

Theme: Enterprise Performance

Date: January 17, 2025 (FRIDAY)

Time: 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Location:

On-line Webinar

Cost: Free to Members

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IISE Webinar

Industry 4.0/5.0: Modelling the Enterprise to ensure Systems Integration and Enterprise Performance

Please take advantage of this powerful learning opportunity from IISE about the many dimensions of Industry 4.0/5.0. Stavros Stefanis, Deloitte, spoke at our Council on Industrial and Systems Engineering Fall meeting in Washington, DC in September and he willingly agreed to provide IISE and our members and customers with this webinar from that presentation. This was a profound learning opportunity for many attendees and it may be beneficial to you. Registration is required.

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Most IISE webinars are **free** one-hour presentations by knowledgeable professionals and experienced volunteers who provide deeper insight into topics and issues involving industrial and systems engineers and ISE-related disciplines.

You must be able to view Windows Media Files to watch. If the recording does not start automatically, download [this codec](#).

IISE will award continuing education units (CEUs) if you attend the **entire webinar**. Send your request to IISE customer service at cs@iise.org.

IISE members and others qualified to view designated webinars can also review the [webinar archive](#) and access past presentations.

Happy New Year!



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy New Year! I hope that 2024 was good to you, and that you are looking forward to 2025. It promises to be an exciting year, and hopefully your local IISE will be contributing to that.

The officer elections have been held and I want to welcome the new 2025 board to the chapter. This group of dedicated individuals is tasked with continuing to support the local IISE community and provide education and development to its members and future industrial engineers.

Along those lines, I want to encourage everyone to support the local “future cities” competition (www.futurecityphilly.org) that has been a topic of discussion in this newsletter for the past several months. Every year middle school students, potential future engineers, create a mock “future city”, complete with analysis and display modeling, with an emphasis on a particular area. This year’s emphasis is on “floating cities.” Students work all fall and winter to prepare for their final presentations.

The competition culminates on Jan 18th at the Archbishop Carroll High School in Radnor PA. There, the students will have their models on display and will each give visitors a briefing on their findings. They will also take part in a judged presentation and Q&A. At the end of the day, awards will be made for the best schools. It really is energizing to see these future engineers at work. Again, I encourage members to go see them.

We’ve got a good joint meeting with ASQ for January, and I will be doing a presentation in February on making the leap from worker to management (more details on that later). Getting the new program year off with a bang!

Again, I hope all of you are going to have a great new year, and I look forward to talking with you in the months ahead.

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The Saints are the Sinners who keep on trying.
- Robert Louis Stevenson

Talent is always conscious of its own abundance, and does not object to sharing.
--Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn

One might understand the cosmos, but never the ego; self is more distant than any star.
- G.K. Chesterton

TREASURER'S REPORT



Mr. Richard T. Huysie reports a Treasury Balance of \$6,113.14 as of January 7, 2025 for the IIE South Jersey Delaware Valley Senior Chapter No. 132.

CAREER CENTER

South Jersey Delaware Valley Chapter Employment Assistance Network

Are You Looking For A Job? Do You Know Of A Job Opportunity?

Contact The SJC Employment Assistance Network:
Email your name or any hot opportunities to Kevin Drevik at Kdrevik@yahoo.com

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

As of 12/31/2024 the SJDV Chapter has 84 Members.

Welcome New Members!!

There were no new members in December.

Please Don't Go! Time to renew your membership

Boeing Corp. Members
Allan Roberts
Chad Demore
John McGowan
Joseph John
Paul Siebeneicher

Don't forget to renew your IIE Membership!

Your support of your professional society is greatly appreciated. We value your Membership!

"Every person owes a part of his (her) time and money to the business or industry in which he (she) is engaged. No person has a moral right to withhold his (her) support from an organization that is striving to improve conditions within his (her) sphere." – Theodore Roosevelt

Did you know ...

The IIE South Jersey Delaware Valley Chapter will reimburse 50% of Member's Dues if he/she recruits a new full-dues paying member? Please contact the membership director prior to your associate's joining of IIE.

Check out our Chapter's Website!!

<http://www.iiesjdvpc.org>

About Our Next Meeting:

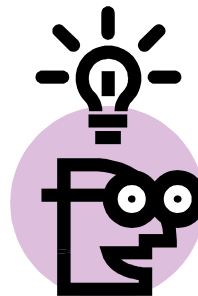
Our February meeting will feature Chapter President Kevin Drevik as speaker and will be a joint meeting with the South Jery Section of ASQ.

The meeting will be held at Adelpia's Restraunt in Deptford, NJ. Detail will be found in the February newsletter.

Save the Date!

February 11, 2025

Hope to see you at a future event!



QUIZ

Here's a one question IQ test to help you decide how you should spend the rest of your day:

There is a mute who wants to buy a toothbrush. By imitating the action of brushing one's teeth, he successfully expresses himself to the shopkeeper and the purchase is done.

Now, if there is a blind man who wishes to buy a pair of sunglasses, how should he express himself?

Think about it first before checking the answer on page 4.

Career Development

IIE EVENTS & TRAINING

EVENTS

DEC 10	Lean Green Belt Livestream Livestream, GA - 3 Days
JAN 20	Lean Six Sigma Green Belt Norcross, GA - 5 Days
JAN 22	Introduction to Supply Chain Management Livestream, GA - 2 Days
JAN 28	Six Sigma Green Belt for Process Improvement Livestream (Los Angeles, CA) Los Angeles, CA - 3 Days
FEB 5	Facilities and Workplace Design Livestream Norcross, GA - 2 Days
FEB 19	MODAPTS Certification Livestream Norcross, GA - 3 Days
MAR 10	Technical Leadership/ Engineer to Leader Certificate Livestream Livestream, GA - 2 Days

For more information:

<https://www.iise.org/Home/>

Thoughts From Drucker

Peter Drucker coined the term “knowledge worker” and he has been described as "the champion of management as a serious discipline". I remember him being often quoted in the management books from my undergraduate days. Here are a few of his quotes:

Efficiency is doing things right; effectiveness is doing the right things.

Everybody has accepted by now that change is unavoidable. But that still implies that change is like death and taxes it should be postponed as long as possible and no change would be vastly preferable. But in a period of upheaval, such as the one we are living in, change is the norm.

Executives owe it to the organization and to their fellow workers not to tolerate nonperforming individuals in important jobs.

Follow effective action with quiet reflection. From the quiet reflection will come even more effective action.

Innovation is the specific instrument of entrepreneurship. The act that endows resources with a new capacity to create wealth.

Knowledge has to be improved, challenged, and increased constantly, or it vanishes.

Making good decisions is a crucial skill at every level.

Management by objective works - if you know the objectives. Ninety percent of the time you don't.



Quiz Answer: He opens his mouth and says, "I would like to buy a pair of sunglasses."

If you got this wrong, please turn off your computer and call it a day.



"Facts do not cease to exist because they are ignored."

-Aldous Huxley



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