



AITP- Lehigh Valley Chapter Meeting

“Ramblings of an IT Project Manager”

Speaker: Tom Emmerth

Date: Wednesday, September 21, 2011

Location: Starlight Diner, Allentown, PA

Tom Emmerth has experienced a 40+ year career in Information Technology, working for companies both large and small in industries as diverse as utilities, electronics manufacturing, IT technical consulting, education, chemicals manufacturing, insurance and finance. He has at one time or another held every position in an IT organization including CIO. Tom has spent most of this time managing projects and holds several project management certifications. During this time he has collected a series of observations about project management and information technology which he will share. This presentation will be highly interactive with Tom giving his opinions and allowing you to share your own.

Mr. Emmerth is an information technology project manager, technical manager, and educator. As a project manager, Tom has significant in-depth experience in directing the aggressive study, proposal, development, implementation, maintenance, and ongoing enhancement of the latest systems and technologies. He is also an experienced IT educator with over 10 years experience teaching both undergraduate and graduate courses. Tom is very active in professional societies such as the Association of IT Professionals (AITP) and the Project Management Institute (PMI). He holds both BA and MS degrees in Mathematics and Computer Science from West Virginia University.

Agenda:

5:30-6:30 Networking
6:30-7:30 Dinner
7:30-8:30 Presentation
8:30 -- Adjournment

Refreshments:

Cost is \$12 for AITP members, \$25 for non-members. It is very important for us to get an accurate count of attendance to ensure enough food. Please respond to the reservations notice by **Friday, September 16**

Meeting location & Directions:

Starlight Diner Address for your GPS

233 N. Route 100
Allentown, PA 18106-9367
(610) 395-4031

The Starlight Diner is located on PA Route 100 in Fogelsville, PA, just south of the Interstate 78 exchange.

Heading north on Route 100, the Diner is on your right immediately before the I-78 on ramp.

From I-78, take the Route 100 South exit. You will pass the Diner on your left. Make a U-turn at the next light and proceed north to the diner parking lot.

- **Reservations:** Please email Thiep Pham at thiep@MilestoneTS.com or Tom Emmerth at temmerth@compuserve.com. **We need accurate number so that adequate preparations can be made.**