

ACUP 2008

Speaker Biographies



Vic Nathan Barkin, CGCM - Vic Barkin Consulting

Vic has more than 30 years of experience in the printing industry and currently owns a consulting practice specializing in digital printing business development, workflow, and technology implementation geared to the in-plant community. He also offers expertise in "Green Printing" practices, FSC certification facilitation and is an FSC auditor for Smartwood. Vic was the manager of Northern Arizona University's Printing Services department for 12 years and recently served as solutions sales manager, digital printing, for Kodak. Vic is past president of the IPMA's Arizona chapter, and has been a presenter at ACUP, SUPDMC, PIAMS/ERP, Big12, NGPA and PIAMS Green Industry Showcase. He currently serves as VP for the Mountain States Printing Education Foundation, is a consultant for Vista Research, a division of Standard and Poore's, and is a contributing writer for In-Plant Graphics Magazine.



Catherine Chambers, M. Ed - Manager, Printing Services, State College Area School District, PA

Catharine has over fifteen years of experience managing print, copier, and mailing functions in higher education and the private sector. She presently works as the Manager of Printing Services for the State College Area School District, where she provides mailing, printing, and copier management services to 1200 plus administrators and faculty in 21 locations across Centre County, PA. Catherine has a B.A. in Organizational Management, a M. Ed. in higher education administration and is in the proposal preparation stage of her doctoral studies in the same program at Penn State. She is co-founder of the Chambers Management Group, a management consulting firm for non-profit in-plants.



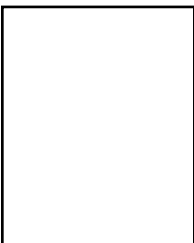
Ray Chambers, MBA, CGCM - Chambers Management Group

Ray Chambers is CEO of Chambers Management Group, an international consulting practice delivering document management solutions to decision makers in the K-16 education space. He has invested over 30 years managing award winning support services in state and local government and higher education. Most recently he served as Vice President and Chief Information Officer at Juniata College. He is a frequent speaker at events sponsored by IPMA, NACAS, Xplor, On-Demand, ACAP, ACUP, NGPA, the Big 10 Printing Managers' Conference, and SUPDMC; and he has written extensively for a variety of industry publications. Ray is currently a doctoral student at Penn State, where he studies outsourcing and the assessment of non-academic support services in Higher Education.



Richard Griffin - Director; Campus Printing, Central Piedmont Community College

Delmar, a yearbook publisher, turned out to be at best an unremarkable place to work when Richard Griffin answered that classified ad in 1972. But Delmar was where he first saw and fell in love with an offset press, a passion that continues to this day. Richard has been a flyboy (really!), a press helper, a pressman, a shift supervisor, a pressroom manager and a plant manager. He's been a press mechanic and a press erector. Richard also sold printing, offset presses, and Xerox machines, and founded Press Statistics, a consultancy for offset press acquisition and printing operations. He is presently at -plant for Central Piedmont Community College which really is a great place to work.



Duncan Hurst - Director of Media Services, Heriot-Watt University, UK

Duncan has a post-graduate degree in illustration and printmaking, and spent eleven years working in advertising and educational design. In 1985 he joined Heriot-Watt University as Director of Media Services. Duncan is Chairman of the UK Higher Education National Working Party for Photocopiers and sits on the Scottish Government advisory group for MFDs. He is a member of the Standing Conference for Heads of Media Services, and in 2007 acted as Advisor to the Higher Education Funding Council project '*Getting Value for Money from Printing and Copying within Higher Education*'. Within this project he published his own study '*Cost Advantages of Internal Print Units*'. Duncan works vigorously within national committees and working parties to promote inter-institutional initiatives, collaborative ventures and national purchasing agreements.



Rhonda Kohler - Director; Printing Services, Central Michigan University

Rhonda has worked at CMU Printing Services for 24 years. Rhonda enjoys sharing all the possibilities new technology has to offer with both staff and customers. She has actively been involved in cross teaching offset press staff into the digital work and involving the CMU bindery / mailing staff in the arenas of fulfilment printing and variable data print/bindery/mail coordination. Rhonda's area of study at CMU was journalism with a focus on operations management and graphic design. Rhonda believes that encouraging others, young and old, to do their best creates win-win situations. She also states that attending ACUP over the years has provided her with valuable friendships and invaluable information that has helped her excel in her position.



Bob Neubauer - Editor, In-Plant Graphics

Bob is currently the editor of In-Plant Graphics, the only magazine in the world dedicated to in-plant managers. He has served as editor of the Philadelphia-based publication since October, 1994. Prior to that he was a managing editor at Printing Impressions magazine. Before that he was a reporter with the Philadelphia Inquirer. Bob is very active in the U.S. in-plant industry. He attends all the major in-plant conferences (this is his 13th ACUP), and has visited more than 100 in-plant operations around the U.S. to keep abreast of managers' concerns. He has given presentations to numerous in-plant groups in the U.S., Canada and Australia, and he coordinates In-Print, the annual printing contest for in-plants.



Francis Reis - Manager; Document Production Centre, University of Plymouth, UK

Francis had an apprenticeship with the University of Plymouth in 1977 as a trainee photographer, which led to qualification as a professional photographer. Francis was commissioned into the Royal Air Force Reserve in 1989, and is still active today. Francis has been employed at University of Plymouth since 1977, moved into management in 1987, and is now responsible for Media Services, consisting of Photography, AV, Graphics, Print and Media. Francis has an active role in the University Print Managers Group (UPMG) and has served as Chairman of UPMG since 2002. As part of his RAF reserve duties, Francis commands an Air Cadet Squadron, which teaches youth in all matters to do with aviation.



Mr. David Riscile - Regional Sorting Sales Manager, BÖWE BELL + HOWELL

David has over 21 years of experience in the document management industry, the last 6 years in the production mailing segment working for BBH. David has strategically worked with numerous Fortune 500 companies, universities, and government agencies to develop and deploy large scale document management and production mailing solutions. David currently serves as the Southern Region Sorting Sales Manager for the southeastern US, and resides in Tampa, FL.



Leslie Rutledge - Manager; ReproGraphic Services, San Diego State University

Leslie has been in the printing business for over 20 years and graduated from New England School of Art in Boston. After owning and operating her own graphic design firm in San Francisco, Leslie became fascinated with new technology and made the move from graphic design to prepress and printing. Leslie continued working for various companies implementing new technology, stream-lining workflow and operations as well as teaching staff to provide excellent customer service. In 2005 she accepted the position of at San Diego State University. In this new challenge, Leslie began the transformation to new technology and now the shop and staff are in state-of-the-art condition.



Andrew Scott - Head of Print Design Services, Glasgow Caledonian University, UK

Andrew has been involved in printing since 1971. He studied at the Glasgow College of Printing where he graduated with the British Federation of Master Printers certificates in Print Management. In 1998 Andrew formed the Scottish University Print Managers Group (SUPMG) as part of the Universities of Scotland Purchasing Consortium and later that year the group joined with the UK wide University Print Managers Group (UPMG). The SUPMG has a strong identity and collaborative ethos working together to procure contracts, problem solve and share best practices. Since 1998, Andrew has been a member of the UK National Working Party for Photocopiers, managing the National HE and Public Money Photocopier Agreement. Recently, Andrew has been working with the new public procurement structure in Scotland to produce national contracts for Print, Creative Advertising and Design and MFD's/Photocopiers.



Mr. Terry Waldon - Inbound Sorting Product Sales Manager, BÖWE BELL + HOWELL

Terry has an extensive background and experience in the mailing industry to include sales, sales management, product management and operations management. Terry has in excess of thirteen years of in-plant operations management experience in high volume printing and mailing operations, including eight years at Indiana University, Purdue University, Indianapolis. Terry has spent the last ten years in the area of Inbound Mail sortation developing products that are widely used today by a variety of industries and currently serves as the Southern Region Sorting Sales Manager and the Inbound Sorting Sales Product Manager for Bove Bell & Howell.