

Columbus Chapter APICS Annual "Student Night"

May 14, 2002

"DeVry University: The Student Experience"

The DeVry Student Chapter will be giving a short presentation on the workings of DeVry University. We will be discussing the degree offerings, what DeVry has to offer in general, and the student experience at DeVry. So come, listen, and meet the members of the DeVry Student Chapter.

The Ohio State University

The Fisher College of Business at The Ohio State University returns to APICS this year on May 14th. Under the faculty guidance of Professors Stephen Hills and Mona Mahkija, students from Fisher's Emerging Markets Field Study (EMFS) course reviewed the economy, history, and political climate of emerging markets in Brazil and Argentina for ten weeks. Then, during their spring break they traveled to both countries and visited with companies doing business there. The presentation will provide an overview of both countries and review issues facing companies doing business there.

The field of study is made possible by Ohio State's Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER). CIBERs were created by Congress under the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988 to increase and promote the nation's capacity for international understanding and competitiveness. <http://fisher.osu.edu/international/ciber/>

Professional Development Meeting

May 14, 2002

The May 2002 Professional Development Meeting will be held at Salvi's Bistro Restaurant, 1323 St. James Lutheran Lane, Columbus, Ohio, 43228.

Directions to the Restaurant include traveling I-70 West to Exit 91-B, Hilliard-Rome Road. Turn right off of Hilliard-Rome Road onto Trabue Road. Turn right off of Trabue onto St. James Lutheran Lane.

Please RSVP to Jane Winans-Hall (841-6409) by Thursday, May 9th at 4:00 pm.

The Menu

Garden-Greens Salad, Chicken Al Pollo, Tri-Colored Pasta with Chicken Mushrooms and Creamy Marsala Sauce, Bread, Coffee, Tea or Soda.

Cost

Students \$10.00 All Others: \$25.00

Agenda

6:00 – 6:30 Social Hour
6:30 - 7:15 Announcements / Dinner
7:15 - 8:15 Student Presentation

Welcome – New Members of Columbus Chapter #99

V.P. Membership: Bill Thurston, CPIM, CIRM, C.P.M.

The following individuals have recently joined the APICS – Columbus # 99 Chapter.

Brad S. Hammock,
Sekisui America Corporation

Kenichiro Onuma,
Arthur Andersen, L.L.P.

Linda M. Payne

Columbus Chapter #99 Statistics

V.P. Membership: Bill Thurston, CPIM, CIRM, C.P.M.

• Number of Members	616
• Regular	548
• Corporate	68
• New Members	3
• CFPIMs	6
• CPIMs	190
• CIRMs	22
• Student Members	38
• OSU	25
• DeVry	13

Visit Our Website

(<http://www.apics-col.org>)

Also visit other local chapters at the following addresses:

Cleveland: <http://cis.csvohio.edu/~ichen/apics>

Erie: <http://www.ncinter.net/~apics>

Pittsburgh: <http://www.apics-pgh.com>

Cincinnati: <http://www.customer.com/apics>

North Central: <http://www.ashland.edu/~apics/home.html>

APICS Headquarters: <http://www.apics.org>

The Columbus APICS Newsletter, May, 2002. Published 10 (ten) times per year, August through May, and mailed to APICS Chapter #99 members, as well as Regional Officers. VP Publications: Cecil Mullins, CPIM, Crane Plastics Siding.

President's Message

May, 2002

The May PDM will conclude the programs for the chapter for this year. As mentioned in the previous month's newsletter, we will have presentations by the student chapters from Ohio State and DeVry. Come and support our future.

Also during the May meeting we will go over the following issues:

- Election of board members for the 2002/2003 year
- Vote on the changes to the by-laws outlined in the April Newsletter
- Present awards for student, member and company of the year.

On behalf of the entire board, I would like to thank you for your attendance at the PDM's this past year. There is a great deal of effort to coordinate the speakers/tours and dinner locations. Let's finish out with a large turnout for May.

Summer sessions for the APICS curriculum will be based on demand. If there is enough interest, a class will be scheduled.

The transition process from the old to new board will be done in June. During this time, we reevaluate our actions during the past year and try to put plans in place to improve areas where deficiencies were noted. Any constructive ideas will be helpful.

During 2003 calendar year, the recertification process will begin. For those who have to provide their data early in the year, the summer should be a good time to evaluate if you need any more points and develop a plan for the fall.

Enjoy the summer.

Remember:

"I have never in my life learned anything from any man who agreed with me" – Dudley Field Malone

Steve Fedan, CPM, CPIM

President, Columbus APICS Chapter 99

SUMMER SESSIONS

Classes for the CPIM courses will be held as demand warrants. A minimum of 6 students will be needed to schedule the class. Make your intentions known to Shelley Rossoll – VP of Education Administration @614-781-2325, ext124.

2002-2003 Board of Director Nominations

The following Columbus Chapter #99 members are nominated for 2002-2003 Board of Directors positions. Voting by the Chapter Membership will be held at the May Professional Development Meeting. An * denotes a position that rolls up or is appointed.

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Currently, the Executive VP and Assistant Treasurer positions are vacant. If you are interested and would like more details, please contact me.

Shelley Lemaster, CPIM

Chairman of the Board

**2001 / 2002 Columbus Chapter #99
Member of the Year Recipient**

Steve Fedan, C.P.M., CPIM

Steve has been involved with APICS for over 25 years as a chapter member in both the Cleveland and Columbus chapters. He has also supported APICS as an instructor for the CPIM certification curriculum and as an officer for the Columbus chapter.

His entire career has been in the manufacturing/materials area and he has worked for several organizations from Fortune 500 organizations – General Motors, Stanley Works – to small privately held companies as a factory manager, materials manager and director of materials. Steve has had the opportunity to participate in new plant start-ups, implement self-directed work teams and to select and install several MRP systems. Throughout his career, he recognized the importance of professionalism and continuing education and has encouraged several staff personnel in his teams to achieve the CPIM and CPM status.

Steve received a BBA from Cleveland State University and an MBA from Baldwin Wallace College in Berea, Ohio. He is active in the Greek alumni organization. Also, he has served as an adjunct instructor for Clark State and Southern State Community Colleges.

Steve and his wife – Mary – have been married for 27 years and are active members of St. Cecilia Catholic Church.

**2001 / 2002 Columbus Chapter #99
Company of the Year Recipient**


**Metatec
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Metatec International integrates information distribution technologies to help a wide spectrum of businesses increase supply chain efficiency and deliver finished goods to their markets. Technologies include CD-ROM and DVD manufacturing services, a full range of supply chain management services and secure Internet-based information distribution technologies. Extensive real-time customer-accessible Web-based reporting and tracking systems support all services.

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Train-the-Trainer

Summer


**Tentative Dates
(June 21-23)**

ATTENTION!

**ASPIRING INSTRUCTORS
AND/OR MEMBERS
WANTING TO HONE THEIR
PRESENTATION SKILLS:**

APICS Region III is considering a 3 day, 16 hour workshop beginning on Friday June 21 and ending on Sunday June 23. The class is an opportunity to learn presentation techniques while practicing them on your fellow classmates. The class will be held at a location to be determined between the Columbus or Lima Ohio areas and is free (\$25 deposit fully refundable), but participants will be responsible for their own travel and living expenses. Please contact your VP of Educational Development to obtain an application form. The deadline for submission is May 30th. Applicants will receive detailed instructions on Hotel arrangements, directions, what to bring ,etc., upon submission of application with deposit. Don't miss out on this excellent opportunity. Class size is limited to twelve students so apply now.

Any further questions may be directed to Wes Wierwille, APICS V.P. of Educational Development, weswierwille@cs.com or phone 614-793-8883.

Wes Wierwille



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