



Are the Eight Wastes Destroying Your Profits?

Learn how to **Banish Waste in Your Organization!**

Fort Wayne, IN - May 14 - 15



Event Description:

Understanding the 8 Wastes is the foundation of lean thinking. Without a detailed comprehension of what they are, you won't see them. Without a plan to eliminate them, they will continue to rob you of profits.

In most organizations, much of the daily effort is spent on wasteful activities. How much of your time do you spend fighting fires, expediting parts, or other activities which do not help reduce the waste in your operation, but merely allow you to make it through another day?

To eliminate waste, management, engineering, and supervisors must first understand the concepts and methods needed to develop and drive the organization toward a vision which they continuously champion. If you're interested, this event will help you start your journey!

This Event Will Help You:

- Understand the benefits of becoming "Lean"
- Learn about the 8 Wastes and develop strategies to banish waste from your organization
- Learn how to use 5S as a lever to start your lean journey
- Understand the sequence of implementing lean and develop a roadmap for your lean effort
- Develop an appreciation for standardized work and develop a roadmap for standardized work implementation
- Avoid Common Mistakes in Lean Implementation Efforts

Who Should Attend?

Operations Executives
Managers and Supervisors
Engineering Executives
Manufacturing and Product Engineers
Project Leaders

Cost :

\$575 per Person



Location:

**Memorial Coliseum
Fort Wayne, IN**
4000 Parnell Avenue
Fort Wayne, IN 46805

White Room

Meals Provided:

Continental Breakfast

Chilled Juices
Seasonal fresh fruit and berries
Assorted freshly baked breakfast pastries

Deli Lunch

Ham, turkey breast, roast beef
Southern style potato salad and Broccoli slaw
Sliced seasonal fruit
Potato chips
Assorted fresh baked cookies and brownies

Parking:

Coliseum parking cost \$4.00 / day



Course Agenda:

Day 1

1. Continental Breakfast and Social Time (8:30 AM)
2. The Value of Lean Thinking (9:00 AM)
3. Box Lunch – (Noon)
4. Using 5S to Start Your Lean Journey (1:00 PM to 4:30 PM)

Day 2

1. Continental Breakfast and Social Time (8:30 AM)
2. Are the 8 Wastes Destroying Your Profits? (9:00 AM)
- Banishing waste from your organization
3. Deli Lunch – (Noon)
4. Standardized Work and Creating Flow (1:00 PM)
5. Closing and Dismissal (4:30 PM to 4:45 PM)

About Event Leader - Brian Krichbaum:

Brian Krichbaum is the President of Process Coaching Incorporated, a high-impact consultancy committed to helping organizations improve their operational performance, using lean techniques and systems coaching.

Brian is a 1983 graduate of Ohio Northern University with a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering and a 1988 MBA graduate from Ashland University. Brian's career has been intertwined with lean thinking, and he has held various positions in engineering and operations management.

Brian was formally introduced to the Toyota Production System (Lean Manufacturing) when he joined ASC Incorporated as Program Manager for a Toyota Convertible program. During his tenure at ASC, he was promoted several times; eventually becoming Vice President of Operations and Open Air Division.

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