



Canadian Association for Surface Finishing

CASF Conference 2017

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“Surviving or Thriving?... in the Trudeau and Trump Era!”

Wednesday November 15th, 2017
Hilton Garden Inn Toronto, Vaughan
3201 Highway 7 West
Vaughan, Ontario

Registration: 7:30 – 8:30am

CONFERENCE AGENDA:

8:00 – 8:30am	Exhibitor Viewing
8:30 – 8:45	Conference Welcome and Introductions <i>Michael Kuntz & Robert Smith- CASF President / Vice-President</i>
8:45 – 9:15	Government Programs Designed to Aid Manufacturers with GHG Emissions Reductions <i>Paul Clipsham – Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters (CME)</i>
9:15 – 9:45	Canadian Industry Programs for Energy Conservation & Incentives <i>Donna Arts – Sr. Industrial Officer, NRCan / CIPEC</i>
9:45 – 10:15	Break and Exhibitor Viewing
10:15– 10:45	Advances in Recycling & Recovery Technologies in the Finishing Industry <i>Allen Hayes – President, Chemtech Systems</i>
10:45 – 11:15	Global OEM Update <i>David Gasparovich – Business Development Manager, MacDermidEnthone</i>
11:15 – 12:00pm	CASF Update and Canadian Environmental/Regulatory Outlook <i>Michael Kuntz, Bob Smith, Richard Thibodeau, Stephanie McCallum - CASF</i>
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch and Exhibitor Viewing
1:00 – 2:00	Keynote Address – The Trump Effect...Expect the Unexpected <i>Christian Richter – President, The Policy Group, Washington D.C./ NASF</i>
2:00 – 2:30	New Technology Overview in the Surface Finishing Industry <i>Dr. Sebastian Kuehne – Engineering and R&D Manager – Atotech Germany</i>
2:30– 3:00	Break and Exhibitor Viewing
3:00 – 3:45	Economic, Financial & Commodity Markets Outlook <i>Sarah Howcroft – Economist, BMO Capital Markets</i>
3:45 – 4:15	Nickel Developments: Research & Risk Update <i>Dr. Hudson K Bates – Executive Director & Toxicologist, NiPERA (Nickel Producers Environmental Research Association)</i>
4:15 – 4:25pm	Final Conference Thoughts <i>Michael Kuntz and Robert Smith - CASF</i>