

# 16-17 March 2022 Gulf Supply Chain Leaders Senate 2022

"Getting Your Supply Chain Future Ready"

**Q** Dusit Thani, Dubai

POST EVENT REPORT





ISCM Forums organized the Gulf Supply Chain Leaders Senate – a premier summit of leaders from GCC Nations on 17<sup>th</sup> March. As a prequel to the Senate, ISCM Forums organized the Gulf Supply Chain Sustainability Leadership Town Hall on 16<sup>th</sup> March. The events marked a watershed moment in the supply chain domain in GCC with wholehearted support from the leaders across GCC.

85 distinguished and acclaimed logistics, supply chain, and planning leaders from the GCC nations participated in the Senate. 35 outstanding leaders from supply chain, planning, and procurement spoke about the current state and future direction of logistics and freight transportation in GCC nations. The discussion covered the megatrends that are shaping logistics in the new normal - customercentricity, resilience, visibility, and sustainability, and the major challenges faced by logistics and how to build a safe, secure, and resilient logistics network.

#### The discussions spanned a diverse range of topics like:

- Planning for Tomorrow's Supply Chain
- Supply Chain Challenges in GCC: Preparing for the Future
- Changing dynamics of demand and supply planning
- Local logistics challenges How do we strategize to secure logistics?
- Unlocking the Full Potential of Digital Transformation of Supply Chains in GCC
- E-Commerce, Retail and Last Mile Delivery importance of E-Commerce in GCC
- Managing Transition to the New Purchasing Function



As a prequel to the Gulf Supply Chain Leaders Senate, ISCM Forums organized the Gulf Supply Chain Sustainability Leaders Town Hall on the 16<sup>th</sup> March.



The Gulf Supply Chain Sustainability Leaders Town Hall explored the theme: Getting your Supply Chain Climate Ready. The town hall focused on the urgency to align Supply Chains with People, Planet, Profits and ESG Goals. Companies have realized the importance of Sustainability in the design and execution of their supply chain. However, the biggest challenge to sustainability is the mindset of



the management. We need to create a behavioral, operational, and managerial change for sustainable supply chains.

35 select leaders in sustainability, logistics, supply chain and procurement from some of the leading firms in GCC participated in a series of discussions on sustainability challenges that impact logistics and supply chain in the region.

- Driving Value Through ESG Goals Where does the Supply Chain Fit?
- The "Race to Zero" How to build a framework for sustainable logistics? What does it cost? What are the benefits?
- Placing Sustainability in the Driver's Seat How to create an Ethical, and Sustainable Sourcing Program? What are the Advantages and opportunities?





#### SPEAKERS AT THE SENATE



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Andrea Petti PTV Group



Serge Taibaly Schneider electric



Shailen Shukla MHAO Group



Apoorva Kumar Jumia Group



Daniel Gribbin



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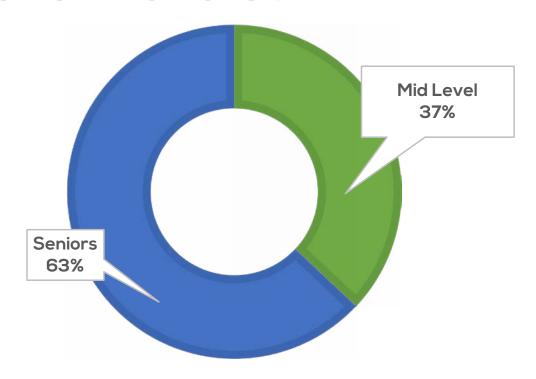


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# PROFILE OF PARTICIPANTS

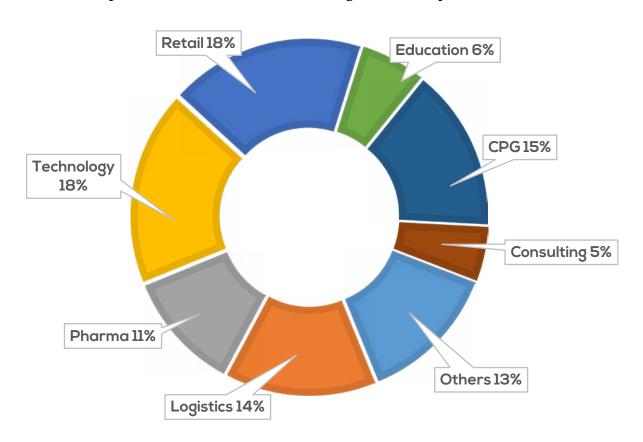


The Gulf Supply Chain Leaders Senate was an exclusive event, open to mid and senior level participants. The participant profile was:



## **CORPORATE PROFILE**

The delegates to the Gulf Supply Chain Leaders Senate represented a broad cross section of the sector in UAE. The delegates were from:





#### MARKETING, MEDIA AND PROMOTION

The event was promoted using a mix of conventional marketing mix and social media. ISCM Forums created a dedicated website for the event – https:// gulfsclsenate.com/ where we posted constant updates on the event. These updates were shared on the LinkedIn pages of the institute. An average of 3000 plus individual supply chain professionals read these posts.

The outreach touched close to 10,000 supply chain professionals from across the GCC nations. The event was open only to the senior supply chain professionals.

A series of specific promotions were undertaken on LinkedIn for each panel and speaker topic, generating additional interest in the event.











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### Companies which were represented



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biorus	Aramex	Landmark Group
EMEX	Max Gulf Technologies LLC	Jeebly
SSM Group	PTV Group	Transmed
Vritti Solutions	GSL	Jumia Group
KEC Towners	Sky Express International	Schneider electric
Emex	Domino's	SRG Holding ltd.
Henkel	MHAO Group	Kimberly-Clark
Al Seer Group	SP Jain Dubai	Fonterra
Truebell Marketing & Trading CO	Mondelez International	Aster DM Healthcare
Jashanmal Group	ADSM	Nestle waters factory
American university of Sharjah	NewBridge Pharmaceuticals	Locus
Marsh	Zebra Technologies	GN Group
Coty	GAIA Healthcare DMCC	JBF RAK LLC
Johnson & Johnson	Intelog	M. H. Enterprises LLC.,
International SOS	LogisEye	Tier Mobility
Nestlé Waters	Vega International Group	OSN
FalCap limited	Bateel International	Gulf Coca-Cola Beverages
Asian paints	Bioexpert International Inc.	PandoCorp
Chalhoub Group	Vritti Solutions	DeliWer Shopping
Etihad Rail	Tier Mobility	GAIA Healthcare DMCC
Galderma	Axiom Telecom Pvt Ltd	Novartisg
Chep Middle East	Life Pharmacy	Tradeling
V Perfumes Retail	Giordano	Global Online Stores
Marquard & Bahls AG	ЗМ	Jumbo Logistics
Givaudan	Hisense Middle East	African and Eastern NE Bvi Ltd.
Concorde-Corodex Group	AP Moller Maersk LLC	Al Islamic Foods
SNTTA	Procter & Gamble	
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