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ASQ Sections

“The Bedrock of ASQ”



ASQ

Northern Virginia
Section 0511



To Our New Members & Guests...

Hey there! Hi there! Ho there! You're as



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We're glad to have you!

ASQ Organization

- World Headquarters
 - Milwaukee, Wisconsin
 - Founded 16 February 1946 to
 - Maintain quality gains of World War II
- Divisions – The Backbone of ASQ
 - 27 Quality specialty practices
 - Strong interface with industry & manufacturers
- Sections – The Bedrock of ASQ and Members
 - Local connection with other quality professionals
 - Over 300 sections across North America

Section Organization

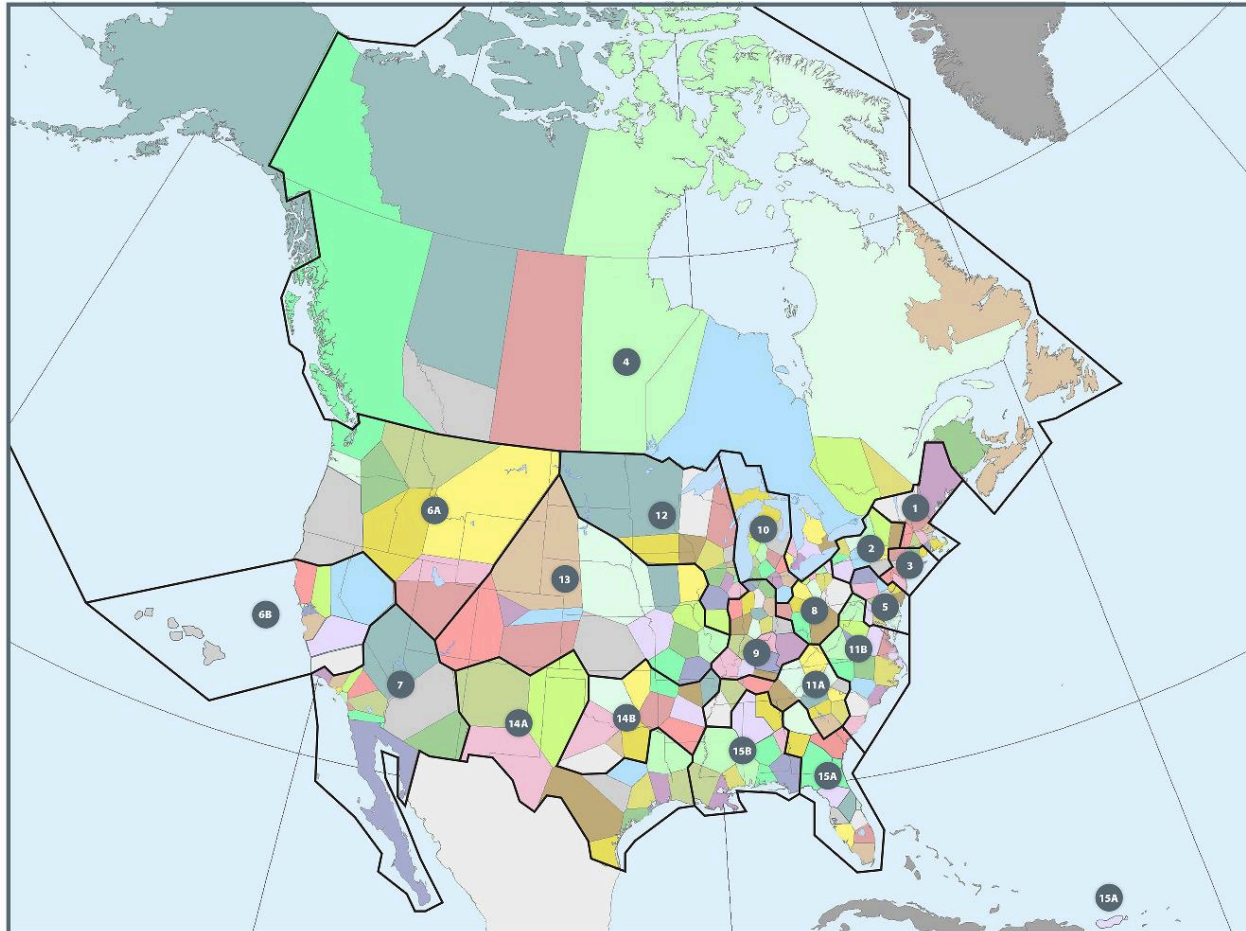
- 25 Regions across the world
 - 1 Director (volunteer) for each region
- **Regions** are subdivided into **Sections**
 - Numeric Coding (**RRSS**)
- Section **0511**
 - **05** – **Region**
 - **11** – **Section**
 - Numbers sequentially assigned as each section is created

Sister Section Locations (05nn)

- 00 Lehigh Valley, PA
- 01 North Central, PA (State College)
- 02 Baltimore, MD
- 03 Harrisburg, PA
- 05 Philadelphia, PA
- 06 Delaware (only 3 counties in entire state!)
- 08 Southern New Jersey
- 09 Washington, DC and Suburban Maryland
- 10 Reading, PA
- 11 Northern Virginia (outside Washington, DC)
- 12 Del-Mar-Va (Delaware–Maryland–Virginia triangle)
- 04 & 07 <Open>

United States & Canada

North American Section Map



<p>REGION 1</p> <p>1000 Boston 1001 Chicago 1002 Dallas 1003 Denver 1004 Detroit 1005 Houston 1006 Kansas City 1007 Las Vegas 1008 Los Angeles 1009 Miami 1010 Minneapolis 1011 New York 1012 Phoenix 1013 San Francisco 1014 Seattle 1015 St. Louis 1016 Tampa 1017 Washington DC 1018 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 2</p> <p>2000 Dallas 2001 Denver 2002 Houston 2003 Kansas City 2004 Las Vegas 2005 Los Angeles 2006 Miami 2007 Minneapolis 2008 New York 2009 Phoenix 2010 St. Louis 2011 Tampa 2012 Washington DC 2013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 3</p> <p>3000 Dallas 3001 Denver 3002 Houston 3003 Kansas City 3004 Las Vegas 3005 Los Angeles 3006 Miami 3007 Minneapolis 3008 New York 3009 Phoenix 3010 St. Louis 3011 Tampa 3012 Washington DC 3013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 4</p> <p>4000 Dallas 4001 Denver 4002 Houston 4003 Kansas City 4004 Las Vegas 4005 Los Angeles 4006 Miami 4007 Minneapolis 4008 New York 4009 Phoenix 4010 St. Louis 4011 Tampa 4012 Washington DC 4013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 5</p> <p>5000 Dallas 5001 Denver 5002 Houston 5003 Kansas City 5004 Las Vegas 5005 Los Angeles 5006 Miami 5007 Minneapolis 5008 New York 5009 Phoenix 5010 St. Louis 5011 Tampa 5012 Washington DC 5013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 6</p> <p>6000 Dallas 6001 Denver 6002 Houston 6003 Kansas City 6004 Las Vegas 6005 Los Angeles 6006 Miami 6007 Minneapolis 6008 New York 6009 Phoenix 6010 St. Louis 6011 Tampa 6012 Washington DC 6013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 7</p> <p>7000 Dallas 7001 Denver 7002 Houston 7003 Kansas City 7004 Las Vegas 7005 Los Angeles 7006 Miami 7007 Minneapolis 7008 New York 7009 Phoenix 7010 St. Louis 7011 Tampa 7012 Washington DC 7013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 8</p> <p>8000 Dallas 8001 Denver 8002 Houston 8003 Kansas City 8004 Las Vegas 8005 Los Angeles 8006 Miami 8007 Minneapolis 8008 New York 8009 Phoenix 8010 St. Louis 8011 Tampa 8012 Washington DC 8013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 9</p> <p>9000 Dallas 9001 Denver 9002 Houston 9003 Kansas City 9004 Las Vegas 9005 Los Angeles 9006 Miami 9007 Minneapolis 9008 New York 9009 Phoenix 9010 St. Louis 9011 Tampa 9012 Washington DC 9013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 10</p> <p>10000 Dallas 10001 Denver 10002 Houston 10003 Kansas City 10004 Las Vegas 10005 Los Angeles 10006 Miami 10007 Minneapolis 10008 New York 10009 Phoenix 10010 St. Louis 10011 Tampa 10012 Washington DC 10013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 11</p> <p>11000 Dallas 11001 Denver 11002 Houston 11003 Kansas City 11004 Las Vegas 11005 Los Angeles 11006 Miami 11007 Minneapolis 11008 New York 11009 Phoenix 11010 St. Louis 11011 Tampa 11012 Washington DC 11013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 12</p> <p>12000 Dallas 12001 Denver 12002 Houston 12003 Kansas City 12004 Las Vegas 12005 Los Angeles 12006 Miami 12007 Minneapolis 12008 New York 12009 Phoenix 12010 St. Louis 12011 Tampa 12012 Washington DC 12013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 13</p> <p>13000 Dallas 13001 Denver 13002 Houston 13003 Kansas City 13004 Las Vegas 13005 Los Angeles 13006 Miami 13007 Minneapolis 13008 New York 13009 Phoenix 13010 St. Louis 13011 Tampa 13012 Washington DC 13013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 14</p> <p>14000 Dallas 14001 Denver 14002 Houston 14003 Kansas City 14004 Las Vegas 14005 Los Angeles 14006 Miami 14007 Minneapolis 14008 New York 14009 Phoenix 14010 St. Louis 14011 Tampa 14012 Washington DC 14013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 15</p> <p>15000 Dallas 15001 Denver 15002 Houston 15003 Kansas City 15004 Las Vegas 15005 Los Angeles 15006 Miami 15007 Minneapolis 15008 New York 15009 Phoenix 15010 St. Louis 15011 Tampa 15012 Washington DC 15013 Wichita</p>	<p>REGION 16</p> <p>16000 Dallas 16001 Denver 16002 Houston 16003 Kansas City 16004 Las Vegas 16005 Los Angeles 16006 Miami 16007 Minneapolis 16008 New York 16009 Phoenix 16010 St. Louis 16011 Tampa 16012 Washington DC 16013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 17</p> <p>17000 Dallas 17001 Denver 17002 Houston 17003 Kansas City 17004 Las Vegas 17005 Los Angeles 17006 Miami 17007 Minneapolis 17008 New York 17009 Phoenix 17010 St. Louis 17011 Tampa 17012 Washington DC 17013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 18</p> <p>18000 Dallas 18001 Denver 18002 Houston 18003 Kansas City 18004 Las Vegas 18005 Los Angeles 18006 Miami 18007 Minneapolis 18008 New York 18009 Phoenix 18010 St. Louis 18011 Tampa 18012 Washington DC 18013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 19</p> <p>19000 Dallas 19001 Denver 19002 Houston 19003 Kansas City 19004 Las Vegas 19005 Los Angeles 19006 Miami 19007 Minneapolis 19008 New York 19009 Phoenix 19010 St. Louis 19011 Tampa 19012 Washington DC 19013 Wichita</p> <p>REGION 20</p> <p>20000 Dallas 20001 Denver 20002 Houston 20003 Kansas City 20004 Las Vegas 20005 Los Angeles 20006 Miami 20007 Minneapolis 20008 New York 20009 Phoenix 20010 St. Louis 20011 Tampa 20012 Washington DC 20013 Wichita</p>
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Section 0511 Origins

- Emerged from the ultra large Section 0509
 - Metropolitan Washington, DC geographic area
 - 1,500+ Members before reapportionment
 - Washington, DC with adjoining Maryland and Northern Virginia suburbs
- W. Edwards Deming, PhD led its creation in 1982
 - Dr. Deming wanted a dedicated Northern Virginia Section closer to his Herndon residence and home office
 - Brought in colleagues like Dr. Joseph Juran

Section 0511 Original Benefits

- Access to National and International experts
 - Meeting speakers (from Deming's rolodex)
 - Networking
- Convenient way for quality professionals to meet monthly on the way home from work
- ...those benefits continue to this day!

“We maintain the ‘Deming Flame Legacy’ while pioneering new frontiers and vistas in quality”

Section 0511 – Factoids

- 5 Northern Virginia Counties – 1,582 Square Miles
 - Arlington
 - Fairfax
 - Loudoun
 - Prince William
 - Stafford
- Membership – 602
 - Preponderance in 5 key counties
 - Work Relocated (government & corporation) TAD/TDY
 - Out-of-State (retirees, members who like us)

Section 0511 in 2015

- 2nd Wednesday of each month is our Monthly Dinner Meeting with a Presentation Speaker
- We provide ASQ Certification Exam preparation training classes throughout the year
- We provide exam testing venues the 1st Saturday of:
 - March & October (certification exam Series 1)
 - June & December (certification exam Series 2)

Special ISO Training

- ISO 9001:2015 – Differences
 - Mr. Richard Gillis – Instructor
 - United States of America ISO Voting Representative
- Location: PPC
 - 1760 Old Meadow Road; McLean, VA 22102
- Snacks / Lunch Included
- January 23 (Sa) 9 AM
 - Weather Alternative: January 30 (Sa)
- Register at www.asq0511.org

Certification Exams (17 Certifications)

Series 1 – March & October

- Biomedical Auditor
- HACCP Auditor
- Manager of Quality / Organization Excellence
- Master Black Belt
- Quality Inspector
- Quality Technician
- Reliability Engineer
- Six Sigma Black Belt
- Six Sigma Yellow Belt

Series 2 – June & December

- Calibration Technician
- Pharmaceutical GMP Pro
- Quality Auditor
- Quality Engineer
- Quality Improvement Associate
- Quality Process Analyst
- Six Sigma Green Belt
- Software Quality Engineer

Exam matrix established by ASQ Headquarters

Rules of Thumb: Registration & Exam

Registration 2nd Friday of: **Exam 1st Saturday of:**



- January for

- March

- April for

- June

- August for

- October

- October for

- December

ASQ Exam Prep Classes

- March 5 (Sa) Exams
 - Certified Manager of Quality/Organizational Excellence Certification (www.asq0511.org)
- June 4 (Sa) Exams
 - TBD

Saturday Exam Dates

- March 5 – **Series 1**
 - Location: PPC Corporation
 - 1760 Old Meadow Road; McLean, VA 22102
 - Register by Friday, January 15

- June 4 – **Series 2**
 - Location: PPC Corporation
 - 1760 Old Meadow Road; McLean, VA 22102
 - Register by: Friday, April 15

(Thank-you, Paul Strasser, CEO of PPC for your generous support)

ASQ World Exam Date

- Milwaukee – Hilton Milwaukee City Center
- Sunday, May 15 (7 AM)
 - **Every Single ASQ Certification**
 - Register by Friday, April 1

Certification Renewals

- ASQ Certifications MUST be renewed every 3 years
 - Work with the Recertification Chair
- Recertification Units (RU) earned by:
 - Working in your specialty area
 - Attending monthly Dinner/Program meetings
 - Developing courseware / Delivering courseware
 - Serving in a Leadership position (any level)
 - Special Interest Group (SIG) participation
 - Proctoring an exam
 - And many others

Recertification

- Contact Recertification Chair
 - Recertification16@asq0511.org
 - Follow our Website Recertification Notes and Guidelines. Results in:
 - Faster processing
 - Minimizes returns of packages for corrections
- Most prolific renewal months
 - June
 - December

Special Interest Groups (SIG)

- Section 0511 participates in
 - **Software Developer SIG** with 0509 and local IEEE Chapter
 - 4th Tuesday of the month
 - **Six Sigma SIG** with 0509 and local IEEE Chapter
 - 4th Wednesday of the month
- Venues alternate between 0509 and 0511 dependent upon host Section
 - Pizza and soda menu
 - Guest speaker often an expert from SIG field
 - 0509, 0511 & IEEE alternate sponsoring speakers

Section 0511 Board Members

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Elected Officers

- Chair (CEO) – Gregg Monaco
- Chair Elect (COO) – Melissa Cicotello
- Secretary – Barbara McCullough
- Treasurer* – Cynthia Reichart (2016-18)
- Past Chair – John Mullins

* Term Limited by ASQ Articles of Incorporation

Section 0511 Board Members

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Appointed Chairs

- Arrangements
 - Database / RU tallies – Marie Rondot
 - Venues – Carolyn Miller
- Audit – Charlotte Wild
- Education – Paul Mills
- Finance – Mike Coleman
- Historian – Rick Wells
- Lean Six Sigma SIG – Kristine Hejna
- Membership – Mike Coleman
- Nominating – John Mullins

Section 0511 Board Members

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Appointed Chairs (Continued)

- Placements –
- Programs – Paul Meyers
- Recertification – Christine Kurowski
- Testing Proctor – Muzzafar Zaffar
- Treasurer Elect –
- Voice of the Customer – Jai Singh
- Web / Internet Liaison – Jeff Parnes

We Welcome Volunteers!

Our Innovations

- Web-delivered certification course training
- Video recording and archiving of dinner meetings
- Cloud data storage
- Smart Phone friendly web site rendering
- Section Leadership Position descriptions
 - Complimentary Operating Instructions
 - Work break down structures (WBS) by position

Impact Beyond Northern Virginia

- Section 0511 is known for providing:
 - ASQ World Presidents
 - ASQ World Board of Director Members
 - Division Leadership across many specialties
 - Special project focus at ASQ and Division levels

“We Channel the Spirit of Deming”

All-New ASQ Polo Shirts

- Created and Designed by our member Ellen Quinn! (Vice Chair, Management Division)
- Being made available at ASQ World in May
 - 70th Anniversary
- Section 0511 gets early access!
 - First selection on your exact size
 - Delivery to Northern Virginia
 - No packing for your return trip



Upcoming Conferences (1 of 1)

- ASQ World: 15-18 May 2016 (Milwaukee, WI)
 - Register EARLY to get lodging in Hilton City Center
 - Limited downtown parking & transportation
 - Be prepared to “hike” from other hotels
- Six Sigma (Division)
 - Feb 29 – Mar 1, 2016 (Phoenix)
- Aviation, Space and Defense (Division)
 - Mar 7-8 2016 (Cape Canaveral)

SIG Meetings

- Software SIG – 4th Tuesday
 - January 26
 - Includes Section 0509 and IEEE
 - MITRE, Tysons Corner

- Six Sigma SIG – 4th Wednesday
 - January 27th
 - Includes Section 0509 and IEEE
 - Teknology Corner, McLean

Next Section 0511 Dinner

- February 10 – Olive Garden (Tysons Corner)
- **Coming Attractions**
 - March 9 – Not Your Average Joe's (Reston) **NEW!**
 - April 13 – Fiona's (Alexandria/Kingstowne)
 - May 11 – PJ Skidoos (Fairfax)
 - June 8 – On the Border (Reston) **NEW!**
 - July 13 – *Pending*
 - August 9 – *Pending*
 - September – *Pending*
 - October – Maggiano's (Tysons Corner)

