

Horizon Global – Supply Chain Simulation Workshop

8:30am – 3:30pm – Thursday 7th September 2017, Horizon Global, Keysborough VIC

Host: Andrew Ebert, Operations Director, Horizon Global
Facilitator: Tim McLean, Managing Director, TXM Lean Solutions

OVERVIEW

Discover the reasons why your supply chain is failing to deliver, and **develop new strategies to overcome them.**

In this interactive workshop, **learn:**

1. The role of forecasting in the supply chain
2. How to use an extended value stream map to reduce lead time
3. How to establish a simple sales and operations planning system to manage the future
4. How to get right materials at the right time in the right quantity
5. How to manage international supply chains
6. How to design the optimum distribution network for low cost and perfect delivery.



The **workshop will consist of a brand-new simulation** (using lego!) that models challenges of a typical international supply chain.

The simulation will provide participants with a hands-on experience in solving supply chain problems. Participants will have the opportunity to help refine and improve the simulation, that will be launched at the AME Conference in Boston USA this October.

Andrew Ebert, Operations Director at Horizon Global, will also conduct a **Plant Tour** and present an overview of their improved supply chain processes.

About the Facilitator:

Tim McLean, Managing Director at TXM Lean Solutions, has more than 20 years in operational and general management roles and has extensive experience in both Project Management and Process Improvement. Since establishing TXM he has built a strong reputation for high quality project management and his extensive lean supply chain expertise.

Read more about Tim at the [TXM website](#).



EVENT INFORMATION

Venue	Horizon Global, 49 Pacific Drive, Keysborough
Host	Andrew Ebert, Horizon Global
Facilitator	Tim McLean, TXM Lean Solutions
Date	Thursday 7 th September 2017
Time	8:30am – 3:30pm
Numbers	Max 2 participants per organisation
Business Cards	Please bring for networking
Safety Attire	Long sleeves & pants, safety shoes safety glasses, safety vest, no dresses/skirts
Photos	No cameras or mobile phone photos during the session (the host may be able to provide photos upon request)
Fee	No Charge for Best Practice Network Members \$550 + GST for Non Members

PROGRAM

8:00am	Arrival on site – Registration and Networking
8:30am	Welcome and Introductions
9:00am	Horizon Global Supply Chain Overview, Andrew Ebert, Operations Director
9:30am	Factory Tour and Discussion Groups
10:30am	Hands-on Simulation Part 1 – Tim McLean
1:00pm	Light lunch and Networking
1:30pm	Hands-on Simulation Part 2- Tim McLean
3:00pm	Small Group Presentations

Please arrive early to avoid traffic delays. Arrive by **8:00am** for parking, security, registration, induction, etc. This will ensure a smooth session for everyone.

PARKING: Parking available on-site.

NOTE The host company may refuse entry to people or organisations that are considered competitors or fail to comply with their environmental, health and safety policies, regulations, and instructions.

RECOMMENDED FOR

Supply Chain Managers, Senior Leaders

REGISTRATION

by return email to Shane Vaughan
shane@bestpracticenetwork.com.au with:

- 1 Participant Name
- 2 Job Roles
- 3 Company Division/Location
- 4 Email & Mobile Numbers

About Horizon Global:

Horizon Global are a multi-national company manufacturing towing equipment, including the famous Hayman Reese brand.

With leadership from Operations Director Andrew Ebert, they have made substantial improvements to their supply chain and interfaces to flow within the local business.

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