Michael Palumbo

Michael Palumbo a retired Supervisor of the former Central Shops Division passed away on January 30, 2014, at the age of 66. After retiring from BNL in April 2007, he moved to Sun City West, Arizona.

Richard Spellman, former Division Manager of the Central Shops Division, notified BREA of his colleague’s death. “Michael was a talented individual who contributed much to the success of the RHIC Project and the NSLS construction and many devices utilized therein,” Spellman said. “He was knowledgable and could always be relied on to fulfill his duties responsibly and quickly. He will be missed by his former co-workers and friends.”

As Spellman recalled, Michael Palumbo joined BNL as an Experimental Machinist in January of 1980. He eventually was promoted to Tool & Instrument Maker, and then an Estimator on the staff of the Division. After some time, he was promoted to Shop Supervisor in the Heavy Machine Shop, where he served until his retirement.