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## **GRAINGER TO PRESENT AT UPCOMING INVESTOR CONFERENCES**

CHICAGO, February 17, 2014 – Grainger (NYSE: GWW), the leading broad line supplier of maintenance, repair and operating products serving businesses and institutions, today announced its participation at investor conferences during the months of February and March 2014.

- February 20, 2014 at 9:45 a.m. EST, Ron Jadin, Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer, will present at the Barclays Industrial Select Conference in Miami, FL.
- March 4, 2014 at 8:40 a.m. EST, Court Carruthers, Senior Vice President and Group President, Americas, will present at the Raymond James 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Institutional Investors Conference in Orlando, FL.
- March 10, 2014 at 2:30 p.m. EDT, Paul Miller, Vice President, Global eCommerce, Customer Information and Innovation, will present at the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Credit Suisse Global Services Conference in Scottsdale, AZ.

Interested parties can access the live audio webcast of each presentation at Grainger's Investor Relations website, [www.grainger.com/investor](http://www.grainger.com/investor). Each of the events will be available for 30 days, and the presentation slides will be posted in the News and Events, Presentations and Webcasts section of Grainger's Investor Relations website.

### About Grainger

W.W. Grainger, Inc., with 2013 sales of \$9.4 billion, is North America's leading broad line supplier of [maintenance, repair and operating products](#), with operations in Asia, Europe and Latin America.

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