



APICS The Association for Operations Management

Since 1957, individuals and companies have relied on APICS for its superior training, internationally recognized certifications, comprehensive resources, and worldwide network of accomplished industry experts to increase bottom-line efficiency and effectiveness.

Creating a Highly Qualified, Competitive Global Workforce

APICS members have exclusive access to publications, tools, and valuable resources that can enhance their knowledge and help them grow professionally. APICS membership connects individuals to a global network of experts who experience similar challenges, share solutions, and provide ongoing career support.

APICS equips nearly 33,000 members in more than 15,000 organizations - including 93 of the Fortune 100 - with the most up-to-date education, training, and resources in operations management to contribute to their organization's success.

Improving the Bottom-Line through World-Renowned Certifications

Respected worldwide as the standards of professional excellence and quality within the manufacturing and service industries, APICS offers two certification programs, Certified in Production and Inventory Management (CPIM), and Certified Supply Chain Professional (CSCP). To date, nearly 90,000 professionals worldwide have earned their APICS CPIM designation, with nearly 7,500 operations and supply chain professionals having earned the APICS CSCP designation.

Gaining Corporate Recognition through APICS Participation

With more than 240 North American chapters and over 50 international associates, APICS offers qualified industry professional the opportunity to participate on APICS boards and committees in the areas of education, certification, and professional development, offering significant opportunities to guide the growth of the profession and give back to the operations management community.

The annual APICS International Conference & Expo - the premier conference for operations and supply chain management professionals - provides an interactive learning environment to contribute ideas and learn from peers, and to follow learning paths offering exposure to both the big picture and deeper intricacies of topics. As well, attendees meet new business contacts and are exposed to an array of exhibitors offering products and solutions to meet key business challenges in today's changing and interconnected marketplace.

APICS The Association for Operations Management is the global leader and premier source of the body of knowledge in operations management including:

- Logistics
- Materials Management
- Operations
- Planning
- Production and Inventory Control
- Purchasing
- Sales & Operations Planning
- Scheduling
- Supply Chain

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