



Hamilton Chapter

**** SPECIAL EXECUTIVE NIGHT ****

***Speaker switch – WOW, welcome Brian Rawson
(see next page to learn more)***

Is Lean Manufacturing part of your past, present, or future career path?

Did it succeed – will it succeed – do you want it to succeed?

Or, are you just interested in learning more World Class information
about Lean?

With that, please join us for another memorable Professional
Development Meeting (PDM) that dives deeper into successful
implementation techniques of Lean Manufacturing.

April 23, 2015 Professional Development Meeting

PDM Topic: Strategy in Action – Lean Implementation and the Human Factors

Join in and be part of a very energetic and highly animated working session that touches the heart of Lean in Process / Mechanical Industries and learn insight about two successful aspects of Lean from a successful World Class leader.

In this session, you will discover techniques about pragmatic implementations of Lean principles in the Process and Mechanical Industries. These techniques will describe the “What, How and When to do it.”

Additionally, you will hear important details about the Human Factors involved when implementing Lean to help you discover “Why to do it” so you can hold the gains!



Speaker: Brian Rawson – Independent Consultant / SolvingEfeso

Brian moved from the UK in 2007 to join the SolvingEfeso consulting company, as a senior consultant. He worked for 14 years in the UK at Parker Hannifin, reaching the position of Value Stream Manager, within the Mobile Controls Division. Prior to that, he held a supervisory position in a Japanese company, NSK, which manufactures ball and roller bearings for all industries. Brian also worked for the Cummins group as a global Lean Manager in their Generator technology division helping them create their Lean/Six Sigma strategy. He is a time served mechanical Engineer by trade and his passion and beliefs are that anything and everything can be improved. Brian's training and education in Lean is world class, he has been trained by ex-Toyota sensei's who became his mentors. Brian took a sabbatical from consulting in 2010 and became the CEO of the Dyson Corporation – a 3 year business growth project, to help them create and implement the Dyson Lean system.

Brian now runs his own independent consulting company, Rolatech Ltd, working with local as well as multi-national clients to help them reduce losses, improve capacity and grow sales. He also carries out contract work for SolvingEfeso.

As an adjunct professor at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio, he personally developed a course on Lean as a strategy – and how to implement the system and sustain the gains. He is proud of his career, one that has taken him around the world and enabled him to work in many diverse cultures and meet many work colleagues that became his friends.

Don't forget to bring your Executives (for free)

Location: Burlington Waterfront Hotel Downtown

Cost: \$20 - Members
\$25 - Non-Members
\$ 5 - Student Non-Members
Free - Student Members
Free - Executive(s)

Time: Doors open at 6:30PM (for networking)