

2021 ACG Cup Liaisons



Liaison Co-Chair, Paul Kloska | pgkloska@att.net
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Paul Kloska currently serves as the assistant controller at Wynalda Packaging in Belmont, Michigan. Wynalda Packaging has been one of the leading manufacturers in retail packaging for more than 50 years. He received his undergraduate degree from Central Michigan University in 2015 with a degree in Law and Economics and a minor in Finance. In 2019, Paul earned his MBA with a concentration in Finance from Cornerstone University. Paul participated in the 2017 ACG Cup with Cornerstone University and wanted to continue to be a part of it.



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Chloe Benzer is a Loan Review Consultant with Crowe. Prior to moving to Crowe, she worked for a regional Michigan bank for three years. Chloe graduated from Aquinas with a degree in Business Admin. and recently completed her Masters in Economics through Purdue University. Chloe competed in ACG

Cup 2016 in her junior year at Aquinas, placing second overall, and received a job opportunity via the competition. She serves on ACG's Young Professionals board and has volunteered with a handful of local organizations, including the Grand Rapids Art Museum, Kids Food Basket, and the Eastown Community Association.



MBA Liaison Lead

Gunther Brinkman | gunther@snackwerks.com
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General Manager, SnackWerks

As General Manager of SnackWerks of Michigan LLC, Gunther has overall responsibility for the operations and growth of this contract manufacturer of snack foods. Gunther brings over 20 years of food processing experience to bear at SnackWerks, having held leadership positions in Sales, Marketing, R&D, Information Technology, Transportation and Logistics, and Customer Service at Interbake Foods, the US-based cookie and cracker arm of George Weston Limited, and Ideal Snacks, a contract manufacturer of compression popped snacks that is now a part of PepsiCo.

Gunther has held Board of Director positions with the Food Processing Suppliers' Association, and the Richmond, VA chapter of the Association for Corporate Growth. He chaired the ACG Cup committee in Richmond, and is looking forward to continuing his engagement with ACG and the Cup competition in western Michigan.

Education

A.B, University of Michigan

MBA, The Darden School at the University of Virginia