



## **TAPA AMERICAS 2018 T1 Meeting - Houston, TX**

### **Presenters**



**Marcel Braithwaite**  
SVP Business Operations  
**Houston Astros**

Marcel Braithwaite joined the Astros on Nov. 30, 2012. As the Senior Vice President of Business Operations, Marcel runs the operational side of the organization. He oversees eight different departments, including IT, Stadium Operations and Engineering, Safety and Security, Event Services, Guest Services, Aramark, Merchandising and Retail Operations and Procurement. As an operator that likes to roll up his sleeves, Marcel is involved in the daily meetings and coordination of each department and manages the Aramark contract and partnership in a similar, hands-on fashion.



**Scott Cornell**  
2vp | Inland Marine | Transportation Lead, Crime & Theft Specialist  
**Travelers**

Scott Cornell, 2vp Transportation Leader and Crime & Theft Specialist, Travelers Inland Marine, has been in the insurance industry for 15 years with Travelers and is currently leading the Cargo/Transportation division. Prior to his current role he conducted investigations for 25 years, specializing in cargo theft and transportation, internal theft, embezzlement and corporate investigations and is a nationally recognized expert in the cargo theft field. Scott helped create a fully dedicated cargo theft unit for Travelers, known as SIG (Special Investigations Group), and is a co-inventor of a patented process for methods and systems for providing customized risk mitigation and recovery to an insurance customer. He and the SIG team regularly partner with law enforcement and cargo task forces nationwide.



**Susan Griggs**  
Advisor: Global Security  
**Eli Lilly and Company**

Susan Griggs, Eli Lilly, has spent the last nine years in security, emergency response, and environmental consulting, both in manufacturing and corporate roles. Her current focus is in facilities and logistics security, assisting Lilly sites and personnel in over 70 countries. Prior to joining Lilly, Susan spent 13 years in the specialty chemical and environmental industries with positions in sales, operations management, and senior leadership roles.



**George D. Latsos, CPP**  
Director of Security U.S. & Canada  
Brightstar Inc.

George has a degree in criminal justice/police science, is a Certified Protection Professional (CPP) through the American Society of Industrial Security since December of 2007 and has 19 years' experience managing and directing supply chain security initiatives for large multi-national companies (Motorola, Brightstar). George has held multiple positions within a corporate security environment at a site, regional, and global basis specializing in Supply Chain Security for manufacturing, distribution, and business operations.



**Anthony Leimas**  
Global Security -- Supply Chain and IP Protection  
Facebook

Anthony has extensive global supply chain security and physical security experience and has been an active TAPA member since 2000. Anthony is the Global Security Oculus Program Manager, a Facebook company, where he manages the Oculus security programs. Prior to joining Facebook, Anthony was the Sr. Manager of Global Supply Chain Security & Brand Protection at Seagate Technology, where he managed end-to-end supply chain security to include investigations of theft, fraud, counterfeit cases and global C-TPAT program responsibilities. Anthony has served various roles within the TAPA board for the last five years, including Member at Large Carrier, Member at Large Manufacturer, Secretary of TAPA, Vice-Chair and now Chairman.



**Nicolette Louissaint**  
Executive Director  
Healthcare Ready

Nicolette A. Louissaint, Ph.D. serves as the Executive Director of Healthcare Ready. Prior to this position, Nicolette served as a Foreign Affairs Officer at the U.S. Department of State in the Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs. As the lead officer for health intellectual property and trade issues, she advised the State Department's leadership on issues related to public health, technology transfer and biotechnology. She also worked on policies related to pharmaceutical counterfeiting, pharmaceutical trade, supply chain, climate change and other science and technology development issues.

During the height of the Ebola Epidemic of 2014, Nicolette served as the Senior Advisor to the State Department's Special Coordinator for Ebola. In this role, she was responsible for coordinating international efforts as the U.S. Department of State's Ebola Coordination Unit jumpstarted the diplomatic response to the epidemic. She contributed to efforts to raise more than \$1 billion in donations to the United Nations Multi-Partner Trust Fund from stakeholders around the world towards the response.



**Scott Martino**  
Director, Global Intelligence  
Sensitech Supply Chain Visibility

Scott Martino is the Director of Global Intelligence at Sensitech, formally known as FreightWatch International. Scott is responsible for creating and directing global strategies

designed to promote the visibility and security of cargo through proactively mitigating evolving threats to the global supply chain. Prior to beginning his current role, Scott served as Global Head of Supply Chain Security at HP Inc. In this position, Scott's team had worldwide responsibility to protect HP's end to end supply chain, to include investigations, audits and security projects. Before entering the private sector, Scott spent ten years with the Montgomery, Alabama Police Department where he served as Commander of Robbery-Homicide and a Police Spokesman.



**Erin K. Nord**  
Attorney  
**Microsoft, Cloud + Enterprise**

Erin Nord is an attorney supporting Microsoft's Azure and Azure Government cloud services. She is responsible for advising Microsoft on legal compliance related to public sector industry cloud offerings. She holds a BA from Case Western Reserve University and a JD from New York University School of Law. Prior to joining Microsoft, she practiced at law firms in Washington,

DC and Seattle, WA and specialized in Government Investigations.



**Ryan Socal**  
Senior Program Manager  
**Azure Global Ecosystem**

Ryan Socal is a Senior Program Manager with Azure Global Ecosystem. He is responsible for managing the Supply Chain Assurance efforts for Azures cloud services. Ryan holds a BS from California State University, Sacramento. Prior to joining Microsoft, Ryan worked for Cisco and spent over 20-years in the U.S. Air Force in the physical security, and cyberspace operations specialties.



**Rod Suarez**  
Economic Development  
**American Trucking Associations**

Rod Suarez is an Economic Analyst with the American Trucking Associations, the national trade association for the trucking industry. Rod has published various reports on the trends facing the trucking industry and the economy as a whole. As an Economic Analyst, Rod is responsible for overseeing ATA's collection, analysis, and dissemination of trucking, and related, economic information. This includes several monthly trucking economic indicators, motor carrier financial and operating data, an annual freight transportation forecast, driver wage studies, weekly diesel

fuel price and economic reports, and a yearly trucking almanac. He holds degrees in Economics and Business from the Johns Hopkins University. Rod's past experience has included work with the United Nations and the World Health Organization.



**John Tabor**  
Senior Vice President  
**National Retail Systems, Inc.**

John is a 25-year veteran of both the retail and transportation industries. He serves on numerous Boards of Directors including; ISCPD (International Supply Chain Protection Organization), TLP&SA (Transportation Loss Prevention and Security Association), and the

NCTTF (National Cargo Theft Task Force). Tabor was a former Board member of TAPA (Transported Asset Protection Association), the ICSC (International Cargo Security Council), and the acting chair of TAPA's Trucking Security Requirement (TSR) work group as the standard was being developed. John was a charter member of the Loss Prevention Foundation and helped coauthor their Supply Chain Module.



**Chad Taylor**  
Executive Vice President Global Operations  
**Crane Worldwide Logistics**

Chad is a founder of Crane Worldwide Logistics and was responsible for the set-up of the Asia Pacific Region from his base of Shanghai, China. He set up 13 countries within the first nine years of CWW then was repatriated to our Corporate office as Executive Vice President of Global Operations. His responsibilities include all aspects of Ocean, Air, Ground, and Contract Logistics procurement and continuous improvement; Quality, Security, Safety, Risk, Insurance, and Claims; RFQ team and Implementations; Crane Freight Service (integrated trucking), Crane Solutions (truck brokerage), and Corporate Compliance. Prior to Crane Worldwide, Chad spent 10 years at EGL managing the Dell Computer finished goods and raw material to the various VMI's as well as Country Manager for China (2004-2007). His previous experience was 10 years in LTL at NationsWay in various leadership roles.



**Taya Tuggle**  
Director of Quality & Compliance  
**Air & Ground World Transport**

Taya serves as the Director of Quality and Compliance for Air and Ground World Transport. She has served in a variety of supporting roles on the TAPA Board both at a regional and global level since 2009. Currently she is the TAPA Americas Training Lead, overseeing 'Train the Trainer' and 'Auditor Training' events for TAPA Americas and helping to facilitate updates of training materials and processes by serving on the Global Training Committee.



**David Wilt**  
Global Supply Chain Security Manager  
**Xerox Corporation**

David, the Global Supply Chain Security Manager for Xerox Corporation has been a member of TAPA since 2008 and has served as Chair and Vice-Chair. He has also been a member of the TAPA Worldwide Council during that span. Prior to joining Xerox David served as a commissioned officer in the US Army Military Police Corps.