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Transforming business together

Session: Apparel Industry Workshop
Time: October 11th, 2017 – 10:30 until 12:30

Who may attend: Everyone interested in Apparel/Fashion/Footwear
Speaker(s): Markus Mueller
Anti-trust caution

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  - There shall be no discussion of prices, allocation of customers, or products, boycotts, refusals to deal, or market share.
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- Relevant to the features of the specification that are being developed in this work group, if anyone has knowledge or information about intellectual property rights, such as, patents or patent applications; please promptly convey this information to the work group facilitator.

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- We do this under the guidance of the GS1 Intellectual Property Policy, so that GS1 can seek to avoid the uncertainty regarding intellectual property claims against the Specification.
Meeting etiquette

- **Meetings will begin promptly as scheduled**
- **Be present – avoid multi-tasking**
- **Avoid distracting behaviour:**
  - Place mobile devices on silent mode
  - Avoid sidebar conversations
- **Be considerate**
  - Avoid monologues
  - Keep comments concise
- **Respect work group decisions**
  - Avoid re-opening decisions unless there is a significant quality impact

- **Collaborate** in support of meeting objectives
  - Ask questions
  - Be open to alternatives
- **Be representative**
  - Avoid personal remarks
  - Do not speak for your company or community if you do not clearly understand their needs
  - Votes should reflect the needs of your company or community
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Overview

1. **Intro: 6 major sector challenges** and its impact on GS1 Standards (Markus Mueller, GS1 Global Office)

2. **Images & Attributes** – Master Data are key to success in an Omni-channel world (James O’Sullivan, GS1 UK)

3. **Merchandise Visibility** at C&A (Joachim Wilkens & Hans-Peter Scheidt, C&A)

4. **Circular Logistics** – A need for more traceability? (Jan Merckx, VIL)

5. **EPCIS track & trace solution in Apparel** at TakaDance, (Kenichi Okumoto & Kohei Nohara, Daiwa Computer and Noriyuki Mama, GS1 Japan)
Intro:
6 major sector challenges and their impact on GS1 Standards and Solutions

Markus Mueller, Director Industry Engagement Apparel & GM GS1 Global Office
The competitive landscape changes dramatically

Brand owners and retailers have been concentrating on **b2b efficiencies** in the past – as the competitive landscape changes dramatically they have to look at the **entire supply chain from manufacturer to consumer**.
6 major sector challenges

- Consumers demanding “Always On” shopping experience
- Stock efficiency through increased visibility data
- New fulfilment strategies constitute new sales channels
- Consumer returns directly affect profitability
- Traceability along increasingly complex supply chains
- The common issue: master product data
Projecting challenges into GS1 world – How we intend to help the sector!

- Product images
- Attributes & marketing texts
- Big data, cursed shopping, chat bots

- Products sold online need unique ID keys
- Content on the web cannot be removed
- Product lifecycle extends (ThredUp etc.)

- Automated production and packaging
- Component identification, e.g. organic cotton fabrics
- Visibility Data within Supply Chain

- Anti-counterfeit
- Product safety
- Sustainability & Corporate Social Responsibility
2. Images & Attributes – Master Data are key to success in an Omni-channel world

James O’Sullivan, Industry Engagement Manager Apparel, GS1 UK
3. Merchandise Visibility at C&A

Joachim Wilkens, Head of Business Operations Solutions, C&A and Member of the GS1 Industry Engagement Steering Committee

Hans-Peter Scheidt, Unit Leader Supply Chain Development, C&A
4. **Circular Logistics** – A need for more traceability?

Jan Merckx, Project Leader, VIL
5. EPCIS track & trace solution in Apparel at TakaDance

Kenichi Okumoto, RFID Solution Dept. Manager, Daiwa Computer
Kohei Nohara, RFID Solution Dept. System Engineer Daiwa Computer
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