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Welcome to the June Edition of the ASQLA Monthly Newsletter.

We are looking forward to seeing you at our June 8th Member Meeting at 2nd Floor Main Conference Room at Phenomenex 2341 West 205th St. Torrance, CA 90501.

This meeting provides an opportunity to network with other Quality Professionals, learn about quality topics and earn 0.3 Recertification Units. Registration and networking starts at 5:30 PM. The meeting runs from 6:00 to 7:30 PM. Provided, at no charge; Crackers, Cookies, Coffee, Water and other food items. If you plan to attend the meeting, YOU MUST RSVP to: Chen Low 310-334-7044, pager 310-353-8293 or e-mail [ChenLow\\_88@hotmail.com](mailto:ChenLow_88@hotmail.com). by Noon on Monday, June 6th, so that he can provide the list of attendees to Security. ASQ-LA is looking forward to your attendance at this month's program.

Harold Martinez  
ASQLA Newsletter Chair



# June 8, 2016 Member Meeting

## Profiling the STEM Professional

### For

## The New Economy

***Presented by:*** Rosemarie E. Christopher

Rosemarie Christopher holds board member positions in various quality and regulatory organizations such as the American Society for Quality (ASQ) Food, Drug and Cosmetic Division (FDC) as Membership Chair, Regional Councilor Chair, National Discussion Group Chair. Rosemarie also serves as Region 7 Deputy Regional Director and San Fernando Valley Section, Career Development and Education Chair; the USC School of Pharmacy as a member of the Board of Councilors and Executive Committee Chair of the Life Industries Council (LInC); the Orange County Regulatory Affairs Discussion Group, (OCRA-DG) as a Member and Sponsor. As President & CEO of MEIRxRS, a family of 3 unique companies that recruit and place scientific, technical, engineering and math/physics professionals, Rosemarie has over 28 years of experience with executive search and staff augmentation with mid-senior level Stem trained and experienced professionals. Rosemarie has a strong understanding of, and is a Speaker/Presenter on STEM apprenticeships; 'on the job learning'; and employee retention in the multigenerational project by project workplace.

### **Abstract:**

Companies are filtering applicants using higher education, social media reputation, **personality profiling** and skills testing, thus becoming more selective in the hiring process than ever before

By attending this clinic presentation, you will get...

- What makes you a GREAT Performer in the new Economy
- Interpersonal traits that make you the Power team leader at work
- Understanding your personality profile to advance your career



# ASQLA Chair's Message

June, 2016

Fellow quality professionals, greetings!

Congratulations on your career and your involvement and continued interest in ASQ and your ASQ Los Angeles section. As volunteer leaders, we pool our time and efforts to maintain our organization and assure that our membership participation yields valuable experiences.

At our May member meeting, Professor Kash Gokli introduced us to the emerging world of 3D printing. We had a robust Q&A session where a number of great ideas from our presenter and audience were generated. I am pleased to report that the overall experience was very positive.

For our upcoming June member meeting, we have arranged with Rosemarie Christopher to give us a presentation about "Profiling the STEM Professional for the New Economy."

As the year rounds into form, annual local events including our 2016 ASQLA Dodger Night in July and the 9th Annual Southern California Quality Conference are being organized.

Stay informed, stay involved, keep voicing your feedback, and inquire about opportunities.

Cheers!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alan Wang". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping loop at the end.

Alan Wang, MSQA, ASQ CQA  
ASQ Los Angeles Chair



**LOS ANGELES SECTION,**

**AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR QUALITY**

**42nd ANNUAL**

**DODGER NIGHT**

**DODGERS VS ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS**

**7:10 PM FRIDAY, JULY 29**

**RESERVED SECTION, AISLE # 6**

**FIREWORKS AFTER THE GAME**

# NEW MEMBERS IN MAY 2016

Name	Position	Company
Gerson Espindola	Technical Services, Sr Director	Bakkavor Foods USA, Inc.
Werner Van Raay	Quality Engineer	Monogram Aerospace Fasteners
Raul Santos	STUDENT	
Ivan D. See	Director of Quality	Wilbur Curtis Co
Fidel Munoz	Quality Assurance	Wilbur Curtis Co
Reza Sadat Alhosseini	Reliability manager	
Donzel Johnson	Senior Quality Engineer	Edwards Lifesciences
Peter R. Steinblums	Manager	
Steve P. Kelly	Senior Lead Engineer	
Amelia R. Manlutac	Administrator	
Anitha John	Quality Engineer	Edwards Lifescience
Cecilia Cruz	Quality Analyst I	
Arthur Castillo	Quality Assurance Manager	Custom Building Products
Farzad Tasbihgoo	Principal Engineer	ZT Consulting Group Inc.
Luis Gerardo Goitia	Six Sigma Green Belt	Advance Paper Box
Krystal M. Bustos	Quality Assurance Manager	King's Hawaiian Bakery
Andrew Leonard	Sr. Sales Engineer	
Ronald A. Zukowski	Manufacturing Engineer	
Pollyrose Casusi		
De'Aubery Washington	Inspector	
Lisa Baumgartner	Financial Consultant	EMAW Inc
Leon Boyer		
Emily Posey		
Elizabeth Manalansan	Quality Analyst	Logix Federal Credit Union
Briar Kitaguchi	Quality Assurance Specialist	Kite Pharma
Hovanes Oganessian	Manager	
Bobby Mullins	CEO	
Leah Maddock	Researcher	
John Mack	Quality and Safety Coordinator	California Cryobank
Alain Harada		
Stephanie Pirshafiey		
Lily Nyamutswa		
Pedro Mena	Manager	
Deidre Hobbs	Director, Quality Assurance	Kite Pharma, Inc.
Arielle Jayme		
Kim Byce		
Celeste Orozco	Senior Supervisor Quality Assurance & Training	
Christian Garcia	Electrical Engineer	
Roger Chen		
Miriam Gonzalez		
Peter Bassett		

# ASQ Section 700 Certification Preparation Courses

ASQ CERTIFICATION	CQE	CQA	CSSGB	CMQ/OE	CSSBB
EXAM DATE	December 3, 2016	December 3, 2016	December 3, 2016	October 1, 2016	October 1, 2016
ASQ EXAM FEE	\$348	\$348	\$288	\$418	\$388
APPLICATION	October 14, 2016	October 14, 2016	October 14, 2016	August 17, 2016	August 17, 2016
<b>CLASS NAME</b>	<b>ENGINEER</b>	<b>AUDITOR</b>	<b>GREEN BELT</b>	<b>MANAGER</b>	<b>BLACK BELT</b>
REGISTRATION	TBD	TBD	TBD	July 30, 2016	July 30, 2016
FIRST CLASS				August 13, 2016	August 13, 2016
LAST CLASS				September 24, 2016	September 24, 2016
NO CLASS	N/A	N/A	N/A	September 3, 2016	September 3, 2016
DAY	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
HOURS	8 a.m. to 1:30 PM	8 a.m. to 1:30 PM	8 a.m. to 1:30 PM	8 a.m. to 1:30 PM	8 a.m. to 1:30 PM
# OF CLASSES	6	6	6	6	6
INSTRUCTOR	TBD	TBD	TBD	Lane Parrott	Dr. Joe DeSimone
INSTRUCTOR	TBD	TBD	TBD	N/A	N/A
HOURS/RU	33/3.3	33/3.3	33/3.3	33/3.3	33/3.3

Courses will be conducted at the Phenomenex Training Facility, located at 2341 West 205<sup>th</sup> Street, Torrance, CA 90501

**COURSE FEES:** Non-Member: \$500, ASQ Member: \$350 and Unemployed Member: \$200. Unemployed ASQ Members must provide Evidence of unemployment status, prior to first class.

**NOTE:** Courses without five (5) students by the Registration Deadline will be cancelled.

Tuition Checks must be received before the second class. Make checks payable to ASQ LA Section 0700. Credit cards are not accepted

Each course will be taught using a Primer, which can be brought into the exam. Primers cost (\$60 - \$80) and are available from the Quality Council of Indiana at [www.qualitycouncil.com](http://www.qualitycouncil.com). After 5 students have registered for the applicable course, \$10 discounts may be obtained by calling 800-660-4215. Also, please purchase the Texas Instruments TI-30XA calculator.

Students are responsible for registering for the ASQ Exam prior to the application deadline. ASQ Exam Registration Fees are in addition to the class fees and are paid directly to ASQ.

**REGISTRATION:** Provide cell phone and ASQ Member Number to [Lanep@phenomenex.com](mailto:Lanep@phenomenex.com)



## BSQA/MSQA Course Offerings

Course #	Course Title	Units	Begin Date	End Date
QAS 510-41	Advance Probability/Statistic	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 511-41	Quality Function Management and TQM	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 511-42	Quality Function Management and TQM	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 513-41	Sta Quality Control Samplg	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 514-41	Advanced Experimental Design	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 515-41	Human Factors in Quality Assurance	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 516-41	Measurement and Testing Techniques	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 518-41	Quality project management	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 523-41	Software Reliability	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 525-41	ISO 9000 and Audit Function	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 530-41	Statistical Quality Control for Service	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 531-41	Customer Satisfaction & Quality Assurance	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 532-41	Quality Assurance for the Service Delivery Process	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 538-41	Evaluation and Outcome Analysis for Healthcare Delivery	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 598-41	Directed Research	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 599-41	Thesis/Project	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 600-41	Graduation Continuation Course	3 Units	September 1, 2016	December 1, 2016
QAS 495-41	Mathematics for Quality Assurance	3 Units	October 11, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 330-41	Statistical Quality Control and Inspection	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 335-41	Quality Auditing	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 347-41	Dimensional Metrology	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 427-41	Quality Improvement	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 445-41	System Failure Analysis	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 498-41	Directed Research in Q.A.	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
QAS 499-41	Senior Project	3 Units	September 6, 2016	December 6, 2016
NBQA 701-4	Certified Quality Manangement/Organization Excellence Exam Prep.	0 UNITS	August 16, 2016	October 4, 2016
NQBA 702-4	CERTIFIED QUALITY ENGINEER EXAM PREP	0 UNITS	October 18, 2016	December 06,2016
NQBA 703-4	CERTIFIED QUALITY AUDITOR EXAM PREP	0 UNITS	October 11,2016	November 25,2016

# ASQLA LEADERSHIP TEAM

## MEETING SCHEDULE

Time: 5:30P - 6:00P Networking & Dinner

6:00P - 8:00P Meeting

Location: CSUDH Extended Education Bldg. 1300

Deans Conference Room

1000 Victoria St.—Carson, CA 90745

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Date: June 1, 2016



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