Association for Supply Chain Management

Colorado Chapter News
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Advancing Productivity, Innovation and Competitive Success

ASCM Colorado Virtual Only PDM
October 15, at 6 pm (MDT)



Topic: Tariffs, Technology, Transformation and Talent

Speaker: Scott DeGroot

Location: Virtual PDM

A log in link will be emailed to all folks registered on 10/14/25

Tariffs, Technology, Transformation, and Talent Leading through Supply Chain Disruption

In today's business world we are experiencing a lot of change and disruption, we will discuss what is happening and some ideas to navigate the changing world of the supply chain.

Scott is currently the Managing Director, Adjunct Lecturer, and researcher at the University of Tennessee's Haslam College of Business Global Supply Chain Institute. Prior to that, he was the Global Vice President of Planning and Distribution at Kimberly-Clark Corporation. In this role, Scott and his team were accountable for the results delivery of Planning, S&OP, Customer-facing Logistics, Physical Logistics Operating Excellence, On-Time In-Full and North American Transport. His team delivered our products to KC's consumers efficiently and effectively, every day, every time, and everywhere. His team optimized overall logistic spend of $1.8B, $1.7B of inventory and delivered industry leading OTIF results.

Scott was also the General Manager of Kimberly-Clark's Eastern Grocery team in North America. Scott's accountabilities included driving over $650M in revenue through a highly engaged team that included Ahold, Wakefern, HEB, Publix, Delhaize and BiLo Holdings. During his 35+ years at Kimberly-Clark, Scott has held ever increasing areas of accountability and leadership including: Director of Supply Chain Strategy; Director of Consumer Planning; Director of Distribution Operations; Director of Transportation Procurement and Analysis; Director of Transportation Operations; and Regional Logistics Leader in Chester, PA, where he led all logistics operations at the largest site in the Kimberly-Clark network.

Register by 10/13/25 at:
https://apicscolorado.starchapter.com/meetinginfo.php?id=233

Progressive Drawing

The New Year Progressive Drawing now stands at **$200**.
Members must be present to be a potential winner.
You must be an ASCM Colorado member and be present to be a potential winner.

Schedule
6:00 pm Networking

6:30 pm Chapter Announcements

6:45 pm Speaker

Fees:
Students: $0
Members: $0
Guests: $0

Appetizer: Your Choice



Salad: Be Creative



Entrée: Something Great



Dessert:
Everything Sweet



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Register Today!
Please register by Oct 13th 2025
Register by clicking the link on this page.
You can also register by responding to your e-mail invitation
Or
By calling Colorado ASCM at
(303) 421-0797 or on our website at: www.colorado.ascm.org
https://apicscolorado.starchapter.com/meetinginfo.php?id=233







Coach's Corner

I hope you have had a chance to look at our Fall lineup of Educational Classes and Professional Development meetings.

Our September PDM speaker, Geoff Fry, was very interesting, knowledgeable and informative, giving ideas on Lean Demand Planning. If you missed it, you missed a great speaker with real results.

Our October speaker, Scott DeGroot will be telling us about how to navigate today's world of Tariffs, Technology, Transformation and Talent. See details in this newsletter or on our ASCM Colorado Website.

On page 3 of this newsletter, you will find our ASCM Colorado Chapter financial audit results for the 2024-2025 FY. Each year we choose a team of our BOD's to audit each month's financial records and write up any findings they have concerns about. Again, this year, we had a pretty good report card.

At our September PDM the attending membership voted to approve our budget for 2025-2026 (previously approved by the BOD's). This year we have a deficit budget, because we want to subsidize the cost of PDM's, Tours, and Networking events. We will fund the deficit with non-operating income. The plan is that by keeping the costs down, more people can attend our events.

We are planning to coordinate and fund our long time annual adopt a family program again this year. Last year we helped 200 children from 66 families to have a nicer Christmas. The website is now live for donations. The link is: https://colorado.ascm.org/adopt-a-family Alternatively, you can send a check payable to ASCM Colorado Adopt a Family to Roger Harris, C/O APICS, P.O. BOX 40242, Denver, CO 80204-0242. In either case, you will receive a tax-deductible receipt. We depend on donations and chapter support to make this program possible. Thank you for your support this year and in past years. Wrapping will be on December 16, 2025. Last year we had 100 people show up to wrap, I hope we can count on you this year! Please let me know if you would like to wrap and/or deliver. You can email me at rharris@mss-technologies.com. We look forward to your participation in any way you can help, wrapping, delivering or financial contributions.

Thanks for being part of the Colorado ASCM Chapter. Please let me know if you have questions or need something from the Chapter. Hope to see or hear you at one of our events this Fall/Winter.

Roger W. Harris

Roger Harris, CFPIM, CIRM, C.P.M., PMP, CSCP, CPSM, CLTD, CTSC
President & Coach, Colorado ASCM / APICS Chapter

"Winning is not a sometime thing; it's an all the time thing. You don't win once in a while, you don't do things right once in a while, you do them right all the time. Winning is a habit. Unfortunately, so is losing."
Vince Lombardi, Green Bay Packers Coach.





Results from our 2025 Audit

Our Thanks and Sincere Appreciation to the Audit Team and
our Treasurer Gary Williams, CPIM, CSCP

AUDIT COMMITTEE ATTACHMENT

Date: 8/27/2025

To: APICS Colorado 81 Board of Directors

From: APICS Colorado 81 Audit Committee

Honey Johnson, Lee Contreras, Jerry McQuie, Jamie Swan, Tony Fabrizio

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of APICS Colorado Chapter 81 dated July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025, and the related statements of operations for the year ending June 30, 2025. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Chapter's officers. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

The scope of our audit included compliance with the Financial Audit requirements as defined in the APICS Chapter Support Manual – Chapter Management Financial Control/ IRS Guideline Manual.

Findings:
There are no significant issues present within the books of the chapter. Always make sure there are two signatures on expense reports.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the cash balance of APICS Colorado Chapter 81 at June 30, 2025. Also presented fairly, in all material respects, are the cash expenditures and receipts of the Chapter.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Honey Johnson

Lee Contreras

Jerry McQuie

Jamie Swan

Tony Fabrizio





Education News



Hello, Everyone! There are beautiful fall colors covering our Colorado Rocky Mountains, but I am sure snow is not far away! 😊 Enjoy the Colorado landscape in all its glory!

Recent travel reminded me how supply chain challenges are indeed global! Material and food product shortages, logistics snafus…. We supply chain professionals are in this together regardless of where located!

Keep in mind that we have a full slate of APICS Certification review courses to help you take on your next supply chain career challenges.

The **CPIM** certification review program continues in October. We have space available for you to join us, so register soon as the next segment begins on October 11th. **CSCP** will get underway on October 4th, **CTSC** starts October 25th and **CLTD** is scheduled for a December 6th start.

Each certification review program's details and registration form can be found in the following pages of this newsletter.
Be sure to check out our unique **Sales & Operations Planning** course if you or your organization could us a brush-up of the S&OP process, or it's your first time through the process. We'd be happy to have you join us beginning on October 7th.

Let me know if a private certification course for your organization is a better fit for your team and we can discuss the details.

If you are joining ASCM or it is time to renew your Individual/Professional ASCM membership, remember that you will need the ASCM '**Certification'** level membership for the course and exam discounts you will need for the classes.

I hope you join us in an APICS education course this year.
Please contact me if you have questions regarding APICS education.

Honey

Honey D Johnson

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"The highest reward for a person's toil is not what they get for it, but what they become by it." John Ruskin

Did you know that you can earn Certification Maintenance Points for attending Professional development meetings, webinars, workshops, seminars, tours, or non-APICS educational conferences relevant to certification.

Earn 1 Point per hour taken

https://apicscolorado.starchapter.com/downloads/updated_maintenance_point_structure.pdf





Welcome to Fall 2025 Courses

Please complete your registration early. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis and some facilities have limited class space. In addition, classes may be canceled if there is insufficient enrollment. Saturday classes are 8 hours plus an hour for lunch. If you have any questions about class schedules call Honey Johnson at (303) 421-0797.

You may register by phone, mail, e-mail or online:

Mail: Director of Materials
C/O APICS
P.O. Box 40242
Denver, Colorado 80204-0242

Phone: (303) 421-0797
Online: https://colorado.ascm.org/Education
E Mail: Honey Johnson
apicsco81@aol.com

	Members*	Non-Members	Venue
CPIM Full Program Series with Books/Test/e-learn:	$3,355	$3,655	In-Person
Includes: CPIM Introduction (Non-Certification course)			
CPIM Introduction (Non-Certification course)	$1,300	$1,600	In-Person
CPIM with Books/Test and e-learning	$2,305	$2,455	In-Person
CSCP Program with Books, Test and e-learn:	$3,010	$3,310	Online
CLTD Program with Books, Test and e-learn:	$2,745	$3,045	Online
CTSC Program with e-Books, Test and e-learn:	$2,700	$3,000	Online
S&OP Program with Book	$ 380	$ 480	Online

Exam/Workbook expense included with the CPIM/CSCP/CLTD/CTSC course fee.

*ASCM Certification-level Membership Required

Please pay with Visa, MasterCard, AMEX or Discover card or a check payable to APICS Colorado Chapter.

Register with credit card online at:
https://colorado.ascm.org/Education

Unemployed? Contact us for optional fee payment schedule!
Instructions for Classes will be emailed to you upon registration.





Colorado Chapter Fall 2025 Courses

Class	Instructor	Location	Start Date	Time
CPIM Introduction (Non-certification course)	R. Harris / H. Johnson	In-Person Union Terrace MSS Technologies, LLC Lakewood, CO	Saturdays (2 weeks) Spring 2026	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MT
CPIM (MPR/DSP/ECO/SMR)	R. Harris / H. Johnson	In-Person Union Terrace MSS Technologies, LLC Lakewood, CO	Saturdays (8 weeks) Section A: Oct 11 & 18, 2025 Section B: Nov 8 & 15, 2025 Section C: Dec 13 & 20, 2025 Section D: Jan 10 & 17, 2026	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MT
CSCP Program	Abeyta/Grigg/Johnson	Online	Saturdays (5 weeks) Oct 4 & 18, 2025 Nov 8 & 22, 2025 Dec 6, 2025	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MT
CLTD Program	Johnson/Abeyta/Grigg/Harris	Online	Saturdays (6 weeks) Dec 6 & 13 & 20, 2025 Jan 10 & 17 & 31, 2026	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MT
S&OP Course	B. Abeyta	Online	Tuesdays (4 weeks) Oct 7 & 21 & 28, 2025 Nov 4, 2025	5:30 pm – 7:30 pm MT
CTSC Program	J. McQuie	Online	Saturdays (3 weeks) Oct 25, 2025 Nov 1 & 22, 2025	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MT

Register Online!

https://colorado.ascm.org/Education

CLASS REGISTRATION FORM:

NAME: (as on Drivers Lic.): **PHONE:**

COMPANY: **ADDRESS:**

ASCM MEMBER: YES NO Membership # **E-Mail**

Course: Day of Week: Location: Cost $

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Course: Day of Week: Location: Cost $

You may pay by **Master Card, Visa, AMEX or Discover.** Register Online or fill out this form and e-mail it to: Honey Johnson at apicsco81@aol.com at least two weeks before the first scheduled class.

You may also pay by check before the first class. Make checks payable to: **ASCM Colorado Chapter 81**
Mail to: P.O Box 40242, Denver, CO 80204

Account #_____ Exp. Date_____ CVV# _____

Signature_____







CLASSES STARTING October 11, 2025

If you have interest in this program, you can contact Honey Johnson, VP of Education (303) 421-0797 or hjohnson@mss-technologies.com





CPIM Accelerated Courses

Again this year we will be offering a chance to sign up for the CPIM certification courses at one time and be assured that the classes would not be canceled.

- The program will consist of both the CPIM Introduction and CPIM course for the CPIM Program unless you have already started taking a course, in which case your fees will be adjusted.
- One price will include course fees and exam credit, online learning component and all participant workbooks: $3,355 for ASCM Certification-Level Members and $3,655 for all others.
- Payment for all courses is due before the start of the first course.
- **Minimum of 12 students must enroll.**
- Classes will not be canceled (even if some students drop out), since they are scheduled and paid for by the whole class in the beginning.

CPIM Accelerated course is instructor-led In-Person class held at:

MSS Technologies, LLC in Union Terrace at 12596 W Bayaud Ave., Lakewood, CO 80228

Classes will be held on Saturdays
(1 hour lunch)

• **CPIM Introduction** Break	Spring 2026	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MDT
• **CPIM** Section A	Oct 11 & 18, 2025	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MDT
Section B	Nov 08 & 15, 2025	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MST
Section C	Dec 13 & 20, 2025	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MST
Section D	Jan 10 & 17, 2026	8:00 am – 5:00 pm MST

"The value of this Colorado ASCM Chapter CPIM class cannot be over-stated. The time, effort and experience that are brought to the class by the instructors brings the material together in a way that is easy to understand and apply and most importantly, commit to memory. The Saturday class was well worth the time investment and that time was respected with a full and fruitful agenda that made the most of it. I highly recommend this class!" **Stephanie Hensley, Distribution Coordinator III, MKS Instruments**

"I highly recommend the APICS CPIM course through the Colorado ASCM Chapter. The course is incredibly valuable for any Supply Chain Professional looking to further their career or increase their effectiveness in their current position. The instructors at the Colorado Chapter are very knowledgeable and present the challenging subject matter in a way that is easy to understand and absorb. If you are thinking of obtaining your CPIM certification, the Colorado ASCM Chapter will provide you with the tools to achieve that goal!" **Stephanie DeBlase, CPIM, Materials Manager, Associated Thermoforming, Inc.**

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Learn More and Earn More!



What's Your WHY?

Earn More
New Challenges
Career Advancement
New Skills and Knowledge
Competitive Advantage

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APICS Certified Supply Chain Professional (CSCP)

Become a Certified Supply Chain Professional (CSCP)
Tap the power of your supply networks to streamline processes, enhance collaboration and boost the bottom-line.

CSCP Learning System Components:

The CSCP Learning System is a comprehensive professional development program that will help candidates prepare for the CSCP examination. The learning system is based on the CSCP body of knowledge and features print-based study materials as well as online tools, including an assessment component that enhances the learning experience.

CSCP Modules

- Module 1: Supply Chains, Demand Management and Forecasting
- Module 2: Global Supply Chain Networks
- Module 3: Sourcing Products and Services
- Module 4: Internal Operations and Inventory
- Module 5: Forward and Reverse Logistics
- Module 6: Supply Chain Relationships
- Module 7: Supply Chain Risk
- Module 8: Optimization, Sustainability and Technology

Colorado Chapter Courses for CSCP: *We have room for 15 students*

- Classes on Saturdays, Oct 4 & 18, Nov 8 & 22, Dec 6, 2025. 8 am until 5 pm MT (1 hour lunch)
- The Fall 2025 course will be an **online** Instructor-led class.
- Class includes one set of student materials, including online access and exam credit.
- $3,010 for ASCM Certification-Level Members, $3,310 for all others



"I would recommend the CSCP learning courses to anyone considering obtaining the certification. The Colorado ASCM Chapter instructors are very knowledgeable and offer great support. I could not be happier with my investment!" **Joe Fischer, CSCP, Import Supervisor at DSV Global Transport and Logistics**

"Thank you for excellent pace and use of time Well delivered Good subject knowledge. The course was presented in a professional way with opportunity to discuss the scenarios within our working environment. A lot of information to fit into 1 day although all very relevant. I really enjoyed the course. The course met all of my expectations. **Natalija Farhad, Assistant Supply Chain Planner, CooperVision UK**

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ASCM COLORADO CHAPTER



Presents:
APICS Sales & Operations Planning (S&OP) Online Course

Tuesdays, Oct 7, 21, & 28, 2025 and Nov 4, 2025

5:30pm – 7:30pm MDT

Expand your knowledge and understanding with a broad range of topics in Sales & Operations Planning. Improve your skills by learning the latest trends and best practices.

S&OP Topics Include:

- Sales & Operations Planning Overview and Definition, Organizations with Separate and Integrated Business Plans, S&OP: Balancing Act, In the MPC System, Inputs and Outputs, Planning Process
- Determining Product Families, Planning Inputs, Summary of S&OP Outputs
- Understanding the MTS and MTO S&OP Grids, Monthly S&OP Planning Process
- Data Gathering, Demand Planning, Supply Planning, Pre-S&OP Meeting, Executive S&OP Meeting
- Benefits of S&OP, S&OP Summary

Colorado Chapter Course for S&OP:

- Instructor-led **online** course
- **Class includes Online class instruction and digital student materials/books**
- $380 for ASCM Certification-Level and Colorado Chapter Associate Members, $480 for All Others

Online Registration will be available at:
https://colorado.ascm.org/Education

If you have questions regarding this program please contact:
Honey Johnson, VP of Education at
(303) 421-0797 **or** **hjohnson@mss-technologies.com**
Or
Roger Harris, President and Coach at **rharris@mss-technologies.com**

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"It (S&OP Class) was fantastic. I think it was a huge eye opener for everyone involved and showed us a lot of gaps we have where we need to focus our efforts. I've received nothing but positive feedback on the class so far. Everyone is really getting a lot from it." **Rachael LaFollette, CPIM, Supply Chain Planning Manager, AlloSource**





APICS Certified in Logistics, Transportation and Distribution (CLTD)

Expand your knowledge and understanding with a broad range of topics in the fields of Logistics, Transportation and Distribution. Improve your skills by learning the latest trends in global logistics and supply chain best practices.

CLTD Learning System Components:

The CLTD Learning System is a comprehensive professional development program that will help candidates prepare for the CLTD examination. The learning system is based on the CLTD body of knowledge and features print-based study modules as well as online tools, including an assessment component that enhances the learning experience.

Eligibility application for CLTD is no longer required.

CLTD Modules

- Logistics Overview & Strategy; Capacity Planning and Demand Management
- Order Management and Inventory Management
- Warehouse Management; Transportation Management
- Global Logistics; Logistics Network Design
- Reverse Logistics and Sustainability

Colorado Chapter Courses for CLTD:

- Classes on Saturdays, Dec 6 & 13 & 20, 2025 and Jan 10 & 17 & 31, 2026. 8 am MT until 5 pm MT (1 hour lunch)
- **15 student limit**
- The course is an instructor-led **online** course
- Class includes student materials, online tools access and exam credit
- $2,745 for ASCM Certification-Level Members, $3,045 for Non-Member

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HunterDouglas "I highly recommend the CLTD offered through Colorado ASCM/APICS to any supply chain professional interested in furthering their career. This course offers extensive review of the entire logistics networks, distribution strategies, and supply chain connectivity from demand and supply planning." **Stephen Robles C.P.M, CPIM, CSCP, Former Director of Materials & Warehouse Operations, Hunter Douglas**





APICS Certified in Transformation for Supply Chain (CTSC)

The APICS Certified in Transformation for Supply Chain covers the ASCM standards, processes, models and frameworks, as well as industry best practices, tools, and technologies commonly applied to manage end-to-end supply chain transformation.

CTSC Body of Knowledge: Leverages components of ASCM's globally recognized standards, including SCOR DS, Enterprise Standards for Sustainability and the Digital Capabilities Model (DCM) to:

- Develop, deploy and manage change for a successful supply chain transformation
- Identify risks and opportunities, and select the appropriate philosophies, frameworks, models, and approaches to effect transformation
- Apply systems thinking to develop, analyze, verify and validate concept alternatives for transformation
- Manage and align processes and capabilities with strategic transformation goals
- Manage skills, roles, responsibilities, and infrastructure needed for a supply chain transformation
- Identify tools and technologies to enable effective supply chain transformation
- Identify and implement strategies for reinforcing and replicating improvements

CTSC Learning System Components:

The CTSC Learning System is a comprehensive professional development program that will help candidates prepare for the CTSC examination. The learning system is based on the CTSC body of knowledge and features print-based study modules as well as online tools, including an assessment component that enhances the learning experience.

CTSC Modules

- Supply Chain Transformation Overview
- Preparing for Supply Chain Transformation
- Executing Supply Chain Transformation
- Review of Supply Chain Transformation

Colorado Chapter Courses for CTSC:

- Classes on Saturdays, Oct 25, Nov 1 & 22, 2025. 8 am MT until 5 pm MT (1 hour lunch)
- **15 student limit**
- The course is an instructor-led **online** course
- Class includes student materials, online tools access and exam credit
- $2,700 for ASCM Certification-Level Members, $3,000 for Non-Members

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Elevate Your Supply Chain Team, Boost your Company's Performance

95%
of the Gartner Top 25 Supply Chains rely on ASCM education

180,000+
APICS-certified professionals globally

350+
companies depend on ASCM to stay competitive

20%+
salary growth with APICS certification

At ASCM, we empower professionals and organizations to master the complexities of today's global supply chains through world-class education, cutting-edge APICS certifications, comprehensive standards and practical training.

WHY CHOOSE ASCM:

Proven Curriculum:
Our industry-leading training programs are recognized globally and based on the latest trends, research and best practices.

Expert Educators:
Our hands-on instructors are experienced supply chain professionals, approved through our instructor assurance program, who bring real-world knowledge to the classroom.

Measurable Results:
Training goes beyond theoretical – employees can apply what they've learned for true transformational impacts. Track the impact of our training programs on your team's performance and your organization's bottom line.

By partnering with us, your employees build essential knowledge, and you benefit from a more skilled and agile workforce, capable of navigating the ever-evolving landscape of supply chain and logistics.

Invest in your team's development and drive your business forward.

"The success of the program is not doubtable. It is now embedded in Teva's next-generation supply chain strategy."

Eran Ebert, Head of Global Supply Chain Transformation,
Teva Pharmaceuticals Industries Ltd.





What are Students saying about APICS Education in Colorado?



"Taking the Colorado Chapter ASCM CPIM course in Spring 2024 was instrumental to my passing the CPIM exam. Honey and Roger spent hours imparting their wealth of knowledge while encouraging open discussions and bringing in real world examples to ensure we understood the material. Their insights were genuinely helpful and I would encourage anyone pursuing their CPIM certification (or another ASCM certification) to take this course. I can't recommend it enough!" **Molly Gilbert, CPIM, Master Supply Planning Manager, Ball Corporation**



"I recently completed the APICS CPIM course through the Colorado ASCM Chapter to prepare for the CPIM exam. I highly recommend this chapter for anyone wanting to improve their supply chain expertise or get ready for ASCM exams. The classes were extremely interactive, with students sharing real-life work experiences and challenges. The instructors were very knowledgeable and consistently available for discussions and assistance as needed." **Itode Fubara, Supply Chain Manager, General Shale Brick**



"I signed up for the CSCP course at the end of May where I was going to study on my own and later take the test when I felt ready. As I read about the weekly class, I was a little hesitant at first, but I'm so glad I enrolled in the course held by the Colorado ASCM Chapter. I started at the end of July and took it weekly through November. The class was intuitive, stimulating and I can honestly say it helped me to pass the CSCP exam by December. I highly recommend the class to any aspiring CSCP professional!" **Anabelen Mendoza, CSCP, JBS USA, International Documentation Specialist**



"I began working toward obtaining my CPIM soon after beginning my career in manufacturing. Everything I have learned from APICS/ASCM has elevated my effectiveness in my job, even before I received the certification. The classes I attended with Colorado Chapter 81 were especially additive in my education, analogizing the often-difficult study concepts to real-world, recognizable organizations and scenarios. If your career has anything to do with supply chains, production, quality, purchasing, etc., you cannot go wrong with CPIM**." Jason Rhine, CPIM, Production Planner, Gogo Business Aviation**



"I came into the Colorado ASCM Chapter's CSCP course to expand my Supply Chain knowledge after several years in Distribution for CooperVision. It was made very clear to us that course would cover a wide range of Supply Chain topics and take a lot of work and effort from us as students. This was true but the course was very rewarding. We had a large group with a wide and varied background in the organisation and we found that this led to some high value interactions on subjects throughout the course. I've been able to utilise the knowledge in my role as some of my own team also took the course at the same time. This in turn expanded and improved my knowledge and understanding of subject matter. I plan to use the qualification and knowledge in my continuing work managing Supply Chain processes. **David Bowers, CSCP, Global Logistics Process Manager, CooperVision UK**

Colorado APICS Education…*Real People, Real Results!!*





Membership News



If you are a member of ASCM Colorado, there are 3 membership levels that you can select when you are renewing your membership for the year.

1. ASCM National and Colorado membership – with a certification upgrade. Cost $209 per year. This is the level you need to select if you are taking a certification class and exam. Tip: if you are taking a certification class through ASCM Colorado, we make sure you have this level of membership for 1 year.
2. ASCM National and Colorado membership – with no certification update. Cost $109 per year. This is the basic full membership.

3. ASCM Colorado only Associate membership. Cost $10 per year. As far as ASCM Colorado is concerned, you are a full member and get member rates to attend ASCM Colorado events. As far as ASCM national is concerned, you are not a member and cannot use this membership for points to maintain your certification. Why do we do this? We want everyone to have the opportunity to interact with other supply chain professionals even if you are not pursuing certification at this time. The nominal cost also is attractive if you are between jobs or just want to explore ASCM Colorado.

If you are interested in changing your membership type, please reach out to us and we can guide you.

Jerry McQuie, CPIM, CSCP, CTSC
VP of Membership
membership@colorado.ascm.org

	ASCM	ASCM with Colorado Affiliate	ASCM Plus	ASCM Plus with Colorado Affiliate	Colorado Associate
Global Networking Opportunities	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Local Networking Opportunities		✓		✓	✓
Professional Development Meeting (PDM's) and Tour Discounts		✓		✓	✓
ASCM Connect Annual Conference Discount	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Access to Global ASCM Job Board	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Access to Local Job Board		✓		✓	✓
Mentoring	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ASCM certification prep and exams discounts			✓	✓	
Local ASCM Class discounts		✓		✓	✓
Certification Maintenance Resources	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Earn Certification Points as Member	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Cost	$99	$109	$199	$209	$10

Student Memberships

Student memberships are 100% free! In addition to all the benefits from ASCM, you will have the opportunity to network with our ~300 plus active Colorado Chapter members. This includes professionals ranging in roles from Presidents, Vice Presidents, and Senior Directors to Buyers and Planners from a wide range of companies!

Remember, there are special awards/gifts for students who bring another student to an in-person professional development meeting (PDM) and the guest student joins the Colorado Chapter. Help us spread the word! We can help you with the sign up and the processing of the ASCM membership so please reach out if you have any questions.





Membership News – Continued

Membership Renewals

If your membership is due to expire within the next 30 to 60 days, please to take the time to review your membership profile to ensure your membership, contact information and certifications are up to date. NOTE: The date that your membership expires is the day that you will no longer have an active membership, which may affect benefits, classes and/or exams.

Tip	Description
1 Check your membership renewal data	**To renew National Membership with a local partner:** Log into the National ASCM website (Association for Supply Chain Management - ASCM). Go to the Membership & Community tab and click the Renew Membership link to complete your renewal. Please remember to add the Local Membership Partner to your membership. **To renew Colorado Associate Membership Only:** Log into the ASCM Colorado Website (ASCM Colorado - Home Page) to the Membership tab and click on Associate Membership to complete your renewal. Only use this link when not renewing at the national level. If you want options or updates to your auto renewal, please contact support@ascm.org or dial 800- 444-4742 and select option # 3. Unsure if you have auto renewed or not? please reach out and we can help.
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2025
Dinner Meetings, Tours, Networking and More!

Oct 2025
01 Board of Directors Meeting
04 CSCP Begins
07 S&OP Begins
11 CPIM Sect A Begins
15 Professional Development Meeting Virtual Only
Topic:
Tariffs, Technology, Transformation and Talent
Speaker: Scott DeGroot
25 CTSC Begins

Nov 2025
05 Board of Directors Meeting
08 CPIM Sect B Begins
12 Professional Development Meeting
Topic: Warehouse Automation
Speaker: Brian Harris

Dec 2025
03 Board of Directors Meeting
06 CLTD Begins
13 CPIM Sect C Begins
No Professional Development Meeting
16 Adopt a Family Wrapping Party

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2026
Dinner Meetings, Tours, Networking and More!

Jan 2026
07 Board of Directors Meeting
10 CPIM Sect D Begins
No PDM

Feb 2026
04 Board of Directors Meeting
11 Professional Development Meeting
Topic: Sales & Operations Planning
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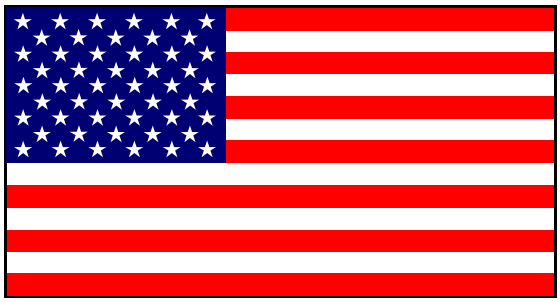
Mar 2026
04 Board of Directors Meeting
11 Virtual Professional Development Meeting
Topic: Student Presentation TBD
Speaker: Student TBD

Apr 2026
01 Board of Directors Meeting
08 Networking Session or Tour

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13 Professional Development Meeting

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