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#### **Welcome - Qualified Staffing**

We are a commercial staffing firm with a focus on manufacturing and warehouse. Our services range from traditional temporary staffing to a more comprehensive managed staffing approach. We work with a number of local manufacturers and it's critical for us to stay educated on industry trends and challenges.

#### **Welcome - The Arnold Center**

The Arnold Center has 50+ years of experience assisting businesses to meet their production and human resource needs. Our staff is confident we can provide quality services tailored to your specific needs. The Arnold Center can support your business in the following ways:

- \*Filling entry level positions
- \*Meeting your production goals
- \*Provide human resources to perform less skilled, yet essential job functions
- \*Provide a supplemental workforce to meet expanding and/or fluctuating workloads
- \*Seeking motivated, dependable employment candidates that are well matched for the job

# **GLBMA** Feature

#### **April brings another Best Practices Plant Tour - Duperon Corporation**

Duperon is the leader in simple, adaptive screening technologies and provides solutions for coarse screening, fine screening, low flow screening, ultra screening, washing compacting and conveying.

They continually look to their customers to measure their performance, and committed to continue to introduce products that are simple, adaptive solutions for preliminary treatment and management of water and water resources. They don't want to simply meet expectations or deliver a product – they seek to truly excel in service and responsiveness that goes beyond a customers' needs and provides solutions for their problems, today and in the future. Simply put, we want to WOW our customers.

Serving customers, groups, and associations that share the company's commitment to the global goal of making a difference: for people, for water, for the planet. Duperon technologies are designed and manufactured in Saginaw, Michigan and installed in North America and internationally.

Join us to learn more about this company and how they WOW their customers.

Tuesday, April 9, 2019 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm Duperon Corporation

## 1200 Leon Scott Court Saginaw

Registration is required and free to GLBMA and CMMA members. Future Members and Guest are \$20. To register click here. Call 989-964-2881 or email tlblehm@svsu.edu

#### **Critical Incident Management**



Thank you to everyone who attended the Critical Incident Management Seminar on March 14, 2019. The seminar participants were happy to learn more about how to keep their team members safe.

While future seminars may be planned if you are interested in more information please reach out to Hali Motley. 989-964-2884 or hkmotley@svsu.edu.

#### **Social Media Round Table**



Thank you to everyone who attended the Social Media Round Table on March 19, 2019. We were able to scratch the surface on using social media for MFG.

If you are interested in learning more information please let us know in the GLBMA office 989-964-2881 or tlblehm@svsu.edu. It will help us determine what our next program will be.

# **Opportunities Abound**

#### Central Michigan Manufacturer Association (CMMA) invites you

On April 4, 2019, the CMMA is hosting a tour of Mid Michigan College's Technical Education Center and Clare-Gladwin RESD's Magnus Center from 5:30 pm to 8:00pm.

For more details and to register, <u>click to go to the CMMA website</u>.

#### **SVSU Continuing Education offering one day classes**

The Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development will be offering <u>Understanding Accounting for Non-Financial Managers</u> and <u>Essentials of Business</u> <u>Analysis</u>. Please click on the titles above to see the class details and how to register. You may also call 989-964-4048 or email continuing-ed@svsu.edu for details.

#### Michigan's new Paid Medical Leave (PMLA)

On March 29, 2019, <u>Public Act 369 of 2018</u> will improve Michigan's paid medical leave mandate. Michigan employers with 50 or more employees must provide at least 40 hours of paid medical leave to eligible employees. More information - <u>FAQ sheet link</u> or <u>PMLA Poster</u>.

#### **NIST lunches Small Business Cybersecurity Corner**

The site can be found on the nist.gov/itl/smallbusinesscyber. The site contains information on basic

information, responding to an incident, training and more.

One of the tools is a resource road map, which can help small businesses navigate the best practices for your size and type of business. - Click here for the road map!

#### First Robotics is coming to the Great Lakes Bay Region and SVSU



FIRST Robotics State Championship returns to SVSU for a 3rd year!

The state competition for FIRST in Michigan will once again be held at the SVSU Ryder Center. The event will take place from April 11 – 13, 2019. SVSU is proud to host the competition and welcomes team members and their families to campus. Come and feel the excitement!

Join us as we welcome 5,500 high school students and a total of approximately 8,000 visitors to campus for the state championship of FIRST Robotics. Click this link to volunteer for this event.

To attend the event is free and open to the public. The best times to attend are

April 11 Practice Rounds 8:30 am - 7:00 pm

April 12 Opening Ceremony/Playoff Rounds 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

April 13 Playoff Rounds/Finals/Awards 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

#### **Michigan Manufacturer Association (MMA)**

Check out the latest edition of the MMA's <u>MiMfg Magazine</u>. This month's highlight is based on Michigan's New Paid Medical Leave Act.

#### National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) -

Check out Doug Devereaux's blog on <u>Smaller Manufacturers Get Lean with Artificial Intelligence</u>.

## Save the Date

Save the date for our upcoming events! Check our website for complete details.

Thursday, April 4, 2019 CMMA Tour of Mid Michigan College and Clare-Gladwin RESD's Center

Tuesday, April 9, 2019 Duperon Corporation Tour

Thursday, May 16, 2019 Business Solutions - For Recruiting, Hiring and Retaining People with Disabilities



#### **MFG Champion**

Thank you AVU Registrations for your support of the GLBMA!

Learn how to become a MFG Champion. Call Tanya at 989-964-2881 or email tlblehm@svsu.edu









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