

AITP

The Association of Information
Technology Professionals

Monthly Meeting of the Nashville Chapter

Date: Thursday June 11, 2015
Place: Holiday Inn Vanderbilt

Cost: Members - No Charge
Guests - \$30.00

Note: Meeting fees have been waived for AITP members, however reservations are required. The \$20 meeting fee will apply to members who make reservations after noon on the Tuesday before our Thursday meeting!

Meeting Schedule

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| 5:30 - 6:00 | Social/Networking |
| 6:00 - 6:45 | Dinner |
| 6:45 | Business Meeting/Speaker |

\$5.00 Discount for early registration
Contact Mary Simpson for reservations at
615-367-8083 or msimpson@genesco.com

Mergers/Acquisitions and Information Technology Stephen M. Scioscia, CEO-in-Residence - Wheelhouse Capital Partners

As an IT professional, has your company gone through a merger? If so, what do you think would happen to your job? What happens to the IT function if your company is acquired by another company? The range of questions by possible mergers or acquisitions and their effect on IT will be discussed in our June meeting. Our speaker will be Stephen M. Scioscia who has 30 years of operations, business development, financing, and transaction experience in healthcare services, information technology, and manufacturing. He has become an expert in the area of mergers and acquisitions.

Steve will discuss how he evaluates the IT function of a possible merger company. What factors decide if two IT shops can be merged or should one acquire the other? Steve will welcome questions such as: If you work for a company that may be merged with another, what should you do? Is it better to jump ship early or stay and take a later severance package? What are your chances of surviving if you stay? What are the signs that your company is a possible merger or acquisition target?

Steve joined a local private equity firm called Wheelhouse Capital Partners in January of this year. His title is CEO-in-Residence. Previously Steve was employed as the senior executive responsible for both Corporate Development and Client Services at Quorum Health Resources, the nation's fifth largest provider-focused consulting firm and a wholly owned subsidiary of Community Health Systems. In his eight years with Quorum, Steve built, organized, and managed the teams responsible for non-hospital operations. He also built a complete Merger & Acquisitions function and developed a pipeline of more than \$2B in acquisition targets.

Prior to joining Quorum, Steve led Client Services for WebMD Business Services (now Emdeon). One of his efforts was to restructure and optimize more than two dozen acquired businesses that comprised the company's core operations in preparation for a successful sale to private equity.

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Steve holds a B.S. degree and an M.B.A. degree in both Engineering and Business Administration from Vanderbilt University. He has also earned certificates in Complex Negotiations from Harvard Law School, Industrial Marketing from the University of Michigan – Ann Arbor, and Six Sigma Certification from Motorola University.

This should be an interesting session on a subject that could have an impact on your future.

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Dinner Cost Reduced With Early Registration:
Guests - \$25