

Date: Thursday March 10, 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

Our March program is all about how well Nashville is doing in the Information Technology (IT) industry. Our speaker is Bryan Huddleston who is President and CEO of Nashville Technology Council (NTC). Bryan has been with NTC since October 2103. He has over 20 years IT experience with major software companies.

Bryan will tell us such things as: How many IT jobs are available in the greater Nashville area. What level these jobs are, entry level or management? Why they are not being filled. Are potential employers too picky? In the meantime, what employers are doing about IT projects. What the near future holds for both IT people and companies. What IT people can do to make themselves attractive. Are IT contractors more in demand than full-time employees?

Bryan will explain the role of the Nashville Technology Council and the impact it has had on the IT market in Nashville over the years.

Bryan worked for Microsoft before joining the Nashville Technology Council. He was with Microsoft for eight years in various capacities such as Health Care Account Executive, Territory Manager, Mid-Market Solution Specialist, and Partner-Account Manager. Bryan was able to spend his time in the Tennessee/Kentucky area.

Prior to Microsoft, Bryan worked for over six years with Quest Software, Inc. He also worked for Oasis Software as a PeopleSoft Technical Consultant for three years. Bryan started his IT career providing LAN/PC support to about 40 end-users in the Ingram Industries, Inc. corporate headquarters.

Bryan holds a BA degree in Computer Information Systems from Murray State University. He was active in the student chapter of DPMA.

This should be an interesting session on what is going on in IT in Nashville. It may even provide opportunities for ourselves and/or our employers.



Bryan Huddleston

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AITP March 2016 Meeting Announcement

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\$5 discount for early registration