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HOT TOPICS



2010 APICS International Conference & Expo
October 18-20, 2010
Las Vegas, Nevada, USA
Wynn Las Vegas
Learn more or register today.



Gen Session Speaker: Life is good's® Bert Jacobs Join us on Tuesday, October 19 for a presentation by Bert Jacobs the co-founder and chief executive optimist of The Life is good Company.

EDUCATION SCHEDULE

DETAILED SCHEDULING AND PLANNING

We have wrapped up the DSP class and a big thank you to the students who joined us for this class:

Luci Lund	LANL
Robin Bachman	LANL
Rebecca Cordova	LANL
Joe Jaquez	Goodrich
Jim Kumley	Sennheiser
Sandra Pino	Sandia
Kellie Doyle	Heel
Stefan Merkel	Sennheiser
Greg Diaz	Sennheiser
Genie Livingston	Richmond Products

EXECUTION AND CONTROL OF OPERATIONS

RICHMOND PRODUCTS, INC.
4400 SILVER AVE SE

STARTING OCTOBER 12, 2010

8 WEEK COURSE – EVERY TUESDAY, 6-9 PM

Candidates focus on the areas of prioritizing and sequencing work, executing work plans and implementing controls, reporting activity results, and providing feedback on performance. The course explains techniques for scheduling and controlling production processes, the execution of quality initiatives and continuous improvement plans, and the control and handling of inventories.

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STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT OF RESOURCES

RICHMOND PRODUCTS, INC.
4400 SILVER AVE SE

STARTING IN JANUARY 2011

Explore the relationship of existing and emerging processes and technologies to manufacturing strategy and supply

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chain-related functions. The course addresses three main topics: aligning resources with the strategic plan, configuring and integrating operating processes to support the strategic plan, and implementing change.

ALSO STARTING IN JANUARY

BASICS OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

The basic concepts in managing the complete flow of materials in a supply chain from suppliers to customers are covered in the Basics module. Supply chain concepts are introduced and basic terminology emphasized, as are relationships among activities in the supply chain.

- Introduction to Supply Chain Management
- Demand Management and Forecasting Techniques
- Priority and capacity planning at the Master Planning, MRP and PAC levels
- Aggregate and Item Inventory Management
- Purchasing and Physical Distribution
- Lean/JIT, Quality Systems and Theory of Constraints

SEPTEMBER PDM



Keri Stewart, founder of Results 4 Business, Inc. will be presenting on the topic of Customer Service.

Date: September 29, 2010
Time: 6:00 PM
Location: Transcore
8600 Jefferson St
87113

RSVP: By September 27, 2010.
Debora Brener
Debora.Brener@transcore.com
505-856-8010

Cost: \$12 per person

About Keri

In July 2008, Keri Stewart Founded Results 4 Business, an Albuquerque based business fueling her passion for developing employees to reach their potential and organizations achieve their aspirations and vision. What can I help you explore and explode in your life – what do you want more of?

Keri's background includes employment with Coca-Cola, Dr Pepper of Albuquerque, Northwestern Mutual Financial Services, Prudential Overall Supply, Norrell Temporary Services and DeLaPorte and Associates.

A partial client list includes Sandia National Laboratories, USDA Forest Service, Lockheed Martin, Amerind, Steamatic, Lucky Friday Silver Mine, Syracuse China, a division of Libbey Glass, Brandy Engineering, Meyners + Company, Hewlett-Packard and Albuquerque Marriott Pyramid North.

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Membership

The APICS community is composed of more than 33,000 individuals from 15,000 companies worldwide-across nearly all industries. With more than 50 years in service, APICS brings together professionals from around the globe who are committed to building excellence in operations management.

Join APICS today to profit from our vast educational offerings as well as the knowledge and experiences of thousands of other operations management professionals worldwide. Watch your e-mail for the latest membership benefits news and information in the member newsletter, *APICS Connection*.

Membership Categories

Professional

Professionals may access a wealth of education through online resources, local training and networking, award-winning publications, and product and service discounts. Membership remains active if the member changes jobs. Annual dues are \$200

Student

By joining the ranks of more than 2,500 APICS student members you will meet and network with experienced professionals, build leadership and training skills, and engage in competitions and programs that help promote education and encourage interest in the profession of operations management. Annual dues are \$25

Group-Site Membership

APICS offers group-site membership to companies and their employees. A group-site membership enables five employees from the same company location to have full membership privileges, including full online access, member publications, and discounts on APICS products and services. Employees from the member company may also order products at the discounted membership rate using a designated company billing number.

How Group-Site Membership Works

The Components of group-site membership are:

Company Voting (CV) employees (APICS members): CVs receive all society and chapter mailings and have full membership privileges.

Company Associate (CA) employees (non-APICS members): Through the group-site membership, nonmember employees may order materials at the discounted rate. These employees do not receive mailings, membership privileges, or access to members-only content on the APICS Web site.

APICS CPIM Re-certification Exams

For those of you who may have let your CPIM certification expire and hate the idea of starting all over again to become re-certified, APICS feels your pain. Until December 31 2011 APICS will be offering a re-certification exam to all who qualify.

To be eligible you must have obtained your CPIM certification prior to the year 2000 and successfully go through the eligibility process (verifying your expired certification). Once approved you will be notified and able to register for the re-certification exam online with Pearson VUE.

The cost is \$150 application fee and \$425 for APICS members (\$575 nonmembers). The single three hour exam will consist of 120 multiple-choice questions with 30 questions each from; Detailed Scheduling and Planning, Master Planning of Resources, Execution and Control of Operations and Strategic Management of Resources.

To learn more information you can visit:

<http://www.apics.org/certification/RecertificationExam.htm>

Too daunting a challenge to handle on your own? Your Albuquerque Chapter may be able to help with re-certification refresher training. Contact us and let us help you get back on the road to success.