W Drking Groups Monthly Roundup

May 2024

Capacity

No further updates since last month's WG Updates edition.

Digitalisation

At ECG's annual General Assembly Hervé Moulin (Renault) presented on the achievements of the Digitalisation Working Group since last May. Karol Niznik (Auto1), Neringa Jasiulionienė (Manvesta) and Antonio Marsano (Mosolf) presented on the Tech Board, its tech funnel and the first project outcome under the Tech Board. Both presentations can be found under the 'Working Group updates' heading on the <u>General Assembly presentations page</u>.

For any enquiry about this Working Group, please contact Szilvi Kiss.

Health & Safety

No further updates since last month's WG Updates edition.

We would like to kindly remind you to keep reporting on your severe incidents and near misses for 2024 and help us to improve drivers' safety. Our Online Incident Reporting website is available <u>here</u>.

As a next step the H&S WG will be looking at the delivery at retailers.

For more information, or to join the group, contact <u>Jovana Vancevska</u>.

Maritime & Ports

The next meeting will be in Rostock, Germany on 26/27 September kindly sponsored by Autolink Germany.

On 26 September participants will have the opportunity to meet in an informal environment during the networking dinner. The meeting will take place on 27 September with a very engaging agenda. More details about the meeting will be available on our website closer to the meeting.

For more information about this group contact <u>Jovana Vancevska</u>.

Quality

At the ECG General Assembly in Baveno on 23 May, Quality Group Co-Chair presented on the activities of the group since last year. This gives a good overview of the group! The slides can be found under the 'Working Group updates' heading on the <u>General Assembly presentations</u> page.

The next meeting of the Quality Group will be held **on 5 June in Brussels** (and online). If you are a member of the group, <u>you can still register</u> via the online form. If you are not yet a member, please get in touch!

In case you need any further information on the Quality group and its activities please contact <u>Szilvi Kiss</u>.

Sustainability

In May, ECG started phase 2 of the emissions project. The objective of phase 2 is twofold. First, this phase will support companies with the implementation of the ECG-VDA <u>guideline</u> on emissions calculation and reporting for automotive supply chains (incl. Ro-Ro). Second, ECG will develop a training on the guideline to supports its members in calculating and reporting emissions from outbound logistics.

If you work on emissions, you are welcome to join this phase of the project.

For more information, contact Andreea Serbu.

Regional Meetings

UK & Ireland

The latest meeting was held on 27 February when we were hosted by Jaguar Land Rover (JLR) at the Motor Museum in Gaydon. In addition to JLR we welcomed guest speakers Ben Waller, from ICDP, and ECG's Business Analyst, Namrita Chow, and a very informative session was enjoyed by all.

The end-of-year meeting will be held, as usual, in London. The date is 21st November and it will again be an afternoon meeting with the annual dinner in the evening.

For more information, or to join the group, please contact the ECG secretariat.

Eastern Region

No further updates since last month's WG Updates edition.

The next meeting will be in September. Meeting dates and venue will be available on our website.

If you wish to know more about this meeting, please contact Jovana Vancevska.

EU Affairs

No further updates since last month's WG Updates edition.

FVL Legal Network

No further updates since last month's WG Updates edition.

Women in FVL Network

The second informal gathering of the <u>Women in FVL</u> network will be on **Thursday**, **23 May**, **12:00** – **14:00** ahead of the <u>ECG General Assembly & Spring Congress</u> in Baveno, Italy welcoming all women attending the event.

For more information on how to join please visit our <u>website</u> or contact Andreea Serbu.

ECG Quarterly Survey

Since 2010 ECG is conducting our Quarterly Confidence & Cost Trend Survey across members of the Association. The Survey tracks main trends in the industry regarding investment capacity, costs, business optimism, customer/supplier relationship index and efficiency.

The latest results for Q1 2024 are available on our <u>website</u>. The Quarterly Survey for Q2 2024 will be launched in July.