

# Logistics

*Flow intelligence*



## Key figures

**440** companies

**7,500** jobs

**2** logistical zones

## Fields of excellence

- Storage, stock management
- Preparing orders
- Goods carriage
- All transport types (*refrigerated, parcels,...*)
- Packaging
- Development of logistics software

## Cutting edge technologies

- **RFID** (*Radio Frequency Identification*)
- Preparing **Voice Commands**
- Storage and retrieval machine (Saint-Alban)

## Zones of activity

- **Bonvert** (*Grand Roanne Agglomération*)
- **Les Plaines** (*Loire Forez*)

## BUSINESSES INVOLVED

- **Computing solutions**  
A-SIS (logiciel), Dematic
- **Transport and logistics companies**  
Bert 42 / BDF transport  
Darfeuille- Groupe Norbert Dentressangle  
Easydis  
Fayolle Lécué  
Liabeuf et Sapin  
Munster – Groupe Transalliance  
Transports Chazot / Globale Logistique  
Transports Lardon / Conteneurs Services
- **Key companies**  
Papeteries Pichon  
Les Eaux Minérales de Saint-Alban  
Thuasne



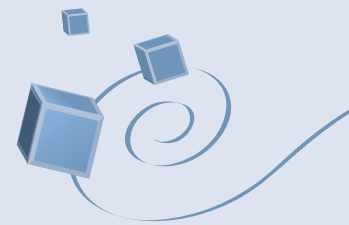
## Dominique VANSEVENANT

Director of logistics site at Dupont Powder Coatings France

*"We have the advantage of a good geographical location and the development of the A89 will enable the Loire to be a logistical centre on a national and even Europe-*

*wide scale, with north-south and east-west links. In addition, the region has at its disposal a full range of service providers with regard both to logistics and to*

*transport companies, but also a qualified and available workforce, which gives the department a very favourable position".*



## Customized training courses

- **École Supérieure de Commerce de Saint-Etienne (ESC) - (business school)**  
Masters degree in supply chain Management
- **Institute of competitiveness development through quality (IDECQ)**  
Bac + 3 Logistical coordinator / Supply Chain
- **All initial training courses** CAP (professional aptitude certificate), BEP (professional studies certificate), BAC
- **Ongoing logistics training** (AFT IFTIM, AFPA)

## Research

- **Technology laboratory**, The Easydis "Process and Logistics Organization" research center laboratory in Saint-Etienne is testing a completely new technical/logistics project in Saint-Etienne (voice recognition, mechanization, RFID (Radio Frequency Identification), vehicle tracking)

## Network

**LOGISTIQUE 42** is a logistics skills exchange network run by manufacturers, loaders and service providers in the Loire region, to develop the department's logistics know how. As a genuine centre for exchange, links and thinking geared towards logistics development, its purpose is also to identify the needs and potentials of the department through positive action.

As a founder member of the Alliance logistique (logistics alliance), **The Loire** is involved in developmental partnership actions with regard to logistics, such as organising the TEL, the logistical consistency outline for the R.U.L. (Lyons urban area), training, TICs (information and communication technologies)....

## Useful Links

- [www.fntr42.com](http://www.fntr42.com)
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## Pascal TARDY

President of Logistique 42

*"Our aim is to construct a network of companies, combining all the links of the logistics chain, so as to pool problems and any possible solutions. The network's short-term aim involves passing on logistical know-how, of which, currently, businesses involved are unaware. We also want to pass on the idea that logistics is a noble activity*

*requiring significant technical expertise and the occupations proposed do not boil down to becoming a forklift operator or packer. Logistique 42 needs therefore to be a driving force for perpetuating the logistics sector in the Loire".*

## MAJOR ACTIONS

- Monthly company meetings and visits, exchanges and debates
- Development of logistics and communication activities focusing on students and teachers
- Involvement in professional shows (SITL)
- Involvement in logistics studies and projects in the department and region (Rhône-Alps logistics cluster)
- Production of a study into the development of freight in the Loire
- Production of an information database via website: business intelligence, database of job offers and requests, promotion of network and of those involved