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GLOBAL SUMMIT WELCOMES IKEA SPEAKER ULF TILLMAN

The International Corrugated Case Association (ICCA) and the World Containerboard Organisation (WCO) are pleased to announce Ulf Tillman, Project Leader in Packaging Development at Swedish furniture retailer IKEA, as a keynote speaker at the upcoming ICCA/WCO Global Summit to be held May 20 – 23, 2019 at The Breakers in Palm Beach, Florida, USA.

As a worldwide company, IKEA believes in providing a range of affordable home furnishings to many people, not just a few. They do this by combining function, quality, design and value – always with sustainability in mind. From their products, to packaging, and through to distribution IKEA is going “all-in” for a more sustainable future.

Ulf Tillman has worked as IKEA’s Sustainability Paper Expert and Wood Supply & Forestry Project Leader. He’ll talk about packaging as an integrated part of the product development process and share changes, such as switching from wooden pallets to corrugated pallets, IKEA is making to deliver on their promise to create a better everyday life for people and the planet.

Before joining IKEA, Mr. Tillman spent more than 20 years in the pulp and paper industry working in research and development, production operations and head office management positions in sustainability, energy, environment, health and safety and risk management for SCA Packaging and DS Smith. He studied chemical engineering at the Lund Institute of Technology and pulp and paper technology at the Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm.

Held biennially, the Global Summit is the premier event for the global corrugated and containerboard industries. The event brings together industry leaders for two days of meetings, insightful speakers, recreation and plenty of networking time. Attendees will enjoy a welcome reception on Monday evening, followed by four general sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday, and a reception and gala dinner on Wednesday evening.

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Given the US location in 2019, the Fibre Box Association (FBA) will hold its Annual Meeting as a combined event with the Global Summit. The event will offer members an expanded view on the key topics and trends impacting the corrugated industry, not just around the corner, but around the world.

There is one registration fee for the event and all program events are open to all attendees.

Don't miss your chance to participate in this exciting event. To register for the Global Summit, visit the ICCA website www.iccanet.org,

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