



9th Annual SC Automotive Summit

February 26–28, 2020
Hyatt Regency, Greenville, SC

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Tentative Agenda

Topics and Speakers subject to change

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26

SC Automotive B2B Supplier Matchmaker Event

B2B Matchmaking requires a separate registration through SC Department of Commerce Eventbrite

9:00 – 9:30 am	B2B Matchmaker Sign-in
9:30 - 10:15 am	Welcome and Coffee Connections “Getting to Know Other Suppliers”
10:30 – 11:30 am	Supplier Resources for “Growing Your Business in North America”
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Networking Lunch
1:10 – 4:00 pm	B2B Matchmaker Appointments
4:00 – 4:45 pm	Supplier Networking
4:45 – 6:00 pm	Meet & Greet Reception @ Hyatt for B2B Participants and SC Auto Summit Registrants

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27

7:30 am	Registration / Continental Breakfast / Exhibit Showcase
8:30 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks Sara Hazzard, President & CEO, SC Manufacturers Alliance Amy Tinsley, Executive Director, SC Automotive Council Introduction to SCAC Board of Directors
8:40 am	Tier 1 Keynote Simon Kew, Senior Vice President, Strategy and Operations for Magna Seating, Magna International
9:15 am	Industry Keynote



- 9:50 am** **Coffee Connections Networking Break and Exhibit Showcase**
- 10:20 am** **KPMG Feature Presentation - Automotive semiconductors: The new ICE age**
Gary Silberg, Partner, National Automotive Sector Industry Leader, KPMG
- 11:20 am** **OEM Keynote**
Lisa Errion Saums, Vice President of Government and External Affairs for the Americas Region, BMW Group
- 12:00 pm** **Lunch and Exhibit Showcase**
- 1:00 pm** **Keynote Address**
Robert M. Hitt III, South Carolina Secretary of Commerce
- 1:20 pm** **Navigating in Turbulence – A Discussion of Trends in Trade and Customs**
Panelists: Mike Davidson, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, JTEKT North America
- 2:00 pm** **A Reality Check on the Future of Mobility**
Sven Bieker, Founder and Managing Director, Silicon Valley Mobility
- 2:45 pm** **Coffee Connections Networking Break and Exhibit Showcase**
- 3:15 pm** **Breakout Sessions**
- Session 1 (Main stage)**
Apprenticeship SC Panel
Thinking Outside the Box: South Carolina’s Approach to Workforce Development

Lieutenant Gov. Pamela Evette
- Moderator:** Carla Whitlock, Senior Apprenticeship Consultant, Apprenticeship Carolina
Panelists: TBD
- Session 2 (Redbud)**
Economic Development – Female All-Star Panel
- Moderator:** Margaret O’Riley, Economic Development, Duke Energy
Panelists: Didi Caldwell, Site Location Consultant, Global Location Strategies
Morgan Crapps, Site Selection and Economic Development, Parker Poe
Alexandra Segers, International Site Selection Consultant



- 4:15 pm** **Technology Roadmap**
SC Fraunhofer USA: Turning Research into Products at the Pace of Business
- 4:35 pm** **Clemson University International Center for Automotive Research**
- 5:00 – 6:30pm** **2020 SC Automotive Summit Reception @ Hyatt**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28

- 7:00 am** **Continental Breakfast / Exhibit Showcase**
- 8:30 am** **Opening Remarks and SCAC Highlights**
Amy Tinsley, Executive Director, SC Automotive Council
- 8:35 am** **North American Industry Forecast – LMC**
Jeff Schuster, President, Global Forecasting, LMC Automotive
- 9:20 am** **Trade and Policy Update**
Pete Mento, Managing Director Global Customs and Duties, Crowe LLP
- 10:00 am** **Coffee Connections Networking Break and Exhibit Showcase**
- 10:20 am** **State of the Port**
Jim Newsome, President & CEO, South Carolina Ports Authority
- 11:10 am** **SC Automotive Spotlight**
Jody Bryson, President & CEO, South Carolina Technology & Aviation Center
- 11:30 am** **Governor's Remarks**
Gov. Henry McMaster
- 11:55 am** **Closing Remarks and Adjourn**