

# NEPIRC MFG Day 2019

## Hilton Scranton Conference Center, Scranton, PA

### October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019

## Agenda

7:00 AM	Doors open for manufacturer, vendor and sponsor booth set-up.
8:00 AM – 8:55 AM	Registration, continental breakfast and networking.
9:00 AM – 9:20 AM	MFG DAY opening comments – Speaker TBA.
9:25 AM – 10:10 AM	Networking, booth visits and business-to-business opportunity discussions.
10:15 AM – 11:15 AM	<p><u>Manufacturers</u>: Attend breakout session of choice:</p> <p><b>Building a Culture for Growth</b> – Hosted by Leo Gilroy, NEPIRC Director of Strategy &amp; Innovation</p> <p><b>Exploring Cloud Collaboration</b> – Hosted by Janelle Farkas, NEPIRC Industrial Engineer</p> <p><b>Problem Solving Tips &amp; Tools</b> – Hosted by Gerry Giza, NEPIRC Dir. of Lean &amp; Continuous Improvement</p> <p><u>Non-manufacturers</u>: Attend a special briefing:</p> <p><b>PA: The State of Manufacturing</b> – Hosted by Eric Joseph Esoda, NEPIRC President &amp; CEO</p>
11:20 AM – 11:55 AM	Networking, booth visits and business-to-business opportunity discussions.
12 NOON – 1:30 PM	MFG Day lunch and keynote presentation: David Beurle, Futurist & CEO, FutureIQ <i>"The Next Industrial Revolution"</i>
1:35 PM – 2:15 PM	Networking, booth visits and business-to-business opportunity discussions.
2:20 PM – 3:00 PM	MFG DAY closing comments and reception – Speaker TBA.

### Keynote Speaker: David Beurle, Futurist & CEO, FutureIQ

Mr. Beurle is the founder and CEO of Future IQ, an international research and consulting firm specializing in industry foresight and technology-driven strategic planning. His publication – *The Next Industrial Revolution* – has been the topic of his appearances at international conferences, television and radio shows, policy hearings, university discussions and world summits. With more than 200 speaking engagements across 11 countries, NEPIRC is bringing Mr. Beurle's insights on the future of manufacturing to Scranton!

During his luncheon keynote, Mr. Beurle will speak to how emerging catalytic technologies such as 3D printing, autonomous vehicles, automation, the Internet of Everything, machine learning and cyber-physical systems will impact manufacturing, the workforce and society. This is an exciting and thought-provoking presentation that leaders across all industries will find of value.

