Transatlantic Trade & Investment Partnership
Stakeholder Presentations Event

11:00 – 14:00, 4 February 2014
Management Centre Europe
Rue de l'Aqueduc 118, 1050 Brussels

Programme

(All timings are indicative)
SESSION ONE: ROOM to be advised

Issues related to horizontal regulatory coherence, technical barriers to trade (TBT), sectors

11:00 American Automotive Policy Council (AAPC), Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers (Auto Alliance) and European Automobile Manufacturers’ Association (ACEA) – Charles Uthus, Jennifer Thomas, Erik Jonnaert, Erik Bergelin and Máté Kander

Joint Presentation on Automotive Regulatory Convergence


Joint presentation on Fresh Start toward a comprehensive TTIP: two case studies why we need it

11:18 European consumer voice in standardisation / ANEC – Chiara Giovannini

Consumers point of view on standards in TTIP

11:27 Confederation of British Industry / CBI – Tom Sallis

Why TTIP’s regulatory provisions are essential for growth and jobs in Europe

11:36 European Branded Clothing Alliance / EBCA – Benjamin Krieger

The priorities of the branded clothing industry for an ambitious TTIP agreement

11:45 EUnited – Lionel Platteuw

Reducing non-tariff barriers for European manufacturing

11:54 European Panel Federation – Isabelle Brose

Wood-based panels: harmonisation of standardisation and TBT

12:03 Transitiegroep Stroopwafel – Sung Bruijnen

There is no barrier to trade whatsoever only than non-flexibility and non-creativity!
12:12  CECE – Sigrid de Vries

  Closing the gap – towards regulatory convergence in the construction equipment sector

12:21  Center for International Environmental Law / CIEL – Baskut Tuncak

  Pesticides and Regulatory Coherence

12:30  European Feed Manufacturers' Federation / FEFAC – Alexander Döring

  Trade facilitation measures for the EU/US feed industry (TBT & SPS chapters)

12:39  DIGITALEUROPE – Esa Kaunistola

  TTIP for a Transatlantic Digital Market

12:48  Verband Deutscher Maschinen- und Anlagenbau e.V. – Thomas Noll

  Technical barriers to trade in the German Mechanical Engineering Industry and possible ways to overcome them.


  Generic and Biosimilar Medicines: A Boost for Regulatory Cooperation in the TTIP

13:06  Polish Chamber of Chemical Industry – Tomasz Wlostowski

  Impact of TTIP on the Central European Chemical Industry

13:15  Association of the European Self-Medication Industry / AESGP – Christelle Anquez-Traxler

  TTIP and non-prescription/well established medicines

13:24  European Chemical Industry Council / CEFIC – Hubert Mandery

  Regulatory Cooperation in Chemicals

13:33  European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations / EFPIA – Maria Trallero

  Towards better health outcomes for patients and economic growth
13:42 Alliance for Healthcare Competitiveness, LLC – Mark Taylor

*Increasing Opportunities for the Healthcare Sector, Improving Health Outcomes*

13:51 National Caucus of Environmental Legislators – Sharon Treat

*Undermining federalism? TTIP’s regulatory coherence and TBT provisions and the role of U.S. local and regional governments protecting public health & environment from toxics.*

14:00 Confederation of Danish Industry – Peter Bay Kirkegaard

*Gains of mutual recognition of standards and certification*

14:09 European Association of Automotive Suppliers / CLEPA – Paul Schockmel & Eleri Morgan Wessman

*Perspectives for the European automotive supply chain*
SESSION TWO: ROOM to be advised

Issues related to agriculture including agricultural market access, related regulatory issues and Geographical Indications

11:00 AmCham EU – Andreas Galanakis

Agriculture & Processed Agricultural Products in the TTIP Negotiations

11:09 INTERBEV–Marine Colli and Pierre Morrier

French Livestock and Meats Sector: Position Paper in the TTIP negotiations

11:18 European Association of Dairy Trade / Eucolait – Alice O’ Donovan

A liberalised transatlantic dairy market

11:27 Euro Coop – Emma Nolan

Geographical Indicators: Keeping consumers informed and local producers in business - the Consumer Co-operative Perspective

11:36 oriGIn – Massimo Vittori

GIs in the T-TIP: Legal challenges and expectations of GIs groups from both side of the Atlantic

11:45 Copa-Cogeca – Pekka Pesonen

Expectatives of the EU farming community on TTIP

11:54 Danish Dairy Board Brussels s.a. – Kirsten Holm Svendsen

Key issues for the European Dairy sector

12:03 Federalimentare, Italian food & drink federation – Paolo Patruno

Trade barriers in the Italian Food&Drink Export - PDO&PGI protection in US market - The Italian Sounding case

12:12 XminY Solidariteitsfonds – Guus Geurts

Mutual recognition leads to unfair competition for European farmers
12:21 U.S. Grains Council – Gaibler Floyd

*Putting Biotechnology and Trade into Perspective*

12:30 European Crop protection association / ECPA – Jean-Charles Bocquet

*Opportunities to improve transatlantic regulatory cooperation in crop protection*

12:39 European Association of Sweet Corn Processors / AETMD – Marion Besnard

*Interest of the European Processed Sweet corn sector*

12:48 Associazione Italiana Consorzi Indicazioni Geografiche / AICIG – Leo Bertozzi

*The protection of geographical indications under the TTIP*

12:57 Consorzio tutela formaggio Asiago – Flavio Innocenzi

*Socio-economic impact of the GI Asiago and legal issues preventing access to the US market*

13:06 Istituto Salumi Italiani Tutelati / ISIT – Gianluigi Ligasacchi

*GI Italian deli meats in USA: showing the economic and strategic potentiality of Export and the importance of informing, defend and protect consumers*

13:15 European Committee of Sugar Manufacturers / CEFS – Marie Christine Ribera

*European sugar manufacturers on TTIP*

13:24 Humane Society International – Joanna Swabe

*Ensuring the inclusion of animal welfare in TTIP’s SPS chapter*

13:33 Comité Européen des Entreprises Vins – Sylvain Naulin

*How wine can benefit from TTIP*

13:42 US Dairy Export Council – Maike Moellers

*US Dairy Export Council’s expectations for a successful TTIP*

13:51 European Association of Fruit and Vegetable Processors / PROFEL – Aline Rutsaert
The Processed Fruit and Vegetables Sector Point of View

14:00  Compassion in World Farming – Olga Kikou

*Farm animal welfare and TTIP*

14:09  Bayerisches Bier (PGI) – Robert Scholz

*500 years of purity and tradition – need of legal protection in times of globalization*

14:18  Consorzio Formaggio Parmigiano Reggiano / Consorzio Tutela Formaggio Gorgonzola – Giorgio Bocedi

*The TTIP: expectations of Eu GI cheese producers. A special focus on Parmigiano Reggiano and Gorgonzola producers*

14:26  European Milk Board – Sieta Van Keimpema

*Dairy & TTIP - What are dairy farmers to expect?*
SESSION THREE: ROOM to be advised

Issues related to services, investment and public procurement

11:00 European Center of Employers and Enterprises / CEEP – Valeria Ronzitti

*CEEP's view on Services, investment and public procurement in TTIP*

11:09 EUROCITIES – Marie Ranty

*Local public services and TTIP*

11:18 European Services Forum / ESF – Pascal Kerneis

*Regulatory Cooperation in TTIP: what's in for the services sectors*

11:27 ABBL (The Luxembourg Bankers’ Association) + ALFI (Association of the Luxembourg Fund Industry) – Antoine Kremer

*TTIP and the importance of a transatlantic level-playing field*

11:36 U.S. Chamber of Commerce – Peter Chase

*Services in TTIP*

11:45 SOLIDAR – Conny Reuter

11:54 European Trade Union Committee for Education / ETUCE – Louise Hoj Larsen

*Protect Quality Education by excluding it from TTIP*

12:03 European Federation of Public Service Unions – Penny Clarke

*Safeguarding public services*

12:12 Social Platform – Valentina Caimi

*Possible impact of TTIP on social services*

12:21 European Consumer Organisation / BEUC – Konstantinos Rossoglou

*E-commerce and digital services*
12:30  BUSINESSEUROPE – Luisa Santos

    Investment protection in TTIP- the way forward

12:39  BritishAmerican Business – Robert Murtfeld

    The Financial Services Filter in TTIP's Investment Chapter: Problems and Solutions

12:48  Access – Estelle Masse

    Digital Rights & Trade

12:57  Seldia - the European Direct Selling Association – Maurits Bruggink

    Asserting Direct Selling as a valuable distribution channel within the Services Chapter of TTIP

13:06  Housing Europe/USH – Virginie Toussain

    TTIP and social housing: a mapping of the issues at stake

13:15  European Medical Students' Association – Pascal Nohl-Deryk

    Impact of TTIP on European healthcare systems from a medical students perspective

13:24  American Chamber of Commerce to the EU – Roger Coelho

    AmCham EU digital priorities in TTIP

13:33  German Medical Students Association (bvmd Germany) – Christian Koop

    Impact of TTIP on university education from a medical student's point of view

13:42  Finance Watch – Aline FARES

    Financial Services and TTIP

13:51  Brussels Office of the Swedish Trade Unions – Per Hilmersson

    TTIP and public procurement - a Swedish trade union perspective
SESSION FOUR: ROOM to be advised

Sustainable development, digital services and data, intellectual property rights (IPR), small and medium enterprises (SMEs), customs and trade facilitation, energy and raw materials

11:00 Federation of Small Businesses – Sietske de Groot

*The importance of a sound Small Business Chapter in TTIP*

11:09 EuroCommerce – Ralph Kamphöner

*Retailers' and Wholesalers' views*

11:18 International Fund for Animal Welfare / IFAW – Sonja Van Tichelen

*Environmental benefits of a strong dispute settlement mechanism*

11:27 eBay – Hanne Melin

*Technology-enabled SMEs & TTIP*

11:36 EUROCHAMBRES – Boucein & Dirk Vantyghem

*The framework for an SME friendly TTIP*

11:45 BDI - Federation of German Industries (Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie) – Eckart von Unger

*Rules of Origin - Make it simple*

11:54 ClientEarth – Julia Salasky

*Investment chapter - environmental perspective*

12:03 Public Citizen – Burcu Kilic

*Some secrets should be told: Can trade secrets protection go too far?*

12:12 AFL-CIO – Celeste Drake

*Rules & Regulations: Is There a Right to Export that Trumps Public Policy Choices?*
12:21  Belgian Medical Students' Association – Prerna Chaudhary

TTIP: Direct impact and consequences on global and European health

12:30  CCI Frankfurt/Main for DIHK-The Association of German Chambers of Industry and Commerce – Dr. Jürgen Ratzinger

TTIP-priorities from an SME perspective

12:39  Institute of Directors – Allie Renison

Putting SMEs at the heart of TTIP

12:48  International Federation of Medical Students' Associations – Alberto Abreu da Silva

Health and Medicines - don't mess with your health!

12:57  Central Europe Energy Partners / CEEP – Bogdan Janicki

Energy and Raw Materials in TTIP

13:06  CRM Alliance – Maurits Bruggink

Critical Raw Materials and Transatlantic Trade