

Conference Schedule

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*As of November 5, 2004

MONDAY November 8th

RFID Room S104AB	Operations Room S103BC	Security Room S103D	Plastics Room S103A
9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM
(M1) RFID Package Tagging Basics BILL DELMOLINO <i>Vice President, Technical Systems Print & Apply,</i> NJM/CLI Packaging Systems International	(M2) Organizing Your Packaging Engineering Efforts DAN FINAZZO <i>Manager, Manufacturing Systems Group,</i> Lockwood Greene	(M3) Anti-Counterfeiting Packaging Options GARY L. PARISH <i>President,</i> Complete Inspection Systems Inc.	(M4) Adding Meaningful UV Barrier to PET Containers MIKE PURCELL <i>Market Manager,</i> ClearShield, Milliken Chemical
9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM
(M5) RFID ROI and the FDA "Item-ization" Directive ED GONSALVES <i>Business Development Manager,</i> Philips Semiconductors	(M6) Faster, Cheaper, Better Changeover JOHN HENRY, CPP <i>Principal,</i> Changeover.com	(M7) Where is Your Product? The Post-9/11 World of Packaging DOUG IMES <i>Electrical Engineering Manager</i> DOUG STAMBAUGH <i>General Manager</i> RYAN WOMBLE <i>National Sales Manager, Hero Division</i> Hartness International	(M8) Laser Coding of PET Bottles within the Blow Molding Machine ROBERT MARUSA <i>American Business Manager,</i> Domino Amjet DAVID LEVITAN <i>Technical Manager,</i> Domino Amjet
10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM
(M9) Progress Report from MIT's RFID and Packaging Special Interest Group (SIG) DR. DANIEL W. ENGELS <i>Research Director,</i> Auto ID Labs Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)	(M10) Leveraging the Benefits of Metered Flow Liquid Filling MICHAEL J. KEILTY <i>OEM Business Manager,</i> Endress+Hauser, Flowtec AG Division Greenwood JOHN KULEY <i>Control Systems Engineer,</i> Procter & Gamble	(M11) Justifying the Investment in Anti-Counterfeiting Packaging RALPH DILLON <i>Consultant,</i> Compliance Surety Associates JOSEPH NOFERI, Esq. <i>Consultant,</i> Compliance Surety Associates	(M12) PET Oxygen Barrier Effectiveness: A Comparison of Alternatives MATT DAUZVARDIS <i>Director of Materials Development,</i> Constar Inc.
11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM
(M13) RFID and Packaging Applications of the "Smart Label" ROB MANAK <i>Regional Sales Manager,</i> The Glennon Group JIM STOFFER <i>RFID Engineer,</i> The Glennon Group BOB LANZENDORF <i>OEM Sales and Marketing Manager,</i> SATO America, Inc.	(M14) 10 Ways to Increase Packaging Productivity and Reduce Bottlenecks IGNACIO GUERRA <i>General Director,</i> AutoPak Engineering Group MICHAEL MAILUTHA <i>Project Manager,</i> Pfizer Global Manufacturing	(M15) New NFPA 79 Rules and the Integration of Safety on Packaging Machines J.B. TITUS <i>Safety Integrated Manager,</i> Discrete Industries Siemens Energy & Automation	(M16) Continuing Advances in Shelf-Stable Plastic Containers for Foods and Beverages RAYMOND A. BOURQUE, Ph.D. <i>President,</i> RAY-PAK, Inc.
12:40 – 1:25 PM	12:40 – 1:25 PM		
(M17) Key Considerations When Planning an RFID/EPC Program KEVIN DONAHUE <i>Director,</i> Checkpoint Systems, Inc.	(M18) How to Produce Low-Cost Stand-Up Pouches on Vertical Form-Fill Seal Machines JAY GEHRING <i>Director, Packaging Technology,</i> Frito-Lay		

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TUESDAY November 9th

RFID Room S104AB	Materials/Containers Room S103D	Robotics Room S103A	Operations Room S103BC
9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM
(T1) RFID: Finding the Needle (Your Product) in the Haystack (the Distribution Pipeline) SHAHRAM MORADPOUR <i>Senior Director, Market Development,</i> Sun Microsystems	(T2) Packaging Mockups Made Easy ED McCARRON <i>Product Manager, Display Media,</i> IntelliCoat Technologies	(T3) 3D Off-Line Simulations and Palletizing Robot Programming GREG WEBB <i>Market Segment Manager,</i> PC Software Solutions, Motoman Inc. JACK JUSTICE <i>Market Segment Manager, Material Handling,</i> Motoman Inc.	(T4) Gaining an Edge with the Packaging Technology Harvesting Process LAWRENCE S. MUCHA, PMP, CPP <i>Management Consultant</i> P.E.T. Terra Systems
9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM
(T5) Driving Process Improvement Through RFID Process Enablement MIKE HALDANE <i>Business Manager,</i> 3M	(T6) Maximizing Response Time/Lowering Costs with In-Plant Digital Color Label Printing DOUGLAS ENRIGHT <i>Technical Documentation Manager,</i> Thomas & Betts Corporation TERRENCE JOHN McDANIEL <i>Co-founder and President,</i> Splash Beverage	(T7) How to Justify the Cost of Robotic Packaging Systems FRANK-PETER KIRGIS <i>Business Development,</i> Consumer Industries Segment, ABB Robotics GmbH	(T8) The Pepsi Approach to Implementing Successful Turnkey Packaging Projects TIMOTHY T. OLSEM <i>Director,</i> <i>Engineering — Hot Fill Supply Chain,</i> PepsiCo Beverages and Foods
10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM
(T9) How to Meet the EPC Mandates for Case and Pallet Tagging ANN MARIE PHANEUF <i>Director of Marketing,</i> Weber Marking Systems Inc.	(T10) The Resurgence of Microwave Packaging JAMES W. PETERS <i>Principal,</i> J. Peters Associates DAVID LUTTENBERGER, CPP, <i>Director,</i> Packaging Strategies	(T11) Leveraging Robotics to Improve Packaging Line Performance, Flexibility and Cost MARK W. SENTI <i>General Manager, Vice President,</i> GSMA-Division of SWF Companies	(T12) Applying Weibull Decision Techniques to Enhance Packaging Productivity PAUL ZEPF, P. Eng, CPP <i>Director of Engineering,</i> Zarpac Inc.
11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM
(T13) In-the-Works: Low-Cost Print and Apply RFID Package Tagging DAN LAWRENCE <i>Director of Technology and Commercialization,</i> Precisia LLC	(T14) Metal Food Can Innovations and Trends ROBERT BUDWAY <i>President,</i> Can Manufacturers Institute RON THOMAS <i>Professor,</i> Can Manufacturers Institute	(T15) Improving Flexibility and Efficiency with Robotic End Effectors JOHN WESTBELD <i>Engineering Manager,</i> SAS Automation, Ltd.	(T16) Microperforations Enhance Controlled Atmosphere Packaging of Fresh-Cut Produce KURT HATELLA <i>Sales Manager,</i> Preco Laser Systems
	12:40 – 1:25 PM	12:40 – 1:25 PM	12:40 – 1:25 PM
	(T17) Sustainable Packaging Market Solutions: A Supply Chain Discussion MODERATOR: ANNIE WHITE PANELISTS INCLUDE REPRESENTATIVES FROM: Aveda Corp. Unilever Bestfoods Cargill Dow LLC Starbucks Coffee Co.	(T18) Thinking about Robotic Palletizing? Consider This... L.P. MUSUNUR <i>Engineering Manager, Palletizing & Packing,</i> Fanuc Robotics America MATT JOB <i>Sr. Engineer, Product Manager, Palletizing & Packing,</i> Fanuc Robotics America	(T19) Six Metal Detection Myths That Could Affect Your Operations MARTIN LYMN <i>Global Product Manager,</i> <i>Checkweighing</i> Thermo Electron

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WEDNESDAY November 10th

RFID Room S104AB	Flexible Packaging Room S103D	Closures Room S103A	Operations Room S103BC
9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM	9:00 – 9:45 AM
(W1) Lab Findings Warn of In-Plant RFID Limitations ROBB CLARKE, Ph.D. <i>Assistant Professor,</i> School of Packaging, Michigan State University	(W2) Advanced Heat-Seal Temperature Measurement KAZUO HISHINUMA <i>Principal,</i> Hishinuma Consulting Engineer Office	(W3) Anti-Counterfeiting and Anti-Diversion – A Road Map to the Future ELLIOTT GRANT <i>Director, Strategy and Planning,</i> Portola Packaging	(W4) Detecting Packaging Defects with Advanced Generation Vision Sensors JAMES SNOW <i>Omron Vision Lab Technology Consultant,</i> Omron Electronics LLC
9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM	9:55 – 10:40 AM
(W5) Offshoring RFID Research & Development SUSHIL BHATIA <i>President, CEO,</i> JMD Manufacturing Inc.	(W6) On-Line Seal Inspection of Retort Pouches MIKHAIL KNELLER <i>Engineer,</i> PTI – Packaging Technologies & Inspection LLC	(W7) How and Why Transparent Caps Boost Beverage Bottle Impact MARTIN HORROCKS <i>Market Manager,</i> ClearTint, Milliken Chemical	(W8) Shrink Sleeve and Label Technology Advances BRADLEY BAKER <i>Manager of Packaging Operations,</i> Package Development Coca-Cola North America
10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM	10:50 – 11:35 AM
(W9) Treating the Start-Up Cost and Throughput Reduction Headaches of RFID PATRICK J. HELM <i>Managing Partner,</i> The Manufacturing Systems Group Inc.	(W10) Acoustic or Optical Tomographic On-Line Inspection of Retort Pouches SCOTT A. MORRIS, Ph.D. <i>Professor,</i> University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	(W11) Permeation Protocols for Synthetic Wine Closures REBECCA ORTIZ <i>Chemist II,</i> Impact Analytical: Barrier Properties Laboratory ERIC HILL <i>Chemist I,</i> Impact Analytical: Taste and Odor Laboratory	(W12) Improving Efficiency with Robots on the Packaging Line MARK ZELNICK <i>President,</i> Zed Industries Inc.
11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	11:45 AM – 12:30 PM
(W13) Ensuring Intelligent RFID/EPC Tagging at Any Point in the Supply Chain TILAK SUBRAHMANYAN <i>Director of Business Development,</i> MARKEM Corporation/Applied Intelligence	(W14) Effective Web Cleaning to Improve Productivity, Lower Operating Costs JAY PERRY <i>Marketing Manager,</i> Simco Industrial Static Control	(W15) Answering Consumers' Call for Convenience with Dispensing Closures PETER SCHELIGA <i>Director,</i> Closure Tooling, StackTeck Systems MICHAEL R. BECHTOLD <i>Vice President of Sales & Marketing,</i> Weatherchem	(W16) How FDA's CFR Part 11 Guidelines Will Affect Next Generation Rx Packaging MIKE HALDANE <i>Business Manager,</i> 3M
	12:40 – 1:25 PM		
	(W17) The Future of Stand-Up Pouches JEFF KELLAR <i>Vice President,</i> Strategic Business Development and Marketing, Tetra Pak USA		