



Shoreline Chapter



Newsletter: 2016 – 2017 Season

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APICS Fun



What's the difference between big foot and an accurate forecast?

Big foot has been sighted.

Message for the Board

Greetings Supply Chain Professionals,

Welcome to another great year of educational opportunities with APICS Shoreline Chapter! This year will be no different, in it begins with new and old challenges as we will prepare to meet the needs of our membership and our community.

As the newly elected President of the Shoreline Chapter of APICS, I am honored to be trusted with this responsibility and will do my best to meet the high standards set by our Chapter's former leaders. Special thanks to Dan Otte, whom served as Chapter President the past three years and did a tremendous job.

In our last newsletter, we stated we have a new face on our board of directors. I would like to welcome our newest board member – Jody Leischner, who will be serving as our Treasurer. We are excited to have her join our board and bring her wealth of industry experience to the board. We have a great blend of experienced board members and I am confident these professionals will provide industry insight, guidance, and recommendations as they work to further the advancement of the supply chain and operations management within our community.

In addition, I would like to also recognize our newest members – Jordan Carini, David Quistorf, Tim Klapperich, Debi Gartmann, Dave Wollner, and Kimberly Eibs.

If you are not yet a member, I encourage you to join! APICS brings new dimension to your career through its many educational programs, including its industry-essential certifications. When you join APICS, you become a member of an elite organization recognized throughout the world as the authority in supply chain and operations management. Not interested in earning your certification or not a member of APICS, no problem! You can still attend one of our remaining six Professional Development meetings for just \$30.00, to gain insight from industry experts and networking opportunities to expand your career. Additionally, I invite you to explore what Shoreline Chapter has to offer through our website <http://www.shorelineapics.org>.

This year, I encourage you to speak up! The Board of Directors is a volunteer board and we need to know what you think about your membership. What is missing? What would you like to see offered? What could we do better?

Thank you so much for your continued membership to the chapter and to APICS as an organization. Your participation means the world to us and we need your feedback. I look forward to hearing from you this month! Hope to see you at the October PDM!

Thank YOU for Your Continued Support!

Rhonda Shermeister, CPIM
Shoreline Chapter President

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Current PDM Information

October PDM

The Bull at Pinehurst

1 Long Drive, Sheboygan Falls, WI

Date: Wednesday, October 19th 2016

Speaker: Marc Durant, Director of Purchasing, Vollrath Company

Topic: Risk Management



Marc Durant is currently the Director of Purchasing at the Vollrath Company in Sheboygan and is responsible for setting the strategic direction and policies for global procurement. Having immigrated to the US from Canada after obtaining a bachelors' degree from Trent University, Marc's career in Supply Chain has spanned 22 years working with small to large Wisconsin companies and in a variety of roles.

In 2007 he spent a year as a working member of a SCOR project that was directed by one of the authors and current executive director of the APICS Supply Chain Council, Peter Bolstorff.

Marc lives in Sheboygan Falls with his wife Susan and daughters Claire and Sophie.

About the Presentation:

Vollrath is in the midst of a transformation from a mid-sized, regional manufacturer to a global leader in the foodservice equipment industry. With nine acquisitions on three continents in the last twelve years, supply chain complexity has increased exponentially leaving the company exposed to risk associated with loss of supply. Without the internal structure to adequately monitor supply risk, the lessons learned have been painful and at times, threatened Vollrath's position in some markets. Over the last couple years, a major focus for Supply Chain has been to implement a robust, and manageable, supply risk management program across the company.

Risk is a term that is fraught with ambiguity and prevalent in most aspects of any supply relationship. While commercial failure is what is most commonly associated with supply risk, it is not the only source of loss of supply. Acts of nature, economic and political pressures, changes to industry regulations, supply market consolidation, forward integration and government instability are all sources of supply risk that need to be considered (their last acquisition yielded a supply chain that included sources in Pakistan, Turkey and Russia).

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The approach to managing supply risk has been threefold:

- 1) Simplify, identify and segment– work to consolidate to a smaller supply base and identify which suppliers would potentially be the most damaging to lose.
- 2) Monitor, communicate and visit – implementation of a system that monitors commercial, economic and political risk. Establish stronger ties between those interacting with the suppliers and those that are monitoring – triangulate with delivery, lead-time and fulfillment% information. Red flags may require an on-site visit and/or audit.
- 3) Contracts – For suppliers of critical products, establishing agreements requiring notification of supply changes, maintaining strategic inventories, management and reporting of agency approvals (i.e. UL), supply exclusivity, etc. Also inclusion of bailment agreements for company owned assets.

Time

Networking:	5:00 PM to 6:00 PM
Dinner:	6:00 PM to 6:45 PM
Chapter Business:	6:45 PM to 7:00 PM
Speaker:	7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Cost

Member: \$25.00
Guest: \$30.00
Student: \$15.00

Interested in attending this event?
To register contact Rhonda Shermeister at
rshermeister@wigwam.com
Please register by 10/14/2016!

Shoreline APICS PDM Schedule

2015-2016 PDM Schedule

DATE		LOCATION	SPEAKER
Tuesday	9/20/2016	Tour – Quad Graphics N11896 State Rd 175 Lomira, WI 53048 Meeting – Holiday Inn 625 W Rolling Meadows, Fond du Lac, WI	Jeff Schinner, Quad Graphics
Wednesday	10/19/2016	The Bull at Pinehurst Farms 1 Long Drive, Sheboygan Falls	Marc Durant, Director of Purchasing Vollrath Co.
Tuesday	11/15/2016	Tour – Northern Labs 5800 West Drive Manitowoc, WI Meeting -CNC Links, 4935 County Road C, Manitowoc, WI	Brian Gates, VP of Operations
<i>No December Meeting due to Holiday. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!</i>			
Tuesday	1/17/2017	Timeout Sports Bar & Grill, 1027 N Rapids Rd, Manitowoc, WI	Interactive Round Table
Wednesday	2/15/2017	Al & Al's, 1502 S. 12 th St., Sheboygan, WI	Speaker – Ralph Howard, President & CEO, Design Specialties, LLC
Tuesday	3/14/2017	Tour – Nemak 3101 S. Taylor Drive Sheboygan, WI Meeting - The Bull at Pinehurst Farms 1 Long Drive, Sheboygan Falls	Thomas Bair, Human Resources Manager
Wednesday	4/19/2017	Award and Upper Management Night Autumn Ridge, One Straight Drive, Valders, WI	Justin Nickels, Mayor City of Manitowoc

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Upcoming APICS Shoreline Events

October Calendar

October 6, 13, – CPIM Review Course – BSCM – 5:00-9:00 PM - Bemis Plant D

October 5, - APICS Shoreline Chapter Board Meeting – 6:00 PM – LTC

October 8, - Road Clean Up – 9:00 AM – Fischer Creek State Recreation Area – Hwy LS (<http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/parks/name/fischercreek>)

October 19, - Professional Development Meeting – 5:00-8:00 PM – The Bull

October 27 – CPIM Review Course – MRP – 5:00-9:00 PM – Bemis Plant D

Chapter/APICS News

Wanted!!

Member at Large – The APICS Shoreline Chapter is looking for a Member at Large on the Board of Directors. This would be a great opportunity to get involved with the chapter in a low key role. If interested contact a board member or submit your name to newsletter@shorelineapics.org.

CPIM Review Course Schedule:

2016/2017 CPIM Review Course Schedule:

Thursdays 5 PM – 9PM @ Bemis Plant D

- Basics of Supply Chain Management (BSCM)
September 15, 22, 29 October 6, 13 - 2016
- Master Planning of Resources (MPR)
October 27, November 3, 10, 17, December 1 - 2016 **(note the 1 week gap between sessions due to Thanksgiving holiday.)**
- Detailed Scheduling and Planning (DSP)
January 5, 12, 19, 26, February 2 - 2017
- Execution and Control of Operations (ECO)
February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16 - 2017
- Strategic Management of Resources (SMR)
March 30, April 6, 13, 27, May 4 – 2017



Cost per class: \$375 – APICS Members \$450 – Non-APICS Members

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BOD Meeting Schedule

BOD meetings are planned for the first Wednesday of the month except as noted. Meetings are held at Lakeshore Technical College at 6:00 PM. All members are welcome to attend any board meeting. Please let any current board member know if you would like to attend as we normally have a light meal preceding the meeting and it will help us to ensure we have enough for all.

Editor's Note

If you have an interest in any specific news item, have a question or wish to see something added to the newsletter please e-mail your request to newsletter@shorelineapics.org.

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