

Strategic Improvement Yellow Belt Course

One In-Person Training Day on July 20, 2023 &
Final Presentations on Zoom on August 22, 2023

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Course Description

Lean Six Sigma is a global best practice **Strategic Improvement** approach used widely throughout the world. It combines the "waste out" Lean techniques with the structured Six Sigma problem-solving techniques to provide leaders with a way to improve both *efficiency* and *effectiveness*. Course participants will be (1) introduced to *Strategic Planning, Project Portfolios*, and the basic *Lean Six Sigma* concepts, methods, and tools and then (2) apply what they learn. This fast-paced, action-packed *Strategic Improvement Yellow Belt* experience will give participants some of the valuable skills necessary to improve their day-to-day work and impact organizational performance.

Venues: **In-Person Training Day on July 20, 2023** (Twin Cities Venue) and Final Application Presentations on **Zoom on August 22, 2023**.

Class Times: 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. CST on July 20, 2023.
Final Application Presentations Start at 2:00 p.m. CST on August 22, 2023.

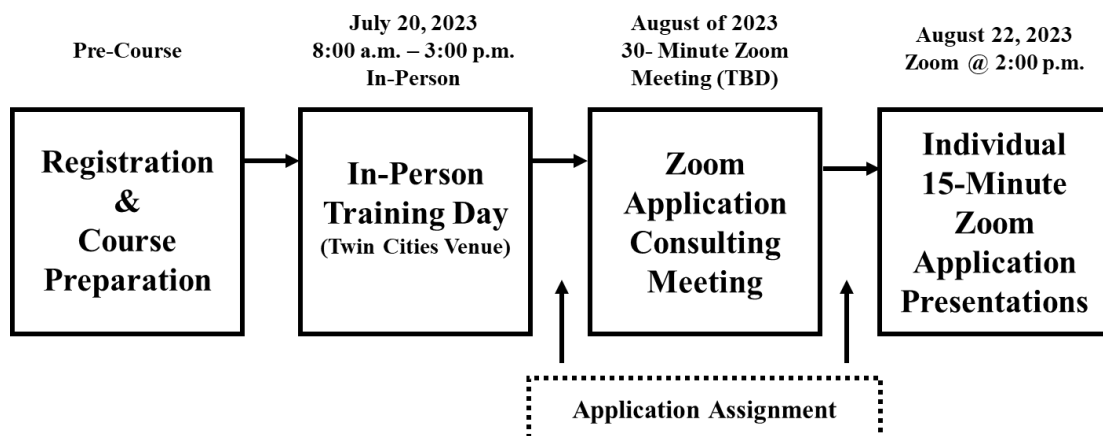
Length: 5.5 Total Training Hours + 15-Minute Individual Final Presentation.

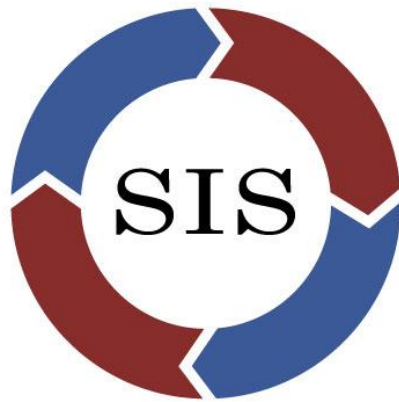
Price: \$550 **Payment-in-Full** in the Amount of **\$550** is Due by **July 13, 2023**.
Early Bird Discount = \$500 if Payment-In-Full is Received by **May 31, 2023**.

Strategic Improvement Yellow Belt Certification Requirements

- Attend the In-Person Training Day on July 20, 2023
- Attend Your 30-Minute Zoom Application Consulting Meeting (August – Date TBD)
- Complete the Application Assignment
- Make a Final 15-Minute Application Presentation on August 22, 2023

Strategic Improvement Yellow Belt Roadmap





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Course Instructor

Charles A. Liedtke, Ph.D. is the Founder and Owner of Strategic Improvement Systems, LLC, a management consulting company designed to assist leaders in improving the performance of their organization from a strategic perspective. Charles conducts research, consults, and provides customized training on *Strategy, Culture, Quality, Analytics, Improvement, and Innovation*. He has worked with organizations worldwide on strategic improvement initiatives including Fortune 500 companies, privately-held companies, non-profit organizations, hospitals, clinics, and government entities. His most recent research reports were on *Quality, Analytics, & Big Data; Big Data in Hoshin Kanri; Information-Based Customer Value Creation; Advances in Strategic Planning; Shaping Organizational Culture; Visions & Visioning; and Advances in Horizontal Interaction*. Charles served as an editor for the Japanese Society for Quality Control on the English version technical standards on *Guidelines for Daily Management* and *Guidelines for Policy Management*. Those two works made the *best practice* technical standards from Japan accessible to all English speakers.

Charles earned a Ph.D. in Business – Operations and Information Management from the University of Wisconsin-Madison specializing in strategy; strategic improvement; and quantitative analysis. Charles also earned a Ph.D. Minor in Statistics and an MBA from the University of Wisconsin-Madison; an M.S. Degree in Statistics from Iowa State University; and a B.S. Degree in Economics from South Dakota State University.

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Registration & Payment Information

To register . . .

Send an email message with the registration information below to charles@sisliedtke.com

- Name & Title/Position
- Organization
- Email Address
- Payment Preference

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There are three ways that you can pay for the course:

1) Mail a check to Charles at the address below with the registration information (above).

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Strategic Improvement Systems, LLC
6231 Hummingbird Road
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2) Submit a purchase order with the registration information and you will be sent an invoice.

3) Submit the registration information and indicate that you would like to pay by credit card.

You will then be sent an invoice through PayPal.

A person's registration is transferable to another person until July 19, 2023. There will be an 80% refund of \$440 (\$400 for Early Bird Discount) for a cancellation until July 13, 2023. There are no cancellation refunds after July 13, 2023.

Price of **\$550** (or **\$500 for Early Bird Discount**) per participant includes:

- 5.5 hours of training (in-person) + 15-minute final presentation (Zoom)
- Learning material (hard copy booklet)
- One 30-minute Zoom application consulting meeting
- Food and beverages during the in-person training day
- *Strategic Improvement Yellow Belt* certificate

Questions

You can email Charles at charles@sisliedtke.com with questions.

Privacy Notice: Registration information will only be used for internal administrative purposes by Strategic Improvement Systems, LLC and will not be shared with any third party.