

## Interdisciplinary Transportation Group(ITG) Presents\* Speaker Series for March- April 2016



**Mr. Rhett Willis, CEO, DJ Powers**  
**Title: Future of Global Freight Forwarding**

Rhett Willis has been with D.J Powers(headquartered in Savannah) for over 20 years. Under Rhett's leadership D. J. Powers has become one of the fastest growing logistics companies in Georgia, with a growth in annual sales of over 36% in just the last two years. Rhett's career spans thirty plus years in International business, starting as co-founder and President of his own international lumber company and ship chartering operations, later as International VP of a Fortune 500 textile and apparel company prior to joining D. J. Powers in 1995. Rhett studied botany at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC, and has a degree in International Studies and Economics from Washington College in Chestertown, Maryland. He was honored to serve on the GATT committee as a White House nominee, received the Exporter of the Year award from the state of Georgia, served as Chair of the South Georgia District Export Council for over 20 years, and remains an active member of the Propeller Club, Rotary Club and Georgia District Export Council.

**March 24 2016**  
**12:00 to 12:45 AM-**  
**Torian**  
**Auditorium(COBA)**  
**-Jordan Bldg.**



**Dr. Kevin Krizek, Professor and Director, Program in Environmental Design, University of Colorado Boulder**  
**Title: The END of traffic; the FUTURE of transport; the ROLE of cycling**

Dr. Kevin J. Krizek is Professor and Director of the Program in Environmental Design Program at the University of Colorado Boulder. He concurrently serves as the visiting professor of "Cycling in Changing Urban Regions" in the Nijmegen School of Management at Radboud University in the Netherlands. He was a 2013-14 fellow of the Leopold Leadership Program and was awarded a 2014 U.S.-Italy Fulbright Scholarship focusing on sustainable transport. Krizek chairs the scientific executive for Velo-city 2017, is appointed to the bicycle transportation committee of the Transportation Research Board of the National Academies, and is the Senior Transportation Fellow for the Environmental Center at CU. He co-heads the Active Communities / Transportation (ACT) Research Group—a network of students, researchers, and faculty analyzing the changing landscape of cities world-wide and the efficacy of sustainable transport solutions, including cycling.

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**All Students and Faculty from Savannah State University are Invited!**

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