

# UPCOMING EVENTS 2022

**January 20, 2022**

## **Practical Strategies to Support Cross-training, Teamwork, and Empowerment in QRM Cells**

How to effectively manage employees that are members of QRM cell teams. Topics include the pros and cons of having a team leader, how to prioritize cross-training needs, how to incentivize employees to expand their range of skills and responsibilities, planning a job rotation strategy, and how to ramp up empowerment and accountability without overwhelming people.

Course fees: Non-member, \$295 per person, QRM Center Member, \$175

*Format: Virtual training session*

**February 23, 2022**

## **How to Design Shop Floor Cells to Reduce Lead Times for Custom Products**

How to design effective shop floor cells in a high-mix, low-volume or custom product environment. Topics include where to start with a Focused Target Market Segment, capacity planning, and addressing common challenges like monument processes.

Course fees: Non-member, \$345 per person, QRM Center Member, \$195

*Format: Virtual training session*

**March 15-16, 2022**

## **How to Implement QRM**

A comprehensive overview of the QRM strategy and its four core concepts. Introduces all aspects of QRM and provides a roadmap for implementation.

Course fees: Non-member, \$1195 per person, QRM Center Member, \$695

*Format and Location: In-person training session at the DoubleTree Hotel Downtown Madison*

**April 13, 2022**

## **How to Use Manufacturing Critical-path Time (MCT) for Continuous Improvement and Lead Time Reduction**

See how to use this precise time-based metric to drive improvement in your operations and your supply chain, and learn about the tools available to help you implement the metric.

Course fees: Non-member, \$495 per person, QRM Center Member, \$295

*Format and Location: In-person training session at the Fluno Center*

**May 3, 2022**

## **Presentations of Student Projects with Industry (QRM Center Members Only)**

An exclusive, members-only program showcasing the tangible results of student projects conducted by the QRM Center with industry partners.

*Format: Virtual presentations*

**May 19, 2022**

## **POLCA: The People-friendly Production Control System for High-mix, Low-volume and Custom Products**

Learn how a simple card-based visual system helps to manage complex factories with high-mix, low-volume environments. This workshop provides an overview of how POLCA works, success stories from companies using POLCA, and pointers for implementation.

Course fees: Non-member, \$495 per person, QRM Center Member, \$295

*Format and Location: In-person training session at the Fluno Center*

**June 22, 2022**

## **How to Design Office Cells to Reduce Lead Time for Custom Products**

How to design effective quick-response office cells (Q-ROCs). Topics include design decisions, impacts on organizational structure, and redesigning office processes to facilitate quick response.

Course fees: Non-member, \$495 per person, QRM Center Member, \$295

*Format and Location: In-person training session at the Fluno Center*