

UL FURNITURE INDUSTRY SUMMIT – PROGRAM

9.00am | Participants Registration

9.15am | Opening Remarks

Mike O'Hara, Director Global Furniture, UL

9.30am | UL Standards Update

Bruce Bohren, PDE, Furniture business, UL

10.00am | Panel discussion - Standard Updating Process

Michael Everhart, Codes & Regulatory Enforcement, Steelcase

Randy Ruster, Sr. Manager, Product Codes & Standards/Corporate Quality, Herman Miller

Dave Panning, Technical Director, BIFMA

Bruce Bohren, PDE, Furniture Business, UL

Elizabeth Northcott, Standard Development, UL

Moderator - Mike O'Hara, Director Global Furniture, UL

11.00am | Break

11.15am | Evaluation Examples – Height Adjustable Tables | Office Pods

Bruce Bohren, PDE, Furniture business, UL

Mike O'Hara, Director Global Furniture, UL

11.45am | California Proposition 65

Bruce Calder, VP Consulting Services, Claigan Environmental Inc.

12.30pm | Networking Lunch

1.30pm | Flame retardants - an overview

Scott MacLeod, Principal Chemist Manager, UL

Thomas Daley, Senior Regulatory Associate, Global Government Affairs, UL

2.00pm | Flame retardants – focus on San Francisco Ban

Jen Jackson, Toxics Reduction & Healthy Ecosystems Program Manager, San Francisco Department of the Environment

2.30pm | Break

2.45pm | Panel discussion - Standard Harmonization

Dragan Macura, Regulatory Compliance Manager, Linak AS

Randy Ruster, Sr. Manager, Product Codes & Standards/Corporate Quality, Herman Miller

Dave Panning, Technical Director, BIFMA

Bruce Bohren, PDE, Furniture business, UL

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3.45pm | Wrap-Up & Closing Remarks

Mike O'Hara, Director Global Furniture, UL