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Manitoba Division

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To whom it may concern

Re: George Trachilis

George Trachilis is an instructor in CME's unique Lean Manufacturing Certificate Program where industry practitioners teach various aspects of "Lean Thinking" to manufacturing managers. He has been involved in teaching this course for the last year.

This is a letter of acknowledgment for the work George has done with the course. George presents the "Value Stream Management" and Value-Added Flow Analysis" modules of the course which represent 3 days out of the 11 day course.

We ask every student to rate the course and the instructor in a variety of areas. Students in the last two courses rated George anywhere from good to excellent with an average rating of "very good". Comments such as "well-versed, organized very passionate clear, concise, and knowledgeable" were recorded on the evaluation sheets. Many noted George's personal experience as a valuable component of the course.

We are very pleased to have talented individuals promoting and supporting this course. With efforts put forth by George and the rest of the team we are now looking forward to enhanced course offerings and success in the future.

Sincerely,

Tony van Rosmalen, P.Ag
Vice President