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CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's Community Business Assistance Center (CBAC) will offer "Improving Manufacturing Systems" on Oct. 4 in the Charleston-Mattoon rooms of the University Union from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Among the workshop topics are the comparison of Japanese and American manufacturing systems, the concepts of Just-in-Time and Kanban, plus the latest manufacturing techniques. Primary goal of the workshop is to provide participants with information which will permit them to design viable systems for their own organizations.

Instructors will be Dr. Yunus Kathawala of the Department of Management and Marketing and Dr. Jerry Geisler, Chair of that department.

The program will be co-sponsored by the U. S. Small Business Administration and the Small Business Council of the Charleston Area Chamber of Commerce. The registration fee is \$55. For further information, or to register, contact Dr. Terry L. Maris at (217)581-3526.