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Peal: A loud sound or succession of sounds <~s of laughter>;
A loud ringing of bells.

Peel: To strip an outer layer of <~an orange>.

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Next Meeting - June 24, 2004

Chair's Message



Henry Roxas CPL
OC SOLE Chair

On May 12th, OC SOLE Chapter held its monthly meeting at the Raytheon's facility in El Segundo. Participants from Long Beach and Fullerton were able to participate. Our guest speaker was Chris Lindberg from Item Software.

Chris conducted a seminar on the Reliability, Availability, Maintainability, Safety (RAMS), and Quality Assurance (QA) Software Solutions. The software solutions consist of RAMS and QA suites, and the Quantitative Risk Assessment System (QRAS). The RAMS suite (Item Tool Kit) is used for conducting Failure Mode, Effect and Criticality Analysis (FMECA), System Reliability Modelling, Maintainability Analysis, and Reliability Prediction. The QA suite (Item QA) is used for Failure Mode and Effect Analysis (FMEA), document control and audit, calibration analysis, Concern and Corrective Action Management, and Statistical Process Control. QRAS is used in conducting probabilistic risk assessment.

This Chapter's monthly meeting is scheduled for June 24th. The subject of the meeting is "Young Logisticians". Our guest speakers are Arsinneh Shahijanian, Kimberly Dimitri, Susan Ahmadpour, and Denise Anderson. They all work at Raytheon's Logistics Support Engineering Department. They will share with us their thoughts, current assignments, background, expectations, experiences, and challenges. Don't forget to mark your calendar for this enlightening get together from 6:00 to 8:30 pm.

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Chair's Message (Continued)



The chapter held a staff meeting on June 14th. The staff discussed future speakers and meetings, status of the CPL preparatory class, finance, and action items. The CPL preparatory class is on-going. The chapter praises the efforts of Sania Smith and Jimmy Turner hosting the classes. Dr. Terry Chacon (Raytheon San Diego) offered to conduct seminar on Total Ownership (Cost)/Life Cycle Cost (LCC). San Diego and Ventura chapters intend to sponsor seminars. The OC chapter also intends to take advantage of Dr. Chacon's offer. Netmeeting is still used as the means to enable remote participants participate in the monthly Raytheon on-site meetings. The chapter still intends to replace Netmeeting with Sametime. However, due to other commitments, completion of the action item has been delayed.

Our OC chapter FY 2005 election is fast approaching. The chapter would like to encourage members to participate in this process. We're looking for other members to serve in our Society. If you are interested or know of anyone, please contact any of the officers.

I would like to welcome Theresa Bui, our newest member. Theresa is a BS Electrical Engineering graduate from Cal Poly Pomona. She is currently working for Raytheon Technical Services Company. Her area of focus is technical authoring.

The Certified Professional Logistician (CPL) training began on April 8, 2004. All classes are held in Raytheon's facility in El Segundo, CA. Sania Smith and Jimmy Turner are conducting the training. If you are interested in participating, and not a Raytheon employee, you can do so through telephone. Please contact any of the chapter officers for more information. Take advantage and participate in this training.

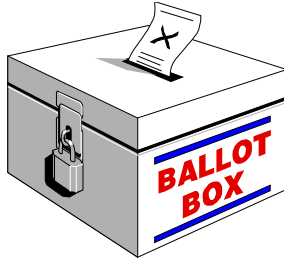
The 39th Annual International Conference and Exhibition will be held in Norfolk, Virginia on August 29th to September 2, 2004. The theme of the conference is "Future Logistics and Integrated Enterprise". This year, the conference will be co-chaired by two powerful and innovative executives responsible for building cutting-edge logistics enterprises. BG Scott G. West, Quartermaster General of the United States Army and Commandant of the US Army Quartermaster Center will serve as both the Industry Chair and the conference host. Joining him, as the Industry Chair is Clayton Jones. If interested, you can register now at www.sole.org.

Again, I'd like to continually thank the officers and members that continually support the chapter. The OC SOLE chapter would like to encourage more of you to become involved through committee participation, volunteering to speak at a future meeting, and attending meetings from your locations. We need all the help we can get to ensure achievement of the chapter's goals.

**Henry Roxas, CPL
OC SOLE Chair**



Election Nominations



Nominations are being accepted for the 2005 SOLE Board of Directors. All Board positions are open for new or re-nomination of existing Directors. For those of you who were not satisfied with the approach used in '03-04', this is your chance to make a change. Or

maybe you'd just like to get involved. Elections will be held in August and will be handled in the same way as last year; you'll be sent a nominatin form via email, and asked to respond in kind. Please be sure Leland Boone lelandboonepubs2@yahoo.com has your current email address to ensure timely delivery of your ballot.

The following positions are up for nomination:

Chairman	Mandatory
Vice Chair Finance	Mandatory
Vice Chair Administration	Mandatory
Vice Chair Operations	Optional
Vice Chair Technical	Optional
Vice Chair Professional Development	Optional

At least ten votes must be received for an officer to be elected.

Chapter Board members will serve a one-year term, beginning in October 2004.

Ref: Management Manual, SOLE The International Society of Logistics, 1 October 1999.

A brief description of the Roles and Responsibilities of the Board Members follows.

The **Chapter Chairperson** is responsible for the general administration, coordination, and control of chapter activities. The Chapter Chair provides liaison with District and Headquarters officials as required, and participates in the SOLE annual assembly meeting. The Chapter Chair, along with other board members, ensures the Chapter supports the goals of SOLE in providing accessible, technical growth, and networking for the Chapter members.

The **Vice Chair Finance** is responsible for maintaining and reporting the finances of the Chapter to the Board and to Headquarters. A retiring Vice Chair - Finance initiates the necessary forms to transer the bank accounts to the new Vice Chair - Finance prior to September of the new term of office.

The **Vice Chair Administration** keeps the written records of the Chapter. The Vice Chair of Administration schedules the meetings, makes arrangements for facilities and equipment, and records minutes. The Vice Chair of Administration submits election reports, and quarterly Chapter activity reports to Headquarters. The Vice Chair of Administration appoints the following positions: Membership Chairperson, Newsletter Editor, and Webmaster.

The **Vice Chair Operations** assists the Chapter chair, supervises the general operation of the Chapter including planning Chapter meetings and appoints and provides leadership for the following committees: Awards, Public Relations, and Meeting Coordination.

The **Vice Chair Technical** is responsible for sustaining and developing the technical standards of the chapter, including arranging for training courses and technical workshops.

The **Vice Chair of Professional Development** appoints committee chairpersons and provides leadership for the Professional Development and Conference/Workshop committees..

Please forward your nominations no later than July 31st.





New Member Bios



Please welcome our new members to OC SOLE!

Julie Larson!

For nearly 1.5 years, I've worked on the Boeing - Sea Launch program (www.sea-launch.com). I've been here. Logistics makes this program function - no rockets, no launches.... no fuel, no launches.

As the Logistics Specialist assigned to Global Logistics, I coordinate. The movement of rocket segments, parts, consumables, fuel and propellants from Russia, the Ukraine, and Seattle bringing it all to Home Port out on the Old Navy Mole on Terminal Island (Port of Long Beach).

As a heritage McDonnell Douglas employee, I have 14.5 years in Aerospace with an additional 2 plus years in the packaging industry. I am currently enrolled in the CSULB-extension Global Logistics Specialist program.

Julie Larson
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Theresa Bui!

I'm so excited to be a member of the SOLE, Orange County Chapter! I'll be taking the CPL exam this fall and looking forward to meeting everyone. Here's my brief bio:

- B.S. Electrical Engineering, Cal Poly Pomona, 1988
- Hughes Support System, Technical Publication Department, 1988 - 1998
- Rockwell Collins, Passenger Systems, Technical Publication Department, 1998 - 2000
- Hughes Space & Communications/Boeing, Ground Systems, 2000 - 2003
- Raytheon, Technical I, 2003 - Present.

My main area of focus is technical writing, but I have performed multiple engineering tasks throughout my career. Sr. Multi-Disciplined Engineer II 310.647.9759 310.647.8756 fax theresa_p_bui@raytheon.com

James W. Shockley, Jr.!

James Shockley is employed by ARINC as a Principal Analyst supporting the Space and Missile Center (Air Force Space Command) at Los Angeles Air Force Base, El Segundo, CA. He is supporting the commander's Systems Engineering Revitalization effort within the Systems Acquisition Directorate by providing engineering and technical services to the Acquisition Center of Excellence, Chief Engineer, and the Component Engineering Branch.

Prior to assuming his current position, Mr. Shockley was employed by Honeywell Technology Solutions, Inc. as Logistics Branch Manager, Satellite Control Network Contract, Colorado Springs, CO. During his tenure at Honeywell, he directly supported the company's Business Development efforts on four separate proposal efforts, including Space Lift Range Support Contract, Command, Control Systems (Consolidated) Contract, and the Instrumentation Radar Support Program.

Mr. Shockley retired after 23 years service with the US Air Force in the grade of lieutenant colonel. During his career, he served as Assistant Deputy Director for Logistics, US Space Command; Chief, US-UK Logistics Coordination Cell and NATO Southern Region Logistics Planner, HQ US European Command; Commander, 608 Composite Aircraft Maintenance Squadron; and Exchange Officer with the Royal Air Force, 228 Operational Conversion Unit.

After retiring from the Air Force, Mr. Shockley entered the Colorado Alternate Licensure Program, earned a Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction, and obtained a teaching license, and was subsequently hired as an elementary school teacher at Ivywild Elementary School in Colorado Springs, CO.

Mr. Shockley's education also includes a Masters of Science from the University of Southern California, and a Bachelor of Arts from Colorado State University. His Professional Military Education includes Squadron Officers School, Air Command and Staff College, and Air War College.



CPL Exam



Certified Professional Logistician (CPL) Exam

Jimmy Turner and Sania Smith kicked off the 2004 CPL Exam Training effort at noon on April 8th in El Segundo. CPL exams are also given the first Saturday in November. All new applications postmarked by August 1st for the November exam. Payment must accompany the application.

The cost is \$125 for SOLE members and \$275 for non-members.

Applications and information about the CPL test can be found on the SOLE website at

<http://www.sole.org/cpl.asp>

Troop Remembrance

“... compassionate in victory...” - George Washington

Welcome home troops!

God Bless America!



<http://www.presidentialprayerteam.org>



Chapter News



Membership

If you have let your membership lapse, please take a moment to review benefits of continuing your membership, SOLE is *THE* professional organization for Logisticians and Logistics professionals. As a member, you are part of an elite group that is dedicated to the growth and future of our field. Being a member demonstrates your commitment to the field of Logistics to your peers, your managers, and customers. Membership by itself and most certainly when coupled with a Certified Professional Logistician certification can enhance your resume and give you and your company the edge in winning new proposals. It can give you the edge in being selected for new opportunities and enhance your professional growth. So keep your membership current and, better yet, become involved in the Chapter through easy to attend noontime meetings, submitting articles to the SOLE publications, or if you are able, you can attend SOLE conferences at reduced prices. Members also receive the SOLE Spectrum to their mailbox in an easy to read format. For more information, contact your friendly membership committee chairman,

Floyd Horton, CPL at (310) 952-4576 or e-mail at fhorton@raytheon.com

Continuing Study

UCR Extension Summer Quarter Classes

For information contact University of California, Riverside Extension at (909) 787-4111 or check out our web site:

<http://www.UCRExtension.net>

June 24-July 31, 2003 Management of Major Procurements/Subcontract Management, Riverside, California, Tuesdays, Thursdays, 6-9 pm, Fee: \$345.

June 26-August 28, 2003 Introduction to Logistics Management, Riverside, California, Thursdays, 6-9 pm, Fee: \$280.

Deidre Stowell / UCR Extension / (909) 787-3806 x11631

Chapter Elections

Time marches on and waits for none: it may be hard to believe, but the "SOLE" year is quickly coming to a close. We'd like to remind you that annual OC SOLE elections for chapter officer positions are coming in the month of August. That's not too far away. Please forward nominations for any of the positions (listed on the first page of this newsletter) to our newsletter editor, Leland Boone (lelandboonepubs2@yahoo.com). Being a board member is a great way to get involved with the Chapter, and it also earns valuable CPL Recertification points!



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**SOLE – ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER
MAY MEETING NOTICE**

Date and Time

Thursday, June 24, 2004

6:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Guest Speakers

Arsinneh Shahijanian, Kimberly Dimitri, Susan Ahmadpour, Matthew Guilaniano, and Denise Anderson

'Young Logisticians' Night

Location:

Coco's Family Restaurant
2620 N. Sepulveda Blvd
Manhattan Beach, CA
(310) 545-8439

For More Information:

Mark Raftogianis, CPL, (714) 446-3580
Jimmy Turner, CPL (310) 335-6483
Floyd Horton, CPL, (310) 952-4576



Meeting Notice - June 2004

International Society of Logistics

ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER MEETING

- DATE:** Thursday, June 24, 2004
- TIME:** 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm
- AGENDA:**
- 6:00 pm Social
 - 6:30 pm Opening Remarks - Henry Roxas, Chair
 - 6:45 pm Self-Introductions - All Participants
 - 7:00 pm Dinner
 - 7:30 pm Presentation - Arsinneh Shahjianian, Kimberly Dimitri, Susan Ahmadpour, Matthew Guilanians, and Denise Anderson
- TOPIC:** **'Young Logisticians'**
- COST:** Your choice **DINNER:** Selected from Menu
- PLACE:** Coco's Family Restaurant, 2620 N. Sepulveda Blvd,
Manhattan Beach, CA (Phone: 310-545-8439)
Please RSVP, To Arsinneh Shahjianian by June 23, 2004
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- PRESENTERS:** Arsinneh Shahjianian, Kimberly Dimitri, Susan Ahmadpour, Matthew Guilanians, and Denise Anderson

