

Sustainable and Digital Trade Facilitation Week



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	In an era marked by rapid digital transformation, sustainability imperatives, and evolving regulatory landscapes, harmonized standards and processes are crucial for seamless operations and innovation in transport and logistics. The "Collaborative Multimodality" session aims to address these challenges head-on, fostering collaboration among diverse standards initiatives across the transport and logistics sector.
DESCRIPTION	This interactive event will bring together transport and logistics experts with various backgrounds and active roles to discuss the pivotal role of multimodality in achieving sustainable, green logistics solutions. Participants will learn more about the current digitalization challenges of cargo movements across different modes of transportation from different transport and logistics organizations. The conference will delve into the latest trends, challenges and opportunities for enhancing transparency and efficiency across supply chain transport movements.
	Key topics to be discussed include:
	 How to manage cargo movements across modes with respect to increased harmonization of modal regulations and conventions, such as Dangerous Goods Regulations and international transport contract conventions.
	 Strategies to support tracing and tracking of cargo across different modes and across national and regional borders.
	- Insights into regulatory frameworks and standards shaping the industry.
	- Opportunities for improving alignment among standardization initiatives by fostering greater collaboration and innovation.
	- Suggestions and contributions relating to the management of digital corridors for efficient logistics.
	Join us to engage with industry leaders, share your perspectives, and contribute to shaping the future of sustainable transport and logistics through collaborative multimodality. This session is an invaluable opportunity to network, learn, and be part of the transformation towards more efficient, transparent, and sustainable logistics operations.





- Ms. Sue Probert, Chair, UN/CEFACT
- Ms. Hanane Becha, Vice-Chair, UN/CEFACT
- Mr. Jaco Voorspuiji, Transport and Logistics, Independent Consultant
- Mr. Grant Hunter, Director for Standards, Innovation and Research, • BIMCO
- Mr. David Sauv, Senior Manager, Digital Cargo, IATA

SPEAKERS

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- Mr. Michael Dill, CEO, GEFEG mBH FIATA representative (tbc)
- Mr. Paul Walter, Strategy Director Digitization, Port of Rotterdam •
- Mr. Mario Apostolov, Regional Adviser, Economic Cooperation and Trade Division, UNECE
- Mr. Todd Frazier, US Global Trade Services, Strategic Project Lead, FEDEX

