Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing Lean Network

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Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing Lean Network

– Established Spring of 2008

– Started with Advisory Group

Support Partners
Purdue TAP/MEP & IPFW Continuing Studies
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How we Got Started

- **Advisory Committee**
  - Mission/vision/goals
  - Outline meeting format/frequency
  - Determine schedule/topics
  - Location of meeting
  - Who should be invited to participate
  - Determine how to market network
  - Meet periodically for course correction/refresh
Many events over the years

Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network
May 13, 2008

July 15, 2008

September 16, 2008
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Smith Brothers

November 4, 2008
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour BioLab

November 18, 2008
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Our Sunday Visitor

December 3, 2008
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Lean Overview

January 20, 2009
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Value Stream Mapping

March 17, 2009
Northeast Indiana Human Resource Conference: Break the Mold, Create Opportunities

May 21, 2009
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Quick Changeover/SMED- Overview/Demos

July 21, 2009
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour NISCO

September 22, 2009
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Vera Bradley Designs

October 6, 2009
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Smith Brothers

October 13, 2009
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Bunge North America

October 13, 2009
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- OEE Presentation and Demonstration

November 11, 2009
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Green Enterprise Development

January 20, 2010
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Problem Solving/Root Cause Analysis

March 17, 2010
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Thera-Ma-Tru Tour

May 20, 2010
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network - Building a Problem Solving Culture

July 21, 2010
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network - Lean Administration/Office

September 23, 2010
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Visual Production Control Systems

January 25, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Advanced Assembly Tour

March 22, 2011

April 12, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Six Sigma & Lean

May 18, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Team Presentations

July 19, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Lean Overview

July 22, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Da-Lite Screen Tour

September 23, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Oji Intertech

October 27, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Leaders of Lean Panel

November 29, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Leaders of Lean Panel (WC)

December 8, 2011
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Da-Lite Screen Tour #2

January 20, 2012
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Building Blocks of Lean

February 21, 2012

February 29, 2012
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Lean Office

June 20, 2012
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Ergonomics & Lean Manufacturing

June 26, 2012
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Our Sunday Visitor
August 28, 2012
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Tuthill
September 25, 2012
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- OEE: Overall Equipment Effectiveness
September 27, 2012
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour PHD
October 31, 2012
Northeast Indiana Advanced Manufacturing (Lean) Network-Tour Pyromation
November 14, 2012
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Lean Office Management
November 29, 2012
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network- Administrative/Office Process Improvement
December 11, 2012
March 26, 2013
March 27, 2013
Northeast Indiana Adv. Mfg. (Lean) Network: The Importance of Leadership in Sustaining Lean
June 4, 2013
June 6, 2013
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network: Wayne Metals Tour
September 24, 2013
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network: Trelleborg Tour
October 1, 2013
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network: CTB Tour
October 8, 2013
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network: Enterprise Design and Leadership Lab
December 6, 2013
February 21, 2014
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network: TWI Training Within Industry Overview
February 25, 2014
April 29, 2014

IPFW Division of Continuing Studies Faculty Roundtable
August 21, 2014
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network:
October 22, 2014
December 16, 2014

December 17, 2014
April 14, 2015
April 15, 2015
June 9, 2015
Northeast Indiana Adv. Manufacturing (Lean) Network: Org./Enterprise Direction & Communication
June 10, 2015
What Is a Lean Network?

Diverse companies – various stages of lean implementation
- Reduce costs
- Better satisfy your customers
- Improve your bottom lines . . .

by integrating high-performance methods and techniques!
Why?

It’s Tough Out There!

- Increased worldwide competition
- Produce more with existing resources (not reduced? )
To Stay Competitive...

- Eliminate overproduction
- Make only what your customers want, when they want it!
- Eliminate waste and create flow, companywide
Learning/Implementing “Lean Manufacturing” approaches

- Seminars/workshops
- Reading books
- Employee training
- Outside consultants
- All the above
Something’s Missing!
Learning from one another!
Benefits

• Tap into resources: one another & others
• Gain fresh perspectives: from one another & others
• Share real-world experiences
• Access latest news and views
• Tour facilities to see lean “in action”
• Reduce training costs
Approach:

Steal shamelessly from one another with permission!
Lean Network is strong!!!

- Current Advisory Board posted to website

Support Partners

- IPFW Systems Engineering - Jennifer Oxtoby and Jason Barnes

- IPFW Continuing Studies – Training Outreach – Melissa Kurten

- Purdue TAP / MEP – Troy Haynes
Questions and More Questions!