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## ***“PROFESSIONAL GROWTH THROUGH EDUCATION”***

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### **March 2019 - Full Day Seminar**

### **Project Management for Supply Chain Professionals**

**DATE:** Thursday, March 14, 2019

**PLACE:** The Delaney House  
3 Country Club Road  
Holyoke, MA 01040

**REGISTRATION:** 7:30 – 8:00 am.

**PROGRAM:** 8:15 – 4:30 pm  
Includes Continental Breakfast & Lunch

#### **About the Seminar: Project Management for Supply Management Professionals**

Project management, and the project plan creation and execution, is more than just filling in spaces on a popular software program. It is a formalized approach that includes creating an organizational structure and detailed project framework, managing human and financial resources, controlling the flow of information, identifying and mitigating risk, and meeting business objectives. The use of cross functional teams, the coordination of activities across a global supply chain, the management of complex projects, and the need for structured, fluid, and multi-platform communication makes project management a critical tool for today’s supply management professional. This session will focus on the concepts of creating the project framework, forming the work breakdown structure, establishing communications protocols, and addressing the challenges of using the project management process to manage complex projects within the context of a global supply chain. Special consideration will be given to internal and external project team management and development, especially in those challenging situations involving multi-tier suppliers.

#### **About the speaker: Richard G. Weissman**

Endicott College Assistant Professor Rich Weissman, an experienced supply chain management practitioner and educator, works with businesses to build scalable and sustainable supply chain strategies. His focus includes sales and operations planning, strategic sourcing, process improvement, and sales and customer service management. Weissman teaches operations and supply chain management, marketing, negotiation and conflict management, and managerial economics at the graduate and undergraduate levels. He is past president of the Purchasing Management Association of Boston (ISM-GB) and the recipient of the Harry J. Graham Memorial Award, the highest honor bestowed by the Association. Weissman earned an MS in Management from Lesley University and a BA in Economics from Rutgers University. He writes and speaks extensively on issues impacting the global supply chain.

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