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RIMS: Chapter Officers' Weekly Update, May 21, 2009

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*This information bulletin is distributed weekly in an effort to reduce the amount of separate emails our Chapter officers receive from RIMS. It highlights Chapter/member-related information including new benefits to Chapters, changes at RIMS and upcoming events. Please review this email when you receive it to remain on the cutting-edge of what's relevant for chapters from RIMS. Visit the archived versions of the Chapter Officer Weekly Update archive at: [www.RIMS.org/ChapterOfficerWeeklyUpdate](http://www.RIMS.org/ChapterOfficerWeeklyUpdate). We would also be glad to include relevant information from your chapter (announcements, meetings, brief success stories). Please send your submissions to [chapterservices@RIMS.org](mailto:chapterservices@RIMS.org).*

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## Chapter Officer News

### **Your Chapter's Hard Work Could Earn a Spot in *Risk Management* magazine!**

RIMS is seeking photos of chapters to use in the July/August issue of *Risk Management* magazine.

If your chapter has recently taken part in a community service event or held a fundraiser for Spencer Educational Foundation, please send 1-3 images to Felicia Messimer at [fmessimer@RIMS.org](mailto:fmessimer@RIMS.org) with the subject line: RIMS Chapter Photos.

Please include a short description of the event. **Images are due June 10.**

### **Member Information Update**

*Please share the following information with your chapter members - at your next meeting, on your website and/or in your newsletter.*

## **RIMS Professional Development Workshops**

Now, more than ever, risk management is critical to business operations and strategy. A well designed risk program prepares you to address current and emerging risks—and identify efficiencies and opportunities. RIMS Professional development workshops will help you and your Chapter members stay knowledgeable and competitive in today's business environment! Register today at [www.RIMS.org/Education](http://www.RIMS.org/Education).

### **Business Continuity/Disaster Planning & Management**

*May 27 - 28, Atlanta, GA*

Learn the elements of a disaster plan and the principles of contingency planning and bring new skills, including media management and product recall, back to your workplace.

### **Directors and Officers Liability and Insurance**

*May 28 - 29, Charlotte, NC*

Obtain an in-depth knowledge of D&O insurance coverage, claims and loss trends. Learn how to reducing the risk of D&O claims for your organization.

### **Minimizing Insurance and Claims Costs**

*May 28-29, New York, NY*

Get the best terms from insurers, pay the lowest price, and reduce the number and size of claims by understanding what insurance underwriters look for in a client and how they determine premiums.

For more information on how your Chapter can sponsor a webinar, or for tools to promote this event to your Chapter members, contact us at [PD@RIMS.org](mailto:PD@RIMS.org).

## **Society News**

### **2008 RIMS Annual Report – Now Available**

A report of the Society's accomplishments and financial activities for 2008 is now available. Read or download the 2008 RIMS Annual Report online at [www.RIMS.org/RIMS2008AR](http://www.RIMS.org/RIMS2008AR).

## **Features**

### **RIMS Trivia:**

*Everyone who responds correctly to the RIMS trivia question will be placed in a pool for a prize drawing once a month. The answer to the RIMS trivia question will be posted in next week's update. This month's winner will be announced in the first newsletter of next month.*

### **Trivia Question:**

Name any of one of the "Featured Publications of the Month" currently listed on RIMStore.

### **RIMS Trivia Answer for 5/15/09:**

What service did RIMS just launch that gives members the ability to search an online product directory and with just one click, send an RFI to one or a hundred different providers?

***RIMS Buyer's Guide***, a partnership with MultiView, Inc., allows you to search by company name, product type or keyword and also by the content of their websites. You can limit your search geographically, by state or zip code. You can even limit your search to RIMS members and/or exhibitors. And with one click, you can send an RFI to one or a hundred different

providers.

Check it out today @ [www.RIMS.org/BuyersGuide!](http://www.RIMS.org/BuyersGuide!)

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