Keynote Luncheon Speaker
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Jeff MacLean
President
Michelin North America (Canada) Inc.

In July 2015, Mr. Jeff MacLean was appointed President of Michelin North America (Canada) Inc. In this position, he is responsible for coordinating all activities of Michelin in Canada. With more than $20 billion in sales globally (2016) and over 3,200 employees across Canada, Michelin is a world leader in the tire industry, manufacturing tires for every type of vehicle including aircraft, automobiles, bicycles, motorcycles, earthmovers, farm equipment and trucks.

MacLean joined Michelin in 1988 and has served for over 25 years in manufacturing and general management positions in Nova Scotia and Clermont-Ferrand, France. The first half of his Michelin career was focused on engineering, quality, operational and leadership roles in Canada's three manufacturing plants. Subsequently, he served in a role focused on progress in the world truck tire lines, as Employee Relations Manager for the Canadian operations and then as site Manager for the Michelin Pictou County Facility.

His extensive experience in manufacturing and in leading operations in Canada and working in Europe gives him a unique perspective on the challenges and the opportunities facing manufacturing today.

MacLean is a graduate of Saint Mary's University and the Technical University of Nova Scotia (now Dalhousie University), where he earned a B.S. in engineering and applied sciences.