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SIGNIFICANCE OF NATCOM 2021 – THEME

The world is moving as fast now a days that the man who says it cannot be done is generally interrupted by someone else doing it. It is accepted that sustainable development calls for a convergence between the three pillars of economic development, social equity, and environmental protection. Sustainable development is a visionary development paradigm; and currently, governments, businesses, and civil society have accepted sustainable development as a guiding principle and have made progress on sustainable development metrics. The NATCOM 2021 theme “Role of Disruptive Technologies in Reshaping SCM – Almamithar as Almamahar” is a step towards this thinking. This will provide a new vision for competitive advantage for the MSME sector which has seen an exponential growth over the last decades. NATCOM 2021 will provide information, sectoral views, and even networking opportunities in shaping a new or/and forward-thinking vision of the COOs, CPOs, and SCM professionals, including business executives, management executives and vice presidents from manufacturing and service industries. The session and the topics are planned in a manner that participants derive maximum benefits from the outcome of the deliberations.

Global supply chains truly relate to the above statement as they are evolving at a faster rate than any area in history. Staying competitive in supply chain management requires adopting the advanced and innovative technology widely called as disruptive technologies. The technologies such as Internet of Things (IoT), Big Data, Cloud Computing, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Blockchain are disruptive technologies making a splash in supply chain industry. Disruptive technology disrupts supply chain and has forced the companies to change how products are manufactured, distributed, and tracked. India’s supply chain and logistics sector is one of the largest globally. The sector has the potential to grow multifold.

The COVID-19 pandemic has magnified supply chain weaknesses, with nearly 75 percent of companies worldwide experiencing disruptions. These disruptive events pushed decision-makers to reimage the country’s supply chain management. This is the moment for the Indian supply chain and logistics sector to reconfigure and redesign supply chain and it is geared with disruptive technologies for enabling disruptive technologies and risk management and make a pathway from Almamithar to Almamahar.

Aligning the theme of NATCOM 2021 with the progressive city of Gujarat’s Vadodara, listed are the proposed technical sessions/topics:

1. Disruptive technologies – what is missing?
2. Sustainable procurement and supply chain practices in the 21st century
3. Building an Almamithar culture and response in Supply Chain
4. Building the agility and resilience in supply chain adopting advanced technologies
5. Use of disruptive technologies – an alternative mode for energy distribution
6. Digitalization of public procurement – Best Practices
7. Restoring the role of procurement and supply chain managers in corporate leadership
8. Artificial intelligence and productivity needs in global supply chain management
9. Biogas, Analytics and AI and Machine learning – what are the opportunities for procurement and supply chain professionals
10. Trending innovations in international logistics management
11. Green supply chain for a sustainable world
12. Trends shaping the future of supply chain
13. India’s role in the world’s supply chain structure
14. Supply chain analytics – new imperative in SCM

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