

Annual Plant Tour

Wednesday

September 15, 2010

At Delta College QDCG-TV Broadcast Studio

Tour by Barry Baker, Executive Director of Communication Technology

Dinner Speakers: Delta Green Initiatives and Sustainability

By Mike Finelli, Assistant Professor of Residential Construction

And Linda Petee, Sustainability and Risk Management Coordinator

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

RSVP by Friday, September 10 to Jennifer Rezler at Carbone of America;

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Enter Delta College through main entrances at North areas of campus closest to Mackinaw Road and Hotchkiss Road entrances, near K and M wings on the East side and E and F wings on the West side. Students will be located inside the building near these entrances to direct you.

President's Message



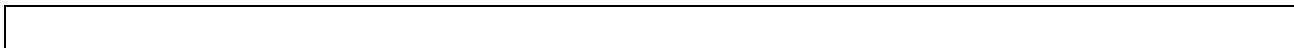
Welcome to the first newsletter of this IMA year! Our first meeting should provide an interesting plant tour for our chapter members and guests. The Delta College Broadcast Studio, which has recently been renovated, will be toured; and we'll have a dinner presentation regarding the green initiatives at Delta College. We will also have good food and an opportunity for excellent conversation. I do hope that many of you are able to join us for this event.

I would also like to take this opportunity to remind everyone that we will be including a new section in our newsletter for announcements of chapter members' career accomplishments and advancements. For example, college program completion, certification completion, promotions, new areas of responsibility, new jobs, etc. We want to be able to share each others' accolades and acknowledge our chapter members' great talents. So please, send your information about career accomplishments and advancements to us by sending an email to me at antoINETTECLEGG@delta.edu or to our newsletter editor, Christopher Light at CULight@Dow.com.

I hope to see you at the meeting on September 15!

Toni

Toni Clegg, President antoINETTECLEGG@delta.edu



IMA Michigan Council 9th Annual Fall Conference

The 9th Annual IMA Michigan Fall Conference will be on Oct 25 2010. This event will cover Excellence in Financial Management and provide 8 hours of CPE including 2 hours of ethics. The Conference Agenda includes an economic update with Doug Cote of ING Investments; Tax Update from Andrews Hooper Pavlik; ethics cases; and more.

Because there is a limited capacity for this event, we recommend advanced registration. Click on the link below to register online and reserve your seat. For more information, check out our web site.

[Register](#)

The event details are as follows

Organization: IMA Michigan Council - Fall Conference
Event Name: 9th Annual IMA Michigan Fall Conference
Date(s): Oct 25 2010, 08:30 AM to 04:30 PM
Location: Kellogg Conference Center
Click Here For Detail: [Event Information](#)

Another IMA Member Benefit .IMA Sponsors LEAN Accounting Summit

Continuing a six-year tradition, IMA® once again this year is serving as Silver Sponsor of the 6th Annual Lean Accounting Summit, to be held at the Red Rock Resort in Las Vegas, NV, on September 21-22, 2010. In addition, IMA is offering special discounted rates to members who attend the event.

The 6th Annual Lean Accounting Summit - titled "Lean Management for 21st Century Operations" will bring together leading practitioners, educators, and students from around the world to discuss the latest developments in the practice of lean accounting. Lean accounting is a costing methodology that helps accountants reduce costs and optimize value in their organizations; it is a shift in philosophy from traditional cost accounting to a system that measures and motivates good business practices in the lean enterprise.

This year's summit will feature keynote presenters Mike Hoseus (co-author of "Toyota Culture") and Mike Rother (co-author of "Leaning to See" and author of "Toyota Kata"). Summit sessions will be organized along three learning tracks, and attendees will have the opportunity to earn more than 20 CPE credits. In addition, IMA Chair Sandra B. Richtermeyer, Ph.D., CMA, CPA, will serve as the summit's emcee.

"This summit provides an excellent and unique opportunity for practitioners, educators, and students to learn more about the value of lean accounting, which has gained increasing popularity at many forward-thinking companies," said Dr. Richtermeyer. "IMA has been a sponsor of this summit since its very beginning in 2005, and we are once again proud to participate as a Silver Sponsor. Every year, this summit delivers a positive educational experience to those who attend as well as the chance to network with some of the world's thought leaders in the field."

As part of its sponsorship and for the fourth consecutive year, IMA will provide scholarships for 10 student-professor pairs to attend this event. Recipients were selected by a special IMA committee, with funding provided by the Association of Manufacturing Excellence (AME). To date, more than 80 individuals have benefitted from this Student-Faculty Scholarship Program.

IMA members receive 10% off the regular registration rate. Visit the Lean Accounting Summit website at www.leanaccountingsummit.com and use promo code: IMA.

EMPLOYMENT NEWS

Members Looking for Positions

- Please let Adeline Wicker know of any leads for open positions, and she will pass this information on to our interested member.

MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are always interested in hearing about any new roles or accomplishments of our members. Please let me know of your new announcements to share in our upcoming newsletters.

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Are you LinkedIn?

LinkedIn is an online professional networking site with several million members worldwide. LinkedIn members can connect to professional associates either directly or through groups based on: geography; academic associations; professional certifications or business interests. Members use the site for keeping up to date with colleagues, old and new, regarding industry best practices; IT developments; referrals; employment opportunities; and focused business news. There is no fee for a basic user account and members may control how much they wish to disclose publicly and/or within their networks. There are several LinkedIn groups for accountants, auditors, financial managers, etc. The IMA sponsors an official LinkedIn group called CMA® Connection which has over 1,000 members to date. To learn more or join, see www.linkedin.com.

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