



CCTC WORKSHOPS 2017

AUGUST

Best Practice Study Tour – KZN

Learn from some exceptional firms in both the automotive and clothing sectors. The tour comprises three firm visits over two days, including a mix of workshops, presentations and factory walk-throughs.

Facilitator: BMA

Audience: Senior management

WCM: Total Quality Management (TQM) and Just-In-Time (JIT)

This two-day World Class Manufacturing workshop comprises both theory and practical sessions, giving delegates an in-depth understanding of Lean principles. Day 1 of the workshop focuses on TQM, a methodology aimed at improving how firm's address quality, while Day 2 focuses on JIT, the process of improving workflow and reducing inventory.

Facilitator: Kelley Rowe (BMA) and Nils Wilkstrom

Audience: Middle management

Theory of Constraints: Unlock Performance by Improving Throughput

TOC is a management methodology for identifying the most important limiting factors that stand in the way of superior manufacturing performance and then systematically improving those constraints/bottlenecks until they are no longer limiting factors. A key feature of TOC is the improvement of profitability through a fundamental shift in focus from cost to throughput.

Facilitator: Konrad Bartel (OpsLogik)

Audience: Senior management

SEPTEMBER

Continuous Improvement: Problem Solving Circles

Over three sessions, participants are trained to develop a range of problem-solving skills that are critical to establishing a culture of continuous improvement in the manufacturing environment. The course includes a practical element, with participants developing a strategy document outlining key performance challenges at their respective firms and a set of remedial actions by the end of the third session.

Facilitator: Lorraine Jannack

Audience: Middle management

Fabric Sourcing Workshop

In a competitive market, sourcing quality fabric at a fair price is key to firm performance. This workshop outlines the DOs and DON'Ts of fabric sourcing.

Facilitator: Dave Mason

Audience: Senior/middle management

OCTOBER

Understanding Fabric

This two-day intensive workshop is aimed at providing clothing manufacturers with a deeper understanding of fabric from a technical perspective. Attendees will be introduced to the basics of fabric types, finishes and how to apply this knowledge, enabling them to make better fabric management decisions.

Facilitator: Penny Olivier

Audience: Middle management

Best Practice Study Tour – Cape Town

In the true spirit of clustering, this tour takes members to a selection of locally-based firms that are currently progressing along their own Lean journey. The Japanese use the phrase Genchi genbutsu, meaning "go and see for yourself".

Facilitator: BMA

Audience: Senior management

NOVEMBER

Data and Performance Management Workshop

As the saying goes, "you can't manage what you don't measure". This workshop discusses the role of data in managing performance and how to improve performance measurement in the CTFL industry.

Facilitator: BMA

Audience: Senior/Middle management