

# Center for Operational Excellence

## 2020 Events

Here's a high-level calendar of our standard events. Exact dates will be communicated as events are scheduled.

Events	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
PDM		2/21							9/17			12/10
Summit				4/7-9								
Board Meetings				4/9					9/17			
Benchmarking	1/30				TBD				TBD		TBD	
Lean 101											TBD	
ITLN						TBD				TBD		
Supply Chain			3/20							TBD		
Women's	1/17							TBD				

**PDM** (Professional Development Meetings) - Day-long professional development meetings hosted three times annually and featuring keynotes from a mix of industry leaders and faculty researchers.

**Summit** - COE's annual Leading Through Excellence summit, a three-day event that brings together continuous improvement professionals from across North America for a dynamic mix of keynotes, breakout sessions, workshops, and tours — all focused on elements of leadership and problem solving.

**Board Meetings** – Gatherings of COE's non-governing board, where members – one from each member company – have exclusive access to programming tailored to upper-level leaders and serve in advisory capacity regarding COE's strategic direction

**Benchmarking** – Quarterly, small-group Lean Leader Benchmarking sessions hosted at member company sites on audience-driven topics.

**Lean 101 Workshop** – Bi-annual, small group simulation session hosted at Fisher that focuses on how to take a complex process and break it down into manageable improvement cycles.

**ITLN, Supply Chain, and Women in Leadership** - Semi-annual programs in COE's IT Leadership Network, Supply Chain Symposium, and Women in Leadership series.

*In addition to our standard events above, there are also several select events hosted by COE internal and external partner organizations.*

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