

Date: Thursday January 14, 2016

Place: Holiday Inn Vanderbilt

Note: Please note the change of meeting fees for 2016:

Cost: Professional and Student Members - \$25

Guests - \$30

Discount: \$5 discount for any registration made before noon on the Tuesday before our Thursday meeting

Reservations

Contact Mary Simpson for reservations at
615-367-8083 or msimpson@genesco.com

Meeting Schedule

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

Retirement Planning

Edward J. Zinkiewicz - Cofounder of Retirement-U

We, in the Information Technology field, are noted for planning our projects. We seldom, however, plan for our retirement and are often surprised by the challenges that are presented to us when it does happen. An opportunity came up as I was planning the February program to have a retirement expert with an extensive software engineering background talk to us. Our February speaker is Edward J. Zinkiewicz, better known as Ed Z.

Ed was a Systems Analyst and DP Manager for the United Methodist Board of Discipleship, and Manager – Retail Group, MIS Department of GENESCO. He started E Z Systems in 1982 to develop and market software products for micro-computers. Ed has been developing software for many companies as a consultant since then. He also helped run the Systems Analysis & Design seminar for the Saunders Systems Corporation across North America from 1985 to 1998.

Ed retired in 2011 from software engineering and started a second career as a motivational leader and author. Ed and his wife, Crys, founded a new company titled “Retirement-U.” The company focuses on helping people discover possibilities and avoid pitfalls as they transition this new phase of life called retirement.

Ed will talk to us about what to expect in retirement and how to plan for it. It is never too early to plan for the future; the steps we take now can help us in the future.

Ed is the author of the three-book “Retire To” series that focuses on social relationships, health and wellness, and finding fulfillment after retirement.

Ed has a B.S. degree in Math from Ohio State University and an M.A. from Claremont Graduate School. Ed and Crys

live in Nashville where Ed is a former member of DPMA. He is known as a science fiction buff and has played spoons and sung in a blue grass band for 30 years.

This should be an interesting program on a little-discussed subject by someone who is an IT veteran. Come join us and bring your friends.



Ed Zinkiewicz

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AITP February 2016 Meeting Announcement

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\$5 discount for early registration