

# 2010 Shingo Prize Northeast Conference *Confirmed Speakers & Events*



**“Easier, Better, Faster, Cheaper:  
How Do We Improve?”**

*Tuesday & Wednesday,  
October 19 & 20, 2010*

- **\*\* Ritsuo Shingo, son of Japanese industrial engineer and father of the Toyota Production System Shigeo Shingo, & former President of Toyota China and Hino Motors China \*\***
- Rhode Island Governor Donald Carcieri
- Steven Maynard & a panel from Sturm, Ruger & Co.
- David Meier, author of *The Toyota Way* & *The Toyota Way Fieldbook*
- Bryant Sanders from Toyota Production System Support Center (TSSC)
- Mark Hamel, author of *The Kaizen Event Fieldbook*
- Beau Keyte, author of *The Complete Lean Enterprise*
- Mike Wroblewski from Batesville Casket Company
- Phil Coley from Federal Express, Aircraft Maintenance
- Shingo Prize Recipient Carestream Health Finishing Panel
- Steve Hodlin of DST Output
- Ken Roey from the Howard County Public School System
- Annie Yu of Hologic, Inc.
- Alice Lee, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
- Joy Peters, Allegheny General Hospital
- Bruce Wadkins, Karl Storz Endovision
- Jeff Fuchs, Maryland World Class Manufacturing Consortium
- Bruce Hamilton, Lesa Nichols & Ron Pujalte of GBMP, Inc.
- ***and more to come***
  
- *...plus Virtual Plant Tours, the Community of Lean Lounge, Lean Best Practice Simulations, the Silver Toaster Award Presentation, Networking, Massages, an on-site Lean Bookstore, an Ice Cream Social and The Shingo Prize Northeast Award Luncheon and Recognition Cocktail Reception*

