

# PRIME SOURCE FORUM

THE NETWORKING EVENT FOR THE INTERNATIONAL APPAREL INDUSTRY

## PROGRAMME

Date: 29-30 March 2007  
 Venue: Theatre 1, Hong Kong Convention & Exhibition Centre

DAY 1 – MARCH 29, 2007	
TIME	PROGRAMME
09:30	Welcome by Mr Michael Duck, Director of APLF Ltd
09:35	INTRODUCTION BY MASTER OF CEREMONIES - Mr Andrew Kahn, Chairman, Kahn Lucas Lancaster Inc
09:40	Keynote Address "An Industry in Transition " – Mr Paul Charron, Chairman Emeritus, Liz Claiborne Inc
10:40	Coffee Break – sponsored by SGS Hong Kong Ltd
11:00	SESSION I - THE SOURCING ENVIRONMENT
	Moderator Mr Bob Zane, Chairman, United States Association of Importers of Textiles and Apparel
	Panelists Mr Edger Tung, Director of Sales, Esquel Group of Companies Mr Gary Ross, Corporate Vice President/Global Manufacturing and Sourcing, Liz Claiborne Inc Mr Glen Tinton, Director of Sourcing & Supply, Marks & Spencer Mr Simon Shephard-Walwyn, Director of Strategic Planning, Mexx Dr Kenneth Wang, Managing Director, Sterling Products Ltd Mr Thomas Glaser, President, Supply Chain Europe/Asia, VF International
13:00	Lunch – sponsored by Avery Dennison Retail Information Services
14:30	SESSION II - TRADE MATTERS
	Moderator Ms Julie Hughes, Senior Vice President, United States Association of Importers of Textiles and Apparel
	Special Address Mr Stuart Harbinson, Special Advisor, Office of the Director General, World Trade Organisation, Geneva
	Panelists Ms Emma Ormond, International Trade Consultant, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Ms Brenda Jacobs, Attorney, Sidley Austin LLP Ms Mary E. Kissel, Editor, Editorial Page, The Wall Street Journal Asia

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15:50	“Call to arms” Mr Peter Gabbe, Chairman, The American Apparel and Footwear Association; Executive VP & COO, Carole Hochman Design Group
16:10	Coffee Break – sponsored by TÜV Süd Hong Kong
16:30	SESSION III - COMPLIANCE, GREEN ISSUES AND SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
	Moderator Mr Michael Flanagan, Publishing Director, Clothesource
	Panelists Ms Tammy Rodriguez, Director of Corporate Social Responsibility, Esquel Enterprises Ltd Mr Sean Cady, Senior Manager of Environment, Health and Safety, Global Code of Conduct Department, Levi Strauss & Co Mr Doug Cahn, Principal, TheCahnGroup, LLC
17:30	DAY I meetings closes
17:30	Cocktail Reception – sponsored by APLF Ltd
DAY 2 – MARCH 30, 2007	
09:30	INTRODUCTION BY MASTER OF CEREMONIES – Mr Andrew Kahn, Chairman, Kahn Lucas Lancaster Inc
09:40	SESSION IV – EDUCATION & TRAINING
	Moderator Prof Angela Peers, Principal Lecturer, International Fashion Business & Technology Centre, Department of Clothing Design and Technology, Manchester Metropolitan University
	Panelists Prof Philip K.W. Yeung, Executive Director, Clothing Industry Training Authority, Hong Kong Ms Jane Robson, MD, Next Sourcing Ltd Prof Marsha Dickson, Chairperson, Department of Fashion and Apparel Studies, University of Delaware
10:40	Coffee Break - sponsored by Tanatex Chemicals

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11:00	SESSION V - THE CHANGING ROLE OF THE RETAILER
	Moderator   Mr Michael Flanagan, Publishing Director, Clothesource
	Panelists   Mr Jürgen J. Maas, Vice Chairman, Foreign Trade Association; Senior Vice President, International Affairs, Metro AG Mr Devangshu Dutta, Chief Executive, Third Eyesight Ms Shirley Chan, Managing Director, YGM Trading Ltd and Vice Chairman, Hong Kong Retail Management Association Mr Paul Charron, Chairman Emeritus, Liz Claiborne Inc
12:00	Lunch – sponsored by PIERS
13:30	SESSION VI - TECHNICAL ISSUES AND LOGISTICS
	Moderator   Dr Mike Fralix, President, [TC] <sup>2</sup>
	Panelists   Mr David Rode, President, Lectra Americas Inc Mr Allan Wong, CEO, OOCL Logistics Ltd Mr Paul Chamandy, Vice President, New Business Development, Paxar Americas Inc Dr Tim McCraw, General Manager, Digital Textile Printing, Yuhan-Kimberly, Seoul
15:00	Coffee Break - sponsored by Clariant
15:20	SESSION VII - MARKET ISSUES
	Moderator   Mr Peter Liu, Chairman of the Textile and Apparel Committee, The American Chamber of Commerce in Hong Kong
	Panelists   Mr Ashok G Rajani, Chairman, Export Promotion Committee, Apparel Export Promotion Council, India Mr Hu Song, Vice President, China Textile Information Center Mr Dong Tao, Managing Director, Non-Japan Asia Economics, Credit Suisse (Hong Kong) Ltd Mr Nguyen Duc Thanh, Chief of Textile and Clothing Quota Administration, Ministry of Trade, Vietnam Mr Devangshu Dutta, Chief Executive, Third Eyesight
17:00	"Lessons learned - A guide to the rest of the decade" Mr Kevin Burke, President/CEO, The American Apparel and Footwear Association
17:15	Prime Source Forum 2007 closed