



CONFERENCE AGENDA

**The 11th Air Cargo Handling Logistics Conference
24-26 September 2019
Charles De Gaulle Marriott Hotel**

Tuesday 24th September

09:00 – 16:00
10:30 – 13:00
13:00 – 14:00
14:00 – 15:30

Exhibitors' Set-up and registration opens

1-2-1 Meetings

Lunch

Tracks

Group A: Future Proofing Your Business (SASI)

Thousands of individual shipments are replacing consolidations. Promises of anything anywhere in the world with 72 hours are becoming the norm by e-Commerce platforms larger than traditional freight forwarders. Collaborative partnerships are replacing vendor-customer relationships. Preparing leaders of the worldwide air logistics system requires new approaches to education and professional development and a thorough understanding of the implications and benefits to the traditional air cargo supply chain and your role in it going forward.

Learn about the highly acclaimed eight-year old (constantly updated) Air Cargo Professional Advancement program by SASI to hundreds of participants around the world. This is the first aviation-related program accredited by the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT) UK in meeting its quality benchmark. Backed up by on-going research of supply chain developments and employing innovative methods, this program is geared to preparing leaders for the new challenges and opportunities for all members of the worldwide air logistics industry.

Lilian Tan, Vice President Strategic Aviation Solutions International (SASI)

Stan Wraight, President and CEO Strategic Aviation Solutions International (SASI)

Charles Edwards, Director – Associate - Strategic Aviation Solutions International (SASI)

Group B: eDGD - new chances for the digital supply chain"

The new IATA standard eDGD enables the airfreight industry to completely digitise the dangerous goods process. In doing so it eliminates problems that had previously arisen in this context and opens new opportunities for collaboration and supply chain transparency for the complete supply chain. With its neutral solution INFr8 the IT provider DAKOSY together with its partner Fraport is providing the first eDGD platform worldwide - having performed the first paperless eDGD shipment in September 2018 at Frankfurt Airport - and has since then gained and substantial traffic and experiences in this context

Simon Linder, Director Sales, DAKOSY

15:30 – 16:15

Coffee with Industry Friends

16:15 – 17:30

Tracks

Group C: Unit Load Devices – control, safety and the benefits of digitalisation

Benoît Dumont, CEO, Unilode

Group D: Air Cargo Innovation

Benjamin Federmann, CEO, doks. Innovation

Lucas Fernandez, Head of Innovation, CHAMP

Gautam Mandal, Head of Products, Cargoflash Infotech

17:30 – 19:00

1-2-1 Meetings

19:00 – 22:00

Welcome Reception

Wednesday 25th September

08:00 – 17:00

Registration

08:00 – 09:00

1-2-1 Meetings

09:05 – 09:15

Welcome from the Chairman and Chief Moderator

Des Vertannes, ACHL Chairman

Chris Notter, Chief Moderator

09:15 – 09:25

Welcome from the Host

Edouard Mathieu, Director Development, Groupe ADP

Barry Nassberg, Group Chief Commercial Officer, WFS

09:25 – 09:40

Round up of Tracks – on 24th September

Chris Notter, Chief Moderator

09:40 – 10:30

PANEL DISCUSSION

Air Cargo in 2030. What will the industry look like? What verticals will be in the ascendency? Will there be a shift in the main players? Who will call the shots? What will change?

[Stewart Angus, Divisional Senior VP, Int Airport Operations, dnata](#)
[Henrik Ambak, SVP Cargo Operations Worldwide, Emirates SkyCargo](#)
[Brendan Sullivan, Head, E-Commerce & Cargo Operations, IATA](#)
[Mark E. Albrecht, Director Cargo Logistics & Expenditures, United Airlines](#)
[Dr. Ludwig Hausmann, Partner, McKinsey & Company, Inc.](#)
[Simon Meijer, Executive V.P. global logistics, Cargolux](#)
[Alan Glen, VP Cargo Development, Menzies Aviation](#)
Moderator – Chris Notter

10:30 – 11:15

Coffee with Industry Friends and Viewing of Exhibition

11:15 – 11:50

PANEL DISCUSSION

Airfreight's Young Guns – What do they think of the air cargo industry? Is it lagging behind other industries? Is digital transformation too slow? What needs to change or be embraced?

[Sara Van Gelder, Cargo Business Development Manager, Brussels Airport](#)

[Hendrik Leysens, Head of Global Operations – Cargo, Swissport](#)

[Megha Palkar, Assistant Manager, Cargo iQ](#)

[Joe Notter, Manager, Sales Operations EMEAA, WFS UK](#)

Moderator – Chris Notter

11:50 – 12:10

PRESENTATION

[Alex Labonne, Chief Technology Officer, Hermes Logistics Technology](#)

12:10 – 12:40

PRESENTATION

Free-running screening dogs” and the “REST” method (Remote Explosives Scent Tracing), also known as “RASCO” (Remote Air Sampling for Canine Olfaction).

[Nicolas Ouakli, Global Solution Manager – Cargo and Mail Screening Equipment, CEIA](#)

12:40 – 12:50

Q&A

12:50 – 13:00

Morning Round up from the chairman

[Des Vertannes, ACHL Chairman](#)

13:00 – 14:30

Networking Lunch and Viewing of Exhibition

14:30 – 15:15

PANEL DISCUSSION

Is there enough gender diversity in the air cargo industry? How would the industry benefit from more diversity? How can we attract a more diversified workforce? Are there difficulties in attracting and hiring people? What can be done?

Chris Notter
Janet Wallace, Director of Cargo Transformation, Air Canada Cargo
Alexandra Dahl, Head of Cargo Marketing and Communications, Swiss WorldCargo
Patrik Tschirch, Managing Director, LUG
Pascale de Mieter, CEO, Coastair
Moderator – Celine Hourcade, Project Manager, TIACA

15:30 – 16:10	<p>PRESENTATION E-commerce logistical challenges and the impact on the supply chain. Olivier Bijoui, Chairman, IAS</p>
16:10 – 16:20	<p>Q&A</p>
16:20 – 17:00	<p>PRESENTATION IATA FACE Programme Since 2013, the IATA Future Air Cargo Executives (FACE) Program aims to attracting, retaining and developing a bright pool of individuals under 36 to prepare them to become the next generation of leaders in the cargo industry. Patricia Varela, Assistant Manager, Operations Innovation & Change Management IATA</p>
17:00 – 17:15	<p>Chairman and Chief Moderator’s closing remarks Des Vertannes, ACHL Chairman Chris Notter, Chief Moderator</p>
17:15 – 18:45	<p>1-2-1 Meetings</p>
19:30 – 22:30	<p>Meet in The Lobby: Coaches will be departing for Networking Dinner</p>

Thursday 26th September

07:45 – 12:00	<p>Registration</p>
08:00 – 09:00	<p>1-2-1 Meetings</p>
09:15 – 09:25	<p>Welcome from the Chairman and Chief Moderator Des Vertannes, ACHL Chairman Chris Notter, Chief Moderator</p>
09:25 – 09:45	<p>PRESENTATION The modern and futuristic cargo handler Dirk Schmitt, CEO, Swissport Cargo Services Germany & Austria</p>
09:45 – 09:55	<p>Q & A</p>

09:55 – 10:45

PANEL DISCUSSION

Airport air cargo infrastructure. Is it keeping pace with market developments? Is there enough investment and developments? What is being built and developed globally?

Peter de Leeuw MSc, Head of Real Estate Development, Vienna Airport

Dr. Harald Sieke, Head of the Aviation Logistics department, Fraunhofer Institute

Thomas Konietzko, EVP, Sales and Marketing, CELEBI

Vivien Lau, Executive Director, Hong Kong Air Cargo Terminals Limited

René Droese, Executive Director Property and Cargo, Budapest Airport

Steven Verhasselt, Commercial Director, Liege Airport

Moderator – Stan Wraight, President and CEO, SASI

10:45 – 11:15

Coffee with Industry Friends and Viewing of Exhibition

11:15 – 11:50

PRESENTATION

Drones - When will we see them take flight to move cargo? In light of the problems they pose to airports – will they be taking off? What are benefits of drones in air cargo? What kind of sectors are they going to take-off in?

Svilen Rangelov, Co-Founder & CEO, DRONAMICS

11:50 – 12:40

PANEL DISCUSSION

Digital transformation is often been talked about in the air cargo industry but where are we at? Has the pace of transformation been fast enough? Is air cargo still too slow in changing systems? Is their resistance to change still? How important is it that stakeholders embrace digitization? If it does not speed up what price will the industry pay?

Arnaud Lambert, CEO, CHAMP Cargosystems

Amar More, CEO, Kale Logistics

Adriana Diener-Veinott, Global Lead for Freight & Logistics Services, Accenture

Alex Labonne, Chief Technology Officer, Hermes Logistics Technology

Gautam Mandal, Head of Products, Cargoflash Infotech

Bert Selis, Cargo & Logistics Manager, Liege Airport

Moderator – Des Vertannes

12: 40 – 13:00

Closing Remarks, Action Points and 3 S.M.A.R.T goals

Des Vertannes, ACHL Chairman

Chris Notter, Chief Moderator

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch with Industry Friends – *End of Conference*

