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2025 Future of Manufacturing Summit

Presented by the Ohio Chamber of Commerce and Wooster Area Chamber of Commerce

Thursday, April 17, 2025

Shisler Conference Center Ballroom

Ohio State University College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences

1680 Madison Avenue

Wooster, OH 44691

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Check-in and Breakfast
9:30 AM – 9:40 AM	Conference Welcome
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Bridging the Gap: Building Tomorrow's Manufacturing Workforce Today
10:45 AM – 11:00 AM	Coffee break
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Leveraging Smart Automation in Manufacturing
12:00 PM – 12:15 PM	Lunch
12:15 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch Keynote <i>Marc McGrath, Regional CEO Americas, Schaeffler Group USA Inc.</i>
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Policy Meets Industry: Advancing Manufacturing in Ohio's Heartland
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Nearshoring & Diversification: Rethinking Global Supply Chains