

Lecture Series Summer semester 2022

Research Institute
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Monday, May 16, 2022, 5.30 pm.
The lecture will be held in hybrid mode.



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FROM JUST-IN-TIME TO JUST-IN-CASE - ARE SUPPLY CHAIN DISRUPTIONS BECOMING THE NEW NORMAL?

Companies are facing persistently volatile commodity prices, port closures due to covid and skyrocketing energy costs. While in the past people were used to just-in-time deliveries with low stock levels and smooth global supply, today almost all industries are struggling to get their materials or containers at all.

This presentation gives an overview of the current challenges for supply chain managers and presents a catalogue of measures for companies to counteract them. Increasing resilience through mature risk management, completely new sourcing strategies, and redesigning the supply chain network are examples that are key to success. Using digitalization as a visibility driver is also a necessary enabler.

Best practices as well as international case studies will be presented in this lecture. As a result, an outlook on the tasks of the supply chain managers of the future will be given.

Gregor Gluttig studied industrial engineering and today gives talks on supply chain digitization and lectures at universities on Supply Chain Resilience. Having previously worked as a Logistics Coordinator at REWE, Assistant to the Executive Board at Railcargo and Director of the in-house consulting firm of Gebrüder Weiss in Vienna, he has extensive supply chain experience. At Barkawi Consulting he managed SCM projects ranging from network optimisation and supply chain transformation through to the implementation of control tower solutions.

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