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## Experience the power of THUNDER™ Polyvision & Steelcase University

Monday  
September 18, 2006

**Event Type:** CHAPTER MEETING  
**Presenters:** Steelcase University & Polyvision Inc.

### Content Overview:



**Faye Richardson, Director of Global Learning & Development for Steelcase University** will present a true-to-life case study linking learning and business results, addressing challenges we all face in demonstrating the ROI of development. Faye is a key member of Steelcase University's senior leadership, helping establish the vision and direction of the university. In this role, she leads a team of learning professionals supporting Steelcase North America manufacturing. Her twenty four years in leadership within Learning & Development, Manufacturing Operations, Human Resources, Marketing and Order Services has provided her with a unique opportunity to influence the growth of a diverse and high performance work culture. Externally, Faye speaks and consults with many organizations on organizational culture, workforce performance, diversity and related issues. She has worked with organizations as varied as public and parochial schools systems, hospitals, leadership institutions, foundations, and racial justice organizations in the Grand Rapids area. Faye serves on the ASTD Benchmarking Forum Advisory Board..

***But wait, there's more!*** As learning professionals, we know the power of collaboration. At best it is costly with staff spread across the globe. September's meeting will be an interactive event leveraging a collaboration tool, **Polyvision's THUNDER**. Polyvision is a Steelcase Company; a provider of office and workspace furnishings. For a demo of THUNDER click:  
<http://www.polyvisiondemos.com/Thunder/demo.html>

Polyvision will present a concurrent session on learning methodologies discovered by Polyvision in their scientists' efforts to map and support the way people and organizations learn. The concepts of "persistent information" and other learning elements will be discussed.

This exciting multi-media event will feature truly insightful input on organizational development and a Corporate University's role in implementing change, with a great opportunity to benchmark an internationally recognized learning organization known for its focus on business relevance.

Not able to attend? For the first time ever, ASTD Atlanta will provide a web view of the chapter presentation. Utilizing Polyvision's collaborative technology, the presentation will be delivered using Thunder™. Audio will be available via teleconference.

[To access the presentation download the Thunder Client Software (29.8 MB). ASTD Atlanta cannot provide support for the software. Instructions online: <http://www.polyvision.com/support/downloads-thunder.asp>. As the meeting approaches, phone number and URL for the session will be provided.]

Each chapter program aligns with ASTD's [Competency Model](#) for Certified Professionals in Learning and Performance™ (CPLP). This program aligns with **Delivering Training** and **Designing Learning** (via collaboration technology), **Applying Business Acumen** and **Thinking Strategically**.

### Event Details

**Cost:** \$15 Member ; \$25 Non Member  
**Date & Time:** Monday, September 18, 2006  
5:00 - 5:30 pm New Member Orientation  
5:00 - 6:15 pm Networking (extended for travel to locale)

6:15 - 6:30 pm Chapter Announcements  
6:30 - 7:30 pm Program

**Location:**

Polyvision Headquarters  
3970 Johns Creek Court; Suwanee, GA 30024

**RSVP:**

Please RSVP by September 13th. [RSVP Online](#) or to 770.432.4042

**Directions:**

[Directions to Polyvision](#)

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