

Supply Chain Governance and Regional Development in the Global Economy

An International Research Workshop organized by the Advanced Manufacturing Project (AMP), the Center on Wisconsin Strategy (COWS), and the Center on World Affairs and the Global Economy (WAGE) of the University of Wisconsin-Madison

Pyle Center, 702 Langdon St., Madison

September 10: Outreach Workshop

Morning sessions: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

I. AMP Presentation

(9:00-10:15; chair: Joel Rogers, COWS)

- Overview of supply chain restructuring and governance issues

II. OEM-led supplier training consortia, public and private

(10:30-12:00; chair: Jonathan Zeitlin, COWS/WAGE)

- Mike Schmitt (Harley-Davidson/Wisconsin Manufacturers' Development Consortium)
- Rob McIlvaine (Mantec, Pennsylvania)
- CONSAF (Northern Italy): Amedeo Vercelli (Regione Piemonte), Aldo Enrietti (University of Turin/Regione Piemonte)

Afternoon sessions: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

III. Public support for supplier training through associations and OEMs

(1:00-2:15; chair: Gary Herrigel, University of Chicago)

- Carol Kulek (Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs)
- Judy Whalen (Valley Industrial Association)
- Don DeDobbelaere (Deere Supplier Training)

IV. The role of unions in outsourcing and supplier restructuring

(2:30-3:45; chair: Joel Rogers)

- Fritz Janitz (IG Metall, Wuppertal)
- Serafino Negrelli (University of Brescia)
- Rhandi Berth (Wisconsin Regional Training Partnership)

V. Policy directions and future strategy

(4:00-5:00; chair: Jonathan Zeitlin)

- Paul Ericksen (Deere)
- Mike Klonsinski (Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership)
- Joel Rogers (COWS)