



Annual Tax Update Wednesday November 18, 2009

at [Damon's of Saginaw](#)

**Speakers are
Jill Carr and Michelle LaFerriere
of Plante & Moran**



5:30 p.m. Networking
6:00 p.m. Presentation
7:00 p.m. Dinner
8:00 p.m. Board Meeting

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President's Message

Happy fall! I hope everyone is enjoying all the wonders that the fall season brings. I know that I am. The beautiful colors, falling leaves and crisp breezes make this my favorite season. The only thing wrong is that it is usually over too quickly.

Another good thing that fall brings is the Michigan Fall Conference, which I just returned from. It was a really good experience. We heard a group of excellent speakers, who covered topics including an Economic Update, Accounting for Income Taxes and Michigan Business Tax, a lesson on IFRS, Professional Development, a case study about Financial Management, and Ethics presented by our own Julie Goldman. This was one of the first conferences I have attended that had ALL excellent speakers and topics (and I have attended many conferences). I found everything interesting, and most of it useful to me or my work. I also had the opportunity for some very enjoyable conversation. IMA events are always excellent networking opportunities, and who can't use more professional contacts? The Kellogg Center in East Lansing does a very nice job with the accommodations and food. All of this and eight hours of CPE too! I thoroughly enjoyed myself and would recommend that you each attend next year. It is well worth the reasonable price.

Also keep in mind the free webinars that are available to members through the IMA website. There is an excellent series on International Financial Reporting Standards being presented by Deloitte and Touche, as well as other webinars and courses. The next airing of the IFRS webinar is November 19th. Maybe I'll see you there (online).

But honestly, I hope to see you before that at our next Chapter meeting, which will be at Damon's in Saginaw on November 18th. We'll be having a wonderful presentation about taxes, a good dinner and great company! So until then.....enjoy the fall season!

Toni

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EMPLOYMENT NEWS...

Members Looking for Positions

Our Saginaw Valley Chapter has members who are looking positions:

- Courtney Schoch, our past student award recipient, has graduated from Northwood University in May 2009 with a BBA, major in accounting, and is looking for a position in the accounting field. She can be contacted directly at courtneyschoch@hotmail.com.
- Another member is looking for a senior accounting position; i.e., controller, assistant controller, senior accounting manager.

Please let me know of any leads for open positions, and I will pass this information on to our interested member.

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POSITION OPENINGS

DELTA COLLEGE

Have you ever thought about **teaching a college accounting course**? Well here is your opportunity. Delta College is looking for adjunct (part-time) instructors to teach accounting courses. Interested candidates should have a bachelors or higher degree; and experience working in the accounting field with technological currency is preferred. Please contact Janis Kendziorski at (989) 686-9189, or apply to the Delta College Human Resources Department.

THE COMPANY:

Headquartered in Franklin, TN, CLARCOR (www.clarcor.com) is a billion dollar, publicly traded corporation and one of the world's largest manufacturers of filters and filtration products. They employ in excess of 5,000 people internationally and operating results for 2006 reached record levels for sales, cash flow and earnings. 2006 was CLARCOR'S 20th consecutive year of increased sales and 23rd consecutive year of increased dividend to their stockholders.

THE POSITION:

Our client is currently seeking highly motivated professional with 5+ years hands-on experience in operations and cost analysis in a manufacturing environment.

This position is located at the corporate headquarters in Franklin, Tennessee and is open due to a promotion. A generous relocation package is available for the selected candidate.

KEYS TO THIS OPPORTUNITY:

- Bachelor’s degree in Accounting or Engineering, MBA/CMA preferred.
- Minimum 5 years experience in a cost/manufacturing environment.
- Solid knowledge of the manufacturing operational process.
- Possess excellent people skills with the ability to work with all levels of the organization.
- Clear and concise communication skills.
- Advanced Excel user and proficient with database programs such as Access.
- Proven ability to analyze data, perform ad hoc analyses and detect inaccuracies.
- Extreme attention to detail is essential.
- ***Extensive travel is required and will vary based on projects***

In confidence, to be considered or for more information please contact:

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Saginaw Valley State University is looking for an Assistant Controller and an Accountant. Please go to <http://www.svsu.edu/hr/employment/> for specific information on the positions and to apply.

2009-2010 Meeting Schedule

January 20, 2010	Annual Economic Forecast Damon’s of Saginaw	5:30 p.m.-Networking 6:00 p.m.-Presentation 7:00 p.m.-Dinner 8:00 p.m.-Board Meeting
April 21, 2010	Student Awards Night Zehnders of Frankenmuth	Speaker-Julie Goldman 5:30 p.m.-Networking 6:00 p.m.-Ethics Case Study 7:00 p.m.-Dinner 8:00 p.m.-Student Awards

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