“UT’S SUPPLY CHAIN FORUM has grown into the premier academic forum in the industry. It’s an interactive exchange of ideas with 200 people from a variety of industries who are faced with the same challenges and problems I am at work. The presentations spark debate and conversations, and from those, we find solutions to the problems in supply chain.”

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Held twice a year, the one and a half day meetings include presentations, breakout sessions, and networking receptions.

Participant feedback guides both the forum agenda and the Global Supply Chain Institute’s research focus. The intimate setting includes presentations, breakout sessions, and networking receptions, enabling open discussion of challenges and solutions between peers.

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~ JIM HARLAN, Vice President of Global Supply Chain, Eastman Chemical Company

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