



Empire TAPPI/PIMA, Operational Excellence Conference on January 29th at the Queensbury Hotel in Glens Falls, New York.

Conference agenda is on page 2 and the registration form is on page 3. **Registration is free to mill employees.**

This conference will introduce a new format for various suppliers to the paper industry. Six suppliers will present a 10 minute discussion on something new to the market or some problem they have solved.

Speakers will be Dr. Raymond J. Weinert, Lean Six Sigma Master Blackbelt, Manager of Analytical Solutions & Advanced Applications, OMNOVA Solutions; Rajiv Ramchandra, Interim Business Manager at the NYS Pollution Prevention Institute at RIT; Frederic Parent, FP Innovations; Louis Morimanno, Omya Inc.; and Pat Strtevant, Papermaking Consultant.

Empire State TAPPI/PIMA golf tournament will be held on May 21st at the Queensbury Country Club. Preliminary details on page 4.



OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE CONFERENCE

January 29, 2015

Queensbury Hotel, Glens Falls, NY (518) 792-1121

- 8:30-9:00 Registration, Coffee, Continental Breakfast, Exhibitors
- 9:00-9:15 Welcome: Jamie Smith, TAPPI/PIMA Chair
- 9:15-10:00 “Web Performance”, Frederic Parent, FP Innovations
- 10:00-10:20 Break/Exhibitors
- 10:20-11:00 “Calcium Carbonate in Tissue”, Louis Morimanno, Omya, Inc.
- 11:00-12:00 Vendor Showcase Speakers
- 11:50-1:00 Lunch and Exhibitors
- 1:00-2:00 “Sustainability in the Pulp and Paper Manufacturing Industry”, Rajiv Ramchandra, RIT
- 2:00-2:45 “Lean Six Sigma, a Road to Operational Excellence”, Dr. Raymond J. Weinert, OMNOVA Solutions
- 2:45-3:00 Break and Exhibitors
- 3:00-4:00 “Troubleshooting the Papermachine for Runnability” Pat Sturevant, Papermaking Consultant



Registration Form
Empire State TAPPI/PIMA
Operational Excellence Conference
January 29, 2015, Queensbury Hotel,
Glens Falls, NY

Please send the completed form to Kathy Russell,
kathyr@aftekkfilters.com , fax 585-458-7476 by Jan. 23, 2015

Name: _____

Company: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Registration cost for attendees not associated with a paper mill or corrugating facility is \$125 per person and exhibitors space and registration is \$250.



**Join us Thursday, May 21, 2015 at the
Queensbury Country Club for the Empire
State TAPPI / New York Canadian PIMA –**

Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament

**Our annual scholarship fund raising event – golf,
cocktails, dinner & prizes!**

Details coming soon - contact Mark McCollister
(mark.mccollister@paperchine.com) for reservations and sponsorship
opportunities

A great cause & a great day!



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