POMS Humanitarian Operations and Crisis Management Mini-Conference
May 8, 2014 at Atlanta Marriott Marquis, Atlanta, GA

10:00am onwards  Registration
11:00am – 11:15am  Welcome (by Jarrod Goentzel, President, HOCM College)
11:15am – 12:00noon  Trevor Riggen, Vice President, Disaster Operations and Logistics, American Red Cross
12:00noon – 12:30pm  Asoo Vakharia, POMS President-Elect for 2014-2015
   Topic: How to Improve HOCM Research
12:30pm – 1:30pm  Lunch
1:30pm – 2:15pm  Marly Maskill, Industrial Engineer, Houston Food Bank
   Topic: Warehousing, Inventory, and Needs Assessment
2:15pm – 3:00pm  Samuel C. Stephens, Executive Director, Global Soap Project
   Topic: The Logistics of Improving Global Health Through Soap Recycling
3:00pm – 3:30pm  Coffee Break
3:30pm – 4:15pm  Margaret Linnane, Executive Director, Philanthropy and Non-Profit Leadership Center, Rollins College
   Topic: Not-for-Profit Organizations: Operational Challenges
4:15pm – 5:00pm  David Gazashvili, Emergency Team Leader, CARE Philippines
5:00pm – 6:00pm  Conclusions/Mixer