

FASTENER TECH™ '19

Exhibitor Registration & Call for Presentations Underway

October 4, 2018, Akron, OH, USA. **FASTENER TECH™ '19**, the seventh staging of "The All-Fastener-Industry Event in the Heart-of-the-Fastener Industry", is pleased to announce that exhibitor registration is underway and forms are available online at www.mwfa.net and www.fastenertech.com/fastenertech.asp. Questions on exhibit sales can be directed to **Nancy Rich**, mwfa@ameritech.net or **Tom Hutchinson**, tlh@fastenertech.com.

In addition, a "**Call for Presentations**" is being conducted: fastener industry professionals are invited to submit proposals for stand-alone educational seminar presentations that are related to making, distributing and using fasteners. Topics include new technologies, primers, regulations and case studies. The deadline is January 31, 2018, and proposals should be sent to **Mike McNulty** at mcnulty@fastenertech.com.

FASTENER TECH™ '19 is scheduled to take place in Rosemont (Chicago), IL, USA, June 3 to 5, 2019 at the Donald E. Stephens Convention Center. FASTENER TECH™ '19 will offer attendees and exhibitors a valuable, cost-effective and easy-to-attend event that provides benefits to fastener manufacturers, distributors, users and suppliers. FASTENER TECH™ is a biennial event, and once again in 2019 it will be co-located with **SUR/FIN®**, the annual conference and exhibition for surface finishing professionals, which is organized by the **National Association for Surface Finishing**, Washington, DC, USA, www.nasf.org.

FASTENER TECH '19 will feature an Exhibition, Education Seminars, an All-Industry Reception, and other networking opportunities. The preliminary schedule is as follows:

- Education Seminars: June 3, 4 and 5, 2019
- Exhibition: June 4 and 5, 2019
- All-Industry Reception: June 4, 2019

As a trade event, FASTENER TECH™ '19 will be unique on several fronts, including the following: the relatively low-cost and ease-of-exhibiting at and attending the show, the all-industry focus, the heart-of-the-industry location, and a high level of participation from fastener industry associations.

FASTENER TECH™ '19 is being produced by **Fastener Technology International** magazine, Akron, OH, USA, and the **Mid-West Fastener Association (MWFA)**, Lake Zurich, IL, USA. The most recent FASTENER TECH™ was held in June 2017, also at the Donald E. Stephens Convention Center in Rosemont (Chicago), IL, USA, and it provided its visitors with direct supplier access, networking opportunities, business intelligence, social programming and technical education related to making, distributing and using all types of mechanical fasteners. In addition, the 2017 event included the debut edition of the **Fastener Industry Summit**, which was organized by the **Fastener Industry Coalition**, www.fastenercoalition.org.

Fastener Technology International (FTI) is a bimonthly international technical magazine for manufacturers, distributors and users of all types of fasteners. The print edition is delivered to thousands of subscribers in more than 90 countries, and the digital edition is available around-the-clock at www.fastenertech.com. Additional publications include a monthly newsletter, the **Fastener News Report**, and the annual **FTI Buyers' Guide**.

The Mid-West Fastener Association (MWFA) has been representing and serving all segments of the fastener industry for more than half-a century. MWFA members include fastener manufacturers, distributors, importers and industry suppliers. Details are available at www.mwfa.net.

Additional FASTENER TECH™ details and a flipbook edition of the "2017 Exhibition Directory" are available at: www.fastenertech.com/fastenertech.asp.

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