ICCA HIGH-LEVEL EVENT

THE SAICM JOURNEY TO 2020 AND BEYOND

Thursday 1 October 2015 | 18:30 - 20:00
Centre international de conférence Genève
17 rue de Varembé | Conference room 5-6
Host: International Council of Chemical Associations (ICCA)

18:00 - 18:30 Welcome reception

18:30 - 19:15 The revised Responsible Care Global Charter - Strengthening industries’ commitment

Introductory statement:
Jean Pierre Clamadieu (Solvay)

Panelists: Jean Pierre Clamadieu (Solvay), Fleetwood Grobler (Sasol), Mutlaq Al-Morished (Tasnee), You Xiaoping (Huafon), K’Lynne Johnson (Elevance Renewable Sciences)

Moderated Q and A

19:20 - 20:00 Spotlights on contributions to SAICM

Opening remarks: Mark Rohr (Celanese) and Achim Steiner (UNEP)

Panelists: Mark Rohr (Celanese), Kurt Bock (BASF), Achim Steiner (UNEP), Richard Fuller (Pure Earth, formerly Blacksmith Institute)

Signing of Memorandum of Understanding between UNEP and ICCA

Closing of the event: Rolph Payet (Moderator)

Moderated Q and A

20:00 - 21:00 Dinner reception

A reception for the audience will take place in the open area in front of Room 5 & 6

Who should attend
Ministers, delegates, IGO leaders, NGOs, news media. Open to all ICCM participants.

Purpose
The Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management (SAICM) is a voluntary, multi-stakeholder initiative which aims that by 2020, chemicals are managed in ways that minimize significant adverse impacts on human health and the environment.

This event will provide an update on the collective progress to the SAICM 2020 targets and on the chemical industry’s continuing contribution to these targets.

The signing of a Memorandum of Understanding between UNEP and ICCA, and the presentation of a revised Responsible Care® Global Charter at the event once again illustrate the global chemical industry’s commitment to sound chemicals management and a sustainable future.

Format
Welcome drinks and snacks will be offered before the side event and buffet reception afterwards.

Introduction and panel discussion with Q&A.

ICCA members will be available for news media interviews after the event.
About ICCA

The International Council of Chemical Associations (ICCA) is the worldwide voice of the chemical industry, an industry with a 2014 turnover of more than €3,600 billion. ICCA members account for more than 90% of global chemical sales. With businesses in virtually every nation, driving innovation in six continents around the world, the chemical industry is creating jobs – directly employing 7 million educated and well-trained people and supporting 25 million related jobs in construction, manufacturing, transportation and more.

ICCA promotes and co-ordinates the Global Product Strategy, Responsible Care® and other voluntary chemical industry initiatives such as HPV and LRI. ICCA is one of the main channels of communication between the global chemical industry and various international organizations that are concerned with health, climate change and trade-related issues, including the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), the World Trade Organization (WTO) and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation & Development (OECD).

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