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Würth Industry Expands With New Distribution Center

Würth Industry North America, a leading nationwide supplier of production material, safety, MRO and metalworking products announces a US\$42.5 million investment to establish a major distribution center in Columbus, OH, USA, eventually creating up to 160 new full-time jobs. The company will acquire a 472,000 ft² facility at 1568 Georgesville Road, with room for an additional 500,000 ft² of future expansion to accommodate growth.

The project supports Würth Industry's commitment to faster service, while enhancing product availability and offering improved operational efficiency for its global customers. The Columbus facility is a major expansion of Würth Industry's capabilities to deliver leading-edge solutions to a growing customer base and will stock the full product assortment including industrial supplies, safety equipment and fastening materials.

"Columbus offers a strategic advantage for Würth Industry's expansion with its central location, robust infrastructure and access to a skilled workforce," said **Bastian Rottenberg**, CEO of Würth MRO, Safety & Metalworking, a division of Würth Industry North America. "This facility will allow us to better serve our customers across the USA through enhanced distribution capabilities. I'd like to thank the city of Columbus and its partners for their collaboration throughout the process and we look forward to growing in the region for years to come." www.wurthindustry.com

NCFA 16th Annual Distributor Social on May 8, 2025

The **North Coast Fastener Association (NCFA)** presents its *16th Annual Distributor Social* on May 8, 2025, at the **Wyndham Independence** (formerly **Doubletree by Hilton**) in Independence, OH, USA. The event has evolved into one of the largest networking opportunities in the fastener industry, bringing together top distributor and supplier companies not just from Ohio, but from a wide region of neighboring states and beyond. The casual simplicity of the *NCFA*

istributor Social gives guests the freedom to customize their evening. Whether you want visit with current customers, establish new relationships or just catch up with industry friends, the decision is yours to make. All supplier companies including manufacturers, rep agencies, service providers and master distributors, pay a reasonable registration fee to attend the Distributor Social. This helps NCFA to offer complimentary admission for up to five attendees to all distributor companies, which in turn draws a good attendance from a variety of distributors and gives suppliers the platform to visit with them in one solitary location. www.ncfaonline.com



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EV Fasteners Market to Reach \$20 Billion by 2030

According to an analysis by global market research firm, **Stratview Research**, the global Electric Vehicle (EV) Fasteners Market is projected to witness a growth rate of 13.5% annually from 2024 to 2030, with an anticipated size of some US\$20 billion by 2030. The analysis segments the global EV fasteners market based on vehicle type, EV type, application type, material type, threading type, fastener type and region. Visit the website below to get a free sample of the report:

www.stratviewresearch.com

Martin Supply Opens New Distribution Site

Martin Supply, a leading provider of industrial and safety solutions, has opened a new distribution center in Elizabethtown, KY, USA. This facility enhances the company's ability to efficiently serve customers in Kentucky and southern Indiana, further strengthening its logistics network and market presence. The center features 1400 ft² of office space, two dock-height doors with levelers and a 19' ceiling height for streamlined inventory management and increased storage capacity.

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Chicago Rivet & Machine Celebrates 105 Years

Chicago Rivet & Machine Co., Naperville, IL, USA, an ISO/IATF 16949 manufacturer of custom cold-headed parts, has announced its celebration of 105 years of innovative fastening solutions within numerous industrial sectors. Contact Chicago Rivet & Machine Co. to see how the company's knowledge and expertise can streamline fastening requirements.

www.chicagorivet.com



Notice of Bufab AB Annual General Meeting

The shareholders in Bufab AB are invited to attend the Annual General Meeting, which will be held on April 24, 2025, at 10:30 AM, at the Hotel Vidöstern, Värnamo, Sweden.

The Board of Directors has also decided that shareholders shall be able to exercise their voting rights at the Annual General Meeting also by postal voting in accordance with the regulations in Bufab's Articles of Association.

Information about attending the meeting in person or about postal voting can be found at the Bufab website below.

www.bufabgroup.com

TriMas announces Interim CFO

TriMas, Bloomfield Hills, MI, USA, has announced that Scott Mell, its Chief Financial Officer (CFO),  **TriMas** has left the company to pursue another opportunity. In light of this transition, Teresa Finley, a current TriMas Board member, has been appointed interim CFO.

"As a valued member of our Board since 2020, Teresa brings extensive financial expertise, operational knowledge and steadfast leadership, and is well-suited to step into this interim role," said Herbert Parker, TriMas' Board Chairman. Finley is a qualified financial expert and brings more than 34 years of experience in financial, marketing

and strategic leadership roles at a Fortune 50 company.

www.trimas.com

Pasquale Scaturro to keynote STAFDA Phoenix Convention

The Specialty Tools & Fasteners Distributors Association (STAFDA) is excited to welcome conservationist, geophysicist and adventurer Pasquale Scaturro



to its 49th Annual Convention & Trade Show, November 9 to 11, 2025, at the Phoenix Convention Center. Scaturro will take attendees the full length of the Nile as STAFDA's General Session keynote speaker on Monday, November 10. His inspiring presentation will be followed by a Q&A session moderated by STAFDA President Dale Hahs II of AIS Industrial & Construction Supply. Scaturro is one of the most successful and accomplished mountain and river expedition leaders in the world exploring the far reaches of the planet for over 35 years. His exploits have taken him throughout North and South America, Africa, and the former Soviet Union.

www.stafda.org

Bufab publishes Annual & Sustainability Report for 2024

Bufab's Annual Report and Sustainability Report for 2024 is available on its website listed below. It presents Bufab's performance and sustain-

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Industrial Fasteners Institute (IFI) Leadership Update

The **Industrial Fasteners Institute (IFI)**, Independence, OH, USA, announced leadership updates from its IFI 2025 Spring Meeting last March at **Margaritaville Beach Resort**, Hollywood, FL, USA:

Preston Boyd, the IFI Industrial Products Manager, reports, "Congratulations to **Sebastian Janas**, President of **Sems & Specials**, on being elected as the incoming Chairman of IFI's Division 1 – Industrial Products. A well-deserved recognition of his leadership and expertise in the industry. We also extend our congratulations to **Jose M. Janeiro**, Managing Director of **JM Tor Par**, who will serve as the new Vice-Chair for

Division 1. Please join the IFI in wishing both Sebastian and Jose great success in their new roles as they help drive innovation and progress in the industrial fastener industry."

Additional IFI meeting details can be found on pages 18-20 of the April/May 2025 issue of *Fastener Technology International (FTI)* magazine, available online www.fastenerstech.com.



Left to right: Janas & Janeiro

The IFI represents North American fastener manufacturers to their suppliers, customers, the government and the public at large to advance the competitiveness, products and innovative technology of IFI member companies in a global marketplace. www.indfast.org

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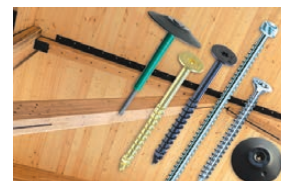
Kerry Tyler is New IFE Show Director

The *International Fastener Expo (IFE)* has named **Kerry Tyler** as its new Show Director. A seasoned trade show professional, Tyler specializes in strategic planning, exhibitor relations, attendee engagement and operational excellence. With over 11 years at **Emerald X**, she has headed initiatives to elevate trade show experiences, with measurable results for clients.



www.fastenershow.com

SPAX® Earns ICC-ES Status
SPAX® Engineered Fasteners, Bryan, OH, USA, received an official Evaluation Report from the **International Code Council Evaluation Service (ICC-ES)** for its structural fasteners in mass timber applications.



The ESR-5358 report includes SPAX structural fasteners including fully and partially threaded fasteners in various sizes and screw-head types. Made in the USA and Germany, the structural fasteners will be highlighted in the fast-growing mass timber market. www.spax.us

ability efforts during the year as well as the implementation of its strategy, with a focus on creating even more value for existing and new customers in their increasingly complex value chains.

"2024 was another good year for Bufab. We reported a solid result, despite lower demand, and managed to successfully implement the strategy across our operations. Important events included the acquisition of VITAL in Italy, which will strengthen our presence in the region, while the manufacturing companies Bufab Lann and Hallborn Metall were divested," says Erik Lundén, President and CEO.

www.bufabgroup.com

Rocket Industrial expands with Zenith Fasteners

Rocket Industrial, headquartered in Wausau, WI, USA, and a leader in packaging innovation, is expanding its exclusive Zenith line to include a full range of fasteners, including nails and staples for various applications, along with a complete selection of supporting nailers and staplers from top brands.

Designed for businesses seeking high-quality products with cost-saving benefits, the Zenith product line continues to deliver reliable packaging solutions tailored to industry needs.

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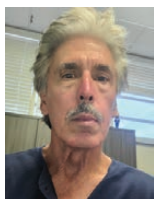
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Grant Govel to E-Z LOK

Business Development Rep E-Z LOK, a leading manufacturer and master distributor of threaded inserts for metal, plastic and wood, recently introduced **Grant Govel** as its Business Development Representative. Since his appointment, Govel has been working to generate new business opportunities. He has a 30+ year blend of technology (hardware and software), finance, marketing and industrial experience, with substantial experience in new business generation and client retention.



www.ezlok.com

ZJK Industrial Enhances Operations to Meet Demand

ZJK Industrial Co. Ltd., Shenzhen, China, is scaling operations to meet increasing demand for its products across key verticals. In response to the rising demand, ZJK has expanded its production lines, upgraded facility capabilities, increased machining center capacity and added new equipment. More updates including finalized purchase orders and production time lines, are also expected.



ir.zjk-industrial.com



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FDI Gains to 52.6 & FLI Dips to 47.0

The FDI gained slightly in March 2025 with a reading of 52.6, after its 51.6 mark in February 2025, seasonally adjusted.

The Forward Looking Indicator (FLI) slid further, impacted by ongoing tariff chaos, dropping modestly to 47.0.

Listen to episode #213 of *Fully Threaded Radio* as **Brighton Best International** President **Jun Xu** and *Fastener Technology International (FTI)* magazine Editor **Mike McNulty** provide further commentary and analysis.

Please share the FDI with your fellow North American fastener distributors and encourage them to participate:

www.fastenersclearinghouse.com/fch/main.nsf/fastener-distributor-index

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Fastener Distribution Trends: March 2025

FASTENER DISTRIBUTION AT A GLANCE												
March 2025												
	Index Values										Direction	Rate of Change
	Mar	Feb	Jan	Dec	Nov	Oct	Sep	Aug	Jul			
ISM PMI (Manufacturing)	49.0	50.3	50.9	49.3	48.4	46.5	47.2	47.2	46.8	Declining	Faster	
FDI	52.6	51.6	47.6	48.1	46.4	56.5	59.0	53.8	47.5	Growing	Faster	
FLI	47.0	47.3	49.9	51.4	52.3	52.6	50.5	47.4	49.6	Declining	Faster	
(Other Metrics)												
Sales	55.4	53.0	37.7	36.5	48.9	61.8	58.4	50.2	43.3	Growing	Faster	
Employment	50.0	50.0	51.7	47.0	51.7	51.7	55.4	50.0	50.0	Same	Same	
Supplier Deliveries	54.2	60.0	55.0	56.1	46.7	61.7	60.7	62.9	46.9	Growing	Slower	
Respondent Inventories	63.9	66.0	61.7	63.6	65.0	63.3	64.3	67.7	62.5	Growing	Slower	
Customer Inventories	51.4	44.0	50.0	48.5	40.0	48.3	55.4	50.0	48.4	Growing	Faster	
Pricing, month-to-month	80.6	74.0	53.3	53.0	58.3	56.7	58.9	56.5	51.6	Growing	Faster	
Pricing, year-to-year	83.3	72.0	55.0	53.0	56.7	56.7	62.5	45.2	42.2	Growing	Faster	
6-Month Outlook - March												
	Higher Same Lower											
	44% 22% 33%											

FDI and Pricing are diffusion indexes. At 50, the performance of the category listed met expectations. A reading above 50 suggests the category outperformed expectations, while a reading below 50 suggests the category underperformed expectations.

Source: Baird, FCH Sourcing Network, Institute for Supply Management

Camcar World Class Quality Award Winners for 2024

Camcar Innovations announced the 2024 recipients of its TORX® Drive System World Class Quality Award. Established in 2005, the annual award program recognizes high-performing, qualified authorized manufacturers who demonstrate the greatest commitment to manufacturing high quality, genuine TORX products during the previous year. For 2024, there were 31 fastener makers and five drive tool makers representing Brazil, China, Germany, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Taiwan, Turkey and the USA awarded for their performance. See the complete list of award winners at:

www.camcar.com

Klimas is Again Honored with the DAFA Certificate

Once again, the Association of Flat

Roof and Facade Contractors DAFA has honored Klimas with its certificate. This means that Klimas products have met the highest quality standards, and the company itself is a reliable business partner.

On this basis, the DAFA Member Catalog is being created, as an indispensable resource for general contractors, investors, architects, and designers, thanks to which they can be sure that they will carry out the investment with reliable and proven partners. This is because the catalog includes companies that



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Simpson Strong-Tie Opens Distribution Center

Simpson Strong-Tie, a leader in engineered structural connectors and building solutions, celebrated the grand opening of its newest distribution center, located on Buffalo Drive in Las Vegas, NV, USA, on March 18, 2025. The 59,436 ft² facility now serves as the primary distribution center for the company's products throughout the Las Vegas region, allowing for faster and more convenient service to contractor and lumber and building material (LBM) supplier customers. The facility also houses offices and a spacious training center for company, customer and industry partner meetings, professional development and



collaboration. The 4470 ft² training space has capacity for 297 guests and features a state-of-the-art audio/visual system. It also includes a demonstration room to facilitate hands-on training with Simpson Strong-Tie products. As of the grand opening, the facility housed 872 separate SKUs across product lines most popular in the Las Vegas area. These include connectors for wood and steel construction, screws and nails, anchoring systems, shear-walls and outdoor decorative hardware. At full capacity, the distribution center can hold more than 1 million pounds of products. www.strongtie.com

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Nederschroef Plettenberg Secures Fastener Deal

Nederschroef Plettenberg of Germany has secured a new business opportunity valued at nearly



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€1 million stemming from successful col-

laboration between a premium truck manufacturer, several tier-one suppliers and multiple Nederschroef facilities.

The deal involves delivery of specialized cap nuts with plastic sealing washers for battery packs in next-gen electric trucks. The collaboration involved the Plettenberg Application Engineering team, the end customer and a leading automotive part supplier. www.nederschroef.com

Mads Kastrup Olsen

Joins Dokka Fasteners

Mads Kastrup Olsen has joined Dokka Fastener of Norway, as its new Sales & Marketing Director. He recently spent several weeks getting to know the company, its



products and teams across all locations in three countries. Olsen brings a wealth of technical and commercial expertise. Since 2007, he has gained experience from his roles as Sales Director at **Simatek A/S**, **FLSmidth** and **Arla Foods**.

www.dokkafasteners.com

offer the highest quality products, but also business reliability.

Klimas joined the illustrious group of DAFA experts in 2013, offering products for fastening thermal and waterproofing of flat roofs and fastening of lightweight housing.

en.klimas.com

Nord-Lock Group's science-based targets approved

Following an extensive period of research involved in the analysis of carbon emissions of each of its four technology brands, Nord-Lock Group has succeeded in developing specific near and long-term greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction targets that align with the UNFCCC Paris Agreement. Now, Nord-Lock Group announces that the submitted targets have been approved by the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi).

Approved SBTi targets are the next step on the journey to reducing GHG emissions, a journey that began when the Nord-Lock Group launched an official sustainability improvement program in 2019.

newsroom.nord-lock.com

Teqnion acquires Midland Special Fasteners Ltd.

Teqnion AB has signed an agreement to acquire all outstanding shares in Midland Special Fasteners Ltd. (MSF). Based in Walsall, MSF supplies special fasteners for challenging applications. The application knowledge and trust that MSF has earned through consistently delivering according to expectations have earned it a solid reputation and deep relationships with customers. MSF average revenue for the last three years has been over £2 million with robust margins.

www.teqnion.se

Fontana Gruppo wins award from Optimas Solutions

Fontana Gruppo of Italy has recently received the "Supply Partner Performance 2025" award from Optimas Solutions, a recognition that celebrates excellence in business partnerships. The award ceremony took place on March 24, 2025, in Stuttgart, Germany, during *Fastener Fair Global 2025*, the leading event for the fastener and fixing industry.

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SPIROL Czech Republic Achieves ISO Certification

SPIROL International Corporation, a maker of engineered fasteners, shims and fastener installation equipment, says its Czech Republic facility in Prague has been certified to *ISO 9001*. This facility offers coverage of the European market with five other SPIROL divisions France, Germany, Poland, Spain and UK.
www.spirol.com

Auto Bolt & Southeast Sales & Engineering Partnership

Auto Bolt, a leading manufacturer of cold-headed fasteners, announced a new partnership with **Southeast Sales & Engineering (SESE)** as the company's official manufacturer's representative for the southeastern states of the USA.



SESE brings a strong track record of success in the transportation and industrial markets, making the company a strategic addition to Auto Bolt's growing network of sales partners.

This partnership marks a significant step forward in Auto Bolt's continued expansion efforts and its commitment to serving customers in new and developing regions.

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Nord-Lock's Expander & Volvo CE Sign Framework Contract to Extend Partnership

Expander of the **Nord-Lock Group**, and **Volvo Construction Equipment (CE)**, have agreed to a framework contract making Expander an official supplier to Volvo CE. With this contract, Expander boosts opportunities to support Volvo in equipping machinery with pivot pin systems that save on repair and maintenance time. Volvo has been a trusted customer to Expander since the 1980s. The partner-



ship now moves into the next phase. "The framework agreement paves the way to explore more beneficial opportunities for Volvo and Expander. We now have an agreement signalling intentions from both sides to move forward as business partners looking for new collaborative methods," said **Robin Persson**, Head of Sales, Business Unit Expander.
newsroom.nord-lock.com

Bufab CFO leaving the company in 2025

CFO Pär Ihrskog is leaving Bufab to take on new challenges. He remains in his current role until October 2025. "I would like to thank Pär for his valuable contribution to Bufab and wish him the best of luck in the future," says Erik Lundén, President/CEO of Bufab. The process to recruit a successor will begin immediately.
www.bufabgroup.com

TFC Europe acquires Verucon Fasteners & Logistics

TFC Europe, an AFC Industries company, has further expanded its European footprint and operations by acquiring Verucon Fasteners and Logistics GmbH. Located in Gotha, Germany, Verucon has established a market leading position as a specialist supplier of fasteners and services to a wide variety of manufacturing sectors throughout Germany and other markets worldwide. www.tfc.eu.com

MacLean-Fogg Inaugural Sustainability Report

MacLean-Fogg has released its first-ever Sustainability Report, highlighting the company's commitment to responsible business practices and long-term sustainability. The report showcases how MacLean-Fogg is investing in its people, its communities, the environment and the future. It outlines key initiatives

and accomplishments in several focus areas of the company.
www.macleanfogg.com

BUMAX announces new South Africa distributor

Swedish fastener maker, BUMAX AB, has announced the appointment of Astra Industrial Innovations as its first distribution partner in South Africa. The partnership will



make BUMAX fasteners more easily available across Southern Africa and the entire African continent.
www.bumax-fasteners.com

New Suncor® Stainless Facility

Suncor® Stainless Inc. announced the expansion of its operations with a new 30,000 ft² facility adjacent to its headquarters in Plymouth, MA, USA. The four-acre addition will be used mainly for expanded production capacity, to house excess inventory and to better supply customers,



further enhancing the company's operational efficiency. The spacious design focuses on the company's growing production needs.

www.suncorstainless.com

Click Bond Becomes Industry Partner in SMU Innovation Research Labs

Click Bond, Carson City, NV, USA, a global aerospace manufacturing leader, has teamed with the **Southern Methodist University Lyle School of Engineering's** Center for Digital and Human-Augmented Manufacturing (CDHAM) as a full member. As an industry partner in CDHAM, Click Bond will join associate member **Lockheed Martin** in exploring



how digital twins, AI, virtual reality and other new technologies will shape the future of manufacturing. Click Bond's focus on digital excellence makes it the ideal first Regular Member at CDHAM. Its participation in the Center will be synergistic with Lockheed Martin, said **Chris Colaw**, SMU Lyle alum and Co-Executive Director of CDHAM. www.clickbond.com

Sales & Net Income Table

Company	Sales	%Δ	Income (Loss)	%Δ
Fastenal Company	1959	3.4	299	0.3
MSC Industrial Supply Co.	892	-4.7	39	-36.4
Tree Island Steel	48	-5.5	(3)	-274.0

Quarterly Sales & Net Income data in US\$ millions.

Conference Calls & Webcasts...

- **Hillman Solutions Corp.**, Cincinnati, OH, USA, will host a conference call to discuss financial results for the thirteen weeks ended Mar. 29, 2025, on Apr. 29, 2025 at 8:30 AM ET. www.hillmangroup.com
- **Stanley Black and Decker**, New Britain, CT, USA, will hold its Q1 2025 earnings webcast on Apr. 30, 2025, at 8:00 AM ET. www.stanleyblackanddecker.com
- **Howmet Aerospace**, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, will announce Q1 2025 financial results on May 1, 2025, 7 AM ET, followed by a conference call and webcast at 10 AM ET. www.howmet.com

Dividend Report...

- **Fastenal**, Winona, MN, USA, declared a US\$0.44/share dividend, payable May 23, 2025, to holders of record on Apr. 25, 2025 www.fastenal.com
- **Howmet Aerospace**, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, declared a common stock dividend of US\$0.10/share, payable May 27, 2025 to the holders of record on May 9, 2025; and a dividend of US\$93.75/share on Class A Stock, payable Jul. 1, 2025 to holders of record Jun. 13, 2025. www.howmet.com
- **MSC Industrial Supply Co.**, Melville, NY, USA/Davidson, NC, USA, declared a US\$0.85/share dividend, payable Apr. 23, 2025 to holders of record Apr. 9, 2025. www.mscdirect.com

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Semblex Signs License for ALtracs® Xt

Semblex has announced the license signing and product launch of its new-est generation of **ALtracs Xt** screws for light metals, ALtracs® Xt, which continues the storied tradition of the original ALtracs® family. Lower drive torque can be achieved with the benefits of high clamp load retention and resistance to vibration. Engineers can access the most up-to-date software simulations utilizing Xt CALC®.



www.semblex.com

Fastener Fair Global 2025 Draws 11,000 Visitors

The 10th edition of the International Exhibition for the Fastener and Fixing Industry, *Fastener Fair Global*, ended after **FASTENER FAIR GLOBAL** three successful days at **Messe Stuttgart**, Germany. Some 11,000 trade visitors from 84 countries came to see the latest fastener and fixing solutions. This year's event had a strong emphasis on innovation and specialist solutions, catering to virtually all industries and applications. The show brought together 1000 leading suppliers from 40 nations, filling four extensive halls with thousands of fastener and fixing products and services. www.fastenerfairglobal.com



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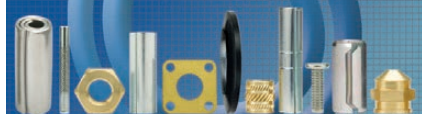


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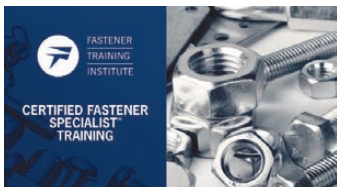


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- May 1: Fastener Specifications and Terminology (CFS 1), Los Angeles, CA, USA
- July 15: Understanding the Bolted Joint (CFS 2), San Diego, CA, USA
- August 12: Dimensional and Material Specifications (CFS 3), Los Angeles, CA, USA
- October 9: Fastener Quality Assurance and Print Reading & Inspection (CFS 4), Los Angeles, CA, USA
- December 10: Fastener Manufacturing, Secondary Process Plant and Quality Lab Tours (CFS 5, 6 & 7), Los Angeles, CA, USA



Cost to attend is US\$549 per class. **NFDA, IFI, MWFA, NCFA** and **SFA** get discounted rate of US\$449 per class. Pac-West members attend for US\$429 using a Pac-West coupon code. All rates rise by US\$100 two weeks before each class.

www.fastenertraining.org



Fastener Fair USA 2025 Events

Fastener Fair USA, May 28 to 29, 2025 in Nashville, TN, USA, **FASTENER FAIR USA** is "where trailblazers meet, game-changing insights are unveiled and the future takes shape." Some highlights of what is happening at *Fastener Fair USA* this year include:

Opening Night Networking Party on May 28, 2025, from 6 to 8 PM, at **Honky Tonk Central**, a Nashville venue known for its multiple music stages, magnetic energy and more.

The *Fastening 101* course presented by the **Fastener Training Institute (FTI)** takes a deep dive into fastener products and applications.

For the first time, *Fastener Fair USA* will be co-located with *ALUMINUM USA*, focused on the entire aluminum value chain. A *Fastener Fair USA* badge gives visitors access to both shows.

www.fastenerfairusa.com

MWFA Heat Treat Class

Register now for the **MWFA (Mid-West Fastener Association)** Essentials of Heat Treating and Plating class on April 24, 2025, being held in Addison, IL, USA.

www.mwfa.net



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EVENTS

April 29 – May 1, 2025

Fundamentals of Threaded Fastener and Joint Design
Eden Prairie, MN, USA
www.nnittraining.com

April 29 – May 1, 2025

2025 SEFA Spring Conference
Tampa, FL, USA
www.theseffa.com

May 1, 2025

Pac-West Spring Dinner Meeting and Vendor Showcase
La Mirada, CA, USA
www.pac-west.org

May 27, 2025

Fastener Training Institute's Fastening 101 (at Fastener Fair USA)
Nashville, TN, USA
www.fastenertraining.org

May 28 – 29, 2025

Fastener Fair USA 2025
Nashville, TN, USA
www.fastenerfairusa.com

June 11 – 13, 2025

NFDA Annual Meeting & ESPS
Charlotte, NC, USA
www.nfda-fastener.org

September 15 – 17, 2025

International Fastener Expo 2025 (IFE 2025)
Las Vegas, NV, USA
www.fastenershow.com

October 9, 2025

Pac-West Fall Dinner and Vendor Showcase
La Mirada, CA, USA
www.pac-west.org

October 15 – 17, 2025

NFDA Executive Summit
Key West, FL, USA
www.nfda-fastener.org

April 13 – 17, 2026

wire 2026
Dusseldorf, Germany
www.wire-tradefair.com

October 6 – 7, 2026

Pac-West Spring Conference and Tabletop Show
Anaheim, CA, USA
www.pac-west.org