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## THURSDAY, JUNE 14

8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Registration

12:00 – 12:10 PM

**Summit Kick-Off**

**Speaker:** Juan Ciscomani, Senior Advisor for Regional and International Affairs, Office of the Arizona Governor Doug Ducey

12:10 – 12:50 PM

**Opportunities in Border Communities**

In-depth and authentic conversation on the economic opportunity in Arizona's border communities, including investment, trade, tourism and new opportunities

**Moderator:** Alejandra Santamaria, Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors and Vice President, General Manager/Director of Sales, Univision Arizona

**Panel Members:**

- The Honorable John Doyle, Mayor, City of Nogales
- The Honorable Doug Nicholls, Mayor, City of Yuma
- The Honorable Gerardo Sanchez, Mayor, City of San Luis
- The Honorable Robert Uribe, Mayor, City of Douglas
- The Honorable Jose Yopez, Mayor, City of Somerton

12:50 – 1:40 PM

**Sectors of Innovation and Manufacturing**

Sectors that are driving investment and job creation in Arizona and the world – and how companies are implementing new manufacturing strategies and the expansion of supply chains to remain competitive

**Moderator:** Bruce Wright, Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors and Associate Vice President, University of Arizona Tech Parks

**Panel Members:**

- Mary Darling, CEO & Principal Owner, Darling Geomatics
- Maria Elena Gallego, President, Collectron
- Dr. Xiaodi Hou, CTO and Co-Founder, TUSimple
- Lee Lambert, Chancellor, Pima Community College
- Calline Sanchez, Site Executive - Tucson, IBM

1:40 – 2:30 PM

**Mining in the XXI Century**

Complete look at the \$4.29 billion dollar Arizona mining industry – hear from private sector industry leaders on current and future investments, best practices and opportunities for supply chain development in Arizona & Sonora

**Moderator:** Bret Parke, Co-Chair, AMC Mining Committee and Deputy Director, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

**Panel Members:**

- Sergio Fernando Alanís, President, Cámara Minera de México
- Red Conger, President and COO – Americas, Freeport-McMoRan Inc.
- James Gowans, President & CEO, Arizona Mining
- Vidal Muhech, Executive Vice President, Development & Projects, Grupo México
- Jean Savage, Vice President, Surface Mining & Technology Division, Caterpillar
- Steve Trussell, Executive Director, Arizona Mining Association

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2:30 – 2:55 PM

### **Arizona Open For Business**

Exciting discussion on why Arizona is truly the best place in the country to live, work, play, get an education, raise a family, or start a business

**Moderator:** Jaime Chamberlain, Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors and President, J-C Distributing

#### **Panel Members:**

- George Hammond, Director, University of Arizona Economic and Business Research Center
- Fletcher McCusker, Chair, Rio Nuevo Board
- Julie Pastrick, President & CEO, Greater Flagstaff Chamber of Commerce
- Glenn Williamson, Founder and CEO, Canada Arizona Business Council

2:55 – 3:00 PM

### **Transition to Committee Sessions**

3:00 – 5:30 PM

### **Committee Sessions**

- Art & Culture
- Economic Development
- Energy
- Emergency Management
- Health Services
- Mining
- Real Estate
- Transportation, Infrastructure & Ports
- Tourism

5:30 – 6:30 PM

### **Break**

6:30 – 8:00 PM

### **Welcome & Networking Reception**

Join us at the welcome networking reception for cocktails and light fare while you enjoy the company of other summit guests. You will have the opportunity to network with prominent business and government leaders

**Host:** Jaime Chamberlain, Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors and President, J-C Distributing

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## FRIDAY, JUNE 15

8:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Registration
8:00 - 9:00 AM	Continental Breakfast
9:00 – 9:45 AM	<p><b>A New Model for International Logistics</b>          Arizona is home to the first major international air hub that brings US and Mexican customs officials to a single facility to promote US-Mexico e-commerce, support development of supply chains and Just-In-Time manufacturing  <b>Moderator:</b> Marco Lopez, President &amp; CEO, Intermestic Partners  <b>Panel Members:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Honorable John Giles, Mayor, City of Mesa</li> <li>• Representative, Aduanas de México</li> <li>• Ariel Picker, CEO, SkyBridge Arizona</li> <li>• Guadalupe Ramirez Jr., Acting Director of Field Operations, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Tucson Field Office</li> </ul>
9:45 – 10:40 AM	<p><b>Professional Sports in Arizona and the Mexico Market</b>          Insights into the growing importance of the Hispanic and Mexico markets for professional sports in Arizona  <b>Moderator:</b> Josh Rawitch, Sr. Vice President, Content &amp; Communications, Arizona Diamondbacks  <b>Panel Members:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Berke Bakay, Club Governor, Phoenix Rising</li> <li>• Steve Patterson, President &amp; CEO, Arizona Coyotes Hockey Club</li> <li>• Jason Rowley, President &amp; CEO, Phoenix Suns</li> <li>• Bryan Sperber, President, ISM Raceway</li> </ul>
10:40 – 10:45 AM	Transition to Committee Sessions
10:45 AM – 1:15 PM	<p><b>Committee Sessions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agribusiness</li> <li>• Community and Social Organizations</li> <li>• Education</li> <li>• Environment &amp; Water</li> <li>• Finance &amp; Legal Services</li> <li>• Wildlife</li> </ul>
1:15 – 2:20 PM	Networking Lunch
2:25 – 3:25 PM	<p><b>Decision Makers Forum</b>          Panel discussion featuring Arizona Governor Doug Ducey and Sonora Governor Claudia Pavlovich moderated by the President of Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors, Jessica Pacheco</p>

## FRIDAY, JUNE 15

3:30 - 4:30 PM

### Arizona-Mexico Commission and Comisión Sonora-Arizona Joint Plenary Session

Master of Ceremonies: Jonathan Lines, Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors and GM & VP Lines & Lundgreen Roofing & Insulation, Inc.

#### Welcome Remarks

- Jessica Pacheco, President, Arizona-Mexico Commission
- Angel Bours, Vice President, Comisión Sonora-Arizona

#### Keynote Address

- Dr. Robert C. Robbins, President, University of Arizona

#### Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Signing Ceremony

- MOU: Joint Promotion of Regional Tourism
- MOU: Joint Promotion of Cross-Border Research Opportunities & Tech Parks

#### Closing Remarks

- The Honorable Claudia Pavlovich, Governor, State of Sonora
- The Honorable Doug Ducey, Governor, State of Arizona

4:30 – 6:00 PM

Break

6:00 – 6:30 PM

Pre-Gala Dinner Reception

6:30 – 8:30 PM

### 2018 Summit Gala Dinner & Presentation of AMC Awards and Sponsor Recognitions

Master of Ceremonies: John Misner, Arizona-Mexico Commission Board of Directors and Sr. Advisor, ASU Foundation/AZPBS & Professor of Practice, Arizona State University

#### Arizona-Mexico Commission Message

- Juan Ciscomani, Senior Advisor for Regional and International Affairs, Office of the Arizona Governor Doug Ducey

#### AMC Sponsor Recognitions

#### Presentation of Arizona-Mexico Commission Annual Awards

- **Tony Certósimo Award:** Glenn Hamer, President & CEO, Arizona Chamber of Commerce & Industry
- **Paul Fannin Award:** University of Arizona Tech Parks
- **Andy Nichols Award:** Arizona Prevention Research Center at University of Arizona

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