

Notice of Membership Meeting

Tuesday October 23rd, 2018

Art Gallery of Burlington

1333 Lakeshore Road, Burlington
(See Map & Directions Below)

7:00pm Registration-Social-Networking
Coffee /Tea

7:30pm Welcome and Presentation

Fee: Free to members in good standing who pre-register

Students are FREE

Non-member Guests are Welcome (\$10Fee)



Driving Directions

From Niagara or Hamilton East-Take the first exits (North Shore Blvd) at the north end of the Skyway Bridge. Keep to the right, pass the Joseph Brant Hospital and Maple Ave. Turn left at Brock Ave and make an immediate right into the driveway of the Art Gallery of Burlington. If you miss the driveway, continue to the corner of Brock and Elgin and make a right-enter the parking lot on your right.

From Toronto or Hamilton West-Take QEW Niagara and exit at North Shore Blvd. Turn left at the end of the ramp and continue under the QEW. You will pass the Joseph Brant Hospital and Maple Ave. Turn left at Brock Ave and make an immediate right into the driveway of the Art Gallery of Burlington. If you miss the driveway, continue to the corner of Brock and Elgin and make a right-enter the parking lot on your right.

Members planning to attend this meeting please email BV Alexander at balexander11@cogeco.ca by October 17th. Please include name(s) of any guests so we can plan refreshments accordingly.

Topic: Advanced Product Quality Planning (APQP)

Speaker: Frank Battista (Operations/Plant Manager Niagara Piston)

Abstract

APQP (Advanced Product Quality Planning) establishes all the activities needed to implement an effective launch of any business process, product or service in any facet. This may be in manufacturing, marketing, retail, and other processes where the reduction of variability and risk remains evident. APQP is a process not an event, it is ongoing, it requires a team approach and requires that it be maintained with consistent continuous improvement. The process includes implementation of the PDCA cycle - Plan, Do, Check, Act. APQP supports and achieves customer satisfaction.

About the Speaker

Franco (Frank) Battista, currently with Niagara Piston, has been working in the automotive manufacturing industry in the capacity of Quality Assurance Manager and Operations/Plant Manager for over 20 years. Experiences also include Original Equipment Manufacturing within Skyjack (Scissor Lift, Tele handlers, Booms). He holds several ASQ certifications and has a background in Material Science, Operations and Business Management.

Message from the Chair,

Dear Friends,

As mandated by the ASQ Bylaws, we need to conduct elections for the following Office Bearers in the Section Leadership Team: - Chair-elect, Secretary and Treasurer.

Elections will be conducted on 23 October 2018, during the October section event.

For more details please visit our ASQ Hamilton website: <http://www.asqhamilton.com/>

Have a great day and looking forward to see you all at our October 23rd section event.

Sincerely,
BV Alexander
Chair, ASQ Hamilton Section



Other Upcoming ASQ Events

Event	Link
ASQ Hamilton Chapter	http://www.asqhamilton.com/calendar.pdf
ASQ Toronto Chapter	http://asqtoronto.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/2018-2019-ASQ-Toronto-Presentation-Schedule-Oct-27-2018.pdf
ASQ Kitchener Chapter	http://www.asqkitchener.wordpress.com/events/

Advantages of Senior Membership!

Take advantage of an ASQ Senior Membership and get the benefit of enhanced benefit selections! A Senior Membership allows you to choose ONE of the extra benefit options listed below which is included with Senior Membership dues of \$159.00,

- Select one journal of your choice

Select two forums/divisions of your choice

- Select one additional section of your choice

To become a Senior Member, all you need to do is meet the following criteria;

- You have been an ASQ Full member and in good standing for one year
- Have 10 years of professional experience
- Meet one of four professional criteria outlined on the Senior Membership application

Go to <http://asq.org/membership/individuals/senior.html> for more information on the exciting benefits of Senior Membership

Jobs and Ads Web Page

Check out our Jobs & Ads web page for employment opportunities in the quality field. Link on side bar at www.asqhamilton.com

Also posted on [LinkedIn](#) and on [Facebook](#)

ASQ Hamilton members seeking employment or a career change can also have their resumes posted in the Classified Section of our Jobs and Ads web page.

There is no charge for this service to our members. Resumes (MS Word preferred) should be sent to the section webmaster Stan Sobota at stats_me@email.com

The ASQ Hamilton Section Newsletter is posted online about seven times per year to announce upcoming section meetings, facility tours and other events of interest to members.

The news letter will be sent electronically only to those members who have agreed to receive Section information by e-mail.

IMPORTANT: To ensure that you receive your electronic copy, as well as special announcements of ASQ events in between issues, check your ASQ profile at www.asq.org. Login and type the word profile in the search box.

Select My Account: Update You're my ASQ Profile, and verify that your correct e-mail address is included in your profile.

IF YOU HAVE CHANGED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS, PLEASE UPDATE IT AS

DESCRIBED ABOVE.WE CANNOT UPDATE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS AT

THE SECTION LEVEL.

Editors: George Matthews/ Adeel Syed