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**Bio:**

Bill is a lean delivery specialist.

Bill is based in Charlotte and assists North Carolina manufacturers through lean manufacturing training and project support. Bill has helped firms in diverse industries such as heavy and light manufacturing, steel, printing, textiles, and industrial component distribution.

Bill helped a Southern Piedmont manufacturing company identify and implement productivity improvements worth up to \$400,000; in addition, he helped a Piedmont Triad firm reduce changeover time to open capacity worth potentially \$1 million in new business. Bill has also assisted companies in developing systematic, long-term lean implementation programs through ongoing consultation. He has also co-taught public classes aimed at building basic understanding of lean thinking and concepts.

Before joining IES, Bill worked for 22 years at Eastman Kodak Company in technical and supervisory positions in manufacturing and research and development. In his last assignment at Kodak, he implemented lean manufacturing in various Eastman Kodak manufacturing areas, using leadership coaching, kaizen and training events, and other lean tools and techniques.