8th International Conference in Information, Logistics & Supply Chain

TENTATIVE & PRELIMINARY PROGRAM as of March 08, 2020

APRIL 21 – TUESDAY
1:30 pm - 5:00 pm -- PhD Student Competition

APRIL 22 – WEDNESDAY*
8:00 am - Continental Breakfast
8:30 am – Welcoming & Opening of the 8th International Conference on Information, Logistics & Supply Chain.

   Dean of McCoy College of Business – Denise Smart
   Chair Industrial Committee
   Scientific Committee Co-Chairs

9:00 am – 10:15 am -- Plenary Speaker: **Ou Tang** – **International Journal of Production Economics**
   *Text Mining for Data Collection in Production Economics Research*

10:15 am – Break
10:30 am – noon – Parallel Sessions for Regular Papers & Invited Sessions – There are four parallel sessions

Noon – 1:30 pm – Lunch

1:30 pm – 2:45 pm – Plenary Speaker: **Jose Holguin-Vera** – **RPI, NY**
   *Urban Logistics in Times of Rapid (and Unpredictable) Technological Change: The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly*

2:45 pm – 3:00 pm – Break
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm – Parallel Sessions & Invited session
   Robotic Process Automation (RPA) is Happening: Are You Ready?

5:00 pm – 6:00pm -- BOT & Scientific Committee join meeting

6:15 pm – 7:15 pm – Welcoming reception.

INDUSTRIAL DAY

APRIL 23 – THURSDAY
8:45 am – 9:00 am – Opening of the Industrial Day
   Chair Organizing Committee
   Co-Chair Industrial Committee

9:00 am – 10:15 am -- Plenary Speaker: **Leonardo Bonanni** – **SourceMap, NY**
   *Transparency in the Supply Chain: Blockchain*

10:15 am – Break
10:30 am – noon – Industrial Forum: **Industry-Relevant Problems in Logistics 4.0**
Noon – 1:30 pm – Lunch

1:30 pm – 2:45 pm – Plenary Speaker & Panel: **Patrick Gibbons – Emerson Group**  
*2nd Revolution of Convenience*

2:45 pm – 3:00 pm – Break
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm – Industrial Forum/Demo: **Smart Manufacturing: Opportunities and Challenges**

6:30 pm – 9:30 pm – Gala Dinner

**Companies collaborating** – Advanced Technology Consultants, Amazon, Emerson Group, Geodis, PlusOne Robotics, Source Map, Beauty Counter.

**APRIL 24 – FRIDAY**
9:00 am – 10:15 am -- Plenary Speaker: **Sila Cetinkaya - SMU**  
*Reengineering the Supply Chain via Integration and Coordination*

10:15 am – Break
10:30 am – noon – Parallel Sessions for Regular Papers & Invited Sessions – There are four parallel sessions

Noon – 1:30 pm – Lunch
1:30 pm – 2:45 pm – Plenary speaker: **Rafael Farromeque – CAF, Mexico**  
*Promoting Logistics Development in Latin America: Logistics Corridors as a tool for improving productivity*

2:45 pm- 3:00 pm – Break
3:00pm -4:45pm -- Parallel Sessions for Regular Papers – There are three parallel sessions.

5:00 pm – Closing reception.