



Tuesday 17 November 2020 - Salon des Ambassadeurs Level 4, Palais des Festivals, Cannes



European Factory Outlet Centres Observatory

# 14.00 WELCOME COFFEE

### 14.30 COLLABORATIVE RETAIL: ARE YOU READY TO CHANGE THE RULES?

Keynote address

- New consumer habits & behaviors
- Why is collaboration crucial for outlet players to sustain the industry?
- How must brands & retailers rethink their collaborative models to succeed?
- The rising importance of sustainibility for the commercial real estate industry
- Turning outlet destinations into lifestyle destinations to survive into the future

14.50

## POST-CRISIS: BUILDING THE NEXT OUTLET RETAIL GENERATION

### Panel session

- Reducing operational costs to secure your business & maximise your ROI
  - Is the outlet the best place to sell your stock?
  - The impact of logistics on outlet retailing & distribution
  - Restructuring your retail chains: outlets, the not-to-be-missed format
  - Sustainability, local focus, authenticity, massmarket: what is the best mix to meet customers needs?

#### 15.20 TOPIC-BASED TABLES - ROUND 1

- Art & culture, live entertainment, pop-up... how to turn outlets into lifestyle places
- E-commerce platforms for outlet centres to optimize the multichannel customer journey
- Traffic analytics & customer behavior : managing data to drive performance
- How to use cms & loyalty programmes to leverage customer engagement
- Investment: what makes outlets attractive?
- Hospitality & tourism as a new booster to increase trafic and revenues
- Rethinking design & architecture to create emotions & inspirational places
- The optimum time to refurbish outlet centres
- Why will most shoppers still choose physical outlet stores over e-commerce?
- Payment, click & collect, delivery and new customer services
- How to manage data to monitor the rapidly-changing customer demands
- Conversational marketing, chatbots, AI, social media... :
- the basics to maintaining links with your customers & interacting with them
- Pop-up formats as a means of clearing out your excess inventory

# 15.50 TOPIC-BASED TABLES – ROUND 2

16.20 CLOSING REMARKS: PROSPECTS & STRATEGIES FOR THE FUTURE OF OUTLETS CEOs panel session

# 17.00 OUTLET HAPPY HOURS