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KAREN KUREK

Karen Kurek is a partner and managing director with McGladrey. Karen leads the firm's National Manufacturing & Distribution Practice and is considered the "Voice of Manufacturing" for McGladrey and all of its manufacturing professionals across the nation. Karen is recognized for her thought leadership and her clear vision of what success looks like and how to achieve it.

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Spring 2011 McGladrey **Manufacturing & Wholesale Distribution Industry Monitor Results Seminar**

Featuring **Karen Kurek**,
McGladrey's National Manufacturing Practice Leader

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 2011

After delivering five years of annual industry snapshots, McGladrey has expanded its study to provide surveys on a quarterly basis in order to provide industry leaders and policymakers with a continuous stream of fresh, focused data and insight.

The first quarter spring 2011 survey revealed that 90% of the 904 responses collected are optimistic about their businesses. Furthermore, 45% indicated their businesses are "Thriving and Growing," nearly double the percentage from last year's numbers and the highest level we have seen since 2007. And over half of the respondents plan to increase their work force in the next 12 months!

Karen Kurek, McGladrey's National Manufacturing Practice Leader, will speak on the "State of the Industry." Her presentation will cover the current impacts of the industry as well as an overview of the Spring 2011 survey results.

Join your fellow TSMA members for this insightful third quarter event!

Date: Thursday, August 18, 2011

Location: Old National Bank Auditorium (One Main Street, Evansville, IN 47708)

Time: 7:30 - 8:00 am CDT Registration & Networking
8:00 - 9:30 am CDT Program

Cost: FREE to TSMA members; \$40 per person for non-TSMA members

A continental breakfast will be provided.

REGISTER TODAY—Space is limited!

To register for this event, please contact Julie Ko, manager of business services, at 812.425.8147 or via e-mail at jko@ccswin.com.