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## **2025 CILTNA Fall Outlook Conference & Annual Dinner Conférence d'automne de L'IALTAN 2025 et dîner annuel**

### ***In Search of Advantage During Volatile Times: Leveraging Opportunities in Logistics and Transportation***

**Thursday, 6 November 2025**

**RIDEAU CLUB - 99 BANK ST, OTTAWA, ON  
In-Person Event**

### **Schedule of Events / Calendrier des événements**

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| REGISTRATION                                                                                               | 11:30 - 12:00 ET |
| LUNCH FEATURING KEYNOTE SPEAKER -<br>Arun Thangaraj, Deputy Minister of Transport                          | 12:00 - 13:15 ET |
| FALL CONFERENCE PANEL 1<br><i>Current Canada-US Dynamics and Impacts on Logistics &amp; Transportation</i> | 13:30 - 15:00 ET |
| FALL CONFERENCE PANEL 2<br><i>In Focus: Trade and Opportunities for Logistics &amp; Transportation</i>     | 15:20 - 16:50 ET |
| CILTNA AGM                                                                                                 | 17:00 - 17:30 ET |
| RECEPTION (Cash Bar)                                                                                       | 17:45 - 18:30 ET |
| DINNER FEATURING KEYNOTE SPEAKER -<br>Dr. Alan Barnard, Founder and CEO, Goldratt Research Labs            | 18:45 - 20:45 ET |

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# 2025 CILTNA Fall Outlook Conference Agenda

## *In Search of Advantage During Volatile Times: Leveraging Opportunities in Logistics and Transportation*

Thursday, 6 November 2025 | Ottawa ON | 11:30 - 20:45 ET

11:30 - 11:50

**REGISTRATION**

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### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION TO THE CONFERENCE

11:50 - 12:00

*Philip Cartwright*, Chair, CILTNA Ottawa Chapter

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### LUNCH KEYNOTE

12:00 - 13:15

*Arun Thangaraj*, Deputy Minister of Transport

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### PANEL 1: CURRENT CANADA-US DYNAMICS AND IMPACTS ON LOGISTICS & TRANSPORTATION

13:30 - 15:00

**Moderator:** *Michael Keenan*, former Deputy Minister of Transport

*Anna Barrera*, Director, Public Affairs, UPS and National Chapter Director,  
American Chamber of Commerce in Canada

*Allison Gifford*, Vice President, Policy and Public Affairs, Clear Strategy

15:00 - 15:15

**Break**

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### PANEL 2: IN FOCUS: TRENDS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOGISTICS & TRANSPORTATION

15:20 - 16:45

**Moderator:** *Shauna McMillan*, CILTNA Board Member

*Stephen Leask*, Logistics & Integrated Planning, BHP

*Michael Sussman*, Founder & Chairman, OnTrackNorthAmerica

*Vito Cerone*, former Senior VP International Sales at CargoJet and former Air  
Canada executive

15:00 - 15:15

**Break**

16:50 - 17:00

**Closing Remarks** - *Philip Cartwright*, Chair, CILTNA Ottawa Chapter

17:00 - 17:30

**CILTNA Annual General Meeting**

17:45 - 18:30

**Reception (Cash Bar)**

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### OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF ANNUAL DINNER KEYNOTE

18:45 - 18:50

*Bob Armstrong*, former CILTNA President

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### ANNUAL DINNER KEYNOTE

18:45 - 20:45

**Dinner featuring keynote speaker:** *Dr. Alan Barnard*, Founder and CEO,  
Goldratt Research Labs