

Global Appalachia 2016
*Engaging, Competing, and Succeeding in the
Global Economy of the 21st Century*
October 24–26, 2016

Agenda

Monday, October 24, 2016

Participants begin to arrive Washington, D.C.

6:00 p.m. (EDT) Informal group dinner

Meet in lobby of host hotel, the Dupont Hotel, 2500 Calvert Street, Washington, DC 20008; 202.234.0700

Tuesday, October 25, 2016

Network Appalachia Transportation Development Team

Location: ARC Offices – 1666 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20009

Business Casual Attire

7:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. (EDT) Breakfast on your own

10:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (EDT) Network A Workshop, 7th Floor Conference Room

- Welcome and Introductions
- ARC POWER: Progress Report
- Smart Cities: Bolstering Connections to Achieve Economic Opportunity
- Inland Navigation Updates: Panama Canal Expansion Now Operational and SmartRivers 2017
- Appalachian Development Highway System: A Progress Report
- Working Lunch
- A Railway Summit: Appalachian Railway Challenges and Opportunities in the 21st Century
- Looking Forward

5:30 p.m. (EDT) Group dinner at the Madhatter, 1319 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20036

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

Export Trade Advisory Council

Location: ARC Offices – 1666 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20009

Business Casual Attire

7:30 a.m.–8:45 a.m. (EDT) Breakfast on your own

9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (EDT) ETAC Workshop, 7th Floor Conference Room

- Welcome and Introductions
- State Updates
- SEUS-Japan and SEUS-Canada: Connecting States to Global Opportunity
- Cuba: Building New Trade Bridges across the Caribbean
- Appalachia USA Export Delegations, 2016–2017
 1. Hannover – Messe 2016
 2. Trade Winds – South America 2016 and 2017
 3. Asia/Pacific Home Furnishing and Wood Products 2017
 4. MINExpo-2016/POWER
- Looking Forward

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