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APICS is the premier professional association for supply chain and operations management

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# ABOUT APICS:

APICS is the global leader and premier source of the body of knowledge in supply chain and operations management, including production, inventory, materials management, purchasing, and logistics.

With over 43,000 members and more than 300 international partners, APICS is transforming the way people do business, drive growth and reach global customers.

## APICS Mission:


Fostering the advancement of end-to-end supply chain management through a body of knowledge, innovative research, systems, and methods to create value for customers, members, and organizations

# APICS WILL:

- keep you up-to-date and industry-savvy on current news and events.
- give you the leverage you need to advance your career.
- enhance your operations and supply chain management skills.
- make you a valued leader within your organization.

# ATHENS STATE OPPORTUNITIES:

- partner with the business professionals of the Tennessee Valley Chapter, which was recognized as a GOLD Award Winning Chapter by the organization's national Chicago-based headquarters,
- participate in national conferences and case competitions,
- serve in leadership positions within the student chapter,
- lead and participate in community service projects, and
- network with school, local, and national chapter members, including students and professionals



Since 1957, individuals and companies have relied on APICS for its superior training programs, internationally recognized certifications, comprehensive resources, and worldwide network of accomplished industry professionals.



APICS offers two certification programs that carry weight across industry as hiring managers make their decisions

**CPIM:** Certified in Production and Inventory Management. Provides you with the ability to understand and evaluate production and inventory activities within a company's global operations.

**CSCP:** Certified Supply Chain Professional. Helps you demonstrate your knowledge and organizational skills for developing more streamlined operations.



We are dedicated to developing and providing the body of knowledge in operations management including:

- Supply Chain
- Logistics
- Impact of Technology on Supply Chain
- Production and Inventory Management
- Operations
- Materials Management
- Planning
- Scheduling
- Purchasing
- Lean Manufacturing