



# **Logistics Business Forum 2013**

Venue : Chamber of Commerce de Luxembourg, 7 rue Alcide de Gasperi, L-1615 Luxembourg

Date: 13<sup>th</sup> May 2013

In a context of great economic volatility it is important to apprehend the logistics megatrends in order to adapt the strategies to the changing market conditions. The Logistics Business Forum will inform on these new market trends by organising conferences with national and international speakers. Increased reactivity and flexibility will be the key to success for logistics hubs and companies.

The **Logistics Business Forum** is fully customer-oriented and stresses the importance of the logistics sector in the development of the Luxembourg economy.

The focus will be set on active exchanges between shippers and operators in the framework of conferences around three major topics :

- The logistics megatrends and the national action plan for logistics
- Luxembourg, a performance-oriented hinterland hub for ports and seaports
- Luxembourg as an international air freight gateway

A great place will be left to networking. Throughout the day, you can meet the sponsors of the event on their stand, for personal meetings with the exhibitors and attendees of the event. The list of participants will be communicated to all attendants to enable individual appointments.

The day will end with a dinner at the Château de Bourglinster, open to all speakers and the sponsor's guests only.

The registration fee is  $\in$  75 for non-members of the cluster.

For Cluster members, the registration fee is  $\in$  50.

Sponsors receive 10 free registrations. For additional participants the registration fee is € 50.

The registration fee includes documentation, lunch and refreshments.

Prior payment is a condition for participation. Invoice will be sent to the receiver of the attached registration form.

Free admission for the Press.

# **Confirmed sponsors:**



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# Programme

10.00 Registration

10.15 Opening speech by Pierre Gramegna, President of the Cluster for Logistics

10.30 Conference: The logistics megatrends and the national action plan for logistics

Logistics megatrends	Speaker: Alain Krecké, Cluster for Logistics
National action plan for Logistics	Speaker: Alain Krecké, Cluster for Logistics
Long term logistics visions	Speaker: David Evaristo, CRP Henri Tudor

Official launching of the Bundesvereinigung Logistik, BVL Chapter Luxemburg

12.00 Walking lunch

**13.30** Conference with international logistics managers and shippers (part 1):

# Luxembourg, a performance-oriented hinterland hub for ports and seaports

Speakers: - Indra Vonck, ITMMA, University of Antwerp - Lars Nennhaus, Duisport

#### **15.00** Coffee break

**15.30** Conference with international logistics managers and shippers (part 2):

# Luxembourg as an international air freight gateway

Speakers: - Robert van de Weg, Cargolux - Hjoerdis Stahl, LuxairCargo - David Arendt, The Luxembourg Freeport

- **17.00** Coffee break
- 17.15 Speech by Etienne Schneider, Minister of the Economy and Foreign Trade
- 17.45 Closing cocktail
- **19.30** Dinner at the Bourglinster Castel