

Capture Knowledge at This Year's Event

Review the full agenda and list of speakers.

Thursday, 17 September, 2015

- 18:00 Reception
- 19:00 Dinner and Industry Presentation

Friday, 18 September, 2015

- 9:00 – 10:00 Opening remarks: Industry outlook
 -  ▪ Bernd Steffens – Head of Global Clinical Trial Supplies Unit, Boehringer Ingelheim Pharma GmbH & Co KG, Germany
 -  ▪ Doug Cook – President, Global Specialty Logistics, AmerisourceBergen

How is drug development and commercialisation changing to address global populations? What are pharmaceutical manufacturers doing to think globally and act locally in bringing products to market?
- 10:00 – 10:45 Are there markets left to emerge?
 -  ▪ Sue Lee – Global Technical Portfolio Manager, World Courier

A macro look at what new frontiers are still out there for pharma, what opportunities come with those markets and what challenges are inhibiting that growth.
- 11:15 – 11:45 Optimizing working relationships with procurement to achieve mutually desirable outcomes
 -  ▪ Greg Cornelius – Director, Global Clinical Sourcing, CTM Strategic Supplier Management, Parexel International
 -  ▪ Jochen Heinzel – Global Quality Manager at F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd.

How to balance procurement processes/requirements with quality needs for specialty logistics.
- 11:45 – 12:30 Trends and advances in temperature management
 -  ▪ Bev Nicol – Distribution Specialist, Pfizer
 -  ▪ Volker Kirchner – Director, Temperature Control Solutions, World Courier

How have needs for temperature regulation changed (e.g., tighter temperature ranges, temperatures maintained over longer distances or time duration, etc.), and how has the industry responded with innovation?
- 12:30 – 13:30 Lunch

Friday, 18 September, 2015 (continued)

- 13:30 – 14:15 The clinical trial experience
 -  ▪ Helena Baker – Vice President, Global Operations and Nursing, MRN
 -  ▪ Jack Whelan – Cancer Survivor and Patient Advocate

What is the patient experience in clinical trials? What can be done by all stakeholders to improve it in a scalable and cost-effective way?
- 14:15 – 14:45 FCPA, anti bribery and other international regulations and their impact on business relationships in emerging markets
 -  ▪ Mary Fox – Vice President, Group General Counsel, AmerisourceBergen
 -  ▪ Wilhelm Hartung – Partner, K&L Gates LPP

How do you operate efficiently and effectively in emerging markets while remaining fully compliant?
- 15:15 – 16:00 Industry stakeholders panel discussion: Regulation, collaboration, innovation
 -  ▪ Moderator: Sam Herbert – Chief Operating Officer, World Courier
 -  ▪ Mario Johnson - Business Development Director, Alliance Healthcare
 -  ▪ Shimon Slavin, MD - Scientific and Medical Director, The International Center for Cell Therapy and Cancer Immunotherapy

How have global health concerns (e.g., Ebola) shaped decision-making among regulatory bodies? What does collaboration currently look like across the specialty logistics industry, and how could it be better?
- 16:00 – 16:30 Creating and sustaining a strong culture of quality
How can companies centralise and increase consistency of quality management in a decentralised global environment?
- 16:30 – 17:00 From clinical to commercial across multiple markets
 -  ▪ Bob Glasgow – Vice President of International Business, AmerisourceBergen
 -  ▪ Burcu Kucuk Oztuna – Manufacturing Coordination and Operational Quality Manager, Sanofi Pasteur Turkey
 -  ▪ Doug Cook – President, Global Specialty Logistics, AmerisourceBergen
 -  ▪ Gurinder Shinmar – Vice President, Operations and Clinical Supply Solutions, World Courier

What are the current logistics and commercialisation considerations for drug development in emerging markets? What best practices improve success?
- 17:00 – 17:15 Closing remarks and departure



For more information, to review speaker bios and to register for this year's event, visit WCBiomedicalSeminar.com.