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WEDNESDAY, MAY 24 - FRIDAY, MAY 26, 2023

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Please wear your Decorative Hardwoods Association name badge at all meetings and social functions.

Dress is business casual.

You are invited and encouraged to attend all sessions except for division and committee meetings, which are limited to members only.

Hotel check-in time is 4 p.m. and checkout time is 11 a.m. Individuals who stay in their rooms past checkout time will be billed one additional night's stay. All guestrooms are non-smoking rooms.

Please see the schedule of events for the specific locations of each scheduled event.



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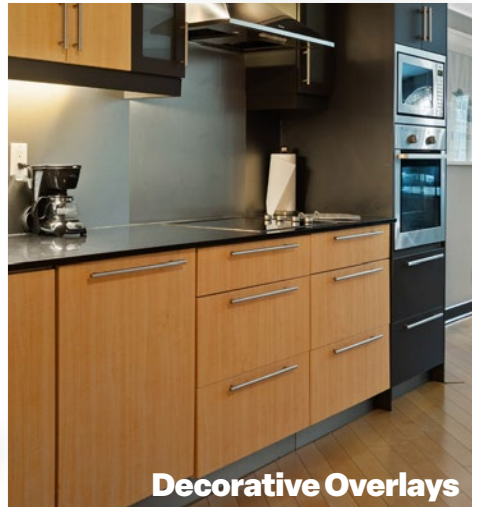
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 2023

8:00 AM

Golf at Cove Cay Golf Club*

Tee time is 7:54 AM at 2612 Cove Cay Drive

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Sport Fishing in the Gulf of Mexico*

Meet in hotel lobby at 7:45 AM

2:00 PM

Products Showcase Setup Starts

Dunes Ballroom III

2:30 PM – 6:00 PM

Registration Open

Dunes Ballroom I-II

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

Hardwood Forestry Fund Board Meeting

Dunes Ballroom I-II

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Welcome Reception for 102nd Annual Meeting

North Lawn

Enjoy dinner on your own!

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Thursday, May 25th at 11:15-11:45

Presentation by Todd Kurle, General Manager
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THURSDAY, MAY 25, 2023

7:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Products Showcase Breakfast Dunes Ballroom III
7:30 AM – 4:30 PM	Registration Desk Open Dunes Ballroom I-II
8:30 AM – 9:30 AM	Technical Committee Meeting Dunes Ballroom I-II
9:30 AM – 10:30 AM	Veneer Division Meeting Dunes Ballroom I-II
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Break Dunes Ballroom III
10:45 AM – 11:15 AM	Homebuilding & Renovating Economic Outlook Fan-Yu Kuo, National Association of Home Builders Dunes Ballroom I-II
11:15 AM – 11:45 AM	Technology for Decorative Wood Products, Including Imaging & Material Handling Todd Kurle, Raute Metriguard Technologies Dunes Ballroom I-II
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	LUNCHEON: DHA Annual Business Meeting, Awards & Recognition, State of the Association, Election of the 2023–2024 Board & Officers Dunes Ballroom III
1:30 PM – 2:00 PM	International Trade in Decorative Hardwood Products Tim Brightbill, Wiley Rein LLP Dunes Ballroom I-II
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Hardwood Plywood Division Meeting Dunes Ballroom I-II
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	DHA Board Meeting (Board Members Only) Dunes Ballroom I-II
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Coalition for Fair Trade of Hardwood Plywood Meeting (Coalition Members Only) Dunes Ballroom I-II
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM	Networking Reception Pelican Room

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FRIDAY, MAY 26, 2023

7:00 AM – 8:30 AM

Products Showcase Breakfast

Dunes Ballroom III

7:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Registration Desk Open

Dunes Ballroom I-II

8:30 AM – 9:15 AM

Marketing Committee Meeting

Dunes Ballroom I-II

9:15 AM – 9:45 AM

Russian Conflict Timber Identification Testing & Enforcement

Jade Saunders, World Forest ID

Dunes Ballroom I-II

9:45 AM – 10:00 AM

Break

Dunes Ballroom III

10:00 AM – 10:45 AM

Supplier Presentations

Dunes Ballroom I-II

10:45 AM – 11:45 AM

Engineered Wood Flooring Division Meeting

Dunes Ballroom I-II

11:45 AM – 12:00 PM

Hardwood Forestry Fund Update

John Varner, Hardwood Forestry Fund

Dunes Ballroom I-II

12:00 PM – 12:10 PM

Pick Up Boxed Lunches

Dunes Ballroom III

Enjoy the weekend!





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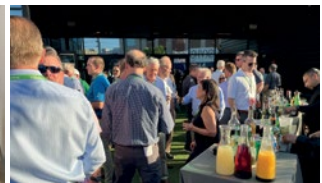
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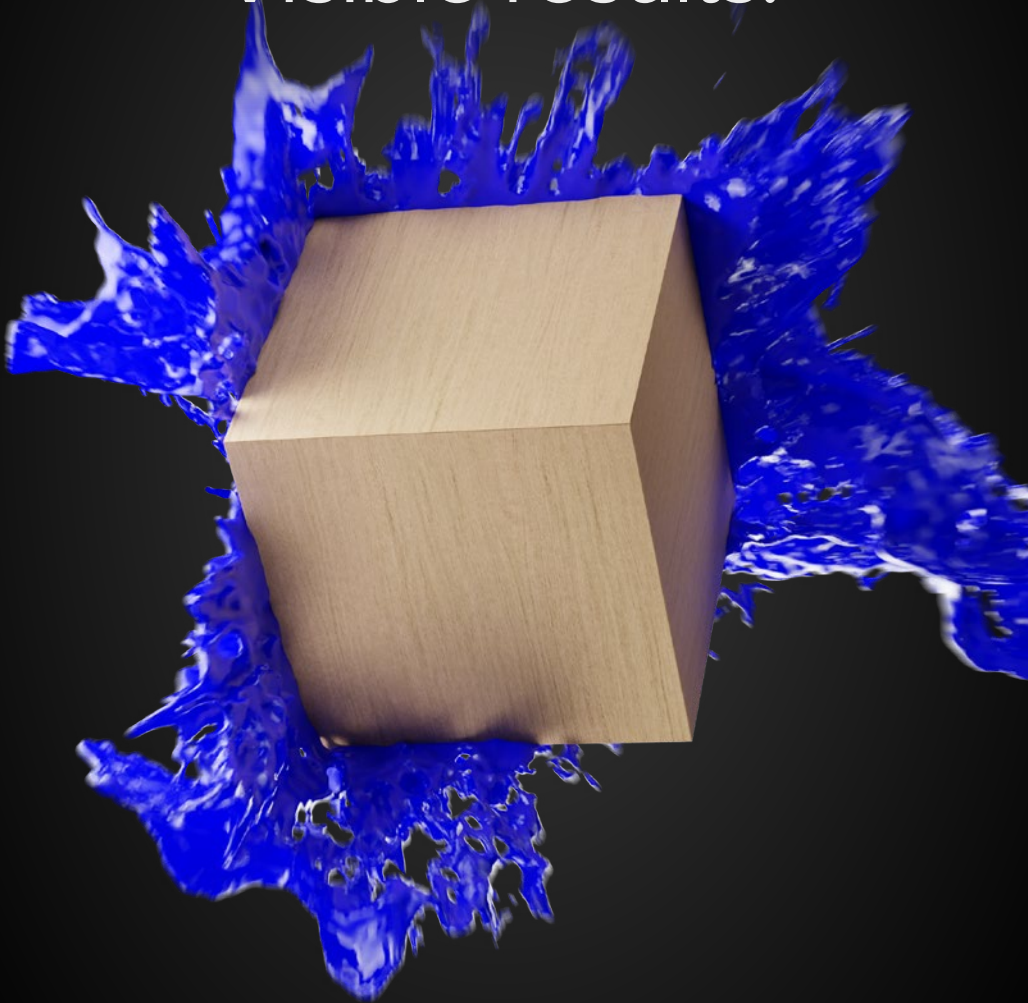
Meet one-on-one with conference exhibitors to discuss new technologies, products, and services that can help you improve your company's operations.

Exhibitors may set up for the Products Showcase on Wednesday, May 24, at 2:00 PM in Dunes Ballroom III.



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General Flooring Methods (applicable to most flooring)

Attribute	Test Standard
Castor Chair	EN 425
Abrasion Resistance (Taber)	EN 13329 Annex E and others
Static Coefficient of Friction (James Machine)	ASTM D2047
Fire - Critical Radiant Flux	ASTM E648
Gapping, Width Flatness, Length	ISO 24337
Gloss	ASTM D523
Light Stability (Xenon Arc)	ASTM F1515 and others
Locking Strength	ISO 24334
Micro-Scratch (Martindale)	EN 16094



Engineered Wood Flooring Methods

Attribute	Test Standard
Chemical Resistance	NALFA LF-01 Sec. 3.4 and others
Delamination - Bond Line Test	ANSI/HPVA EF 2020 Sec. 4.2
Squareness, Length Flatness, Thickness, Overwood, Width, Coverage Area	ANSI/HPVA EF 2020 Table 2
Environmental Evaluation (Humid and Arid)	Custom
Finish Adhesion (Crosshatch)	ASTM D3359
Formaldehyde Emissions	ASTM D6007
Hardness	ASTM D1037 Sec. 17
Impact Resistance (Ball Drop)	ASTM D2394 Sec. 18-22
Moisture Content	ASTM D4442; Method B



Resilient Flooring Methods

Attribute	Test Standard
90-Degree Peel Resistance of Adhesives	ASTM D6862
Chemical Resistance	ASTM F925
Dimensional Stability with Heat	ISO 23999
Heat Stability	ASTM F1514
Ledging, Length Flatness, Squareness, Width	ISO 24337
Thickness	ASTM F386 and F387
Thickness Swell	ASTM F3261 Sec. 8.8
Wear Layer Thickness	ASTM F410
Short-Term Indentation	ASTM F1914
Static Load	ASTM F970



Subcontracted Testing (performed at another laboratory)

Attribute	Test Standard
Sound Through Floor/Ceiling IIC	ASTM E492
Sound Through Partitions	ASTM E90
VOC Emissions	CDPH Standard Method V1.2

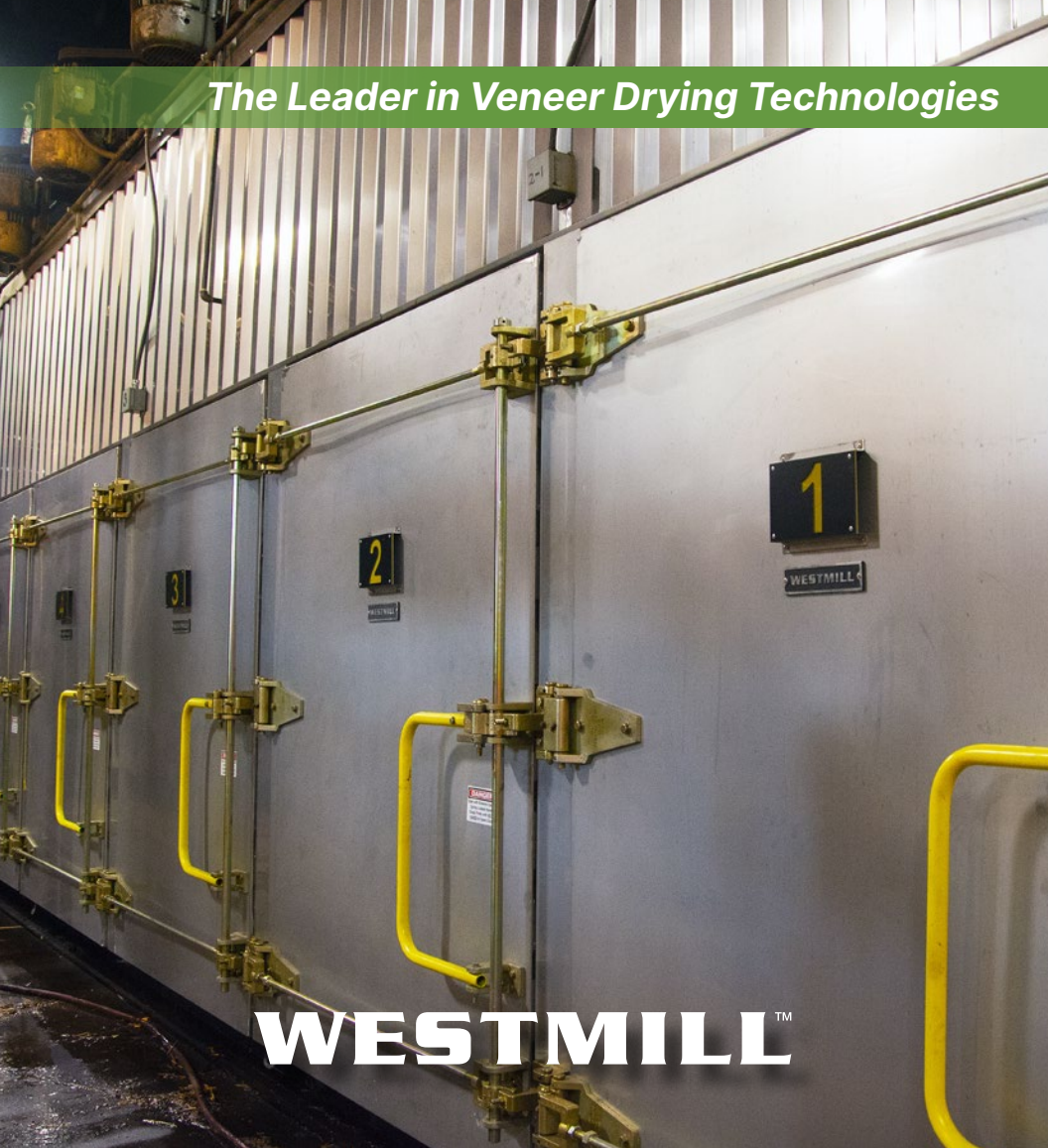
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