

## **August 22, 2012 Update:**

The first meeting of the CONECT Young Professionals (CYPs) is on August 30th at Bar Louie at Patriot Place, Foxboro from 5PM-8PM. Any YP (aged 18-30) employed at a CONECT Member company is invited to attend. Early signers-on include YPs from Intral, Liberty International, nora systems, Massport, the Reebok / adidas Group, Hanjin, Hasbro, Haemonetics, BDP International, Acquest, Cool Gear, International Forest Products, and Environmental Defense Fund. There is no charge for the meeting; drinks will be on a cash bar basis.

Some of the goals of the CYP group are:

- To broaden CYPs international logistics knowledge
- To guide CONECT in ways to provide meaningful educational opportunities to YPs
- To advise on effective communications forums for CYPs
- To help CYPs build strong networks to improve careers in trade and/or transportation, increasing their value to the companies they work for
- To determine interest in volunteerism to help move CONECT's mission forward

Peter Diehm, CONECT's NH State Chair, will coordinate the first meeting, so if you wish to join the group and/or attend the first meeting, contact him at [CYP@CONNECT.org](mailto:CYP@CONNECT.org).

**Background on Millennials** (also known as Generation Y - adults who are currently between 18 and 30 years old)

**PCMA Education Foundation Unveils What Matters to Millennials**, [click here](#).

**The Millennial Impact Report**, [click here](#)