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Thursday, May 2, 2024

**Spirit AeroSystems on Global Supply Chains
With Dr. Wendy Crossman, VP, Strategic Sourcing**

Wichita Country Club - 8501 East 13th Street North—Wichita, KS

6:00 pm Social & Networking Reception

7:00 pm Banquet

7:30 pm Introductions: Mr. Reid Jackson

Senior Leader, Finance

Spirit AeroSystems

7:35 pm Distinguished Presenter: **Dr. Wendy Crossman, Vice President
Strategic Sourcing, Spirit Aerosystems**

8:00 pm Discussion

8:30 pm Questions

8:45 pm Adjourn

Reservations Required: <https://tinyurl.com/WTCouncilReg> & SEND money through Paypal; for check payments email wtcouncil@wichita.edu or sherryl.hubble@wichita.edu

COVID vaccinations and/or masks are recommended but optional. Walk-ins without prior reservations not accepted

*Social, Dinner & Presentation: Members—\$45.00 Non-members — \$55.00
WSU Student—\$25.00*

*Menu selection: Beef Short Ribs ___ Chicken Picatta ___ Cod Seafood ___ Vegetarian ___
Contact: wtcouncil@wichita.edu or 316/978-3176*

World Trade Council of Wichita, May 2, 2024 Spirit AeroSystems on Global Supply Chains Speakers' Bios



Wendy Crossman
VP Supply Chain Management
Spirit AeroSystems, Inc.

Wendy Crossman is a VP of Supply Chain Management at Spirit AeroSystems. In her current role, Wendy is responsible for Spirit's US Supplier Development/Operation Support, Transfer of Work and Execution organization. Wendy has been an employee at Spirit for 27 years. For the first eight years she worked for Boeing and made the transition in 2005 to Spirit AeroSystems. Wendy has held several positions with Boeing and Spirit since 1997. Wendy earned her bachelor's degree in education from Wichita State University. She holds three master's degrees and earned her Doctorate in Business Administration from Walden University in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Reid Jackson
Senior Manager, Finance Controller
Spirit AeroSystems



Reid Jackson is Senior Manager, Program Finance for Spirit AeroSystems. Prior to this role, Reid served as a Program Manager responsible for Spirit's organic and inorganic expansion into regions of Southeast Asia where he led a multi-functional team tasked with establishing an operational footprint in China. Reid joined Spirit in September 2015 as a Business Development Leader with a concentration in Competitive Intelligence and Price-to-Win (PTW). His career pivoted in 2017, when accepting a job in Corporate Development where he was responsible for Spirit's Corporate Strategy and M&A portfolio. Prior to joining Spirit, Reid spent 10+ years working in the D.C. metro area for Lockheed Martin and Engility (formerly TASC), holding a succession of leadership roles within the Finance and Business Development organizations. He earned his bachelor's degree in Finance from the University of Maryland and an MBA from Newman University. Reid was born in Alberta, Canada, and grew up in Connecticut. In his spare time, Reid enjoys being active and spending time with his family.