2024 Supply Chain Analytics Institute Annual Conference, June 6-7, 2024

Thursday, June 6, 2024

Time (EDT)	Speakers/Panelists	Topics
9:00-9:10	**Lei Lei** Dean, Rutgers Business School	Opening Remarks
9:10-9:55	**Wendy Herrick** Senior Vice President, Head of Customer Operations, North America, Unilever	Expectation of AI's Development/Application in SCM
9:55-10:45	**Panel Discussion** **Esra Buyuktahtakin Toy** Associate Professor, Grado Department of Industrial & Systems Engineering, Virginia Tech **Hao Dong** Senior Director, Global Readiness, AI and Service Cloud, Salesforce **Subbiah Mahalingam** Vice President, Digital Transformation, Technology & Global Services, Becton, Dickinson and Company **George Yuhasz** Vice President, Global Head of Analytics Product & Solution Delivery, Digital Technology & Innovation, Fresenius Medical Care **Moderator: John Hellriegel** Assistant Professor of Professional Practice, Department of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers University Formerly Vice President for Global Supply Chain, The Estee Lauder Companies, Inc.	How to Use AI/Analytics to Enhance the Healthcare/Medical Equipment Supply Chains
10:45-11:30	**Tim Sullivan** Chief Executive Officer of the New Jersey Economic Development Authority (NJEDA)	New Jersey's AI Initiatives for Supply Chain Management
11:30-12:45	Lunch	
12:45-13:30	**Norman Sadeh** Professor, the School of Computer Science at Carnegie Mellon University	Reflecting on 30 Years of AI Supply Chain Management Research: Accomplishments and Challenges Ahead
13:30-14:20	**Panel Discussion** **Mitch Cahn** President, Unionwear **Brendan Englot** Geoffrey S. Inman Junior Professor and Director, Stevens Institute for Artificial Intelligence, Stevens Institute of Technology **Ken Fordyce** Director, Analytics without Borders, Arkieva **JD Risson** President, Eyeon USA Inc. **Moderator: Rudolf Leuschner** Associate Professor, Director of the MS in Supply Chain Management Program, Department of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers University	Opportunities/Challenges/Solutions of the Applications/Implementations of AI in SCM for NJ local businesses
14:20-15:05	**Hua Ni** Distinguished Engineer and Chief Analytics and Data Scientist, IBM	AI and Automation, What Opportunities do They Offer for the Supply Chain Analytics Field
15:05-15:30	Coffee Break	
15:30-16:15	**Michael Luber** Vice President of Business Transformation & Operational Excellence at Liberty Coca-Cola	Harvesting Value – Analytics, AI/Machine Learning & People
16:15-17:00	**Warren Powell** Professor Emeritus, Princeton University/Co-Founder and Chief Innovation Officer, Optimal Dynamics	A Universal Framework for Sequential Decision Analytics with Supply Chain Applications
17:00-19:00	**Reception**	

Friday, June 7, 2024

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9:00-9:45	**Arun Kumar Bhaskara-Baba** Global Chief Digital and Information Officer, Honeywell Aerospace	Accelerating Industry 4.0: Unveiling the Power of AI in Manufacturing
9:45-10:35	**Panel Discussion** **Erez Agmoni** Global Head of Innovation, Maersk **Charles Eaton** Commander, United States Navy; Executive Officer and Assistant Professor of Naval Science, Navy ROTC, Rutgers and Princeton University **Mahesh Harvu** Transformation Strategist & Advisor, Microsoft **Jeff Hermann** Chairman & CEO at Hermann Services, Inc **Moderator: Arash Azadegan** Professor, Vice Chair, Dean's Research Professor, Department of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers University	AI Transformation in Supply Chain and Logistics
10:35-11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00-11:45	**Jane Connell** Senior Vice President and Chief Information Officer, Verizon	Supply Chain 360
11:45-13:00	Lunch	
13:00-13:45	**Huseyin Topaloglu** Amazon Scholar and Howard and Eleanor Morgan Professor at Cornell University	Incorporating Discrete Choice Models into Operations Management Models
13:45-14:35	**Panel Discussion** **Kostas Bekris** Professor, Computer Science, Rutgers University **Qingwei Li** Principal ML/AI Specialist, Amazon Web Services **Michael Magent** Director, Data Science, Air Products **Evren Ozkaya** Founder and CEO, SCW.AI by Supply Chain Wizard **Moderator: Joseph Agresta** Director, MS in Supply Chain Analytics, Rutgers University Formerly Vice President for Procurement, Johnson & Johnson	Emerging AI Technologies
14:35-15:20	**Yao Zhao** Professor, Department of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers University Co-Director of Rutgers Supply Chain Analytics Laboratory	Supply Chain Analytics Job Market Analysis and Curriculum Design
15:20-15:40	Coffee Break	
15:40-16:55	**Lian Qi** Department Chair of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers University	Best Doctoral Dissertation Awards
16:55-17:00	**Lian Qi** Department Chair of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers University	Closing Remarks