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"Six-Sigma"

Wednesday, October 16, 2002

Pre-Clinic: 6:00 PM "DMAIC"
Dinner: 6:30 PM Meal Cost: Pay Restaurant
Program: 7:30 PM
Speaker: **Steve Shoda,**

BAE SYSTEMS Controls, Fort Wayne, IN

About the Program: The presentation will compare the six sigma blackbelt (SSBB) certification requirements between a typical industrial program (the program at BAE SYSTEMS Controls) and the ASQ SSBB certification. Further, the differences between the ASQ CQE and SSBB certifications are presented and discussed. A recommendation to pursue black belt certification is provided.

About the Speaker: As a Senior Process Engineer at BAE SYSTEMS Controls in Fort Wayne, Steve Shoda is currently responsible for process monitoring and control of soldering, cleaning, adhesive bonding, and coatings processes in the manufacture of high-reliability aerospace electronic components. Additionally, Mr. Shoda is a traditional guardsman at the Indiana Air National Guard where he is the Commander, 122 Logistics Support Flight, which provides support functions for F16 maintenance operations. Mr. Shoda earned his Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering from Purdue University, further with a Masters in Business Administration from Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne. He has CQE and SSBB certifications from the ASQ and is the Vice-Chair of ASQ Section 0905 - Northeast Indiana.

Pre-Clinic: DMAIC - by Bob Cooper

Meeting will be held at:

Sirloin Stockade

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Section 0904 Calendar

2002 – 2003

September 18	Dinner & Program
September 24	Board Meeting
October 4	Deadline: Dec. Cert Exam
October 16	Dinner & Program
October 19	Certification Exams
October 22	Board Meeting
November 6	Delco Remy Tour
November 26	Board Meeting
December 4	Delphi Plant 20 Tour
December 7	CQE / CQA Exams
Jan 7, 2003	Board Meeting
January 10	Deadline: March Cert. Exam
January 15	Dinner & Program
January 21	Board Meeting
February 19	Dinner & Program
February 25	Board Meeting
March 1	Certification Exams
March 19	Dinner & Program
March 25	Board Meeting
April 4	Deadline: June Cert Exam
April 16	Dinner and Program
April 22	Board Meeting
May 21	Dinner & Program
May 27	Board Meeting

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Chat from the Chair:

Reflections on our Region Leadership Training Conference in Columbus, IN on June 7, 2002:

Success can be said to be made up of several factors. The following breakdown was suggested:

Leadership	30%
Planning	30%
Training	30%
Luck	10%

At ASQ's Regional level, I see the first three factors as positives. We have excellent **Leadership**; individuals with their 'feet on the ground', who continue to offer guidance and support to our Section.

The Section 904 Board is working diligently to match up to the first three factors also. Several of the Board members attended the Regional **Training** Seminar in June. The Executive Board met monthly during the summer to manage our resources and to develop a season of interesting and informative technical meetings and pre-clinics. We're planning some new ideas for both.

If you haven't been to a monthly meeting lately, we invite you to take the time to 'network' with us at the Sirloin Stockade on the third Wednesday of the month. You might find that our common interests could provide a synergy that will make all of our lives more *quality* oriented.

The **Luck** part? Well. It's been said that you make your own luck. Perhaps the first three factors have something to do with it. You could be lucky and win our attendance prize just by attending a meeting. **Plan** now to do so. Chuck McPherson did so just last month.

Chuck Darger - Section Chair

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Willian Haas

September 2002 Meeting Summary

Twenty-two (22) quality professionals attended in September.

Door Prizes: **Jeff Mann** won the Post-it Notes; **Vicki Storer** won the "Six-Sigma Handbook" - contributed by Quality Publishing in consideration of space in our newsletter.

Chuck McPherson's name was drawn for the \$100 Jackpot. Chuck attended the meeting and took home a check for \$100. It pays to attend your Section meetings.

Directions to Sirloin Stockade:

From Muncie: Follow McGalliard Road. (SR 332) West to Morrison Road. Landmarks: Wal-Mart and Lowe's on your left. The Sirloin Stockade is behind the Village Pantry on your right. Turn North (RIGHT) onto Morrison. Road Construction has changed the Sirloin Stockade entrance. Turn LEFT just north of the Village Pantry. Turn LEFT again then straight into the Sirloin Stockade parking lot.

From Anderson: Follow I69 North to SR332 (Exit 41). Follow 332 into Muncie. Turn LEFT onto Morrison Road.

From Marion: Follow I69 South to SR332 (Exit 41). From there it's the same as the Anderson instructions.

From Richmond: Follow US35 North to the Muncie Bypass (SR3 & US35). Follow the Bypass North to the first traffic light and turn LEFT on McGalliard Road (SR332). Follow the Muncie directions.

From Hartford City: Follow SR3 South to the Muncie Bypass and continue to the first traffic light (McGalliard Road). Turn RIGHT on McGalliard Road (SR332). Follow the Muncie directions above.

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December 7, 2002 (10/4/2002)
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