p> <p>Home delivery expert <u>Patrick Cory, CEO, of Cory 1st Choice Home Delivery</u>, will discuss last mile challenges, long-distance order fulfillment, emerging technology, driver issues and more with <u>Aimee Boozer, Executive Vice President, of Sun Delivery</u>, <u>Mike Beaver, Senior Vice President of Home Delivery, of Zenith Global Logistics</u>, <u>John Kacherski, Vice President of Sales, of JB Hunt</u> and others.</p> |
| 2:30 pm-2:45 pm | <p>Break 4th Floor Foyer</p> |
| 2:45 pm- 3:30 pm | <p>Trucking Update: Alternative Fuels—It's About Time 204-F/G</p> <p><u>Trey Smith, Vice President of Operations, of Ivan Smith Furniture</u>, <u>Andrew Koenig, Managing Director of Operations, of City Furniture</u>, and <u>logistics expert Bill Lindler, CEO and President, of United Steel Storage</u>, will discuss the changing landscape for alternative fuels. This panel will also look at why and how Ivan Smith Furniture and City Furniture converted their trucks to CNG.</p> |
| 3:30 pm-4:15 pm | <p>Supply Chain 2020: What will it look like? 204-F/G</p> <p>Logistics experts <u>Jack Hawn, CEO and President, of Zenith Global Logistics</u>, <u>Tom Erdman, General Manager, of Handy Living</u>, <u>John Lomax, Director of Transportation of Heritage Home Group</u>, <u>John Reigle, Logistics and Supply Chain Manager, of Morris Furniture</u>, and <u>Greg Brinkman, Senior Vice President of Supply Chain, of WS Badcock</u>, will discuss how today's supply chain trend may shape the supply chain of the future.</p> |
| 4:15 pm | <p>Closing Remarks & Adjourn 204F/G</p> <p><i>Ray Allegrezza</i>
 <i>Editor in Chief, Furniture/Today</i></p> |