Developing Supervisory Leadership

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Registration information

Course fee for each part: $300 per person, or $275 per person if three or more from the same company register together. Payable to Goshen College. Fee includes all study materials.

Continuing education credits earned for each part: 1.2 CEUs.

To register (three options):
1. Call (574) 535-7555. Credit cards accepted.
2. www.goshen.edu/business/registration
3. Mail registration form and check to:
   CBEE
   Goshen College
   1700 S. Main St.
   Goshen, IN 46526

In-company presentations and training programs are available. Please contact Jonathan Geiser, business development director, (574) 535-7135.

Registration form

Register by Feb. 2, 2016: ☐ Part 1 ☐ Part 2

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Both classes: 3:30 - 5:15 p.m.

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If you are a newly appointed supervisor or if you have had years of supervisory leadership experience and just want to sharpen your skills, you will want to participate in this special class. You will meet with other supervisors to learn how to improve leadership skills and enhance your supervisory leadership experience and just want to sharpen your skills.

As a supervisor, your primary concern is building human relationships by leading your work group, department, division or company to accomplish the mission, vision, goals and objectives. This must be done by leading your work group, department, division or company to accomplish the mission, vision, goals and objectives.

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Counseling: What are the four categories of complaints? How can they be identified and dealt with? When can a supervisor counsel effectively, and when must he refer?

Appraisal: How does one appraise performance and behavior effectively? What are the methods that work?

Discipline: Dealing with negative behavior is a challenge. How does one work with people to eliminate the problem while developing the employee? What if you fail? What are the danger areas you must avoid to protect your employer from legal action?

Career Planning: How does one develop and achieve career goals? Self evaluation, organizational savvy and continuous personal development are examined.

Instructor:
Dave Bontrager is a human resources manager and consultant with over 30 years of management experience. He started as an hourly employee in foundries and machine shops before moving into supervision and human resources. He is a graduate of Hanover College (B.A.) and Ball State University (M.A.). He has taught management courses for Purdue University, Goshen College, Ivy Tech and Indiana Tech as well as for a number of area companies.

Who should attend:
The program is appropriate for newly appointed supervisors of non-management employees, experienced supervisors wanting to update and sharpen their skill, and the managers to whom they report.

More than 400 Elkhart County organizations have benefited from Goshen College Management Development Programs, including: NIBCO, Berry Plastics, Veadah Industries, Gunite, Mid-City Supply, NoBi Corp., Omega National, KMC Controls, Yoder Department Store, Plastic Components, RSM McGladrey, Shrock Homes, Studico, Weiland Design, The Papers, KemKrest, Flair Interiors, Jessen Mfg., Aluminum Trailer, Challenger Door, Kountry Wood Products, Newman Corporation and several community service organizations.

Course outline


These sessions focus on principles supervisors must understand to contribute to organizational success. They answer, “What must we know?”

Introduction

Origin of the Enterprise: Why are organizations formed and how do their belief systems and values contribute to the attainment of their mission, vision, goals and objectives?

Functions and Principles of Management: How does goal setting, planning, organizing, leading and controlling in everything lead to success at work and at home?

The Organization: Why and how do effective leaders organize materials, equipment, space and people to create synergy?

The Art and Science of Leadership: Leadership is rooted in character. One must “live” and “sell” the philosophy, mission, vision, goals and objectives, policies and procedures through effective communication.

Controlling Safety, Quality and Productivity: Profits flow from continuous improvement in safety, quality and productivity. How is effectiveness in each area measured and achieved?

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Previous participants say:
Working together in groups with problems and coming up with resolutions was most helpful.
Problem solving with real problems was helpful.
Helped me to understand how to be a better lead person.
I truly enjoyed this class.
Everything I do as a supervisor was covered here. Areas of improvement were given in this class.