



Session Title:

Simplifying Complexity In The Supply Chain

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Session description:

The demands placed on our supply chains increase every year, and as supply chain leaders we have to figure out new ways of managing this complexity, becoming smarter and being able “to do more with less”.

Some of the biggest challenges we face:

- Uncertain trade environment.
- Rapidly increasing sustainability requirements.
- Product assortment and SKU proliferation.
- Global supply chain lead times getting longer.
- Shortening DTC customer delivery times.
- Bio and Geopolitical risk management

In this SCLA session, we will examine some of the main sources of complexity and how they affect the bottom line. Then we will present several real-life examples of how complexity has affected members of the SCLA and how they successfully (or unsuccessfully) dealt with it.

Key takeaways:

- Drivers of supply chain complexity.
- How complexity stresses the supply chain.
- Key lessons from SCLA case studies
- Use of process, people, and technology
- How to do more with less