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**PROGRAM  
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*THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE ASSOCIATION OF GREATER CHICAGO*

Invites you to our 19th annual luncheon program:

## ***GLOBAL TRADE OUTLOOK 2019***

Presentation by:

**John G. Murphy**

**Senior Vice President for International Policy**

**U.S. Chamber of Commerce**



The global economy is forecast to slow down in 2019 amid tremendous uncertainty over such thorny issues as: the U.S.-China tariff war; the future of the USMCA; Brexit; trade relations with the U.K. and the E.U.; and more. John Murphy will share his decades of international policy insight and perspective on these issues.

Murphy directs the U.S. Chamber's advocacy relating to international trade and investment policy. Since joining the Chamber in 1999, he has led its successful campaigns to win congressional passage of trade agreements with a dozen nations, including Colombia, Panama, and South Korea in 2011, as well as Trade Promotion Authority in 2015. He also plays a key role in the Chamber's advocacy for international business priorities before Congress, the administration, foreign governments, and the World Trade Organization.

From 2001 to 2008, Murphy served as the Chamber's Vice President for Western Hemisphere Affairs and as Executive Vice President of the Association of American Chambers of Commerce in Latin America (AACCLA). In 2008, he received AACCLA's Eagle of the Americas award, which is given annually to the individual who has "done the most to advance our mission of increased trade and investment between the United States and Latin America."

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce is the world's largest business federation representing the interests of more than 3 million businesses of all sizes, sectors, and regions, as well as state and local chambers and industry associations.

**Wednesday, January 16, 2019**

**CARLUCCI ROSEMONT**

6111 North River Road, Rosemont, IL

11:45 a.m. – Registration

12:00 p.m. – Luncheon Program

2:00 p.m. – Adjourn

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