



Society of Manufacturing Engineers Chapter 275 Bulletin

November 13 Meeting (Joint with ASQ)

Topic: 4 Cs of Diamond Selection
Speaker: Bill Elliott, Ross Elliott Jewelers

Times: Social at 6:00 pm, Meal at 6:30 pm, Presentation at 7:00 pm

Location: Holiday Inn, Terre Haute, US41 and I-70, Gallery Room

Cost: \$15.00 for members, \$6.00 for students

Advise: Roy Boissy (812- 237- 8329 or arrangements@asqwabashvalley.org) by Tuesday November 11, for attendance.

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The Topic: 4 Cs of Diamond Selection

Mr. Elliott plans to discuss the impact of color, clarity, cut (style and quality) and carat weight on the value and selection of diamonds. These same factors, and others, are also important in the price and evaluation of colored gems.

The Speaker

Bill Elliott has been actively involved in appraisals at Ross Elliott Jewelers in Terre Haute since 1971. He is a 1971 graduate of the Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. Elliott received Gemologist recognition from the Gemological Institute of America in 1974 and Certified Gemologist Appraiser recognition from the American Gem Society in 1991. He currently serves on the Board of Managers for the American Gem Society Laboratories.

Next Month's Program

On December 11, 2003, a holiday celebration featuring the T. H. North show choir "The Counterpoints," will be held at ISU Memorial Student Union, DeDe room III. Times TBD. Those wishing to exchange presents should bring a wrapped gift with a value of \$15 or less.



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In Case You Missed it

Approximately 30 ASQ, SME, and ASM members participated in a very interesting tour of Aisin Brake on October 9. Many thanks to Frank Chapman and Kathy Deal and others for their participation and for Aisian Brake and Chassis for the meal provided to participate.

New Member Welcome!

Chapter 275 welcomes new ISU SME student member, Michael A. Scott.

Student Chapter Update

SME Chapter 275 is now recognized as the sponsoring Chapter for ISU Student Chapter, S089. This is due in a large measure to the ISU Student Chapter advisors and supportive faculty.

2003 SME Info

**For Student Chapter (S089) info visit the website at <http://chapters.sme.org/s089/homepage.htm>.
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