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Since 2010, PCN has provided heavy lift and project cargo specialists access to a global network of agents who can handle their shipments, whilst working under strict Membership Rules. Our friendly and professional ISO 9001 & ISO 14001 organisation comprises of 340+ companies in 120+ countries. See our video library for more details.

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Welcome to our monthly eMagazine, an official PCN publication which includes articles on Member's projects, the latest companies to join, reminders of membership tools and official updates.



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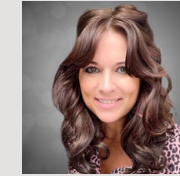
We are delighted by our continued strong growth - scan this QR code to see our impressive association which has a global reach of over 120 countries. However, we are more impressed with the amount of business and projects that our members collaborate on. It is why we exist! We can't wait to see our friendly and professional global family at our 12th Annual Summit from 12-14 November in Thailand - see page 11.

Enjoy this issue.

Rachel Crawford FCILT
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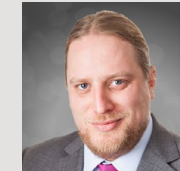
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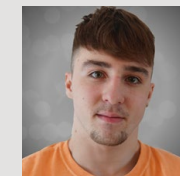
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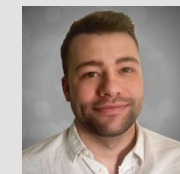
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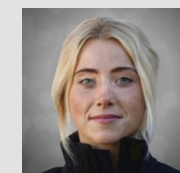
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CUCHI SHIPPING CONTINUE PROJECTS FROM EUROPE TO VIETNAM

Cuchi Shipping, our members from Vietnam, have handled a smaller project shipment from Germany to Saigon, strengthening working relationships with their partners in the region.

The cargo involved in this movement consisted of three packages and the main machine, a HAAS Tyron 2000-E shredder.

The main machine featured a weight of 24 tons with the three packages totalling 34 tons.

Cuchi Shipping completed this movement professionally and without issue.



GLOBAL LOGISTICS PROJECTS OPERATE BETWEEN TRADITION & INNOVATION

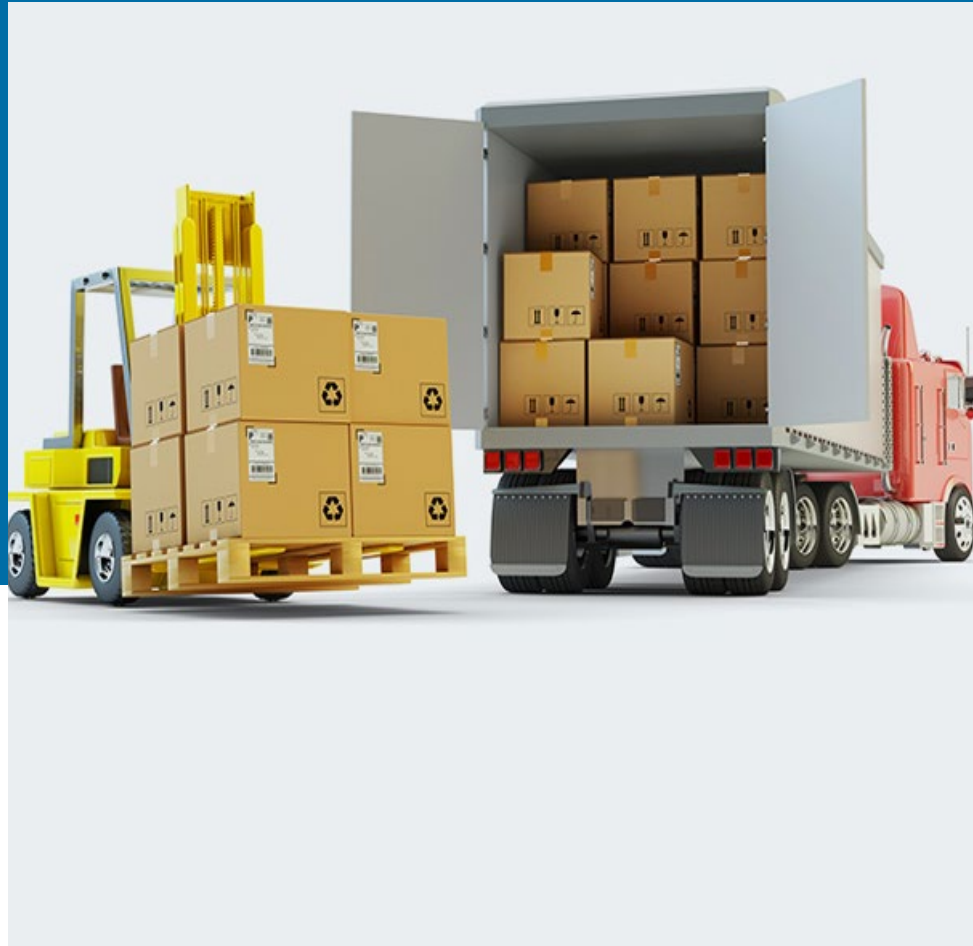
We are pleased to approve Global Logistics Projects as new members in Switzerland. The company are experts in project logistics and always think outside the box to provide innovative solutions with experience and honesty.

CEO and Owner, Patrik Eckert says; "Global Logistics Projects is the company for complex transport solutions. As pioneers in worldwide project logistics, we operate with passion between tradition and innovation. Short decision-making paths, flat hierarchies, a personal service, tailor-made transport solutions and absolute reliability allow us to act flexibly and promptly.

Our customers are internationally active companies, mainly from plant & mechanical engineering, the oil & gas industry and the energy sector, who all appreciate our experience and expertise in international project logistics. Where others give up, we are just beginning!"



FREIGHT IN TIME LAUNCH GROUPAGE CONSOLIDATION SERVICE



Freight in Time are delighted to announce the launch of their new Groupage Consolidation service, now available specifically for sea-freight cargo. Consolidation shortens the transit period and enhances cargo security, allowing you to deliver your goods more quickly and confidently.

"With more than 2400 direct trade lines in our network, we are the top cargo consolidator in East Africa."

The company ease transshipment time and cost by leveraging their global network, resulting in fewer cargo-handling processes for greater efficiency. End-to-end transportation is executed within the highest of safety levels by Freight in Time's inland trucking services and warehouse capabilities.

They negotiate favourable freight prices with shipping lines, and their extensive LCL network guarantees that the cargo can be accessed from various locations worldwide.

The benefits of this solution also include a connection to Freight in Time's cutting-edge technology, qualified personnel, local knowledge, and value-added services.

"You will profit from the outstanding service provided by our seasoned professionals and our partnerships with reputable carriers."

POLARIS SHIPPING HANDLE 15,000 FREIGHT TONS OF PIPES IN JANUARY

The projects division of Polaris Shipping, our members in the United Arab Emirates, opened 2023 with a productive January with thanks to their overseas associates & partners.

In total, Polaris transported 15,000 freight tons of carbon steel seamless pipes at Jebel Ali for multiple close clients.

Polaris' projects department handled such services as receiving the cargo from the vessel under hook, arranging to shift the pipes to their nominated handling yard for dismantling, as well as further delivery to the consignee's center for treatment.

The after treatment for the carbon steel pipes required them to be shipped to the Far East and other CIS destinations, which will also be handled by Polaris on completion of the lining process by relevant contractors.

A full scope of services covered during these shipments can be viewed below:

1. Receiving of bundled pipes from vessel under hook
2. Shifting to the dedicated storage area
3. Sorting/segregations, delivery to nominated yard
4. All import and export procedures + ocean freight as breakbulk/containers
5. Condition survey/reporting throughout as required by the clients

"We applaud our special pipe handling team who executed the dismantling process with zero damages to cargo."



POLARIS SHIPPING COMPLETE PROJECTS IN JORDAN & UZBEKISTAN

Polaris Shipping Agencies, our members from the United Arab Emirates, are pleased to report on more successful deliveries that they recently completed.

One project involved moving construction equipment from Abu Dhabi to Amman, Jordan for their close clients with the Al Qatrana IPP 2 Combined Cycle Power Project. Eighteen 40' special trailers and ten low beds were used to this end, with all shipments moved on temporary export so that they are returned on completion of the project.

"This project was smoothly handled to the satisfaction of all involved."

Secondly, Polaris completed multiple critical shipments for the Under-20 Asia Cup which is to be held in Tashkent, Uzbekistan.

"Polaris with its network of border agents at all exit/transit points are able to arrange seamless road freight to/from all GCC destinations irrespective of the type and size of cargo."



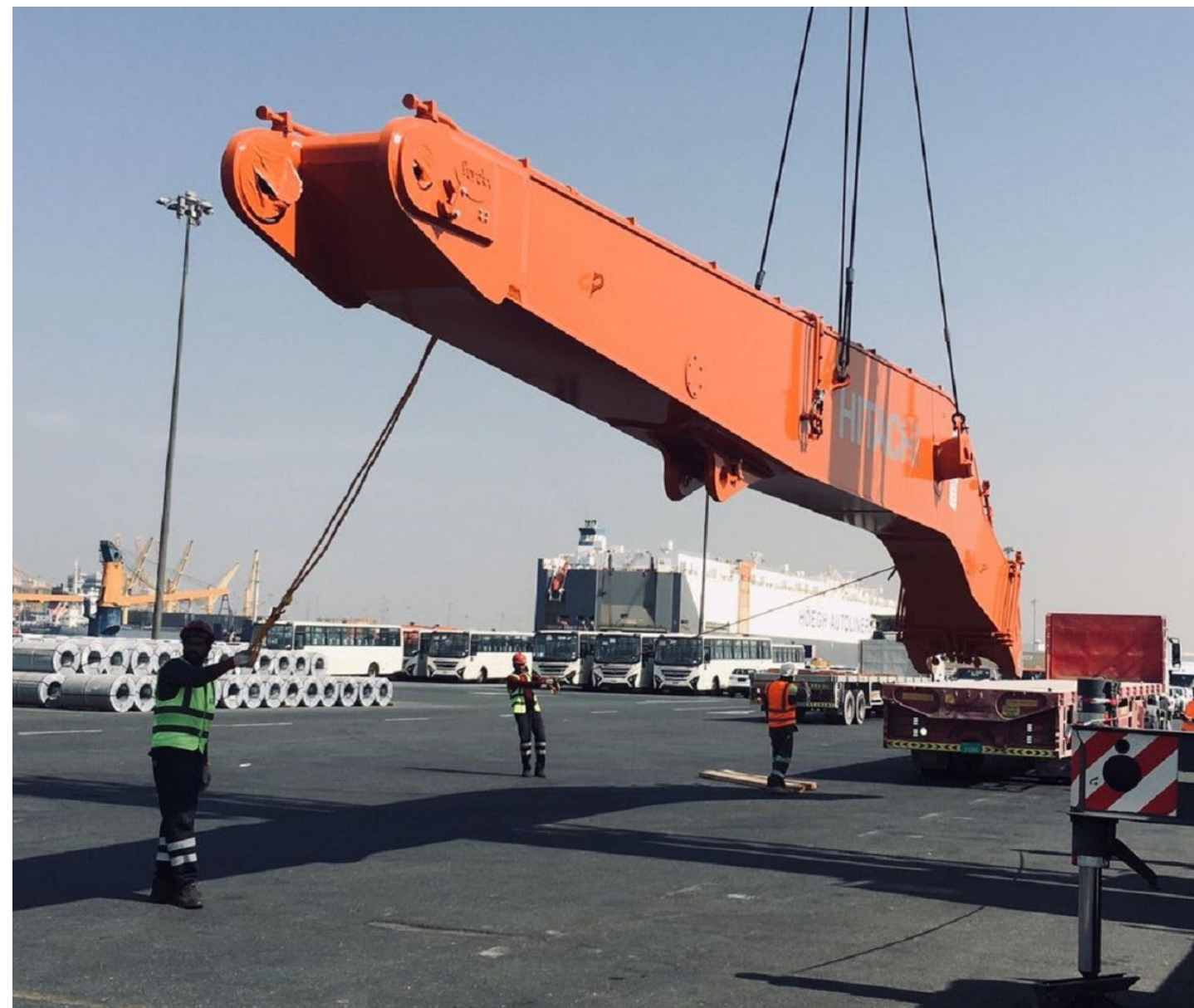
RELIABLE PROJECT FORWARDING SOLUTIONS WITH SEVEN SEAS

We are pleased to welcome Seven Seas Logistics Services as new members in Jordan. They are specialised in tailor-made project cargo and breakbulk services, offering reliable and professional solutions. The company is over 20 years old with offices in Amman & Aqaba and hold ISO, Jordan Shipping Association and FIATA certification.

"Seven Seas Logistics Services was established at the turn of the 21st century. Our management team is an energetic and highly experienced group with years of extensive transport and logistics knowledge.

We offer completely customised and integrated solutions to meet the special requirements of project forwarding. Our wide range of services in this area start at project planning & route selection and include packaging, haulage, cranes, overseas handling, storage and delivery. Whether it is cargo with abnormal size, shape or weight, non-containerised freight, vessel charters or any cargo that requires special expertise and equipment, Seven Seas guarantee ultimate solutions. We have developed a wide experience in the field through serving a huge number of customers in various industries."

Some of Seven Seas previously handled projects can be viewed on their website.



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CUCHI SHIPPING BEGIN PROJECT FROM THE USA TO VIETNAM

Cuchi Shipping, our members from Vietnam, are pleased to share part of a project they recently completed. The shipment for this part of the project was delivered to their client's factory in Vungtau from the United States of America.

The cargo was an inbound crate measuring 195" (L) x 193" (W) x 122" (H) with a weight of 67 tons.

Cuchi Shipping Co Ltd was established in the 1990's with their Head Office located in Hochiminh City and Branch offices in Hanoi City, Haiphong City, Danang City and Vungtau City.

FOUNDER IN TAIWAN JOIN PCN WITH A PROFESSIONAL, INNOVATIVE & WELL-EXPERIENCED TEAM

We are pleased to report Founder Air & Sea Cargo are new members in Taiwan. The company was established in 1968 and they offer a full range of project cargo services for various industries. Melody Lin (Business Development) says they are looking forward to working with the professional PCN partners for project cargo.

Melody continues; "Founder Air & Sea Cargo is a vigorous, experienced and mature player in the market with over 55 years of development and growth. Our continuing strength is rooted in our highly professional, innovative and well-experienced team, capable of undertaking all kinds of tasks and challenges as well as seizing new opportunities.

"Our reliable solutions to difficult projects show our ability to respond to the demands of the market with effective, convenient and first-rate services."

Three recent projects handled by the Founder team are photographed in the gallery here.

- Yacht from Taipei to Los Angeles, USA.
- Heavy machinery from Kaohsiung to Toronto, Canada.
- Heavy machinery from Kaohsiung to Hai Phong, Vietnam.



BLUE BELL SHIPPING HANDLE 1ST SHIPMENT FOR PROJECT IN NORTH IRAQ

The project team at Blue Bell Shipping have just completed their first shipment for a new, on-going project in North Iraq.

This shipment featured the delivery of sixty-two fibre spar spools shipped across thirty-one, 40-foot flat racks. Each spool was measured at 5.65m (L) x 5.65m (W) x 2.50m (H) and weighed 14 MT.

Blue Bell's scope of work included full door-to-door service. The cargo was collected from Saudi Arabia and shipped to Mersin, Turkiye as ocean freight before being trucked from Turkiye to the remote site in North Iraq. Unfortunately, the shipment arrived at Mersin during the disastrous earthquake which shook the region, which resulted in many challenges including both port and road closures as well as having to relocate the cargo on short notice to reduce the risk of damage and detention.

"Fortunately, our team was able to overcome these hurdles and deliver the cargo to its destination successfully and on-time."

This is the first shipment of many for this new project where Blue Bell Shipping hopes to continue delivering cargo, overcoming challenges and building a reputation for excellent service.



AD-HOC SOLUTIONS FOR MULTIMODAL PROJECTS AT B-FLEXEE

We are pleased to announce B-FLEXEE are new PCN members in France. They provide competitive project transport, OOG and breakbulk services and are professionals in time-critical deliveries.



Alexandre Syssau (Project Coordinator) says the company are proud to be a part of PCN and are keen to clinch strong partnerships with the dependable partners of the network.

Alexandre continues; "Our dedicated, experienced and specialised team offer ad-hoc solutions to meet multimodal project requirements with flexibility and speed. Whatever the project, we will have a solution for you!"

"Every project is different and that's why we offer reliable tailor-made services and detailed studies, specialising in urgent deliveries and emergency logistics."

B-FLEXEE recently handled a door-to-door project involving 4 cable drum engines, used by cable-laying vessels to lay submarine cables for

telecommunications. Each cable drum engine measures 686 x 485 x 463cm with a weight of 48,500kg per unit. See the gallery here for photos.



PROCAM LOGISTICS PARTNER WITH THE ARMY INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT

Last weekend on the 11th of March, the Army Institute of Management in Kolkata (AIMK) and Procama Logistics joined hands in collaboration, with the goal of setting up the 'Procama Centre of Excellence in Logistics & Supply Chain Management'.

This new 'Centre of Excellence' is being built to work on various research projects which will contribute towards developing scientific perspectives of supply chain practices.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Nilesh Sinha - Director at Procama Logistics - had this to say:

"We are delighted to partner with AIMK to establish our new centre on logistics and the supply chain, as it will undertake important research and development to help create innovative solutions that will aid our industry in addressing emerging challenges and opportunities. By working closely with industry experts, the Centre will help to bridge the gap between academic learning and industry needs, ensuring that students are better equipped to enter the workforce and contribute to the growth of the logistics and supply chain industry."

Major General V. S. Ranade, the Director at AIMK, and Mr Nilesh Sinha recently signed a Memorandum of Understanding towards this end.

The Army Institute boasts a very strong and experienced Business Analytics team, who will work together with Procama Logistics towards developing a road index and other such research activities.



OLA GROUPS LOGISTICS HANDLE BREAKBULK SERVICE TO SOUTHEAST ASIA

OLA Groups Logistics are glad to share a recent breakbulk shipment they handled involving two Yankee Dryer units from Shanghai to Singapore & Surabaya. The size of these dryers measured at 9.5 (L) x 6.0 (W) x 6.0 (H) meters with a gross weight of 17,000 kg per unit.

OLA Groups Logistics' client informed them that they were operating under an urgent schedule and requested movement by a single vessel, though due to the weight of the cargo this proved an unlikely solution.

Thankfully, OLA knew of one heavy-lift vessel that had just departed from Qingdao, China. This vessel was travelling to the South-East, and so with the great effort from the carrier, the vessel was successfully called at Shanghai port to load OLA's weighty cargo.

One of these units is destined for Singapore, the other is headed towards Surabaya.



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Investment in transport construction in Africa set to reach US\$ 75bn by 2025 and Ethiopia certainly is among the top countries to gain massive share of the same.

We have been witnessing the reforms for the last half a decade and at the upcoming 8th Edition East Africa Transport and Infrastructure conference, we shall see a congregation of public and private sector experts who are part of the ongoing development from Ethiopia as well as other African countries and rest of the world.

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