

CTO-8TH TOURISM HUMAN RESOURCES CONFERENCE THEME: Making Excellence a Habit: Service, Loyalty and Profitability in Caribbean Tourism

Organized by the Caribbean Tourism Organization (CTO), in collaboration with the Ministry of Tourism, Economic Development, Investment & Energy

11 - 13 May 2016, ANTIGUA & BARBUDA

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

Tuesday, 10 May	Wednesday, 11 May	Thursday, 12 May	Friday, 13 May	Saturday, 14
All Day Delegates arrive 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m. –9:30 a.m. OPENING CEREMONY	9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. MASTER CLASS 1 Seeking Excellence Through Continuous Improvement – A Formula for Business Success Mr. John Burchell, Director, Hospitality Assured Limited, United Kingdom	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. MASTER CLASS 2 Increasing Customer & Brand Loyalty Mr. André Bello, Commercial Manager - Caribbean, Virgin Atlantic	
Conference registration		10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. COFFEE BREAK	10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. COFFEE BREAK	
	9:40 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. KEYNOTE ADDRESS Making Excellence a Habit: Service, Loyalty & Profitability Ms. Glenda Medford	12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. PLENARY SESSION III A Quality Approach – Enhancing Reputation & Profitability and Minimizing Risks Mr. Michael Seepersaud, Team Leader, C'bean Overseas Small & Medium Enterprise Programme [COSME] Ms. Sherene Bird, Human Resource Executive, Antigua Commercial Bank 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. LUNCH	12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. LUNCH & SIGHTSEEING TOUR	
	10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. COFFEE BREAK	2:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION Using Metrics Effectively to Propel Business Performance Moderator Ms. Shirlene Nibbs, Nibbs & Associates Panelists: Mr. John Burchell, Director, Hospitality Assured Limited, United Kingdom Mr. Colin James, CEO, Antigua & Barbuda Tourism Authority		POST-TOURS
	11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. PLENARY SESSION I – PRESENTATION & DISCUSSION From Good to Great: Driving Leadership and Organizational Excellence Moderator: Mr. Eurel Hodge, Human Resource Generalist/Consultant Mr. Ian Blanchard, Business and Executive Coach, CILC ActionCOACH Ms. Nicole Antonio-Gadsdon, Aquarius Human Resource Consulting Ltd.	3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. COFFEE BREAK 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. SHARING SESSION 2: Delegates' Sharing Session	Free Evening for delegates	
	12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. LUNCH	4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. HEALTH & WELLNESS IN THE WORKPLACE Health Igniting Performance Group Session – Fun & Exciting Health Activities for the Workplace		
	1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. SHARING SESSION I: Delegates' Sharing Session 2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Free Evening for delegates	Free Evening for delegates	
	COFFEE BREAK 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. PLENARY SESSION II: STUDENT FORUM Organized by the Antigua & Barbuda Hospitality Training Institute (ABHTI)			
	6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Welcome Reception			