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2010 Bemis Award Nomination

PTC-SC is proud to sponsor Dr. Rod Freudenberg's nomination for the 2010 Stephen E. Bemis Award. As you are no doubt aware, individuals nominated for this award should be current or retired professionals who most nearly emulate the three primary qualities for which Steve Bemis is remembered:

1. Accomplished personnel measurement practitioners who are recognized for their ongoing commitment to the principles of merit and fairness;
2. Professionals who have made an impact in the field by their practical contributions that have either resulted in an improved or new procedure; and
3. Concerned individuals who are recognized for their commitment to assisting fellow practitioners, being available to them, and freely calling on them.

Dr. Freudenberg, currently the Director of Human Resources at the Los Angeles County Office of Education, has continuously been involved in the development and innovation of new practices in HR. Rod's generosity and interest in the development of others and the field of HR mirrors the legacy of Steve Bemis. Rod freely and openly shares his ideas, innovations, and skills with others in his own and in other organizations.

PTC-SC Board Member Dona McBride is serving on the Selection Committee. Selection of the recipient was made on May 7, 2010, and nominees will be notified of the decision on June 11. The award will be presented at the annual IPAC conference in Newport Beach, CA, July 18-21, 2010.

**Don't miss the next PTC-SC luncheon presentation!
Wednesday, May 26, 2010**

Dr. Michael Willihnganz Situational Judgment Tests

Luncheon presentation will be held at

Luminarias Restaurant

3500 Ramona Blvd.

Monterey Park, CA 91754

Click this link for directions:

http://www.mapquest.com/mq/2-G83Ek*Bzj680

Please RSVP to [Katie Wong](#) by May 24, 2010.

Other [upcoming luncheon programs](#) are posted on PTC-SC's website.

Luncheon Cost:

\$18 Student Member ▪ \$20 Student Non-Member ▪ \$25 Member ▪ \$30 Non-Member

PTC-SC, Are You Linked In?

Don't miss networking opportunities — join the PTC-SC group on LinkedIn!

If you're not already a member of LinkedIn, the largest business and professional social networking site on the Internet, consider joining. You can touch base with your colleagues and stay current on all PTC-SC news and events by joining the PTC-SC group for free at www.linkedin.com.

After you have logged in, just click on *groups* and *find a group*. Type *PTC-SC* in the search box and then select *join group*.

Once you have joined the PTC-SC group, you will be able to easily connect with other PTC-SC members and expand your professional network. You can talk about your favorite food at the Luminarias lunches, or about recruitment, testing, and selection. You can also share ideas and best practices, and ask your colleagues questions based on challenges you may be faced with in the workplace.

The group is also handy for posting HR jobs, recruiting raters for panels and oral boards, asking guest speakers follow-up questions and organizing meet-ups.

You'll see some of these items in this newsletter, but you'll get this news a lot faster when you join the PTC-SC group on LinkedIn. We hope to see you there!

IPAC 2010 Conference on Personnel Assessment

July 18 - 21, 2010
Newport Beach, CA

Making the Case for Assessment is the theme of the 2010 IPAC conference. The early bird conference registration rate for IPAC members is only **\$250**. The special IPAC room rate at the [Hyatt Regency Newport Beach](http://www.hyatt.com) is **\$149/night** for single and double occupancy. ***This rate will only be available until June 18, 2010***; please be sure to request this rate when calling the hotel for reservations.

Special rates are available for Early Bird and Advance registration. See IPACweb.org for more information and the [conference brochure](#).

Coming Soon: Upcoming PTC-SC Monthly Programs at Luminarias

6/23/2010

MEASURES OF TRAINING & EXPERIENCE

Presented by Donna Denning, Ph.D.

9/15/2010

SPECIAL HALF-DAY WORKSHOP!

LAW ENFORCEMENT TESTING AND CHALLENGES

ANALYSIS/DISCUSSION OF THE RICCI CASE

Presented by Dennis Doverspike, Ph.D.

Save The Date! **November 5, 2010** **2010 PTC-SC Conference**

Theme and Location to be announced later - watch for further news from PTC-SC.

Announcements and Job Postings

The LA County Office of Education is currently seeking highly qualified individuals
for the position of

Assistant Human Resources (HR) Analyst

For more information:

http://www.ipacweb.org/ptcsc/jobs/documents/bulletin_Asst%20HR%20Analyst_final.pdf

Selection Analyst Job Opportunity at CODESP

CODESP is currently accepting applications for Selection Analyst at their Huntington Beach, CA office. Education/Experience: Possession of a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, specializing in business, public administration, human resources, industrial/organizational psychology, or related field, including course work in statistics used in employee selection; plus at least two years experience in a public or private sector organization in test development, item writing and editing. Post graduate work in the above may be substituted on a year for year basis.

Salary Range: \$5,044 - \$6,131 . For more information email: marcodesp@aol.com or visit the website at www.codesp.com.

To apply, complete the application and supplemental located on the CODESP website at www.codesp.com. Go to Resources from the blue toolbar and scroll down to CODESP Employment Documents. Submit the application by 4:30 p.m. May 28, 2010.

Raters Needed

LAUSD is looking for subject matter experts to help serve as raters for the Assistant Budget Director. The interviews are tentatively scheduled for mid-May (depending on rater availability), and will take place at LAUSD Administrative Headquarters in downtown Los Angeles. Parking and lunch will be provided. Please contact Jigger.Rentino@lausd.net if you can assist.

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