

## Program Schedule

### **MSC In-Plant Training Program, Part 1 of 4**

#### **NIST Presentations on Product Labels:**

What managers and designers need to know about package labeling laws to avoid fines and product "stop sale" penalties. **Instructor: David Sefcik, National Institute of Standards & Technology (NIST), Washington, DC**  
Run Time: 1hr: 21m

### **MSC In-Plant Training Program, Part 2 of 4**

#### **NIST Presentations on Weights & Measures:**

All about weights & measures laws including: method of sale, average & individual package requirements, sampling plans, test procedures, inspection lots, random & alternative package selection, test container specifications, "off sale" & "removal" orders, criminal & civil penalties, and more. **Instructor: David Sefcik, National Institute of Standards & Technology (NIST), Washington, DC**  
Run Time: 1hr: 31m

### **MSC In-Plant Training Program, Part 3 of 4**

#### **Product Variability:**

Causes of Product Variability, Product Characteristics, Avoiding MAV Violations, Setting Target Fill. **Instructor: Dr. Bill Fonteno, NC State University, Raleigh, NC**

#### **Bulk Products:**

Bulk Load Issues, Product Compaction, Fill Method Verification, Customer Education, Weights & Measures Issues. **Instructor: Don Dugger, ScottsMiracle-Gro, Lawrenceville, VA**  
Run Time: 1hr: 24m

### **MSC In-Plant Training Program, Part 4 of 4**

#### **In-Plant Quality Control:**

Setting Equipment, Determining Bag Size, Setting Line Speed, Quality Control Testing, Operator Training, Setting Lot Criteria and Lot Numbering, Record Keeping, Plant Inventory Control for Inspections. **Instructor: Dr. Bill Fonteno, NC State University, Raleigh, NC**

#### **When & Where Things Go Wrong:**

How to use test data to identify problems and where to look for solutions. **Instructor: Dr. Kathryn Louis, SunGro Horticulture, Bellevue, WA**  
Run Time: 1hr: 28m

### **Extraordinary Opportunity & Cost Savings:**

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### **Comparison To Conventional Meetings:**

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### **Cost: Members \$99/session**

#### **MSC In-Plant Training Program Sessions**

- Part 1: NIST Presentations on Product Labels
- Part 2: NIST Presentations on Weights & Measures
- Part 3: Product Variability; Bulk Products
- Part 4: In-Plant Quality Control;  
When & Where Things Go Wrong

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