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Industrial PCs

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Presentation:

Chris Matthews will discuss issues related to Industrial PCs. The topics to be covered include, but not limited to:

- Information flow to and from plant floor devices and business systems.
- Challenges and costs of supporting multiple proprietary HMI solutions.
- Lowering total costs of HMI hardware and software systems.
- Review the capabilities and determine a strategy to migrate from proprietary systems to open solutions with lower overall costs or increased capabilities.



Sponsors:

Speaker:

Education: Chris Matthews graduated from Purdue University in 1994 with a B.S. in mechanical engineering technology. He received an MBA in international management from the University of Texas at Dallas in 2000.

Matthews has eight years field sales experience, ranging from motion control systems, PLC, HMI, iPC, PC-Based control, DeviceNet, Profibus, and some business-to-business (B2B) e-commerce solutions. He has worked for Texonics and Cutler-Hammer Automation, and is currently with Siemens Energy & Automation.

Meeting Notes:

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Date:

Wednesday, July 10, 2002

Place:

Park Place CN-10 (37-10), 3353
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Time:

Social hour—5:00 p.m.

Technical Program—5:45 p.m.