



Monday, October 6 – Conference Day One

Hilton Hotel Commissioners Symposium		Quebec Convention Center AAPA Technical Committee Meetings				
8:30 AM	Breakfast for Commissioners	8:30 AM	Harbors & Navigation		Environment	Cruise
9:00 AM	Welcome Cary Davis, President & CEO, AAPA	9:45 AM Break				
9:15 AM	Speaker Presentation To Be Announced	10:00 AM	IT		PR	
10:00 AM	AAPA Legislative Update Led by the AAPA Government Relations Team	11:15 AM Break				
10:45 AM	Speaker Presentation To Be Announced	11:30 AM		Engineering, Construction & Maintenance	Security	Finance & Admin + Economic Development
11:15 AM	Speaker Presentation To Be Announced					
12:00 PM	Speaker Presentation To Be Announced					
12:30 PM	Lunch					
2:00 PM	Port of Quebec Port Tour					
5:30 PM	Opening Reception in the Exhibit Hall					

Tuesday, October 7 – Conference Day Two

7:00 AM	Breakfast & Exhibit Hall Hours			
8:10 AM	Main Stage: Welcome to AAPA’s Annual Convention			
8:40 AM	Main Stage Keynote: Keeping up with the Evolving Trade Policy Katharine Tai, Former U.S. Trade Representative			
9:50 AM	Tide-Sized Talks <i>Thought Leadership Presentation by KALE Logistics, Inc.</i>	Exhibit Hall Hours		
10:20 AM	Tide-Sized Talks <i>Thought Leadership Presentation by Deloitte</i>			
	Finance & Business	Infrastructure Modernization	Environment & Community Stewardship	Energy & Resilience
11:00 AM	Developing Port Master Plans as Roadmaps for Success  Rodger Rees, Port of Galveston	<i>Session To Be Announced</i>	<i>Session To Be Announced</i>	Energy Master Planning: Charting the Course to Zero-Emission Port Operations David Nguyen, Jacobs Engineering Matt Wenham, Port of Cleveland
11:50 AM	More Than a Logo: The Strategic Power of Brand in Port Evolution 	<i>Session To Be Announced</i>	<i>Session To Be Announced</i>	<i>Session To Be Announced</i>

Karl Strauch, Port Tampa Bay				
12:40 PM	Lunch & Exhibit Hall Hours			
1:30 PM	PPM Graduation Ceremony			
	Finance & Business	Infrastructure Modernization	Environment & Community Stewardship	Energy & Resilience
2:10 PM	Session To Be Announced	Beyond Visual Inspections: Satellite-Based Structural Health Monitoring for Marine Infrastructure 🇨🇦 Daniel Hébert, Transport Canada	Building Resilience: Creating a Hyper-Local Port Vulnerability Index at Port Corpus Christi 🇺🇸 Jeff Pollack, Port Corpus Christi	Powering Progress: The Business Case for Electrifying Port Operations Behind the Fence Bill Hamlin, Orange EV
3:00 PM	Tide-Sized Talks: The Business Case for Rebranding: Lessons from the Port of Harlingen 🇺🇸 Amy Lynch, IMPM, MPE, Port of Harlingen		Exhibit Hall Hours	
3:30 PM	Tide-Sized Talks Session To Be Announced			
4:10 PM	Main Stage: How Important is Outstanding Leadership in Ports? Sue Dvonch, Shey-Harding Executive Search			
4:50 PM	Main Stage: Closing Remarks			
5:00 PM	Evening Reception			


Legend:

🇨🇦 - Canadian-Focused Conversation

🇺🇸 - U.S. Port-Led Conversation

Wednesday, October 8 – Conference Day Three

7:30 AM	Breakfast & Exhibit Hall Hours			
8:30 AM	Legislative Policy Council Meeting John Bressler, Vice President of Government Relations, AAPA Ian Gansler, Director of Government Relations, AAPA Holden Haley, Legislative Associate, AAPA Shawn Balcomb, Public Affairs Senior Manager, AAPA	Exhibit Hall Hours		
9:30 AM		Tide-Sized Talks Session To Be Announced		
10:10 AM	Main Stage: Welcome Back			
10:20 AM	Main Stage: Session To Be Presented by Truck N Hustle			
	Labor Relations & Workforce	Supply Chain & Logistics	Canadian Spotlight	AI, Cybersecurity & Technology Investments
11:00 AM	Session To Be Announced	How Ports Can Be More Involved in Innovation 🇨🇦 Pierre-Luc Gosselin, Quebec Port Authority	Session To Be Announced	Unlocking Federal Cybersecurity Support: No-Cost Tools, Real-World Impact 🇺🇸 Joseph Powell, MPE, Port Pascagoula Roark, Clyde, U.S. Department of Homeland Security

11:50 AM	Session To Be Announced	Session To Be Announced	Building Asset Management Capability: Lessons from the Port of Montreal’s Scalable Approach  Bernard Gaudreault, Norda Stelo Inc.		Session To Be Announced
12:40 PM	Lunch & Exhibit Hall Hours				
1:30 PM	PPM Graduation Ceremony				
	Labor Relations & Workforce	Supply Chain & Logistics	Canadian Spotlight	AI, Cybersecurity & Technology Investments	
2:10 PM	Session To Be Announced	Session To Be Announced	Session To Be Announced	Session To Be Announced	
3:00 PM	Tide-Sized Talks <i>Community Stewardship Session Presented by Port of Quebec and Destinations North America</i>		Exhibit Hall Hours		
3:30 PM	Tide-Sized Talks <i>Session To Be Announced</i>				
4:10 PM	Main Stage: Session To Be Announced				
4:50 PM	Main Stage: Session To Be Announced				
5:00 PM	Main Stage: Closing Remarks				
6:30 PM	Closing Reception at the Port of Quebec				

Legend:


- Canadian-Led Conversation


- Port Led Conversation