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January Event

Professional Development Meeting

**Wednesday, January 21st,
2009**

Supplier Integration

Speaker

**Duane Hawkins BSME, MBA
Raytheon Missile Systems**

Deputy Vice President of Supply Chain

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Students currently enrolled in the U of A, NAU, ASU and Pima may attend this PDM for \$5 (must reserve in advance).

Location

Las Cazuelitas In front of the Quality Inn

1365 W. Grant Road
Grant & I-10 west of the freeway
Tucson, Arizona 85745

Schedule

Network - 5:30 pm
Dinner - 6:00 pm
Presentation - 7:00 pm

Chose from the following:

- Beef Tamale, Chicken Taco, Cheese Enchilada
- 2 Cheese Enchiladas, Green Corn Tamale

All meals will also come with Rice and Beans and a Soft Drink

Cost: \$12

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About the Speaker:

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Prior to his SCM appointment, Hawkins served as program director for Standard Missile-2 in the Naval Weapons Systems product line, where he was responsible for all aspects of production and development.

Before joining Raytheon in 2001, Hawkins was president and general manager of DRI/Primex, a producer of mechanical components and actuation systems. This experience provides him with a unique and valuable supply chain perspective, having once been a supplier to Raytheon.

Hawkins joined General Dynamics in 1984 as a manufacturing engineer. He rose to the position of factory manager for the GD/Hughes Operations in Pomona, Calif., before leaving in 1993 to join DRI/Primex.

He has a bachelor's degree in engineering from Brigham Young University and a master's degree in business administration from Regis University in Colorado.

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