

Keynote Speakers - Thursday, 23-January-2020 - Breakfast

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Keynote Speakers - Friday, 24-January-2020 - Breakfast

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Henry oversees product and industry marketing at Logility. He has over 25 years of experience building high performance supply chains and developing and marketing supply chain solutions. Henry holds a graduate degree in Supply Chain Management from Eli Broad Graduate School of Management at Michigan State University. Henry is an active contributor to supply chain thought leadership including numerous blogs and articles in industry periodicals and as a frequent speaker at industry conferences. Henry has been an active member of CSCMP and ASCM for over 20 years.

Supply Chain World Café - Friday, 24-January-2020 - Lunch



Attendees discuss points of view through dialogue and discussion on challenging supply chain issues. Collectively, we pool our understanding of the supply chain to raise awareness to current topics and events affecting our supply chains and integrate diverse individual perspectives into a collective perspective.

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Set the context - Who should be part of the conversation, what themes or questions will be most pertinent?

Create a learning environment - Creative thinking, speaking, and listening.

Explore questions that matter - Knowledge emerges in response to compelling questions. Powerful questions attract collective energy, insight, and action.

Connect diverse perspectives - Meet new people, actively contribute your thinking, and link the essence of your discoveries to ever-widening circles of thought.

Listen together for insights - Sharing, listening, and paying attention to divergent ideas.

Share collective discoveries.



Session Speakers – Alphabetically

Brannon, Ronnie



Ronnie Brannon, MSc, MIM Lead Logistics Instructor Palo Alto College Phone: +1 210-508-8156

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As a Director of Logistics for one of the Army Medical Department's overseas activity in Gorgas Hospital in Panama, he supervised and established policy for the 90 employees assigned to the delivery of \$25 million dollars of logistical support to the hospital, seven medical clinics, five dental clinics, Department of Defense Schools, and the U.S. Embassies in the Southern Command Region... During Mr. Brannon's 20 year military career he was responsible for medical logistics management from the unit level up the Single Intenerated Logistics Manager for a Major Medical Command. He also instructed Logistics and as well during this military tenure. Since retiring he has worked logistics in both the public and the private sector as Systems Director of Materials Management and senior instructor for the Army Medical Department. As the current Lead Logistics instructor for Palo Alto College he teaches and overseas the Associates of Applied Science in Logistics Management Program and certificates. The program has established Dual Credit logistics program at two school districts in which high school students are taking college logistics courses. Mr. Brannon is well versed in all areas of logistics and supply management. Mr. Brannon has a Masters of Science in Logistics Management from Florida Institute of Technology and a Masters in Management from Webster University.



Carr, Ron



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Ron Carr graduated from North Park College, Chicago, Illinois in 1986, majoring in Business Administration. In 1991, he earned a Master's Degree in Economics from the University of Oklahoma. In 2006, he earned a Master's Degree in National Resource Strategy from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces. He is a 2009 graduate of the Northwestern University Kellogg School of Management Advanced Executive Program.

A Retired Navy Supply Corps Captain; with 33 years of global supply chain experience. His numerous positions include Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Support Team Commander, OPERATION UNITED ASSISTANCE (Ebola), Dakar, Senegal and Monrovia, Liberia; Retail Industrial Operations Sustainment Chief, DLA Headquarters, Fort Belvoir, Virginia; Assistant Chief of Staff, Logistics, U.S. SEVENTH Fleet, USS BLUE RIDGE (LCC-19) forward deployed to Yokosuka, Japan; Logistics Operations Programs and Policies Branch Head assigned to the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Fleet Readiness & Logistics, Pentagon, Arlington, Virginia; Military Assistant on the Defense Business Board, Pentagon; and Deputy Commander, Logistics Forces, U.S. Naval Forces Central Command (CTF-53), Manama, Bahrain.

As the Logistics Manager, Visionworks Manufacturing Division, Schertz, Texas; he's responsible for the receipt and distribution of more than two million pairs of glasses annually to 700 stores nationwide.

Certified in Production & Inventory Management (CPIM), Association of Supply Chain Management (ASCM), Master Training Specialist (MTS), Navy Supply Corps School (NSCS) Instructor of the Year and National Defense Transportation Association (NDTA) Instructor of the Year. He officiates H.S. Varsity Football on Friday Nights in the Fall and is an active member of the Military Officer Association of America (MOAA) Alamo Chapter and the Navy League of the United States Alamo Council.



Wayne Frindell



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Wayne Frindell retired from the corporate world in 2011, and founded Alamo Analytex. His experience in the corporate world encompassed 40 years working for eight companies in seven different industries, all in the manufacturing or distribution arenas. Products sold by these companies served both the consumer and industrial markets. Employers varied from startup operations to multi-national, multi-billion dollar companies. The industries he has worked in include:

Animal Health
Ladies Clothing Accessories
Food Processing (snack foods, vegetarian food products)
Store Fixture Fabrication
Emergency Medical Products Distribution
Industrial Products Distribution
Restaurant

Most of his career has been spent in the Material Management field. Process improvements and efficiency have been a major focus in most of positions he has held. The last fifteen years were spent as a Purchasing Manager with several different companies.

Wayne was a board member of the Columbus, OH chapter of APICS from 1998-2002, and the San Antonio chapter of ISM from 2013-2017.

Throughout his career, Wayne has completed projects in virtually every department within a company. Alamo Analytex was founded to assist companies of all sizes in their pursuit of a more efficient operation. Process improvements are enabled through the creation of creative, customized tools using Excel.



Garcia, Henry



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Henry F. Garcia is an experienced university instructor and a veteran trainer. Prior to founding Asentrene, a minority-owned consulting and training firm, Henry had over 45 years of business experience.

He presently serves as an Adjunct Professor and Supply Chain Management Program Lead for Webster University of St. Louis in San Antonio and an Adjunct Faculty member at Texas A&M University San Antonio where he teaches Procurement and Supply Chain Management and Project Management. He is a member of Webster's Academic Academy of Excellence and a Kemper Award recipient for Excellence in Teaching. He is a lifetime member of Omicron Delta Epsilon (Honor Society in Economics). He received his MA in Economics from St. Mary's University in San Antonio, Texas. He is a Shipman Medalist for the Institute for Supply Management.

Henry's professional society affiliations include the Institute for Supply Management, the Project Management Institute, the National Association of Business Economists, the Association for Talent Development, and the National Contract Management Association.



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G. L. (Jerry) Kilty, CFPIM, CIRM, CSCP, CLTD is President and founder of Quality Management Solutions, Inc. (QMS) and has over 50 years of experience. Jerry has helped multiple companies implement Sales and Operations Planning and inventory accuracy during the last several years. He enjoys sharing his experiences and translating them into "Lessons Learned" to assist those pursing similar goals. Jerry's APICS activities includes having served the local chapter BOD for 26 years in various capacities and the National BOD for 4 years. He also participated in rewriting the APICS CPIM courseware.



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Mike Loughrin is a coach and consultant specializing in lean transformation, supply chain management, and strategy execution. He brings exceptional experience in both industry and consulting services and has helped organizations such as Levi Strauss, Warner Home Video, Lexmark, and Cabela's. As a frequent speaker at educational events, Mike provides informative and energizing presentations by leveraging his passion for creating sustainable organizations. Mike's current roles include CEO for Transformance Advisors, Advisory Board Member for the Supply and Value Chain Center at Loyola University Chicago, Chief Financial Officer for APICS Northern Colorado, and Adjunct Professor for the Online MBA Programs at the University of Northern Colorado and Louisiana State University Shreveport.



Nemer, Chuck



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Chuck Nemer is a trainer/consultant with 40 years of experience in Supply Chain Management, Lean, Leadership, and APICS. He also teaches Operations Management at an urban based university in St Paul Mn. He is active both locally and nationally in his APICS professional society as well, in the areas of instructor development and curriculum development.

Chuck also has a second business where he is an educational support associate on behalf of InChainge to universities who utilize The Fresh Connection and The Cool Connection supply chain simulations within their classroom. Chuck currently works with approximately 40 universities and 3000 students annually in supporting the use and play of the simulations in the classroom

Chuck has spent his career in various areas of Operations, Supply Chain Management, and Leadership. Within those 40 years, he has taught professional certification classes for APICS, professional development seminars and programs on his own, and on behalf of colleges in their outreach programs to local and regional manufacturing firms. Chuck has a Bachelors degree in Accounting from the University of Minnesota, a Masters degree in Leadership from Augsburg College in Minneapolis Mn., CPIM, CSCP, and CLTD certification from APICS, and on-line curriculum development certification from the Wisconsin Technical College System.



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Sutton, Simeon



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Simeon has been involved with APICS for over 10 years. After graduating at the top of his class at Oklahoma State University with degrees in International Business and Marketing, he began a career in supply chain and global sourcing.

Over the last 15 years, Simeon has worked in three key industries - consumer products (Zebco), automotive (EControls), and financial services (USAA). He has deep experience in China and Taiwan, specializing in manufacturing transitions between the US and China. Simeon speaks conversational Mandarin Chinese.

One of Simeon's specialties is Responsible Minerals Compliance, or "Conflict Minerals" as it is commonly known. He founded Lexiam International to serve companies on their conflict minerals journey. He currently manages the compliance programs for several companies across the US, helping businesses source responsibly, follow the law, and protect the bottom line.

Simeon volunteers with CASA (Child Advocates of San Antonio) and loves triathlon, all things water, and spending time with his wife, their two children, and their dog, Solo.



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Wenthold, Rita



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Rita Wenthold, with her husband of 35 years Russell, moved to San Antonio from Germany 32 years ago for his final duty station at the USAF Electronic Security Command before he retired to work in computer security. They built their home in Fair Oaks Ranch in 2006.

In Germany Rita worked for DOD as a financial planner in family services and managed the VITA program for thousands of members of the military and their dependents in that area. She earned a BBA - Accounting, Magna Cum Laude at UTSA in 1990, and began her-career at the H-E-B headquarters as a C.P.A. In 1995 while an Assistant Controller over store accounting AP and AR, and after implementing many new systems, Rita earned her Executive MBA from the University of Texas-Austin. She was a Category Manager over H-E-B seasonal products for five years. Rita was recruited to Clarke American (now Harland Clarke Holdings) to develop and lead a strategic supplier relationship management team in 1999. She trained win-win negotiations, contracting, and SOX purchasing controls and assisted in submission documentation to earn their Malcolm Baldridge National Quality Award, traveling to assess and help train personnel across the country to achieve strategic alignment. She retired after fifteen years in Procurement there, as Executive Director over Indirect spend.

Rita is a C.P.A., CPSM ® and lifetime C.P.M. She established a small accounting practice in 1999, which she's continued to work alongside a career in multiple facets of strategic executive management. Rita's Treasurer of her HOA and currently serves as Secretary for the San Antonio Supply Chain Council, previously named the Institute for Supply Management (ISM) San Antonio, where for over a decade she served elected terms as President, Treasurer, Director of Membership, Secretary and Education Director. She's an officer and the 2014 founding President of the San Antonio Global Business Travel Association chapter. Rita is an elected GVTC board member serving as one of the District III representatives. She is always excited to use her experience and enthusiasm to help others achieve their vision and mission and prepare for a bright future.