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Theme: Networking

Date: September 18, 2024

Time: 6:00 - 8:30pm

Location:

Live Casino 900 Packer Ave. Philadelphia, PA 19148

Cost: Free Appetizer

RSVP:

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Remember!

Chapter members are invited to set up a site tour of their employer's facility for the chapter's membership, in exchange for half off membership dues for a year.

The tour ideally should include at least one topic of interest to IISEs, examples automation, just in time, lean, logistics, etc. The brief proposal should include the name of the employer, the location of the facility, the approximate size of the facility, a sentence or two about the focus of the proposed tour, any date or time suggestions and/or restrictions for the tour, and contact information for a contact person who can arrange such tour.

IISE-SJDVC132 Website: http://www.iisesjdvpc.org

IISE LIVE!

Program Year Starts with A Social at Local Casino



Come join your fellow Industrial Engineers in the Delaware Valley for a night of networking and fellowship. The IISE chapter will be providing appetizers while members can choose their own drinks and discuss the upcoming 3rd and 4th quarter challenges.

Live Sports and Social is a sports bar open to the casino floor, which will allow members to have open discussions and to enjoy a great group atmosphere while discussing the engineering challenges of the year!



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Welcome back from summer,

Its been a hot one, and many of the folks I know have been busy with their work and lives over the last three months. The IIE chapter board has been busy developing a fun and exciting program year, starting with our event at the Live Casion (see the event info in this newsletter and the mid-summer newsletter). Later this fall we will be having additional program meetings and our annual December dinner with the Philadelphia Engineering Society.

AS you are aware, one of the other goals of the chapter is to provide guidance and to mentor young engineers as they prepare to join the profession. Our chapter will be reaching out in the fall to Temple and Rutgers Industrial Engineering students to present on engineering topics which focus on new engineer needs (Resume writing, interviewing, basic finances, etc.). If members are interested in assisting in the presentations, please reach out to our coordinator, Ryan Flaherty, at flaherty.ryanp@gmail.com.

I wanted to take a moment out to thank the chapter board of directors. Without their hard work and efforts throughout the years, the chapter would not be doing as well, or be as active. Some of the members have been serving for decades, some only for a few years, and some are very new. All of them have put in a lot of effort so far this year, and I'm proud to work alongside them.

Again, I look forward to working with everyone in the months ahead.

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Brains Teasers

- 1) What can run, but never walks? Has a mouth, but never talks? Has a head, but never weeps? Has a bed, but never sleeps?
- 2) If two's company, and three's a crowd, what are four and five?

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TREASURER'S REPORT



Mr. Richard T. Huysie reports a Treasury Balance of \$6,362.74 as of August 28, 2024 for the IISE 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 7/31/2024 the SJDV Chapter has 86 Members.

<u>There are No New Members in August.</u>

Please Don't Go! Time to renew your membership

Alexandra Lee	James Casey
Colleen Molczan	Joseph Beck
Heather Chivinski	Ryan Dolan
Luke Pennington	David Manley
Rachael DeCecco	
Richard Aubert	
Paula Lagonigro	
Rick Spranger	

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.iisesjdvpc.org

Good Stuff

Measure wealth not by the things you have, but by the things you have for which you would not take money.

The best way to forget your own problems is to help someone else solve theirs.

'It is easier to go down a hill than up, but the view is from the top.



About Our Next Meeting:

October Meeting Not Confirmed

Our October program has not been confirmed. One possibility is a joint meeting with the South Jersey Section of ASQ.

Tours are becoming a bit more difficult to schedule. If your organization allows tours; please let a board member know for future consideration. Also, if there is a topic that you would like to present, we would be interested in hearing about it!

Hope to see you at a future event!

Career Development

IIE EVENTS & TRAINING

UPCOMING COURSES

SEPEthical Decision Quality
Livestream, GA - 2 Days10Introduction to Supply Chain
Management12Norcross, GA - 2 DaysSEPWork Measurement
Norcross, GA - 2 Days1919

For more information: https://www.iise.org/Home/

IISE Regional VPs Form Committee to Revisit Funding to Local Chapters

Our IISE Northeast Regional VP Michael Testani informed Chapter President Kevin Drevik that the IISE RVPs have formed a committee to investigate an alternative to address the rebate decision for professional chapters. Last May, IISE announced that they would no longer provide dues rebates to chapters.

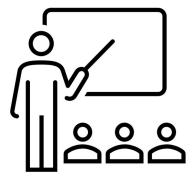
Several chapters, including the SJDV Chapter, have expressed disappointment in the decision and decision-making process.

Feedback from the Regional VP Committee is expected in the next several weeks. The chapter board appreciate reconsideration of the rebate decision.

Brain Teaser Answers (Page 2)

- 1) A river
- 2) Nine

Back to School!



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