GNEX-ACOTUR 2022 CONFERENCE

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

TUESDAY 15TH NOVEMBER

START TIME TBC

GNEX-ACOTUR 2022 GOLF TOURNAMENT

More details to follow...

8.00PM - LATE

UNOFFICIAL GATHERING @ GRAND HOTEL LOBBY BAR

Just arrived and looking for someone to hang out with? Find us at the bar...

WEDNESDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

10.00AM - 5.30PM

GNEX-ACOTUR NETWORKING LOUNGE

Open all day to hold meetings, network with attendees and visit our exhibitors.

11.45PM - 12.00PM

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENTS & INTRODUCTIONS

Our resident Emcee will outline what's coming up in our agenda over the next two days and invite ACOTUR to make some opening remarks ahead of the afternoon sessions.

12.00PM - 1.00PM

INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP: IT'S ALL ABOUT MINDSET!

In an ever-changing world where negativity reigns supreme, this interactive session will set you up to win through positivity. As some of you may know, our beloved Emcee of more than 12 years received some life-changing news this year... and will bravely use his own experiences to demonstrate the power of having and maintaining a positive, optimistic mindset. Jim will share his journey and his process of how he beat stage four pancreatic cancer in 4 weeks to how he is now battling (and wining) non-small cell lung cancer. As he says, "it's all about mindset!"

1.00PM - 1.45PM

NETWORKING LUNCH

Enjoy a light lunch in the Networking Lounge as you catch up with friends and network with attendees ahead of the afternoon sessions.

1.45PM - 2.45PM

60-SECOND PITCH

The 60-Second Pitch session gives one representative of each participating company the chance to take to the microphone for just 60-seconds to provide a fast elevator pitch about who they are and what their company does.

WEDNESDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

2.45PM - 4.15PM

THE BOARDROOM

Unique to GNEX, this compelling session is the "ultimate" meeting of minds. The audience gets a fly-on-the-wall experience as our C-Suite industry experts conduct a round-table discussion on trending topics that impact the vacation industry, and their opinions of what the future holds.

4.15PM - 5.30PM

SPEED NETWORKING

Participate in our fan-favorite networking session where you'll meet one-on-one with around 30 delegates. Every speed meeting gives each delegate one minute to share more details about their business and exchange business cards. When you find a representative from a company you want to know more about, you can then arrange to meet again during the event. Participants, and the remaining attendees will also be able to enjoy our premium open bar during this event, held within the Networking Lounge.

6.00PM - 8.00PM

THE BLUE PARTY

This year our welcome party will be held on the beach at the Kempinski Grand Hotel (Formerly Ritz Carlton). Come dressed in at least something **BLUE** in honor of our sponsors arrivia and Gignet and enjoy delicious food, premium open bar and DJ as we watch the sun set on the incredible Cancun beach and ocean.

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THURSDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

8.00AM - 4.30PM

NETWORKING LOUNGE OPEN

Our Networking Lounge is open throughout the day for you to hold meetings, visit exhibitors and grab refreshments.

8.00AM - 10.00AM

NETWORKING BREAKFAST

Start your day the right way with a beautiful full breakfast and plenty of time to hold meetings and visit exhibitors before the General Sessions begin.

10.00AM - 11.00AM

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: A BRIEF HISTORY OF TIMESHARE

Mark Waltrip, COO, Westgate Resorts will take us through a journey of four decades of change in the timeshare industry, including challenges, successes and innovative strategies as well as what he foresees in the future for the vacation membership industry.

11.00AM - 11.45PM

NETWORKING BREAK

Head back to our Networking Lounge for an hour of networking while enjoying some tasty bites, coffee and tea. Don't forget to visit all of our exhibitors to learn more about what they can offer to your business.

THURSDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

11.45PM - 1.15PM

EXPO LIVE!

This session brings the Networking Lounge to the main stage where attendees can learn more about products and services that could help improve their business in these fast-paced 5-Minute mini-sessions.

1.15PM - 2.30PM

LUNCH

Enjoy a delicious lunch as you continue to network and catch up with friends and colleagues.

2.30PM - 3.30PM

WHY WOMEN RULE THE WORLD

This panel will discuss how female leadership empowers and inspires others around them and positively influences the direction of the industry. Each panelist will share their career experiences on how the industry is evolving, providing more opportunities for female executive leadership positions and how more balanced perspectives are the recipe for success.

3.30PM - 4.30PM

INTERNATIONAL SYNERGIES - DRIVING THE INDUSTRY FORWARDS

The heads of several trade associations and the GNEX Conferences discuss how each are working more closely together than ever before to collaborate on sharing of information, and what they see in the near future for the industry as more companies look for international partners or acquisition opportunities to boost growth.

6.30PM - 9.30PM

FINALE PARTY

Join us in Puerto Cancun at the stunning Zaytun Restaurant for delicious food, open bar and entertainment. Then continue the party on a selection of YACHTVIBES fleet of yachts docked outside the restaurant with DJ and drinks onboard.

Buses Depart 5.45pm from Kempinski Lobby.

Buses Return at 10pm and 11pm only from the marina back to the hotel. Anyone that wants to stay later to continue partying on the yachts will be responsible for their own transport / taxi back to the hotel.

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