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THIS WEEK AT CMC

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

CMC, AEP & Battelle present
Fueling Ohio's Future

Tales of Shale Part 1: The Business Case

Moderator, **Don DePerro**, publisher and president of *Business First*
Matt Hammond, Sr. Director Government Affairs, Chesapeake Energy Corporation
Greg Leveille, general manager of non-conventional resources, ConocoPhillips
Iryna Lendel, Ph.D. assistant director, Center for Economic Development, Cleveland State University and co-author of Shale Gas Coalition February 2012 Ohio economic development report.

Series support from *Columbus Gas* and *The Ohio State University Office for Energy & the Environment*
Forum sponsored by *WesBanco*

Upcoming CMC Events

Leave Lunch Smarter!

CMC forums are at the Athletic Club of Columbus, 136 E. Broad St. unless otherwise noted.
Registration is at 11:30 a.m., with lunch served at noon and closing at 1:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

International Columbus: Port of Call on the Silk Road

Jeff Keever, Senior Deputy Executive Director for the Virginia Port Authority

David Whitaker, Vice President, Business Development and Communications, Columbus Regional Airport Authority

Moderated by **Patty Huddle**, VP existing business services, Columbus Chamber

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4

Considering Retirement



Jason Seligman, associate professor at the John Glenn School of Public Affairs at OSU and expert in the field of economics, more specifically in the areas of taxation and public policy



Diane Oakley, executive director, National Institute on Retirement Security



Linda Mauger, program director, Office of Geriatric and Gerontology at The Ohio State University

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

CMC and Bricker & Eckler present

Leadership Legacies



Frank Kass, chairman, Continental Real Estate Companies



Moderated by **Ann Fisher**, WOSU Public Media

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18



Chris Spielman



Interviewed by **Tim May**, *The Columbus Dispatch*



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

International Columbus: Port of Call on the Silk Road

Subtle giants come and go in our community with little recognition from most of us. While they attract little attention, they are vital to our economy and our lifestyle. Hundreds and hundreds of freight trains bring goods to our warehouses.

Trains and logistics are a critical employment and economic industry sector for Central Ohio. In the same way that the Silk Road provided points of connection for traders from East to West in ancient times, modern trade routes connect the world and Columbus. Central Ohio's central location provides optimum warehousing and distribution capabilities to provide efficient service throughout the interior of most of North America. Historically, ports of call along major trade routes became hubs of industry, commerce, and culture. By expanding trade routes that connect Columbus to the global logistics map, central Ohio will benefit as a modern age port of call.

Our 21st century silk road -- the Heartland Corridor -- is a public-private partnership between the Norfolk Southern Railway (NS), the Federal Highway Administration and three US states to improve railroad freight operations. The \$150 million plan is facilitating more efficient travel on NS rail lines between the Norfolk, Virginia port region and two Midwest destinations—Chicago, Illinois and Columbus, Ohio.

Part of the Rickenbacker Inland Port, the Columbus Foreign-Trade Zone #38 offers the opportunity to bring foreign goods into the US by rail, truck or air without Customs regulations before shipment into the U.S. stream of commerce. These special trade free zones decrease barriers to entry of foreign goods entering the U.S. by saving time, money and paperwork.

Another key piece to this road is the expansion of the Panama Canal which will double its capacity by 2014 by allowing more and larger ships to transit. The expansion will create demand along the US Eastern Seaboard for ports able to handle post-Panamax ships as of January, 2012. Though ports from Miami to New York are considering renovations including dredging, blasting, and bridge-raising, only Norfolk, Virginia is completely ready for these larger ships.

At CMC on March 28 will feature logistical experts from a seaport and airport. Jeff Keever, senior deputy



David Whitaker, Vice President, Business Development and Communications, Columbus Regional Airport Authority

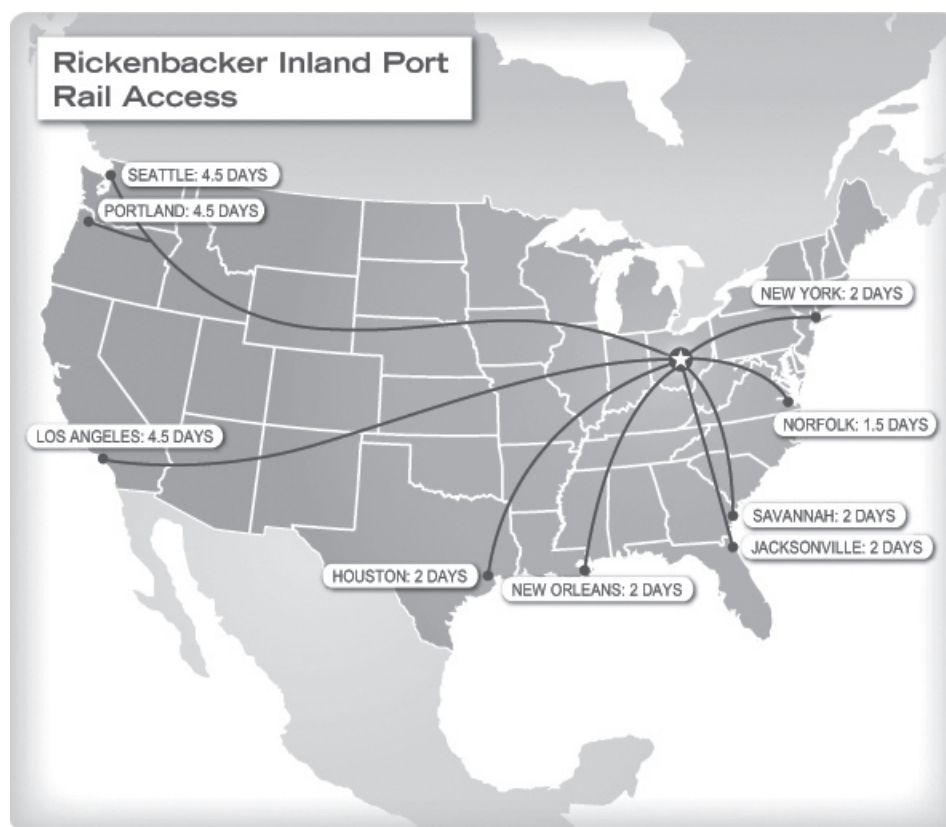


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executive director for the Virginia Port, Norfolk, Va. and David Whitaker, vice president for business development and communications for the Columbus Regional Airport Authority will discuss the important relationship between the two cities and how Columbus has become a key stop along the modern Silk Road.

The discussion will be led by Patty Huddle, vice president, existing business solutions, for the Columbus Chamber. Huddle leads the Chamber's initiative to retain and expand businesses in the 11-county Columbus Region within the Columbus2020 economic development strategy.

RECAP – MARCH 14

Grow Smart – Grow Regional: Practical Examples of Collaboration

Bart Anderson, Superintendent, Educational Service Center of Central Ohio; **Ginny Barney**, Senior Partner, Collective Genius; **Michael Hartley**, Vice President, Government Relations, Columbus Chamber; Moderated by **Gene Krebs**, senior director of government affairs and policy, Greater Ohio Policy Center

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Jay Smith and Michael Stoner.



Seated: CMC President Rich Terapak, speaker Ginny Barney, from sponsor MORPC Board Vice President Marilyn Brown. Standing: speakers Michael Hartley, Gene Krebs and Bart Anderson.

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