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Wednesday, June 14, 2023 – 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.   Delta Hotel, 115 New Gower Street, St. John's, NL	
8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	<b>REGISTRATION / NETWORKING</b>
9:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.	<p><b>OPENING REMARKS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emcee - Mark Gillingham   President, <a href="#">PolyUnity Inc.</a>   Director, CME National Board</li> <li>Greetings from <a href="#">Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency</a></li> <li>Honourable Andrew Parsons   Minister of <a href="#">Industry, Energy and Technology</a></li> <li>GOLD Sponsor – Browning Harvey Ltd.</li> </ul>
9:25 a.m. – 9:40 a.m.	<p><b>OPPORTUNITIES FOR MANUFACTURERS &amp; EXPORTERS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dennis Darby, President &amp; CEO   <a href="#">Canadian Manufacturers &amp; Exporters</a> (CME): Dennis will share insights on the current opportunities available to Manufacturers</li> </ul>
9:40 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.	<p><b>Discussion Panel: TALENT &amp; TECHNIQUE SOLUTIONS THAT WORK</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Genoa Design International Ltd.</a>   Laurie Balan, VP of Design &amp; Consulting and Brian Newhook, Technical Manager</li> <li><a href="#">Ocean Choice International</a>   Paula Kieley, EA/Media Relations/Corporate Affairs</li> <li><a href="#">Quidi Vidi Brewery</a>   Hugh McDermott, General Manager and Ashley Reid, Quality Assurance Manager</li> </ul>
10:40 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	<b>NUTRITION / NETWORKING BREAK</b>
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<p><b>IDENTIFYING BARRIERS TO FACILITATE GROWTH</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alan Arcand, Chief Economist   <a href="#">Canadian Manufacturers &amp; Exporters</a>: Alan will provide an overview of insights from CME's surveys on Labour and Skills and Technology Adoption   Introduction by Scott Antle, CFO, Browning Harvey Ltd.</li> </ul>
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<p><b>ADVANCED MANUFACTURING CLUSTER NL: Past, Present &amp; Future</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>David Haire   Vice President, <a href="#">CME NL</a>   Executive Director <a href="#">Made Safe NL</a></li> <li>Mark Gillingham   President, PolyUnity Inc.   Director, CME National Board</li> <li>Christy Michalak   Director, Advanced Manufacturing Development Programs, <a href="#">NGen</a></li> </ul>
12:00 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.	<p><b>NETWORKING LUNCH &amp; KEYNOTE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction – Sean Kennedy   General Manager of Atlantic Canada Operations at <a href="#">Molson Coors Beverage Company</a>   Chair, CME NL Advisory Board of Directors</li> <li>KEYNOTE – JAYSON MYERS   CEO, <a href="#">NGen</a></li> </ul> <p>ADVANCED MANUFACTURING: CANADA'S COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE</p>
1:20 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.	<p><b>Discussion Panel: TECHNOLOGY'S ROLE IN INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">PolyUnity Inc.</a>   Clayton Oldford, Product Design Co-Lead</li> <li><a href="#">Mysa</a>   Howard Rideout, VP of Technology &amp; Hardware</li> <li><a href="#">SubC Imaging</a>   Chad Holloway, Financial Controller</li> <li><a href="#">Vale</a>   Adam Loder, Production Area Superintendent</li> </ul>
2:20 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.	<b>NUTRITION / NETWORKING BREAK</b>
2:40 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.	<p><b>INSPIRING NEW-GROWTH - Genesis Center Clients</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">LadderSpike</a>   Jordan Spencer   Co-Founder &amp; CEO</li> <li><a href="#">OPAS Mobile</a>   Vince Payne   Co-Founder &amp; CEO</li> <li><a href="#">InVerte</a>   Johan Arcos Mendez   Chief InVerter Officer</li> </ul>
3:40 p.m.	<p><b>CLOSING REMARKS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>David Haire   Vice President, <a href="#">CME NL</a>   Executive Director <a href="#">Made Safe NL</a></li> </ul>