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“TS16949”

Speaker: Jim Thompson

Pre-Clinic: 6:00 PM “Surveys” – Mike McDonald
Dinner: 6:30 PM Meal Cost: Pay Restaurant
Program: 7:30 PM

Wednesday, October 15, 2003 6:00 PM

About the Program: This presentation will feature lessons learned in preparation for, attainment of, and follow-up improvement strategies related to this updated automotive standard. The agenda for the presentation begins with steps necessary to ensure your current registrar (if applicable) is one of the few chosen by the IATF (International Automotive Task Force) to perform TS16949 audits. Furthermore, is your current registrar right for you and, if not, how to choose another that best represents your organizations needs. The second topic of discussion will focus on fundamental changes in focus when transitioning to TS16949:2002 and requirements of this new quality management standard that many organizations overlook.

About the Speaker: Jim Thompson is a consultant and proprietor of Concentric Management Systems of Columbus, IN. He has an extensive background which includes leading numerous consulting projects at an array of companies and implementing dozens of quality systems nationwide - including one of the first TS16949:2002 compliant quality management systems worldwide. He also contracts as an RAB accredited auditor for QCB Registrars of Edmonton Canada (a recognized TS registrar). Jim also provides training both publicly and privately for ISO 9001:2000, TS16949:2002 and many other business and production management workshops. He has a Bachelors degree in Psychology and Organizational Leadership & Supervision from Purdue University and is working on his Entrepreneurial MBA at Ball State University. Jim is also working on expanding his business to assist in new business start-up as well as using web-based technology to provide templates, examples and other valuable resources to companies working towards quality certifications for direct download and purchase via internet.

About the Pre-Clinic: Topic: "Thought Starters and Tips for Good Surveys"
This pre-clinic will offer thought-starters, tips and examples to help develop and evaluate valid, informative surveys. The ASQ904 April and May, 2003, surveys and other examples will be shown. Speaker: Michael L. McDonald, CQE, PE worked for Delphi and Delco-Remy for over 31 years, the last 18 years in quality training, support, and management. He started his own company in 2000 to offer statistical training and continuing support to companies in East Central Indiana..

Meeting will be held at:

Sirloin Stockade

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Section 0904 Calendar

2003 – 2004

September 17	Dinner & Program
September 23	Board Meeting
October 3	Deadline: Dec. Cert Exam
October 15	Dinner & Program
October 18	Certification Exams
October 21	Board Meeting
November 19	Dinner & Program
November	Board Meeting
December 3	Maxon Tour
December 6	CQE / CQA Exams
January, 2004	Board Meeting
January 9	Deadline: March Cert. Exam
January 21	Dinner & Program
January 27	Board Meeting
February 18	Dinner & Program
February 24	Board Meeting
March 6	Certification Exams
March 17	Dinner & Program
March 23	Board Meeting
April 2	Deadline: June Cert Exam
April 21	Dinner and Program
April 27	Board Meeting
May 19	Dinner & Program
May 25	Board Meeting

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Chat from the Chair:

The Member Model proposed by ASQ National

If you go to www.asq.org, there is a new member model being proposed by National. This model is supposed to represent an attempt to create a "Living Community". I believe it will do just the reverse by hurting the community structure of sections.

The model proposal quoted below is from the ASQ site under options #3 Member.

For an additional fee, the new ASQ Member can select affiliation with a local section or sections. Each section would be given a template Web page to provide information to their members. It would be the responsibility of the sections to provide value-added virtual and in-person programs and services for their members. In the first year of transition from the current model to the new, all renewing members would receive membership in their current section for free. All new members would pay for their section affiliation. Financial modeling for continued support of the member units will be conducted, and funding of the member units will continue, however, the format has yet to be determined.

As you can see "funding of the member units will continue, however, the format has yet to be determined". As any professional can tell you, planning is required to accomplish objectives. The fact that National has not planned is one of my concerns.

To me, the community of ASQ is represented by the discussions I have with fellow quality professionals. These contacts, in the main, are people I have met through local section or regional events. The impersonal chat room discussions such as www.isixsigma.com are useful supplements to these contacts but no replacements for them. I am also discouraged that little attempt has made to inform individual members of the contemplated changes by National.

I would urge all the members of our section to review the membership model and make comments to membermodel@asq.org. Your feelings, positive or negative, need to be communicated to National.

Rhonda Goss Section Chair



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Summary of September 2003 Meeting

28 Quality Professionals attended the September 17th meeting to here Glen Gee explain Sis Sigma.
Bret DeWees won the Six Sigma Handbook. Other Door prize winners were **Chuck McPherson, Allen Fuller, Steve Zylka and Hary Van Noy**

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 3: Tour: Maxon Corporation

January 21: Control Charts

– M. McDonald

Preclinic: Signal to Noise – M. McDonald

February 18: “QM/QI - Lessons Learned” - Marty Jaeger

Preclinic: Pinball – M. McDonald

March 17: 8D Problem Solving

- George Hummel

Preclinic: What makes a good material specification – George Brutchen

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April 21: “Data Analysis Using Graphical Techniques” - Mike Mazu

Preclinic: ISOPlot – S. Harmeyer

May 19: TBA

Preclinic: "Test of Excedance"
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