

Press release

Digitization and the Internet of Things: Impacts on the supply chain

- Conference by AEB in partnership with the Chartered Institute of Logistics & Transport
- Thursday, 28th April 2016, 9 a.m. to 4.15 p.m., Mallory Court Hotel, Leamington Spa



February 15, 2016 - AEB, a leading provider of global trade and supply chain management solutions, and CILT(UK) are inviting supply chain professionals from all industry sectors to their conference about the impacts and opportunities of digitization. The event takes place on 28th April in Leamington Spa and delegates can register online at: www.aeb.com/uk/events/digitisation-conference.php.

Digitization, big data, Internet of Things, smart factories – these buzzwords dominate today's media and supply chain strategies. What exactly do they mean and what is their impact on business? Which challenges and opportunities do they present for supply chain operations?

To help companies understand the relevance of digitization for competitiveness in today's dynamic markets, AEB is hosting a conference in partnership with CILT(UK) titled "Digitization and the Internet of Things: Impacts on your supply chain". Expert speakers from various industry sectors will provide different perspectives to identify tangible benefits for the specific areas of global supply chains.

The following speakers have been confirmed:

- Nabil Lodey, Head of GlobeRanger, Fujitsu
- Melissa Cupis, Managing Director, AGR (UK) Ltd
- Chris Couzins-Short, Managing Director, Tudor Rose International
- Stefan Reidy, Chief Executive Officer, Arviem
- Nick Wildgoose, Global Supply Chain Product Leader, Zurich Insurance
- Phil Lavin, Sales Manager, AEB (International)

The program will include:

- Introduction to digitization and the Internet of Things
- Case-studies and industry perspectives
- Digitizing warehousing operations
- Digitizing inventory management
- Digitizing risk management and visibility
- Bringing things together: comprehensive supply chain digitization

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An expert panel discussion at the end of the day will provide further opportunities for delegates to take an active part in the event and ask questions aimed at “future-proving” their supply chains.

Coffee breaks and a complimentary lunch will be provided. The event is now open for online registration at www.aeb.com/uk/events/digitisation-conference.php.

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About AEB (www.aeb.com)

AEB is one of Europe's leading providers of supply chain logistics software and has been delivering solutions to customers for over thirty years. The company has over 5,000 customers worldwide, supported by offices in the UK, Germany, Singapore, Switzerland, Sweden, the Netherlands, Czech Republic, France, and the US. AEB’s core product - ASSIST4 - is the comprehensive solution suite for all logistics processes in global business. ASSIST4 offers a complete set of business services for end-to-end logistics, including international goods movements, making it possible to standardize and automate business processes in supply chain execution. ASSIST4 also creates transparency and provides a reliable basis for making the right decisions about the planning, monitoring, control and continual optimization of supply networks, even beyond the boundaries of the business. The ASSIST4 suite offers full functionality via a wide range of modules including Visibility & Collaboration Platform, Order Management, Warehouse Management, Transport & Freight Management, Customs Management and Compliance & Risk Management.

About CILT(UK) (www.ciltuk.org.uk)

The Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport in the UK - CILT(UK) - is the independent professional body for individuals associated with logistics, supply chains and all transport throughout their careers. CILT(UK) - is the UK National Council of the global organization CILT, which has a presence in more than 30 countries across the world. This network of members and contacts can connect all CILT members wherever they are in the world and constitutes the greatest resource of professional expertise within our areas of interest. It is CILT's vision to be the leading global membership organization providing education and development for both individuals and corporations within the relevant range of professions. CILT's goals include to be recognized as a leading policy and practitioner voice on logistics, supply chain and transport issues; to raise the image and status of the profession; to have a membership which reflects the diversity of the societies in which CILT operates; to be the provider of ‘the standard’ qualifications for the profession; to significantly increase membership by growing both individual and corporate numbers; to be recognized as an ambassador for CILT across the world; and to generate sufficient funds to fulfil our obligations and to invest to meet CILT's vision.