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Manufacturing Focus: Continuous Improvement Tools for Optimization
Global Trade Finance: How to Mitigate Payment Risk and Obtain Working Capital

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THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2014
9:00 AM – 11:30 AM
(8:30am registration and continental breakfast)
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE
Morris Center – Redbud-Oak Rooms (second level)

▶ Manufacturing Focus: Lean, Quality and other optimization tools for your business
▶ Trends for key manufacturing sectors around the world
▶ Creative ways to mitigate risk and protect your profit margins
▶ How to increase sales through export credit insurance & loan guarantee programs
▶ Meet and network with trade professionals, international lenders and other exporters

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