Monday, July 21

7:30 AM - 8:00 AM
Continental Breakfast ..............Ballroom Foyer

8:00 AM - 8:05 AM
Opening Remarks ................Corcoran Salon A
Jack Kleinhenz*, NABE President;
National Retail Federation

8:05 AM - 9:05
Economic Statistics from the US Government
and Industry Sources .............Corcoran Salon A
Maurine Haver*, Haver Analytics

9:10 AM - 10:20 AM
Track A. Measuring
Employment ≈ CBE ..........Corcoran Salon A
Maurine Haver*, Haver Analytics, moderator
Ken Robertson, Bureau of Labor Statistics
Sandi Mason, Bureau of Labor Statistics

Track B. Federal Reserve: Regional
Economic Information, Analysis
& Beige Book .................Corcoran Salon B
Jack Kleinhenz*, NABE President,
National Retail Federation, Moderator
Bill Strauss*, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
Keith Phillips, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas
Laurel Graefe, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta

10:20 AM - 10:40 AM
Networking Break..............Ballroom Foyer

10:40 AM - 11:50 AM
Track A. GDP and the
National Accounts ≈ CBE ......Corcoran Salon A
George Kahn*, Federal Reserve Bank
of Kansas City, moderator
Stephanie McCulla, Bureau of Economic Analysis
Kathleen Navin, Macroeconomic Advisers

Track B. Regional
Economic Data .................Corcoran Salon B
Richard Wobbeck*+, University of Colorado,
moderator
Carol Robbins, Bureau of Economic Analysis
Jim Diffley*, IHS

11:50 AM - 12:50 PM
Luncheon................................Dumbarton
Dimensions of Business Economics
At A Global Company: Data, Analysis,
Communication, People, and Integrity
Ellen Hughes-Cromwick*, Chief Economist,
Ford Motor Company

12:55 PM - 2:05 PM
Track A. Measuring
Inflation ≈ CBE ..........Corcoran Salon A
Maurine Haver*, Haver Analytics, moderator
Mike Horrigan*+, Bureau of Labor Statistics
Michael Bryan, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta

Track B. Housing Prices ........Corcoran Salon B
Nayantara Hensel*, FHFA, moderator
Lawrence Yun, National Association of REALTORS®
Jed Kolko, Trulia

2:10 PM - 3:20 PM
Track A. International
Statistics ≈ CBE ..........Corcoran Salon A
Constance Hunter*, KPMG, moderator
Kyle Westmoreland, Bureau of Economic Analysis
Adolfo Laurenti*, Mesirow Financial
Tuesday, July 22
7:30 AM - 8:00 AM
Continental Breakfast ..........Ballroom Foyer

8:00 AM - 9:10 AM
Track A. Housing and
Construction........................Corcoran Salon A
Ken Simonson*, Associated General
Contractors of America, moderator
Linnet Holland, Census Bureau
David Crowe, National Association of Home Builders

Track B. Employment Indicators:
Initial Claims, JOLTS, Business
Employment Dynamics ..........Corcoran Salon B
Richard Wobbeckind*, University of Colorado, moderator
Tom Stengle, Department of Labor
Carol Leming, Bureau of Labor Statistics
Charlotte Oslund, Bureau of Labor Statistics

9:15 AM - 10:25 AM
Track A. Productivity CBE …Corcoran Salon A
Maurine Haver*, NABE President;
National Retail Federation, moderator
John Ruser, Bureau of Labor Statistics
Robert Shackleton, Congressional Budget Office

Track B. Retail Sales ..........Corcoran Salon B
Jack Kleinhenz*, NABE President,
National Retail Federation, moderator & presenter
Ian Thomas, Census Bureau
Frank Badillo, Kantar Retail

10:25 AM - 10:45 AM
Networking Break.................Ballroom Foyer

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10:45 AM - 11:55 AM  
Track A: Financial Accounts  
Corcoran Salon A  
William A. Strauss, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, moderator  
Elizabeth Holmquist, Federal Reserve Board  

Track B: Energy Statistics  
Corcoran Salon B  
Nayantara Hensel, FHFA, moderator  
Stephen Harvey, Energy Information Administration  
Martha Moore, American Chemistry Council

12:00 PM - 1:15 PM  
Luncheon Dumbarton  
The Importance of Microeconomic Data in Addressing Macroeconomic Challenges  
Karen Dynan, Assistant Secretary for Economic Policy, U.S. Treasury Department

1:15 PM - 2:00 PM  
Seasonal Adjustment Corcoran Salon B  
George A. Kahn*, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, moderator  
Ataman Ozyildirim, Economist and Director, Business Cycles and Growth Research, The Conference Board

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
Leading Indicators of Housing Activity Corcoran Salon B  
David Berson*, Senior Vice President and Chief Economist, Nationwide Insurance

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Chicago, IL

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Washington, DC

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Bureau of Labor Statistics  
Washington, DC

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Capital Hilton  
Washington, DC

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Washington, DC

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