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**WORLD CONFERENCE
27-30 OCTOBER 2011**

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DELEGATES PROGRAM

Individual arrival at the **Four Seasons Hotel Toronto**, 21 Avenue Road, Toronto, ON, M5R 2G1, Canada, T: +1 (416) 964-0411 F: +1 (416) 964-2301, <http://www.fourseasons.com/toronto>

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Thursday, 27 October 2011

08:00 – 16:30	A Round of Golf Meeting point at the hotel lobby (only for registered participants)	
14:00 – 17:30	Practice Group Meeting International Taxation <i>Room: Regency West</i>	Oliver Biernat Graham Busch
15:30 – 17:00	Executive Committee Meeting <i>Room: Print Room</i>	
19:00 – 19:45	Welcome Cocktail at the hotel (Dress code: formal) <i>Room: Regency Foyer</i>	
19:45 – 22:30	Welcome Dinner at the hotel (Dress code: formal) <i>Room: Regency Centre & East</i>	
	Introduction of GGI member candidates and new member firms	Michael Reiss von Filski
	Global Village on the move	Richard M. Brandt (Lehigh University)
22:30	Optional Drinks at the hotel bar <i>Room: Avenue Lounge</i>	

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**Friday, 28 October 2011**

07:30 – 09:00	Breakfast at the hotel (<i>Dress code: casual</i>) <i>Room: Regency West</i>	
09:00 – 12:45	Conference for Delegates at the hotel (<i>Dress code: casual</i>) <i>Room: Regency Centre & East</i>	
09:00 – 09:10	Presidential Speech	Claudio G. Cocca
09:10 – 09:15	Words of Welcome from the host firms	John R. Ward Kanish Thevarasa
09:15 – 10:30	Realization, Assessment and Motivation (RAM) Questions from the audience	Erin Brockovich
10:30 – 10:50	Coffee Break <i>Room: Regency Foyer</i>	
10:50 – 11:40	Trust: Developing It, Maintaining It, and Repairing It.	Jennifer Lee Wilson
11:40 – 11:55	Deal Market: The new GGI business platform	Céline Fillistorf
11:55 – 12:45	Management Report Presentation of upcoming conferences Introduction www.ggiform.com	Michael Reiss von Filski Adam Crowson Claudio G. Cocca
12:45 – 14:00	Lunch for Delegates at the hotel <i>Room: Regency West</i>	
14:00 – 17:30	Conference at the hotel <i>Practice Group Meetings (held in two rounds)</i>	

On Friday afternoon we will have two rounds of practice group meetings. Each practice group meeting will take place for 90 minutes. This enables participants to attend more than one practice group meeting:

First round, 14:00 – 15:30

- § **Auditing**
Dr. Thomas Geiger, t.geiger@munkert.de
Room: Tudor/Stuart
- § **Corporate & Commercial Law**
Ady Nordman, ady@nordman.co.il
Room: Orange
- § **Cross Border Debt Collection & Restructuring**
David Black, dblack@cavitch.com
Room: Lancaster
- § **International Dispute Resolution**
Johan F. Langelaar, langelaar@tk.nl
Room: Kent



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- § **Estate Planning, Trusts & Private Equity**
Prof. Robert Anthony, robert@antco.com
Room: Windsor-Cornwall

15:30 – 16:00 **Coffee Break**
Room: 3rd floor Mezzanine

Second round, 16:00 – 17:30

- § **Enhanced Business Opportunities**
Astrid Rechel-Götz, a.rechel-goetz@benefitax.de
Room: Tudor/Stuart
- § **International Executive & Immigration Services**
Ionut C. Zeche, izeche@mirus-group.eu
Room: Lancaster
- § **M&A**
Marco Walser, marco.walser@walserpartner.ch
Room: Windsor-Cornwall
- § **Real Estate**
Dr. Robin Fritz, fritz@fps-law.de
Room: Kent
- § **Task Force: Financial Crisis**
Claudio G. Cocca, cocca@ggi.com
Room: Orange

19:00 **Meeting point at hotel lobby**

19:30 – 22:30 **Night at the Distillery – Border House**
Canadian Buffet Style Dinner (Dress code: casual)
<http://www.boilerhouse.ca/>

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22:30 Drinks at the hotel bar
Room: Avenue Lounge

Saturday, 29 October 2011

07:30 – 09:00 Breakfast at the hotel (*Dress code: casual*)
Room: Windows

09:00 – 12:00 **Conference (Dress code: casual)**

09:00 – 12:00 **Different Workshops**
(Please sign up for one of the following workshops upon arrival at the registration desk)

Mergers and Acquisitions of Your Firm: Practical Considerations
Hal K. Litchford, hlitchford@litchris.com
Room: Kent

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Graham Busch, graham@lawrencegrant.co.uk
Richard E. Mastrocola, rem@tonneson.com
Room: Norfolk/Cornwall

Establishing a new practice group: Public Procurement

Dr. László Tunyogi, tunyogi@ggi.com
Room: Windsor/Sussex

The Five Growth Drivers: A Workshop Discussion

Jennifer Wilson, jen@convergencecoaching.com
Room: Orange

Understanding GGI (compulsory for all candidates and new members)

Michael Reiss von Filski, reiss@ggi.com
Room: Tudor/Stuart

Making Overseas Acquisitions Work

Dipankar Chatterji, dchatterji@lbjha.com
Room: Lancaster

10:30-11:00

Coffee Break

Room: 3rd floor Mezzanine

12:00 – 13:30

Lunch at the hotel for Delegates

(Dress code: casual)
Room: Windows

14:00 – 17:30

Sightseeing Program for Delegates and Accompanying Persons

As per your registration:

a) Shoes, sapphires and shopping

This unique tour includes a visit to one of Toronto's unique museums that houses a selection of Sonja Bata's personal collection of over 1000 artefacts. This exclusive collection spans 4500 years and represents cultures from around the world. Next you will visit the Royal Ontario Museum's spectacular Gallery of Gems and Gold. The collection contains examples of Canada's most superb gems as well as gems and jewellery from around the world.

Then, to conclude the day, the guide will introduce you to the fabulous boutiques and specialty shops in the Bloor/Yorkville area where you will have time to browse and shop before returning to the hotel.

b) Travel Through Toronto's Brew-Ha-Ha

This tour will bring you behind the scenes of the only working breweries in Toronto. You will be transported to three very different areas of the city and three very different breweries.

The first stop will be at the Amsterdam Brewery located in the west end of the city in the new and hip 'in' area called the King West Village. Originally the brewery Amsterdam brewed house beers for the Rotterdam bar, and distributed on draft throughout Toronto Bars. This is the oldest brewery on the tour and proud to say, still going strong.

Next you will take a short ride down to the Steam Whistle Brewing Company where you will tour the brewery that is in itself a Toronto landmark.

The last stop on this brew-ha-ha will be at Toronto's newest brewery, The Mill Street Brewery. It is located in East Toronto's first commercial brewery to open in over 100 years – the Distillery District.

After all three tours you will have the chance to sample some of the flavours that the breweries have to offer.



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c) Sensational Sports

This tour will guide you through the Rogers Centre, home to the Toronto Blue Jays (Baseball) and the Air Canada Centre, home to the Toronto Maple Leafs Hockey Club. Admission and tour of Toronto's Hockey Hall of Fame.

19:00 meeting point at Hotel Lobby

19:30 **Gala Dinner at The Carlu (Dress code: black tie/Tuxedo)**
<http://www.thecarlu.com/thecarlu.html>

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22:30 Drinks at the hotel bar
Room: Avenue Lounge

Sunday, 30 October 2011

07:00 – 10:30 Breakfast at the hotel (Dress code: casual)
Room: Windows

Individual departure from the hotel

08:00 – 17:30 **Optional Tour to the Niagara Falls**
(As per your registration)