

18th Annual CURT National Conference



February 11-13, 2019 | Loews Sapphire Fall Resort at Universal Orlando

Sunday, February 10

- Noon-4:00 Registration
- 11:00 AM 2019 Scramble for Skills at Disney's Lake Buena Vista Course

Monday, February 11

- 8:00-5:00 Registration
- 10:00-5:00 Exhibit Opens
- 1:00-1:15 Welcome and Opening Remarks
Conference Emcee: Greg Sizemore, Executive Vice President, CURT
Daily Host: Michael Culbertson, Account Manager, BMW C Constructors
- 1:15-2:15 Thriving in the Age of Smart Machines
Rich Karlgaard, Forbes Publisher and Global Futurist
- 2:15-3:15 3D Printing Concrete - Finding Truth in the Hype. A Way Forward for the Industry
Captain Matthew D. Friedell, Additive Manufacturing Lead Marine Corps Systems Command, United States Marine Corps
Megan Kreiger, Lead Additive Mechanical Engineer, United States Army Engineer Research and Development Center
- 3:15-3:45 NETWORKING / EXHIBITS / REFRESHMENTS
- 3:45-4:30 An Owners' Perspective on Operating System 2.0 (OS2) – A Glimpse into the Future of the Construction Industry
Pete Dumont, Executive Liaison to OS2, CURT
Tony Bazzini, Manager Project Management Division, ExxonMobil
Paul van Weert, Global EPC Manager, Shell

- 4:30-5:00 Winning the Battle on Productivity and Labor Risk
 Jim Ellis, General Manager Global Engineering and Project Management, SABIC
 Eddie Clayton, Contracting & Workforce Development Strategies Manager, Southern Company
 Ed Luckenbach, Manager - Americas Field Execution Team, Air Products
- 6:30-8:30 Caribbean Breezes – Welcome Cocktail Party (Casual)

Tuesday, February 12

- 7:00-8:00 Breakfast
- 8:00-8:15 Welcome and Opening Remarks
 Conference Emcee: Greg Sizemore, Executive Vice President, CURT
 Daily Host: Carolyn Thorngate, Department Manager Project Management, BSI Engineering
- 8:15-9:45 What Are Your Blind Spots? Conquering the Five Misconceptions that Hold Leaders Back
 Jim Haudan, CEO, Root Inc.
- 9:45-10:45 Constructing Digital Transformation for a Differentiated Customer Experience
 Zack Novak, Sr. Director - Construction, Agriculture, and Mining, Uptake
- 10:45-11:15 NETWORKING / EXHIBITS / REFRESHMENTS
- 11:15-12:15 CONCURRENT EDUCATIONAL SET #1

Session 1 2019 Owner Trends Study: Actions for Driving Innovation and Project Performance
Kelcey Henderson, President, Continuum Advisory Group
Mona Haggag, Principal, Continuum Advisory Group
Ryan MacTaggart, Analyst, Continuum Advisory Group

Session 2 The Carousel: Lessons in Vulnerability & Leadership
Matt Daniel, Senior Staff Administrator/CAPEX Procurement Category Manager, Honda of America Mfg., Inc.

Session 3 Welding Gas Innovations that Improve Safety, Productivity, and Reduce Spending
David Phillips, Strategic Account Manager, Praxair, Inc.

- Session 4* *Think Like A Genius: Innovation and Problem Solving Part 1*
Brent Darnell, President, Brent Darnell International
- Session 5* *What is Operating System 2.0 (OS2)? An Opportunity to Learn More from Pioneering Owners*
Pete Dumont, Executive Liaison to OS2, CURT
Stephen Mulva, Director, CII
Tony Bazzini, Manager Project Management, ExxonMobil
Paul van Weert, Global EPC Manager, Shell
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch
- 1:15-1:30 Afternoon Kick-Off
Conference Emcee: Greg Sizemore, Executive Vice President, CURT
Daily Host: Carolyn Thorngate, Department Manager Project Management, BSI Engineering
- 1:30-2:30 An Innovative Solution for Better Company Performance – Growing the Female Workforce
Teresa Magnus, Principal, Magnus & Company
Mittie Cannon, Manager of Workforce Development, Wood
Jennifer Wilkerson, Director of Marketing, Public Relations, and Build Your Future, NCCER
Tami Gamble-Gurnell, CBT Teacher, Duncanville High School
Vicki O’Leary, District Representative of Safety and Diversity and U.S. Safety Coordinator, IMPACT
- 2:30-2:45 Transition Time
- 2:45-3:45 CONCURRENT EDUCATIONAL SET #2
- Session 1* *Innovations in Asset Handover – The Key to Higher ROA*
Brian Moore, President, Kahua
Mike Briggs, Co-Founder and Managing Partner, Beam LLC
- Session 2* *Today’s Power Tool Technology – Performa and Protect*
Paul Kennedy, Southeast Regional Manager, DEWALT
- Session 3* *Cyber Security – Mitigating and Insuring Against Your Growing Risks*
Stephen Pannucci, Vice President of Professional Risk, Zurich
Rachel Lavender, Senior Vice President, Marsh USA Inc.
Laurie Kamaiko, Partner, Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP

Amit Garg, Director/Cyber Security Leader, Berkley Research Group

April Doss, Chair Cyber Security Practice, Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP

Moderator: *Garry Boehlert, Partner, Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP*

*Session 4 Think Like A Genius: Innovation and Problem Solving Part 2
Brent Darnell, President, Brent Darnell International*

*Session 5 Restoring the Dignity of Work: Transforming the U.S. Workforce Development System into a World Leader
Daniel Groves, Director of Operations, CURT
Eddie Clayton, Contracting & Workforce Development Strategies Manager, Southern Company
Steve Greene, Vice President, NCCER
Paul Goodrum, Professor, University of Colorado at Boulder*

3:45-5:00 CURT Connect

6:30-8:30 Party Like its 1699: A Baroque Ball – Evening Reception (business casual)

Wednesday, February 13

7:00-8:00 Breakfast

8:00-8:15 Welcome and Opening Remarks
Conference Emcee: Greg Sizemore, Executive Vice President, CURT
Daily Host: Kurt Ernst, Project Controls and Materials Management Lead, Praxair, Inc.

8:15-9:45 To All the Economists I've Loved - An Economic Update with Anirban Basu, Chairman & CEO, Sage Policy Group

9:45-10:15 NETWORKING / EXHIBITS / REFRESHMENTS

10:15-11:15 The Future is Now: How Today's Tech is Disrupting the World's Oldest Industry
Jeff Sample, Disruptor & Consultant, JBKnowledge

11:15-12:15 Superhero Leadership: How Everyday People Can Have an Extraordinary Impact
Brett Culp, Filmmaker, *Legends of the Knight, Look to the Sky*

- 12:15-12:30 Conference Wrap-Up
Conference Emcee: Greg Sizemore, Executive Vice President, CURT
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- 12:30-2:00 Farewell Luncheon