



## *April 2014 News*

### **Our Next Events:**

**Tuesday, April 15th People: A Leader's Day-to-Day Guide to Building, Managing and Sustaining Lean Organizations** - Robert Martichenko, LeanCor

Dave & Buster's

13857 Riverport Drive - Maryland Heights

5:45 pm Registration and Networking

6:30 Dinner

7:30 - 8:30 Program

**Tuesday, May 13th Turning Around Failing Projects**, Rick Morris, R2 Consulting

Sheraton Westport Lakeside Chalet, 191 Westport Plaza, St. Louis, MO

5:45 pm Registration and networking

6:30 Dinner

7:30-8:30 Program

**Wednesday, May 14th Full Day Project Management Seminar: Stop Playing Games - A Project Manager's Guide to Successfully Navigating Organizational Politics**, Rick Morris

R2 Consulting

Monsanto World Headquarters

800 North Lindbergh Blvd Creve Coeur, MO

8:00 am - 5:00 pm

### **APICS St. Louis**

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**Friday, June 13, 2014 A Night at the Ballpark - Gateway Grizzlies vs. Lake Erie Crushers****APICS Family Fun Night - all ages welcome! GSC Ballpark**

2301 Grizzlie Bear Blvd. - Sauget, IL

5:50 pm Pregame Picnic

7:05 Game Time

Post Game Fireworks

Registration - coming soon!

For more information contact Jeff Mudd [programs@apics-stlouis.com](mailto:programs@apics-stlouis.com)

**Did You Know:** You earn certification maintenance points for every APICS event you attend!!!

**President's Message - Ray Scott**

WIIFM?

That acronym - "What's In It For Me?" - is not in the APICS Dictionary, 14th Edition. However, it is a question we all ask when reviewing the many choices we have for spending our limited free time. I hope as a stakeholder in the APICS - St. Louis Chapter that you have a positive answer when reviewing our programs for April, May, and June.



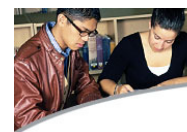
Robert Martichenko, our April speaker, is a nationally recognized expert and published author on Lean, who will share his thoughts on Lean Leadership. And our May meeting and Seminar speaker, Rick Morris, received outstanding ratings for his presentation at the 2013 APICS International Conference. For June, we have an opportunity for you to bring your family to the Gateway Grizzlies game, with a pre-game picnic and post-game fireworks.

On a different subject, I want to give special recognition to Jeff Mudd, who has done a great job putting together our programs this year, and also to Theresa Scully, who led our team in selecting a new chapter management software provider. Their volunteer efforts deserve our appreciation.

Ray Scott, CFPIM, CIRM, CPA  
President, APICS-St. Louis Chapter

**Professional Development - Joe Witkowski**

To register for a class at St. Charles Community College, you must call the college at call 636-922-8233. You can also register via the college's [website](#)

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**CPIM - Executive**  
**Starting** April 8,  
Tuesdays from 5:00-6:00 PM  
Community College of St. Louis  
Drive, Cottleville  
Members \$495,

**CPIM - Master**  
**May 1, 2014** 5:00-6:00 PM  
Thursdays from 5:00-6:00 PM  
Company, located at  
Louis, MO 63144  
Members: \$495

**CPIM - Basics**  
**Starts Tuesday**  
10 sessions meeting  
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**Did You Know**

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Certification exams are NOT included in the below pricing. By paying non-member pricing for a class, you are registered as a member of APICS for one year.

For more information: Contact Joe Witkowski [professionaldevelopment@apics-stlouis.com](mailto:professionaldevelopment@apics-stlouis.com)

**Did You Know:** Some companies will reimburse you for the cost of taking APICS classes and exams. Consult your company's Human Resources Department and ask about their continuing education and tuition reimbursement programs.

### **APICS Learn It - A New App for your Smart Phone**

Preparing for a certification exam? Looking for a quick reference for supply chain terminology? Try "APICS Learn It", a new smart phone app you can use to look up key terms or quiz yourself while preparing for your exam. Click on <http://www.apics.org/apps/apics-learn-it> for more information

## **Congratulations!**

APICS St. Louis welcomes the following new members:

Linda Carder  
Scott Williams

Elizabeth Desrosiers  
Christie Woelfel

Michael Gaynor, Jr.

Congratulations to the following members for their outstanding career milestones:

- Rebecca Kennedy, CPIM, CIRM - 33 Year CPIM Anniversary (1981)
- Robert Bielecki, CPIM - 8 Year CPIM Anniversary (2006)
- Joseph Witkowski, CPIM, CSCP - 6 Year CPIM Anniversary (2008)
- Daniel Semanisin, CPIM - 5 Year CPIM Anniversary

APICS St. Louis recognizes the following members for their long term association with APICS:

- Richard Gusewelle, CPIM - 37 Year APICS Member
- William Garber - 32 Year APICS Member
- Debra Bene, CPIM, SCSP - 30 Year APICS Member
- Marie Wright - 25 Year APICS Member
- Theresa Scully, CPIM, CIRM, CSCP - 18 Year APICS Member
- Dennis Schildroth - 16 Year Member APICS Member
- Michael Scahill, CPIM - 15 Year APICS Member
- Thomas Parker - 14 Year APICS Member
- Michael Triller, CPIM, CSCP - 13 Year APICS Member
- Anthony Paszek, CPIM - 12 Year APICS Member

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by June 30!!!

## APICS Named Top Supply Chain Certification Program by SCM World

- SCM World has named APICS the top supply chain training association in its most recent article. Noted for teaching cross-functional skills desired by employers, the APICS CSCP and CPIM are well worth pursuing and maintaining for those looking to succeed in the supply chain field.
- Click on <http://www.scmworld.com/Blog/Beyond-Supply-Chain/SCM-World-Top-25--Leaders-in-Learning/> for the full story.

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