



Forging Industry Association



Plant
Engineering
Committee

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2009 / 2010 Objectives and Measurable Benchmarks

Objective:

To plan and implement educational, benchmarking, and networking opportunities which promote the exchange of ideas and information among North American forging producers, for the ultimate purpose of improving forge plant operations and efficiency.

Action Items and Benchmarks:

1. **Update and Deliver the “Theory and Applications of Forging and Die Design School”, June 15 – 18, 2009**
 - **Benchmarks:**
 - a. Obtain “GOOD” or “EXCELLENT” approval ratings, from 90%, or better, of all surveyed attendees.
 - b. 90% or better, of the surveyed attendees would recommend this course to another person.

2. **Update and Deliver the “Theory and Applications of Press Forging and Die Design School”, September 14 – 18, 2009**
 - **Benchmarks:**
 - a. Obtain “GOOD” or “EXCELLENT” approval ratings, from 90%, or better, of all surveyed attendees.
 - b. 90% or better, of the surveyed attendees would recommend this course to another person.

3. **Restructure and Deliver “Fundamentals of Ferrous Metallurgy for Forging Plant Personnel Workshop”**
 - **Benchmarks:**
 - a. Restructure Workshop December 2009
 - b. Deliver Workshop November/ December 2010
 1. Obtain “GOOD” or “EXCELLENT” approval ratings, from 90%, or better, of all surveyed attendees.
 2. 90%, or better, of the surveyed attendees would recommend this course to another person.

4. Update and Present the “Induction Heating Workshop”, November 4, 2009

- **Benchmarks:**

- a. Obtain “GOOD” or “EXCELLENT” approval ratings, from 90%, or better, of all surveyed attendees.
- b. 90%, or better, of the surveyed attendees would recommend this course to another person.

5. Update Plant Engineering Committee Promotional/Information Flyer

- Have new design ready for distribution at the Fall Meeting of Members, October 19, 2009

6. Update the Plant Engineering Five-Year Strategic Plan

- **Benchmarks:**

- a. Have the Five-Year Strategic Plan updated by January 2010.

7. Forge Fair 2010

- **Benchmarks:**

- a. Layout Floor Plan January 2010
- b. Develop Exhibitors Presentation Schedules January 2010
- c. Attendees: 1279 (equal to 2006)
- d. Exhibitors: 123 (equal to 2006)