



Calendar

Practical Innovation: A TRIZ Learning Event

9/12/2005 - 9/13/2005

Seattle, WA USA. "Practical Innovation" is the introductory TRIZ course developed by Ellen Domb that gets beginners using TRIZ thinking and TRIZ tools to solve real problems in process and product improvement. TRIZ is the "Theory of

Inventive Problem Solving." It is data-based creativity, and it works! Class will be sponsored by the American Society for Quality. Questions? Call Ellen Domb at (909)949-0857 or e-mail

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Training

TRIZ - An Introduction to Creative Problem Solving

6/9/2005 –

At IMechE Headquarters, London, UK: Did you know that most problems have been solved before? Maybe you're not aware of the solutions because the problem didn't arise within your industry, or within your area of expertise. Do you think there's a chance you could be wasting valuable time reinventing the wheel? By providing tools which structure the thought process, TRIZ empowers engineers with creativity and innovation. The TRIZ tools and methodology make it possible to find solutions to problems in a faster, smarter and more cost effective manner than traditional western methods. This hands-on workshop begins with a review of the TRIZ tools and the TRIZ processes for problem solving. It introduces simple techniques to improve clarity of thought and the ability to find innovative solutions to any problem. Achieve a solid grounding in problem solving strategies – the foundation of a systematic means for solving any problem • Learn how to eliminate rather than live with contradictions • Uncover simple and cost effective solutions • An entire day devoted to practical hands-on experience and discussion - you'll have the chance to put what you have learnt into practice under the guidance of the experts. Henry Strickland and Karen Gadd of Oxford Creativity, who have world-wide TRIZ experience, will be your instructors for this exciting day.

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Using TRIZ for Improving Project Management for Drug Development

6/15/2005 –

A workshop at the Institute of Validation Technology on how to use TRIZ to bring innovation to drug development and project management

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Seminario sobre la Metodología TRIZ in Puebla

6/23/2005 - 6/25/2005

TRIZ Seminar in Puebla, Mexico by Dr. Edgardo Cordova Lopez (Vice-President of AMETRIZ). Entreprises and academic people are invited to take part in this Seminar in Spanish to be held on June 23-25 in the Instituto Tecnológico de Puebla. This seminar covers the most important tools for TRIZ problem solving and how to increase the creativity in industry, examples with real cases. Participants will be also invited to belong AMETRIZ (Mexican TRIZ Association) and participate of all activities, events and publications.

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Hands-on Systematic Innovation with TRIZ

6/27/2005 - 6/28/2005

Darrell Mann and Ellen Domb will present a two day interactive workshop on the use of TRIZ to for innovation in product, process, and business systems, at Cardiff Business School, co-sponsored by the IMechE and the CBS. For brochures and information, contact Claire Gardner +44 029 2087 6956
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Innovative Thinking for Association Leadership

7/14/2005 - 7/15/2005

A workshop on the use of TRIZ and breakthrough thinking for the Florida Society of Association Leadership.
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TRIZ Basic Training

7/18/2005 - 7/21/2005

Dr. Michael Slocum, co-editor of the TRIZ Journal and VP of BMG, will present his popular (and very intense!) TRIZ class July 18-21, 2005 in Denver, Colorado. info@bmg.com

Training in Problem Solving and Innovation Concept Development

11/7/2005 - 11/10/2005

Computer-Aided Innovation Training in Hanover, Germany based on the TriSolver4.net Software. PART 1 (2 days): Systematic development of market-orientated new product concepts. PART 2 (2 days) Generation of breakthrough ideas and systematic problem solving with TRIZ. TRIZ Training materials at: www.triz.it
TriSolver4.net Software: www.trisolver.com
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Treinamento em TRIZ

Treinamentos nos níveis introdutório, intermediário e avançado em TRIZ (Teoria da Solução Inventiva de Problemas), no CEFET-PR (Curitiba, PR) ou no local de interesse.
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[Informações sobre TRIZ](#)

TRIZ and Systematic Innovation in Technology and Business; Courses in the Netherlands

Throughout 2005: Practical public training in TRIZ-based Systematic Innovation by Valeri Souchkov, both for technological and business/management areas (in English). The courses cover the idea cycle: From problem definition to idea evaluation. More information is available at www.xtriz.com
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[ICG Training Courses in the Netherlands](#)

Symposiums & Conferences

4th European TRIZ-Conference

6/29/2005 - 7/1/2005

The attention towards systematic and computer assisted support of heuristic processes during the last couple of years has grown like a chain reaction. One of the main reasons for this growing interest towards systematic innovation is current world economy, defined by tough competition and decreasing resources. TRIZ as an acronym for powerful creativity tools and overwhelming patent knowledge documentation is one possible answer to current needs. The organizing committee of the 4th European TRIZ-Conference invites you to contribute with your experiences and knowledge as well as to participate in a highly teachingful and communitative bi-annual meeting. The slogan of the 4th European TRIZ-Conference is: „ Creativity as tool for Sustainability ! The corporate way from ideas to innovation: define the future sustainable and market-oriented with systematics and strategy.“ • June 29, 2005: Workshops • June 30, 2005: 1st day of conference, dinner and members meeting of European TRIZ-Centurms e.V. • July 1, 2005: 2nd day of conference, visions of future Contact, questions, further informations:

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[Call for Paper - 4th European TRIZ-Conference](#)

TRIZ Conference 2005 (International TRIZ Association)

7/2/2005 - 7/8/2005

St. Petersburg, Russia (resort town of Komarovo.) In English and Russian. The International TRIZ Association (MATRIZ) invites you to participate in TRIZ Conference 2005 "Development of TRIZ: achievements, problems, outlook", and associated activities. We would like to extend the invitation to participate to all Russian and English speaking TRIZ professionals and users from around the world. In our opinion, there may be no greater tribute to the founder of TRIZ, G.S. Altshuller, than the gathering of his followers in his native land. Please submit your questions to Organizational Committee at nktriz@aesd.spb.ru or to Mark Barkan at mbarkan@carolina.rr.com or 704-995-1592.

First TRIZ Symposium in Japan

9/1/2005 - 9/3/2005

"First TRIZ Symposium in Japan" to be held on Sept. 1 (Thu.) -3 (Sat.), 2005 at Shuzenji, Izu, Shizuoka Pref. Program Chairperson: Toru Nakagawa (OGU) This will be the principal TRIZ event in Japan in 2005 with about 100 participants expected. Official language is Japanese and English. Presentations in English are welcome.

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11th International Quality Function Deployment Symposium

9/26/2005 - 9/30/2005

Izmir, Turkey. The relationship between TRIZ and QFD will be among the topics presented at the Symposium

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ETRIA TRIZ Futures 2005

11/16/2005 - 11/18/2005

In Graz, Austria. The idea of TRIZ Future 2005 is to share the TRIZ knowledge of "East and West" TRIZ experiences focused on the topics: Education and (vocational) Training (in universities, in schools, for managers; TRIZ - Best Practices in Industry and SMEs (case certification activities) studies; integration & Further combination with other methodologies) Development of TRIZ (new results and findings) DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS: May 10, 2005. Contact the organizing committee at trizfuture05@unileoben.ac.at