



# TANK CONTAINER DEPOT MEETING 2024

Hilton Hotel, Rotterdam – Friday 19 April 2024

## Thursday 18 April 2024

Welcome and Networking Reception

## Friday 19 April 2024

Networking Breakfast

Plenary Conference Sessions

Post-Conference Reception for all Participants

## Event Sponsors

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# MEETING AGENDA

Thursday 18 April 2024

18:30 Welcome and Networking Reception

Friday 19 April 2024

08:00 Arrival, Registration & Welcome Refreshments

09:00 **Welcome, Introduction and Aims of the Meeting**

- Safety Moment
- Anti-Trust Statement
- Overview of the Aims of the Day

*Paul Gooch*  
President, ITCO

*Patrick Hicks*  
General Secretary, ITCO

09:15 **Session 1: Keynote Presentations**  
**Realities and Challenges of the Tank Container Depot Industry**

**Session Moderator:**

*Pradeep Nair, Head - Chemical Logistics & ISO Tank Operations, Goodrich Maritime*

**The Tank Container Operator perspective**

*Martin Levitt*  
Technical Director, Global BU, Royal Den Hartogh Logistics

**Safety: Industry's Top Priority**

- Introducing an industry-wide safety culture
- Entering confined spaces – what are the issues?

*Scott Harrison*  
Chief Executive Officer, DCI – Depot Connect International

**Development of a global ITCO Tank Container Depot Audit Scheme:**

- Progress of Depot Audit Work Group and next steps

*Paul Gooch*  
President – ITCO

11:00 **Refreshment break**  
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11:30

## Session 2: Developing Industry Standards

### **Session Moderator:**

*Patrick Hicks, General Secretary, ITCO*

### **Efficient Communications – development of digital standards**

*William Leigh-Pemberton*

*Strategic Development Director, Bertschi*

### **Depot coding, geofencing and the BoxTech Global Container Database**

- Standardizing the coding and geofencing of the world's depots: the BIC Facility Code and Global Geofence Library.
- The BoxTech Global Container Database: supporting safety and efficiency in the supply chain and a step toward digital twin

*Douglas Owen*

*Secretary-General*

*Bureau International des Containers (BIC)*

*David Roff*

*IT Advisor*

*Bureau International des Containers (BIC)*

### **ITCO's "Guiding Principles of Depot/Client Management"**

### **Review/Update the existing ITCO document and change to Code of Practice**

*Colin Rubery*

*Technical Secretary - ITCO*

### **Questions and Panel Discussion**

12:45

## **Lunch**

14:00

## Session 3: Safety and the Environment

### **Session Moderator:**

*Paul Gooch, President, ITCO*

### **Enhancing Safety: Video and Virtual Reality Technology**

*Wouter Brouwer*

*Business Development Director, THINK360*

### **Safety Case Study: Implementing safe working practices (working in confined spaces, working on top of tanks, PPE)**

*Faris Al Shali*

*HSE&Q Manager and Dangerous Goods Advisor, Sahreej, Saudi Arabia*

### **Session 3: Safety and the Environment** *(Continued)*

#### **Recycling: Tides of transition - Sustainable development in container shipping**

- Current state of the container sector
- Global market trends
- Practical examples of sustainability

*Barend Ubbink*

*Sustainability Consultant, A&M Recycling*

#### **ITCO Project: Disposal of seals and gaskets; and update on PFAS regulatory process**

*Colin Rubery*

*ITCO Technical Secretary*

**15:20**

#### **Review of Conference Action-items**

- Summary of Meeting – and agreement on next steps

**15:30**

#### **Conference Concludes**

**15:30**

#### **Post-Conference Reception for all Participants**

## **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

To register for the Meeting – and other practical details – please click on this link:  
<https://international-tank-container.org/en/events/itco-2024-tank-container-depot-meeting>