



*Institute for Operations Research
and the Management Sciences*

Dear Sir/Madame,

We are writing to inform you of a workshop designed for middle / high school and community college mathematics and science teachers. This is a very exciting program that should be attended by every teacher who would like to introduce new and exciting real-world applications of mathematics into the teaching environment.

The Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (INFORMS) is holding its annual national meeting in Washington, DC from October 12–15, 2008. As part of this meeting, we will host a workshop for middle/high school and community college math and science teachers on Monday, October 13, 2008 at the Marriott Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, DC.

The program fee is \$25.00, which includes all materials, a very tasty lunch, refreshments, and free admission to the rest of the meeting (featuring the latest software demonstrations and hundreds of technical talks). Interested teachers and administrators should submit their registration forms as soon as possible — no later than September 30, 2008.

We've enclosed (i) a flyer, (ii) a workshop announcement, and (iii) a workshop registration form, all of which are suitable for duplication. Also, you can learn more about INFORMS, the 2008 meeting, and the workshop at www.informs.org and www.hsor.org. *We hope that you will distribute this material with your endorsement.*

This is a terrific opportunity for teachers to talk with professionals who use mathematics and scientific methods in their daily work.

Thanks very much for your cooperation. If you have any questions, call or send an email, and we'll be glad to answer them!

Sincerely,

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