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**MANUFACTURING LEADERS FORUM ON STRATEGIC POSITIONING
SCHEDULED WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3RD 2009**

BUFFALO, NEW YORK — Leaders of local manufacturing companies are invited to attend a forum scheduled to take place on Wednesday, June 3rd from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at the Larkin Building, 726 Exchange Street in downtown Buffalo. The forum entitled *“Back to the Future: Positive Positioning in the New Economy,”* is being presented through the collaborative efforts of CoreIP Systems, Lumsden & McCormick, LLP, Jaeckle Fleischmann & Mugel, LLP, Insyte Consulting, World Trade Center Buffalo Niagara and Vanner Insurance Agency.

The June 3rd forum will feature a presentation by Russ Kamis, Strategy Specialist and Executive Advisor. Russ Kamis has served in an executive leadership capacity for over 20 years across multiple industries, serving for seven years as President & CEO of a \$100 million manufacturing business in Western New York. He has completed over twenty acquisitions/divestitures and successfully guided businesses through rapid growth and needed change. An executive coach, professional facilitator and professor of strategy at the University of Buffalo, Russ assists companies in successfully reshaping their businesses by identifying and capturing the best opportunities for growth and transformation. For more information on Russ Kamis, visit www.thekamisgroup.com.

This forum is complimentary. To register visit www.wnymlf.com. For more information contact Paul Herlan at pherlan@lumsdencpa.com or 716.856.3300.

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