



Long Island Section 0303



5th Lean Six Sigma Symposium

The 5th ASQ-LI Lean Six-sigma symposium is once again being co-sponsored with Hofstra University and will be held at Hofstra University's Cultural Center Theater on Friday, March 30, 2012 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm (please visit us at www.asqlongisland.org for more details).

Learn from Lean Six Sigma Master Blackbelts and Blackbelts about LSS applications to Agile Software Development, Effective Hospital management, FOD Critical Compliance, Transactional Processes and Estée Lauder Companies' Melville Facility's Journey of Lean. Also, enjoy a group activity on how to develop specifications.

The cost for attending the symposium is \$150 (\$200 non-members) with an early registration cost of \$120 (\$170 non-members) per person; a continental breakfast, lunch, and snacks for the networking session are included. Full-time students are required to register on-line through the ASQ-LI website. There is no registration cost for Full-time students. Students must bring a valid Student ID with them to the event in order to attend. The early registration ends March 9, 2012.

The symposium is expected to provide our members and corporate associates with useful information on strategies adopted by practicing Lean Six-Sigma professionals to achieve successful process and quality improvements.

The format of the symposium allows success stories to be presented by ASQ Certified Six Sigma Black Belts, and Practicing Black Belts on strategies and tools used to realize LSS implementation and concomitant bottom-line improvements in Health Care, Process, Manufacturing, and Service industries, including government. The planned topics are:

Topic #1: The Estée Lauder Companies' Melville Facility's Journey of Lean by Kim Willenbruch, Mfg Process Improvement Director, Estee Lauder Companies

Topic #2: Combining Lean Six Sigma and Agile Software Development by Dr. Samuel Prasad, PhD, CSQE, PMI-ACP, PMP

Topic #3: How Lean Six Sigma was used to take a government agency to ISO 9001:2008 Certification by Owen Ramsay, BS, MS, RABQSA-LA, CQA, CQE, CMQ-OE, CSSBB

Topic #4: Using Lean Tools for FOD Critical Compliance by Brian Ascetta, BS, MBA, CSSBB, Lean Shingo Prize Certified Lean Bronze Sensei, APICS Certified SCP, PE

Topic #5: Performance Improvement for Healthcare : Using Constraints Management with Lean Six Sigma for Agility in Changing Times by Bahadir Inozu, Ph.D

Activity : Develop specifications for four catapult design variables that will result in consistently launching a ball exactly 96 inches (2.44 M). by Brian Ascetta, BS, MBA, CSSBB, PE



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Since most of the members attending this symposium are practicing quality professionals, the case studies presented will hopefully provide insights on how to better guide and support your organization's Lean Six Sigma efforts.

Please join us at Hofstra University's Cultural Center Theater on March 30th at 8:00 am for a Continental breakfast prior to commencing the symposium.

For more information and/or to register, please visit our website at www.asqlongisland.org or call Rupal Doshi, ASQ-LI's Arrangement Chair, for more information at 631-428-2209.