

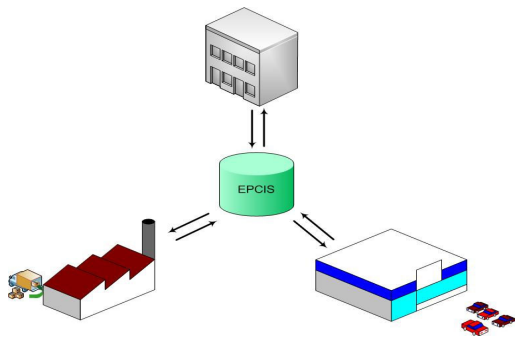
# RFID Center of Excellence

## *RFID Integration Management*

### Overview:

This half day course is geared toward decision makers who want to know how to integrate RFID data into existing enterprise information systems. The course provides an overview of RFID middleware and explains how it spans the gap between enterprise software and RFID hardware. Proven best practices, gaining process visibility into the supply chain, and streamline business processes will be taught.

Attendees will discuss options for adding RFID middleware into existing systems, learn several popular ERP and middleware packages, and learn how to utilize EPCglobal standards. Additionally, future uses of RFID in business and how to integrate the technology into ERP systems will be discussed.



### Who should attend:

- Supply chain / operations professionals
- Company executives
- Consultants
- IT managers and developers
- IT solution providers

### Course Topics:

Topics covered during the training session include:

- RFID Middleware
- ERP Solutions
- Current Best Practices
- Process Improvement
- Inventory Control
- Metrics and Data Sharing
- Engineering RFID Systems
- Change Management
- Demonstrations of EPCglobal Standards

### Presenter:

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**From a management and technology consultant at BearingPoint:**

*“The key to successfully implementing RFID is to have it tightly integrated with both your business processes, and your Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system.”*

-Nick Konzel, CEO, Distributed Network Solutions

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