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Dear conference delegates,

Welcome to the 2018 edition of the Unleash Opportunity conference, our very first as amfori.

This year’s conference is based on one of amfori’s organisational objectives: ‘build’. Last year, we wanted you to imagine a future where sustainable value chains are the new normal and trade barriers are obsolete. Now, we want you to build that future with us.

As the world changes at an unprecedented pace, the need to find a new paradigm for progress beyond economic development has never been greater. Businesses will have to supply the world’s needs while contributing to safeguarding human rights and protecting its finite resources.

With you, we will take an honest look at what lies ahead. We will explore the tools and innovative business models being put into action to build a future of open and sustainable trade.

The past year has proven to be one of great change and excitement for our association and its members. We have undergone profound changes in our branding and strategy. Thank you to our members and partners for your support over this period. Together with you, we remain firm in our vision of a world where all trade delivers social, environmental and economic benefits for everyone.

Let’s build it together!

Thank you for joining our 2018 conference.

About amfori

amfori is the leading global business association for open and sustainable trade. We empower over 2,000 companies to become successful, sustainable businesses by helping them monitor and improve the social and environmental performance of their supply chain, and by engaging locally and globally to help shape a policy environment that enables them to operate efficiently and sustainably.

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Expert Discussions
Hear from specialists! Bringing together leaders in the field to provide insights and latest developments on key topics related to open and sustainable trade.

Practical Case Studies
Be inspired! Showcasing the best-in-class examples from those change-makers who have worked first hand on projects that enhance the sustainability of their supply chains.

Interactive Sessions
Ready to get active? Uniting you with peers to work in collaboration towards finding solutions to some of your daily challenges.

Networking Breaks
Attendees have plenty to explore during the coffee and lunch breaks. Meet the amfori team including our representatives from all over the world. Discover more about amfori’s work and access our e-learning and interactive tools.

Evening Gala
Guests are invited to join this evening of live music and a walking dinner. Find out who will be the Member of the Year 2018!
Programme Day 1

08:30 – 09:30 Registration and Light Breakfast

09:30 – 09:40 Opening
Christian Ewert, amfori Director General

09:40 – 10:40 Build a World of Sustainable Trade and Deliver a Better Future For All
Find out how amfori and its members are mapping the way forward; providing support through the unpredictability and using our resources to influence the future of trade and sustainable supply chains.

10:40 – 11:00 Achieve Your Goals Through Creativity, Innovation and Collaboration
Through this interactive and energetic lecture, the audience will experience the power of creativity and receive practical tools to apply it in their daily lives.
Cyril Kortleven, Author and Global Speaker

11:00 – 11:30 Networking Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:45 Breakout Sessions

BS1 – Supply Chain Reaction: Getting Clear On Chemicals
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Sandhya Sharma-Tosserams, amfori Chemicals Specialist

BS2 - Tracking the Good – Understanding the Commitment Formula Dashboard
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Veronica Rubio, amfori Senior Manager Strategic Programmes and Monique Gerson, amfori Social System Officer

BS3 - Buyers On Board – the Drivers of a Responsible Supply Chain
Practical Case Studies
Moderated by Sylvie Thonnierieux, amfori Network Representative – France

BS4 - More Than Numbers – Helping SMEs Get Started with Sustainability Reporting
Interactive Session
Moderated by Stephanie Raymond, amfori Senior Environmental Coordinator

BS5 - Being an amfori BSCI Social Auditor for a Day – Part I
Interactive Session
Moderated by Stuart Webster, Lead Trainer - Stuart Webster Training and Consultancy Limited

12:45 – 14:15 Networking Lunch
14:15 – 15:30 Breakout Sessions

BS1 – Being an amfori BSCI Social Auditor for a Day – Part II
Interactive Session
Moderated by Stuart Webster, Lead Trainer - Stuart Webster Training and Consultancy Limited
Berlin

BS2 - No Small Matter – Keeping Standards Constant Across Your Small Suppliers
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Veronica Rubio, amfori Senior Manager Strategic Programmes
Hamburg

BS3 - Recognising Changing Risk With amfori's Country Due Diligence Tool
Interactive Session
Moderated by Anouschka Jansen, Senior Manager, Environmental Programmes
Paris

BS4 - A Good Start – Sourcing Raw Material Sustainably
Interactive Session
Moderated by Stephanie Raymond, amfori Senior Environmental Coordinator
Hanoi / Bangkok

BS5 - Bridging the Gap – Getting the Business Benefits of Gender Equality
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Natasha Mehta Majumdar, amfori Network Representative, India
Singapore

15:30 – 16:00 Networking Coffee Break
Networking area

16:00 – 16:30 amfori Members’ Award
Plenary
amfori invites three finalists to showcase their most creative and innovative work for a chance to win the Member of the Year Award 2018.

16:30 – 18:00 amfori General Assembly
Plenary
The amfori General Assembly is the annual top decision-making body of the association. Strictly limited to amfori members only.

18:00 – 18:15 Closing of the Day
Plenary
Christian Ewert – amfori Director General

18:15 – 19:30 Cocktail Reception
Panorama Deck

19:30 – 22:30 Evening Gala
Panorama Deck
amfori invites guests to join us for a walking dinner, a space to network and some light entertainment.
Programme Day 2
Moderator – Naga Munchetty, Journalist and Broadcaster

08:00 – 09:00 Registration and Light Breakfast

09:00 – 09:10 Opening
Christian Ewert, amfori Director General

09:10 – 09:30 Building a New Paradigm For Progress
This session will take an honest look at the effects of globalisation. Join us to recognise the good, to take a conscientious look at the worst excesses and explore a way forward to something better.
Ian Goldin, Professor of Globalisation and Development, Oxford University

09:30 – 09:50 Guiding Us Towards Our Future: Frameworks for Sustainable Business Development
Join us to explore how global sustainability frameworks can support companies to develop coherent strategies for a future-proof business.
Caroline Rees, Founder, Shift

09:50 – 10:10 Staying Vital – New Business Models
Hear from a leading innovative business how they are creating a sustainable business model fit for the future.
Frank Dassler, General Counsel Emeritus, adidas AG

10:10 – 10:30 Time With Plenary Guests

10:30 – 11:00 Networking Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:15 Breakout Sessions

BS1 – The New Silk Road – Leveraging the Belt & Road Initiative to Drive a New Era of Sustainable Trade
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Joyce Chau, amfori Network Representative, Greater China and Hong Kong

BS2 - Understanding the Other – A Migrant Worker’s Perspective
Interactive Session
Moderated by Muge Tuna, amfori Network Representative, Turkey

BS3 - Engage Your Suppliers Towards Maximum Impact
Practical Case Studies
Moderated by Pierre Strub, amfori Network Representative, Switzerland and Lorenz Berzau, amfori Network Representative, Germany

BS4 - Stimulating Responsible Business Conduct in Global Value Chains: The Government – Business Nexus
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Sarah Dekkiche, amfori Sustainability Policy Adviser
BS5 - Keeping an Eye on the Money – How Climate Change, ESG Reporting and the Financial Sector Connect
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Anouschka Jansen, amfori Senior Manager, Environmental Programmes

BS6 - The Next Industrial Revolution – Supply Chain Digitalisation and Disruption
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Andrew Martin - amfori Senior Manager, Monitoring and Continuous Improvement

12:15 – 13:45 Networking Lunch

13:45 – 15:00 Breakout Sessions

BS1 – EU Trade Agreements – Can They Promote Sustainability?
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Dr. Pierre Gröning, amfori Director Advocacy

BS2 - Defining and Delivering Audit Integrity – The Challenges and Why it’s Important?
Practical Case Studies
Moderated by Federico Burlon - Senior Project Manager, Impactt

BS3 - Beyond the Living Wage – A Holistic Look at Pay
Practical Case Studies
Moderated by Norma Snell, amfori Network Representative, The Netherlands

BS4 - Avoiding a Toxic Tomorrow – Why Chemicals Are Key to a Circular Economy
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Vasileios Rizos, Research Fellow, CEPS

BS5 - Seeing Through the Fog – Staying Ahead of Chinese Environmental Regulations
Panel Discussion
Moderated by Anouschka Jansen, amfori Senior Manager, Environmental Programmes

BS6 - Take a Stand: The Benefits of Communicating Your Brand Beliefs
Practical Case Studies
Moderated by Stéphanie Luong, amfori Head of Communication

15:00 – 15:30 A Global Movement: Migration and the Responsibility to Protect Workers
This panel discussion will explore the global movement of workers, and their impact on companies’ supply chains.
- Bernardo Cruza, Head of CSR and Value Chain, El Corte Inglés
- Dr. Emre Eren Korkmaz, Research Fellow, Oxford University
- Chuleerat Thongtip, Minister Counselor (Labour), Permanent Mission of Thailand to the UN Office and other International Organizations in Geneva
- Martin Wyss, Chief of Mission, International Organization for Migration (IOM) - The Netherlands
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15:30 – 15:45  Building Responsible Recruitment Practices Across Global Supply Chains: An Award for Thai Producers
This session will provide insight into the ambitions of the Thai government and the work of the joint project with amfori, aiming to build responsible recruitment practices across global supply chains. An award will be given to Thai producers for their outstanding performance while participating in the project.

15:45 – 16:15  A Prerogative: Building Global Progress Through Gender Parity
In this session, we will hear from leading practitioners on the research and practical benefits behind gender equality at the business, national and global level.
- Dorothy Lovell, Policy Analyst, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)
- Leanne Melynk, Senior Vice President of Sustainability, Li & Fung
- Shahamin Zaman, CEO, CSR Centre

16:15 – 16:30  Closing
Christian Ewert, amfori Director General

16:30 – 18:30  Afternoon Refreshments
Conference delegates are invited to join some light refreshments and a last chance to network.

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**Day 1 – 12 June**

11:30 – 12:45
- BS1  Paris
- BS2  Hamburg
- BS3  Hanoi / Bangkok
- BS4  Singapore
- BS5  Berlin

14:15 – 15:30
- BS1  Berlin
- BS2  Hamburg
- BS3  Paris
- BS4  Hanoi / Bangkok
- BS5  Singapore

**Day 2 – 13 June**

11:00 – 12:15
- BS1  Berlin
- BS2  Cairo
- BS3  Hanoi / Bangkok
- BS4  Paris
- BS5  Doha
- BS6  Hamburg

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