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"The IMDPA is dedicated to improving and fostering advancements in both metal decorating and metal packaging. The IMDPA strives to provide the metal decorating and packaging industry with valuable information and opportunities to network with fellow industry personnel." This dedication will become evident once again as you learn what the IMDPA's Conference committee has assembled for this year's Conference.

In keeping with the general session offerings of a keynote speaker and a financial analyst, we enhanced this year's program with trending sustainability, all important logistics presentations and compliance speakers. Remaining true to our quest to present the latest technological developments, we host the ever popular breakout sessions which are streamlined for flat sheet decoration and two piece decoration. A third session focuses on can manufacturing and supports our expanded association purview relative to metal packaging.

This year's Conference is being held from October 4-6, 2022 at our new location, Eaglewood Resort & Spa in Itasca, IL, USA. October 4th will present our Scholarship Golf Outing and Banquet which is popular for networking with industry friends, both old and new. October 5th and 6th will include presentations of interest to metal decorating and metal packaging personnel alike. Our Conference includes presentations on Wall Street's perspective on metal packaging, Sustainability by the (CMI) Can Manufacturers Institute leaders, Best Practices, Digital Printing, New Printing Equipment, Customer Branding Initiatives, Printing Equipment improvements, Coating developments and an enlightening Keynote Speech by Mike Regan on Logistics which is one of our main concerns in the industry. Our Wednesday Keynote Speaker, Rob Clark, will provide insight on what is developing at Anheuser-Busch. Our not to be missed presentations were selected from topics obtained as a result of members communicating their requests for seminar presentations in the valuable surveys taken during the Conference. We look forward to being with you in October.

WHY ATTEND?

You'll get maximum educational and networking opportunities with a minimal time commitment. Learn the latest developments and key issues affecting the metal decorating industry.

WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

Benefit from information exchange, professional networking and a wide variety of communication opportunities in an informal, relaxed environment. Return to your job with new ideas, methods and best practices that you can apply immediately.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Technical Innovation	Quality Awards
Market Trends	Tabletop Exhibits
Financial & Regulatory	Scholarship Golf Outing
Legal & Compliance	Application-Specific Breakouts
Sustainability	



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1401 Nordic Road Itasca, IL, 60143 USA

Register Online: metaldecorators.org

Click on Events and select Hotel Reservations

Register by Phone: 1-877-285-6150

Mention code IMDPA to receive the special rate of \$169 per night plus tax

Register before the cut off date of September 12, 2022

Hotel registrations cancelled within 48 hours of arrival will be charged the first night's room and tax.

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2022 ANNUAL IMDPA CONFERENCE

PRODUCT SPONSORSHIP & DISPLAY REGISTRATION

October 5 - 6, 2022

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6. Recognition by industry peers with special attendee badge.

\$1,400 fee contributes to speaker costs, conference giveaways, speaker gifts, exhibitor hospitality, promotional signage and other promotional costs incurred.

*** Please complete the enclosed information form for the exhibit program to be distributed at the conference.
For those attending the conference, please complete the enclosed conference registration form
or register online at www.metaldecorators.org**

**\$1,700
Value**

Product Display Exhibits

The Annual Tabletop Display Sponsor Hosted Hospitality Event will take place at the conclusion of Wednesday's general session. Displays will be set up in one large ballroom at the Eaglewood Resort & Spa. During the Hospitality Event, refreshments and heavy hors d'oeuvres will be served. Prizes will be awarded to those in attendance.

Guidelines:

1. The Display and Sponsor Hosted Hospitality Event will be held on Wednesday, October 5, 2022.
2. The Exhibit fee is \$500.00 USD which includes table, 2 chairs, linens and standard electric.
The Exhibit fee is waived for those who have signed up for Conference Sponsorship.
3. Display space must be requested in advance by September 16, 2022. Tables will be available on a 1st come basis.
4. Display areas will be limited to 30" x 72" of table space.
5. Display set-up will take place on Wednesday after the luncheon.
6. Information for shipping and display set-up will be forthcoming.

Please return this form by September 16, 2022

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Sponsor: ☐ Yes ☐ No \$1,400 – Includes FREE Exhibit Table with standard electric. ☐ Please reserve a table at no cost.

Exhibitor: ☐ Yes ☐ No # Tables: ☐ \$500.00 per table includes standard electric.

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Name: _____ Company: _____

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Enclosed is a check # _____ in the amount of \$ _____ USD, payable to the International Metal Decorating & Packaging Association

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**NOTE: Sponsorship does not include Conference Registration Fees. Attendees must register for the Conference.
Exhibitors must also register for the Conference.**

Sponsorship and Exhibitor fees must be paid by September 16, 2022 to be included in all on site promotional materials.

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CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITS

We are pleased to list the following Sponsors and Exhibitors who have registered for the Conference as of June 20, 2022.

We still have sponsorship and exhibition opportunities available for those wishing to participate. Please see the form in this brochure.

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DECORATOR OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The IMDPA supports the recognition of the craftsmanship displayed by those who are active in the decoration of metal products. Our industry is fortunate to have many individuals who have demonstrated a performance level worthy of recognition by their peers.

Companies are afforded the opportunity to recognize those individuals who have displayed exemplary craftsmanship while carrying out their duties operating or maintaining metal decorating equipment. We encourage managers to submit applications for those who meet the IMDPA's criteria to be considered for such recognition. **Download an entry form from our website: metaldecorators.org.** Deadline for submission is September 3, 2022. All nominees will be given a complimentary registration to the conference and will be recognized during Wednesday's Awards Luncheon.

2022 COMMITTEE MEMBERS

John Clark, Chair	Bill Hoyle
Heraeus Noblelight	Hoyle Consulting
Randy Apperson	John Hrdlick
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Northern Container	SGS International
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CONFERENCE AGENDA

WEDNESDAY | OCTOBER 5

7–8:30 a.m.	REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
8–8:30 a.m.	ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING Annual meeting for current and new members
8:45–9:00 a.m.	PRESIDENT'S OPENING REMARKS Renee Schouten, IMDPA President
9 a.m.–12 p.m.	GENERAL SESSION Keynote Presentation Innovation Rob Clark, Head of Innovation, Anheuser-Busch Industry Financial Overview Cyber Security Cargill Sustainability in Metal Packaging Scott Breen, VP Sustainability, Can Manufacturers Institute & Derrick Swift, VP Technical and Regulatory Affairs, Can Manufacturers Institute
12–1:15 p.m.	AWARDS LUNCHEON Member of the Year, Decorators of the Year, Golf Scholarships & Excellence in Quality Awards
1:30–5 p.m.	BREAKOUT SESSIONS Flat Sheet Decorating innovations and problem solving Two Piece Quality Assurance, Coatings, Digital and more Manufacturing Washing, CE certification, Equipment and solutions
5–7 p.m.	TABLETOP EXHIBITION & SPONSOR HOSTED HOSPITALITY View the latest industry offerings in a networking atmosphere. Raffle prizes awarded at end of session.
	EVENING IS OPEN

THURSDAY | OCTOBER 6

7–8:30 a.m.	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST AND NETWORKING
8:30 a.m.–12 p.m.	GENERAL SESSION Keynote Presentation Supply Chain Logistics Mike Regan, TransAct Technologies Substrate Challenges and Opportunities Roundtable Discussion University Educational Offerings
12–1:00 p.m.	LUNCHEON Raffle prizes to be awarded
1:00 p.m.	PLANT TOUR Finzer Roller

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MEMBERS

Advance Registration: \$425

(Register by September 23, 2022)

NOTE: For the member rate, your email
address will be required for verification
and dues must be current.

On-site Registration: \$460

NON-MEMBERS

Advance Registration: \$525

(Register by September 23, 2022)

On-site Registration: \$560

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FEATURED SPEAKERS



ROB CLARK

ROB CLARK | WEDNESDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKER

HEAD OF INNOVATION, ANHEUSER-BUSCH

INNOVATION

Rob Clark is Head of Innovation & ARCH (Anheuser-Busch Regional Consumer Hub) based in St. Louis. He has over 20 years of experience with an emphasis in product and packaging development, packaging design, sales, marketing, retail merchandise buying and procurement in both start-up and large corporate environments. Rob has proven leadership in conceptualizing, communicating and implementing marketing and procurement strategies across multiple locations. He consistently delivers cost savings and sales growth for the products and services he is involved with. Rob demonstrates a strong combination of analytical skills, marketing/sales expertise, negotiating and management experience. Rob is accustomed to managing multiple priorities in fast-paced, ever-changing environments.



MIKE REGAN

MIKE REGAN | THURSDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKER

CHIEF OF RELATIONSHIP DEVELOPMENT, TRANSACT TECHNOLOGIES LLC.

SUPPLY CHAIN LOGISTICS

Mr. Regan is extremely well known and active within the logistics industry. He serves on the boards of numerous industry groups such as the American Society of Transportation & Logistics, where he is a Distinguished Logistics Professional (DLP), National Industrial Transportation League (NITL), National Shippers Strategic Transportation Council (NASSTRAC), where he is the Chairman of the Advocacy Committee, and the Transportation Intermediaries Association, where he served as Chairman of the TIA Foundation. He is also very active in several key industry organizations, such as the Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP).

EXCELLENCE IN QUALITY COMPETITION

During Wednesday's Awards Luncheon, the best of the best will be put up on the big screen for all to view and acknowledge the winners' dynamic and high quality decorating. From all of the Best of Category winners, a panel of judges will select the Grand Award for the best decorating of the year.

For more details and guidelines and to submit an entry, visit metaldecorators.org.
Submission deadline for is August 19th, 2022.

AWARDS

Best of Category Award

Presented to the winners in each of the categories.

Award of Excellence

Presented to the second place finishers in each of the categories.

Grand Award

Presented for the piece chosen as the best of all categories.

Technical Achievement Award

An Award Winner will be selected from all entries.

CATEGORIES

- Aerosol & Bottles
- Closures & Ends
- Craft Cans
- Digital Printing
- Food & General Line
(Includes Beverage Three Piece)
- Miscellaneous Products
(Includes Signs & Displays)
- Specialty & Fancy Cans
- Two Piece Beverage
- Canmaking Innovation & Tooling



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IMDPA Memorial Scholarship

GOLF OUTING & BANQUET

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 4, 2022



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The proceeds from the IMDPA Memorial Golf outing are used to fund a most worthy cause, our IMDPA Scholarship Fund. These funds are awarded to our members' children and grandchildren who will continue their pursuit of learning at the college level.

Golfers will enjoy the camaraderie and sportsmanship of fellow metal decorators as they play on the Eaglewood Golf Course. Upon completion of the play, we will host our ever-popular banquet, during which we recognize the achievements of the day's golfers. The banquet is also open to non-golfers who want to share in the festivities and fellowship of the other industry members.

To register and find more details go to: www.metaldecorators.org
and look for IMDPA Golf & Banquet under Events.

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