



STEEL-CON

Steel Supply Chain Conference

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AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL STEEL, INC.

Presents

STEEL-CON 2019® AND GOLF TOURNAMENT, April 24-25

“U.S. Tariffs Roil Global Steel Trade”

Wall Street Journal, November 30, 2018

“Steel Tariff Rules Strew Confusion”

Wall Street Journal, January 3, 2019

If you are an importer / exporter of steel, or you provide products or services to the industry, more than ever this year you need to know how developments in Washington and beyond will affect your business. This is your conference.

Event Description

AIIS invites you to a day and a half gathering at the peerless Houstonian Hotel to explore what you need to know to succeed in today's challenging environment. This year's event is carefully designed to bring you the most up-to-date information, introduce opportunities, stimulate ideas, and enhance professional skill, all while experiencing the Houstonian's acclaimed grounds and hospitality. You will hear expert analysis by the country's top trade and customs law experts, engage in penetrating discussion, and interact with leading industry practitioners who will guide you through the thorny, complex trade and customs issues affecting the steel supply chain in 2019 and beyond.

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STEEL SUPPLY CHAIN CONFERENCE
THE HOUSTONIAN HOTEL, CLUB & SPA
HOUSTON, TX, APRIL 24-25 (WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY)

Preliminary Schedule and Program

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 - Golf Tournament 8:30AM – 1:15 PM
(Wildcat Golf Club)

**AIIS Board Meeting 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM
(Wildcat Golf Club)**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 - AIIS Evening Reception, 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM
(The Houstonian Hotel)**

THURSDAY, APRIL 25

07:30 AM Continental Breakfast

08:00 AM Welcome

John D. Foster - President, Kurt Orban Partners LLC

08:15 AM Keynote Address

Hon. Grant D. Aldonas, former Under Secretary for International Trade,
U.S. Department of Commerce

09:00 AM – 10:20 AM

First Panel: Trade Policy in Turbulent Times

DESCRIPTION: Panelists will present a comprehensive overview of current trade and customs law, policy, and regulatory developments.

Moderator: TBA

Speakers: **Donald B. Cameron, Esq.**, Partner, Morris, Manning & Martin, LLP; AIIS attorney-of-record in the AIIS legal challenge to Section 232. “The Legal Challenge to Section 232: Developments at the U.S. Court of International Trade and Beyond.”

Lewis E. Leibowitz, Esq., The Law Office of Lewis E. Leibowitz “Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duty Developments in 2019 and Beyond.”

Paul Nathanson, Senior Principal, Bracewell, LLP, and director of strategic communications for the Coalition of American Metal Manufacturers and Users. “Update on Congressional Efforts to Reform Section 232.”

Nithya Nagarajan, Esq., Partner, Husch Blackwell “Living with Section 232: How to Navigate the New Exclusion Process.”

10:20 AM - 10:40 AM **Coffee Break**

10:45 AM – 12:15 PM

Second Panel: Developments in Customs Law and Regulation You Absolutely Need to Know About

DESCRIPTION: One of the country's leading Customs law practitioners will guide you through the important new developments that will impact your business.

Moderator: TBA

Speakers: **Lawrence W. Hanson, Esq.**, The Law Office of Lawrence W. Hanson, P.C.

Additional speakers TBA

12:15 PM **Close of Conference**