

NEW BEDFORD CHAPTER #1 APICS PRESIDENTS

1957	Elliot Carruth	Acushnet Process
1958	Edmund Currier	Continental Screw
1959	Carroll Miller	Acushnet Process
1960	Leigh Kingsford	Acushnet Process
1961	David Cabot	Acushnet Process
1962	Paul Robbins	Acushnet Process
1963	Peter Beattle	Morse Cutting
1964	William Mathews	Rodney Metals
1965	Alfred Sylvia	J. C. Rhodes
1966	Robert Mason	Nu-Era gear Mfg.
1967	Alserino P. Loureiro	Acushnet Process
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1969	Gerard Pink	Isotronics
1970	Henry Roszkiewicz	Revere Copper & brass
1971	George J. Sommerfield	Cliftex
1972	Benjamin Barreiro	J. C. Rhodes
1973	Lawrence Rose	Revere Copper & Brass
1974	Robert H. Metcalf	Rodney Metals
1975	Melvin West	Rodney Metals
1976	Arthur B. Shea	Morse Cutting
1977	Hendrik Krosschell, Jr.	Cornell Dubilier Elec.
1978	Bruce DeMoranville	Cornell Dubilier Elec.
1979	C. Robert Collet	Rodney metals
1980	John Copponi	Honeywell
1981	Donald J. Gustafson	Winthrop-Atkins
1982	Wayne Christen	Algonquin Sng. Inc.
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1984	Wayne Tessin	Joseph Pollack Corp.
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1986	Phil Gelinas	Aerovox
1987	James Amaral	Aerovox
1988	William H. Pike, Jr.	Rodney Metals
1989	Bernie Lane	Aerovox
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1991	John Pollock	Boston Gear
1992	John Pollock	Boston Gear
1993	Peter Phillips	Sippican Ocean Systems
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1995	Elaine Roberts	Elbe-Cesco
1996	Elaine Roberts	KOA Infosystems Inc.
1997	Nick S. Cabral	Aerovox, Inc.

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APICS

THE EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY FOR RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

40th
Anniversary



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APICS CHAPTER #1
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dedication

This Program is dedicated to the 27 founding fathers, with special accolades to Isidore Eisner, Production Manager for Aerovox Corporation, Elliot Carruth of Acushnet Process Company and Edmund Currier of the Continental Screw Company for being instrumental in the formation of the American Production and Inventory Control Society (APICS) in October 1957.

In 1958, by successfully obtaining financial aid from IBM, the above practitioners spearheaded the formation of APICS.

In the years that followed, APICS continued to grow and prosper as one of the fastest growing professional societies in American, with "Education" as its theme.



Elliot Carruth



Isidore Eisner



Edmund Currier

40th Anniversary of the Founding of APICS

Saturday, September 20, 1997

6:00 - 12:00 p. m.

Day's Inn
New Bedford, Massachusetts



40th Anniversary Committee

Maria Alves
Benjamin Barreiro
Nick Cabral
Wayne Christen

Pamela Haskins
Cristina Jorge
William Pike
Alfred W. Sylvia, Jr.

Honorary Committee

Paul E. Sheehan, CPIM
Rich Hamre, CFPIM
Selim Noujaim, CFPIM

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Greetings

Paul E. Sheehan, CPIM
Master of Ceremonies

Introduction of Head Table
and Honored Guests

Paul E. Sheehan, CPIM

Presentation of Plaques
to Founding Companies

Rich Hamre, CFPIM

Aerovox, Inc.

Acushnet Rubber Co., Inc.

Tittlist and Foot-Joy Worldwide

Guest Speaker

Selim G. Noujaim, CFPIM

DINNER

Origins of APICS . . .

According to Alfred W. Sylvia,
Director of the First Chapter of APICS-New Bedford

From its humble beginning in 1957 with just over 100 members to its current membership of more than 70,000 APICS has been the forerunner in manufacturing education. The concept of an organization dedicated to the improvement of production and inventory control techniques, however, originated in October 1953 when manufacturing managers in the greater New Bedford, Massachusetts area came together to form the New Bedford Production and Inventory Control Association.

Over the next four years, the association sponsored monthly meetings which featured guest speakers and round table discussions, in 1957, three production managers who belong to the association - Elliot Carruth, Edmund Currier and Isidore (Izzy) Eisner - attended the National Institute of Management Seminar in Cleveland, Ohio, directed by Nyles V. Reinfeld.

During an informal session at the seminar, it was determined that there was a need for a national manufacturing educational society. A meeting was scheduled to explore this possibility, and 35 people were invited with 27 attending. At this meeting, APICS was formed and Ron Maddox was named as its president.

In 1958, the three practitioners who "spearheaded" the formation of APICS sought financial aid for the society, after sharing their thoughts, ideas, and goals for APICS with officials from IBM, the company donated \$5,000.00 with a similar donation the next year.

During the following years, APICS continued to grow and prosper. And in 1962, the vice president of membership and chapter development, Izzy Eisner, in an effort to increase APICS membership even more, coined the phrase "62 Chapters in 62." After countless letters and telephone calls, the 62 chapters became a reality.

In 1963, APICS became an international society with Izzy Eisner as its president. Its international scope was firmly established in 1964 when Canada joined APICS.

APICS 40TH ANNIVERSARY DONATIONS

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APICS Philadelphia Area Network, Chapter #25	APICS - York
Memphis Chapter APICS #96	APICS, Inland Empire Chapter #112
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APICS Danbury Chapter #242	APICS - Rochester Chapter
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APICS South Shore Chapter #43	APICS - Kalamazoo Valley Chapter #35
APICS North Shore Chapter #20	APICS, New Haven Chapter #229
APICS Ithaca-Cortland Chapter	APICS, Twin Cities Chapter
APICS Northern N. Jersey Chapter #9	Peel Chapter of CAPIC - Region VIII of APICS
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APICS Shoreline Chapter	Lermond S. Smith
APICS Hartford County Chapter #6	Johnson & Johnson
Barbara A. Grubb	APICS, Winona-La Crosse Chapter
APICS Granite State Chapter	Sippican, Inc.
APICS - Region 1	Central Connecticut Chapter #4
APICS - Region 1	Aerovox, Inc.
APICS Chapter #64	Paul F. Bacigalupo
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Florence M. Sander	APICS - Cincinnati Chapter #7
APICS, Ft. Worth Area Chapter #260	Carl D. Stein
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