

Institute of Industrial Engineers: Changing Times

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Fellowship Night and Induction of 2009 Officers: January 14th at The Gathering Place

What: Join us for fellowship night! We will induct the new officers for 2009 and enjoy dinner, networking, and prizes!

RSVP to Chirag Modi CModi@stonge.com by
Monday January 5th

If you are able, please bring some door prizes
from your company

Dinner Menu Includes:
Chicken Breast
Tossed Salad
Baked Potato
Mixed Vegetables
Apple Crisp

When: Wednesday January 14th
at 6PM

Where:
The Gathering Place
6 Pine St.
Mt. Joy, PA
(www.gatheringplacemj.com)

Cost:
Members: \$15
Non-Members: \$20
Students: \$5



Please take a minute
to vote in our 2009
Officer Election!
(details on pages 2-3)



Directions:

From Elizabethtown: Take Rt. 230 East, at the 5th red light turn left onto North Barbara Street, and then turn right onto Pine Street.

From Harrisburg: Take Rt. 283 East to Rt. 772 exit, turn right onto 772 West, travel 1.6 miles, just after bridge turn left onto Barbara St., and then turn left onto Pine St.

From Manheim: Take 772 West on Manheim/Mount Joy Road, 1.6 miles after crossing Rt. 283, turn left onto Barbara St., then left onto Pine St.

From Lancaster: Take Rt. 283 West to Rt. 230 exit, travel 3 miles to the fifth red light, turn



2009 Officer Elections



Position	Name	Company
President - Elect	Chirag Modi	St Onge Company
Past President	Amy Ma	Nestle Foods
Vice-President	Jeremy Rank	The Hershey Company
Treasurer	Tom Burson	B. Thomas Burson Consulting
Community Outreach Director	Kaitlin Hartzell / Bill Schuck	Tyco Electronics
Membership Director	Jill Kovach	Nutec Group
Publications Director	Nicole Rank	The Hershey Company
Program Director	Paul Spohn	St Onge Company
Website Director	Monica Block	Case New Holland

**Please e-mail your votes to
Chirag Modi CModi@stonge.com
by Monday January 5th, 2009.
Biographies for new officers can
be found on page 3.**



New Officer Biographies



Monica Block – Industrial Engineer, Case New Holland

Monica Block is an Industrial Engineer at Case New Holland. As an IE, she supported the transfer of new products to the New Holland plant, checks rates, supports the World Class Manufacturing initiative, and maintains the plant layouts. Monica holds a BS in Industrial Engineering from Milwaukee School of Engineering. She can be reached directly at monica.block@cnh.com.



Kaitlin Hartzell– Industrial Engineer, Tyco Electronics

Kaitlin has been with Tyco Electronics since June 2007 as an Industrial Engineer. She works in a central IE function that supports various product lines through responsibilities such as cost saving initiatives, capacity planning, and determining manufacturing costs, to name a few. In addition, Kaitlin is working towards becoming a certified Green Belt. Prior to joining TE, Kaitlin was a student at Elizabethtown College, where she majored in Engineering Physics. During her time as a student, Kaitlin interned at several companies, including Kellogg's and Bayer HealthCare, as a Packaging Engineer intern and Industrial Engineer intern, respectively. In the fall, she plans to begin classes to obtain her MBA. Kaitlin has been a member of IIE since 2007 and can be reached at Kaitlin.hartzell@tycoelectronics.com.



Jill Kovach- Industrial Engineering & Supply Chain Consultant, The Nutec Group

Jill has been with Nutec for just over 1 year. Nutec is an Architectural/Engineering/Construction firm in York, PA. Jill works with many companies in different industries to analyze, improve, support, or design new or existing processes, primarily in the manufacturing & food and beverage markets. She also works with companies to analyze, improve, or design their logistics distribution network, warehousing, and supply chain. Jill graduated from Penn State in 2000 with a bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering. After graduation she gained experience in distribution at World Kitchen and Lord & Taylor service centers, and manufacturing at General Motors and Schindler Elevator manufacturing facilities. She returned to school at night to get her MBA from Mount St. Mary's University in 2006.

Palu Spohn– Director, Business Development, St. Onge Company

Paul Spohn specializes in business development activities focused on sales efforts to all industrial sectors helping to provide St. Onge Company with a continuous stream of qualified Fortune 1000 prospects including prospecting efforts North and South of the borders as well as overseas

Paul's efforts with the St. Onge Company have resulted in major projects with but not limited to the following; Staples, Sonoco Products, Nestle Waters, Sears, Hallmark, American Greetings, Haworth, Ft. Wayne/Ft. Howard, Anderson Windows, State Farm, Schering-Plough, Washington Post, Federal Express, Dell, Haworth, Target, David's Bridal, Diageo, CertainTeed, Dicks Sporting Goods, Sephora and Chicco FAS

Paul's pro-active style has aided in the idea generation and implementation of branding campaigns and related marketing materials for trade shows, multimedia, and direct mailing campaigns. Additionally Paul is editor-in-chief of the St. Onge Monthly Newsletter the 'St. Onge Digest' which is read by hundred's of subscribers nationwide. He has been with St. Onge Company since October of 1993.



Treasury Report- Budget Apr 08- November 08

ACTIVITY:	YEARLY BUDGET	ACTUAL YTD
Dues Income	\$1,395	\$537
Investment Income	\$1,053	(\$3,664)
Monthly Meetings	(\$930)	(\$247)
Scholarships	(\$1,000)	\$0
Publications (Directory)	(\$80)	\$0
Newsletter	(\$20)	\$0
Student Development (Nat./Regional Conf.)	(\$500)	\$0
Community services (Engineer's week)	(\$210)	\$0
Member services (Chapt. Pres. To National)	(\$800)	\$0
Officer BOD meetings	(\$175)	\$0
Oper. Supplies	(\$25)	\$0
Miscellaneous	(\$25)	\$0
TOTAL	(\$1,317)	(\$3,375)



Member Spotlight- José D. Cruz- Industrial Engineer, Bayer Corporation Company

Jose is an Industrial Engineer with Bayer since July, 2005. He is working with Industrial, Project, and Documentation Engineering at Bayer's Myerstown, PA plant. His main responsibilities include planning and execution of capital investment projects, computer simulation and analysis of production processes, lean manufacturing implementation, and development and execution of equipment installation/qualification protocols. Prior to joining Bayer, José worked as an Intern at Warfel Construction Company in Lancaster, PA where he provided support to Senior Engineers during the execution of construction projects. José has a Bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering from Elizabethtown College. He has been an IIE member since 2005. *José can be reached at jose.cruz.b@bayer.com*

Career Center

Is your company looking for engineers or student co-op's? Post it in the IIE newsletter and website. Contact our Business Outreach Director, at jobs@iie71.org for posting information.

Member Accomplishments

Received a promotion?, Participated in a charitable event?, Recently welcomed a new addition to your family (child, grandchild, puppy)?

We want to know what our fellow members are up to, both in their personal and professional life! If you would like your accomplishment included in our newsletter, send a brief description of the event along with a photo to our Membership Director Jeremy (membership@iie71.org) and we will include it in our next newsletter.



2007–2008 Vision and Mission Statement

Our primary goal as a local IIE chapter is to provide our members in Lancaster, Dauphin, York, Lebanon, Adams and Cumberland, Perry, and Franklin counties with helpful information, interesting and informative activities, and a means to communicate with other IE's We will utilize all the resources at our disposal to maintain and grow our chapter membership.

2007-2008 Board of Directors

President:

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Member Information

IIE Chapter 71 membership status as of December 2008:

Total: 93

New: 1

Transferred Out/Dropped: 3

