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**FEBRUARY 2009 ISM-CI
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION FOR
SUPPLY MANAGEMENT
Tuesday, February 10, 2009**

AGENDA:

- 5:00 p.m. Early Bird Seminar “Personal Professional Development & Training Opportunities”**
- 6:00 p.m. Affiliate Dinner and Fellowship**
- 7:00 p.m. Premier Education Seminar “Supply Chain Education, Where It Is Going and Why?” Professors Michael Crum and Frank L. Montabon ISU and ISU graduate, Venessa Pehde, Goodrich.**

MEETING DETAILS:

DATE: February 10, 2009

LOCATION: Prairie Meadows Racetrack & Casino Meadows Events & Conference Center – Altoona, IA

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO LOCATION:

Exit I-80 at exit 142, highway 6 South towards Altoona. Turn left at Adventureland Drive. Prairie Meadows is on the right past the Adventureland Inn.

TO REGISTER:

Visit <http://www.ism-ci.org/meetings.html>
Please register by **February 5, 2009**

MEETING COSTS: ISM-CI Members - NO COST (included in annual dues) **Non-Members** - \$20 per person for non-members

PLEASE NOTE: ISM-CI is obligated to pay for all meals served. If you are unable to find a substitute, please call Jane Burger at 515-276-1254.

EARLY BIRD SEMINAR:

“Personal Professional Development & Training Opportunities”

Mark Thompson C.P.M., Pioneer Hi-Bred and Dr. Robert A. Kemp, CPSM, C.P.M.

Professionals today need a personal scorecard and plan that portrays the professional programs and achievements that an individual has accomplished and her or his plans for future professional development programs. This PPDP should be owned and maintained by the individual. A professional panel will discuss the ISM program for Personal Professional Development and have a live connection with the ISM website so that participants with “speed Sticks” or “Flash Drives” will be able to download the program for their personal use.1 CEH

AFFILIATE DINNER MENU:

Plated Pork Entree: Baked Porkloin with Peppercorn Cream Sauce, Tossed Garden Salad with Creamy Parmesan Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Chef’s Seasonal Vegetable, Assorted Rolls with Honey Butter, Regular & Decafe Coffee, Ice Tea & Water

PREMIER EDUCATION SEMINAR:

“Supply Chain Education, Where It Is Going and Why?”

Professors Michael Crum and Frank L. Montabon ISU and ISU graduate, Venessa Pehde, GEC.

An academic and professional panel will discuss the need to better understand where Supply Chain Education is going and why so that current professionals can improve the opportunities to employ, lead and motivate graduating students in the supply management profession. Equally important current professionals may glean insight for personal self-development opportunities. (1CEH)



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UPCOMING EVENTS:

Mark your calendars for these special educational events at Prairie meadows Conference Center and see your published schedule for more information.

Professional Education Seminars, Tuesday March 10, 2009

Early Bird Seminar:

"The Role of Supply Chains in Difficult Times; Where or How Can We Contribute Increased Value?"

Cross Industry Panel of Experts. 1 CEH

Premier Seminar:

ISM-CI Supply Management Month

"Strategic Sourcing Processes"

Mr. Kraig Koehler, Strategic Supply Manager, Pella Corp. 1 CEH

Professional Education Seminars, Tuesday April 14, 2009

Early Bird Seminar:

"ISM Puts the Law on Your Side; Keeping the Process Legal"

Mr. Todd Shafer, C.P.M., Wells Fargo. 1 CEH

Premier Seminar:

"Metrics Selection, Utilization and Benefits"

Mr. Kent Miller, Director of Tractors and Implements, AG Division, Deere & Company, Waterloo, IA, 1 CEH

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST:

- **The Meetings Team** reported attendance at the January 2009 Professional Dinner and Seminars of 60 ISM-CI and CI-APICS members and guests. There are currently three members on this team. Contact meeting Chairs Caron Findley or Barb Lewis for more information.
- **The Education Team** has planned and published Early Bird Seminars and Premier Education Seminars for 2009. There are sixteen members on this team. Contact meeting Chairs Gary Van Dyke or Bob Nelson for more information.
- **The Marketing Team** held it's kick-off meeting on Thursday, January 22nd at the Urbandale Library with lots of fun ideas discussed. There are six members on this team. Contact meeting Chair Courtney Silliman for more information.



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ABOUT THE SPEAKERS:

EARLY BIRD SEMINAR:

“Personal Professional Development & Training Opportunities”

Mark Thompson, C.P.M.

Mark is the Global Commodity Leader for DuPont, is a Strategic buyer for Pioneer Hi-Bred International (a DuPont company), Johnston, Iowa and DuPont’s Global Sourcing and Logistics department, Wilmington, Delaware. Mark is a graduate of Iowa State University and has 15 years of global sourcing experience. His global sourcing background includes sourcing China and Mexico. He has made many trips to China and Mexico to select and develop suppliers and work with suppliers concerning ongoing operations. He is a licensed customhouse broker and is currently involved in sourcing initiatives in China for Pioneer Hi-Bred International and DuPont.

Robert A. Kemp, Ph.D., CPSM, C.P.M.

Dr. Kemp joined ISM-Central Iowa, Inc. in 1982 and has served as professional development chair, education chair, and has led many C.P.M. reviews and seminar programs. He earned his Lifetime C.P.M. in 1995 and the CPSM in 2008. In 1988, Dr. Kemp was appointed to ISM’s Academic Planning Committee, and chaired the ISM committee from 1993 to 1995. In 1997, Kemp was elected NAPM National President. Kemp earned his doctorate in International Business at Arizona State University in 1979. He is a retired Lieutenant Colonel, Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army. In May 2005, Dr. Kemp was awarded ISM’s highest honor, the J. Shipman Gold Medal. He is a Professor Emeritus-Management, Drake University and lectures at Iowa State University in Supply Chain Management.

PREMIER EDUCATION SEMINAR:

“Supply Chain Education, Where It Is Going and Why?”

Dr. Michael Crum

Dr. Michael R. Crum is the John and Ruth DeVries Endowed Chair in Business and Professor of Logistics and Supply Chain Management at Iowa State University. He also serves as Associate Dean for Graduate Programs. He earned D.B.A., M.B.A., and B.S. degrees in Transportation Management

from Indiana University. Mike has been a faculty member at Iowa State since 1980, and was a Fulbright Scholar at the Warsaw School of Economics in Warsaw, Poland in 1988-89. His current research interests are in the areas of transportation management and supply chain safety and security. Mike has authored or co-authored more than seventy research publications including five books. His publications appear in the leading journals in the field. Additionally, he has been a principal investigator on three U.S. Department of Transportation research projects. Mike is co-editor of the International Journal of Physical Distribution and Logistics Management and serves on the editorial review boards of three other journals.

Dr. Frank L. Montabon

Dr. Frank L. Montabon’s primary research activities have been in the area of environmentally responsible manufacturing and ISO 14000. He has also done research on process improvement that has included direct involvement with leading firms. Dr. Montabon’s research has been published in various academic journals including International Journal of Production Research, Journal of Supply Chain Management, International Journal of Operations and Production Management, Production and Inventory Management Journal, International Journal of Production Economics, and Omega. He has also presented his research at numerous annual meetings of the Decision Sciences Institute (DSI). Dr. Montabon has achieved three certifications from APICS-The Association for Operations Management: Certified in Production and Inventory Management (CPIM), Certified in Integrated Resources Management (CIRM) and Certified Supply Chain Professional (CSCP). He is a member of DSI, Production and Operations Management Society (POMS), APICS, and the Institute for Supply Management (ISM). Dr. Montabon has completed many successful consulting projects for Iowa-based firms.

Mrs. Venessa Pehde

Mrs. Pehde started her academic career at ISU in 2005. She was active in APICS, MIS club, and ISM during her tenure at ISU. She graduated with two majors Operations and Supply Chain Management (OSCM) and Management Information Systems (MIS). Mrs. Pehde began her supply management career at Goodrich Engine Components as a Supply Chain Specialist in August 2008. She plans to acquire her CPIM and CPSM credentials in 2009. She is also the Secretary of ISM-CI.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Des Moines, IA, Business Professionals to Observe Supply Management Month

March 2009 marks the recognition of the local and worldwide importance of the supply management profession by the Institute of Supply Management-Central Iowa (ISM-CI).

Des Moines, IA; January 30, 2008. ISM-CI will celebrate local and worldwide importance of the supply management profession during 2008 Supply Management Month. Each March, ISM-CI joins with other supply management associations worldwide to bring attention to the influential role supply professionals of all titles and organizational roles bring to all business sectors.

In recognition of Supply Management Month, ISM-CI will host two professional development and education seminars with professional panelists and a major speaker, Mr. Kraig Koehler, Strategic Supply Manager at Pella Corp to address the significance of strategic Sourcing Processes and what supply management can do to increase value from the supply chains in these trying economic times. The meetings are scheduled at the Prairie Meadows Conference Center, March 10, 2009 beginning at 5:00 PM with dinner at 6:00 PM.

"Supply management professionals make important contributions to the quality, efficiency, and profitability of small and large organizations and businesses in public and private sectors across the United States," says Deb Swartzendruber, CPSM, C.P.M., CPIM, Materials Manager at EFCO. Supply management professionals are responsible for managing and monitoring billions of dollars' of purchases for goods and services every year, which directly influence the U.S. economy."

ISM-CI is an independent affiliate of the world's first and largest supply management institute, Institute for Supply Management™ (ISM). ISM-CI is a not-for-profit association representing more than 150 supply management professionals in manufacturing, government, educational, institutional and service organizations throughout the Central Iowa area.

For more information, visit ISM-CI online at <http://www.ism-ci.org>. You may Visit ISM online at www.ism.ws.

ISM defines supply management as the identification, acquisition, access, positioning, and management of resources and related capabilities the organization needs or potentially needs in the attainment of its strategic objectives. Components of supply management include: Purchasing/Procurement; Strategic Sourcing; Logistics; Quality; Inventory Control; Materials Management; Transportation/Traffic/Shipping; Disposition/Investment Recovery; Warehousing; Distribution; Receiving; Packaging; Product/Service Development; and Manufacturing Supervision.

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