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**What’s New?**

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HEADLINES

A summary of this issue’s top stories…

[**Energy Efficiency Standardization Roadmap Draft Open for Public Comment until March 15, 2014**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3856&source=whatsnew020314)

The ANSI Energy Efficiency Standardization Coordination Collaborative (EESCC) has released for a 45-day public comment period the EESCC Standardization Roadmap V1.0 draft, which outlines 116 action-oriented recommendations to advance energy efficiency in the built environment through standards and conformance activities. All feedback must be received by March 15, 2014.

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[**Young U.S. Electrotechnology Professionals Sought for Prominent International Standardization Program**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3859&source=whatsnew020314)

Nominations for the IEC Young Professionals 2014 Workshop must be submitted by April 30, 2014. The workshop, overseen by the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC), will be held on November 10–14, 2014, in Tokyo in conjunction with the 78th IEC General Meeting.

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[**ANSI Welcomes New Members**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3862&source=whatsnew020314)

ANSI proudly welcomed 17 new members in January 2014.

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[**Data Privacy Day: Standards Help Shield Private Information**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3855&source=whatsnew020314)

Data Privacy Day was established in 2008 to educate organizations and individuals about the most effective ways to make use of existing data security measures to safeguard their privacy. ANSI salutes all those who work to support information security, including the standards developing organizations that create standards in this area.

[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3855&source=whatsnew020314)

[**2014 State of the Union Address Highlights the Importance of International Trade and Effective Workforce Training**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3858&source=whatsnew020314)

In his 2014 State of the Union address, President Barack Obama noted the important role played by international trade and workforce training activities in bolstering the U.S. economy and increasing the number of middle class jobs. ANSI has long played an active role in supporting important efforts in these areas.

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[**Super Bowl XLVIII: Standards Fill the Stadium**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3857&source=whatsnew020314)

Last Sunday, while the Seattle Seahawks and the Denver Broncos battled it out in the 48th Super Bowl, voluntary consensus standards helped support the many activities and technologies that made the game possible.

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[**People on the Move**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=3860&source=whatsnew020314)

*People on the Move* spotlights trailblazers in standardization, highlighting their latest achievements, advancements, and contributions to the standards community. In this issue: Jim Pauley.

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SOCIAL MEDIA

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PUBLIC POLICY

*Federal Register* notices of potential interest …

[Standards and Trade Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, January 28, 2014 – February 3, 2014](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/Standards%20_%20CA%20Notices/2014/02%2003%2014.pdf?&source=whatsnew020314)

[National Cooperative Research and Production Act Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, January 22, 2014 – February 3, 2014](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/NCRP%20Notices/2014/NCRPNotices%2002_03_14.pdf?&source=whatsnew020314)

PUBLICATIONS

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[**Standards Action – January 31, 2014**](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Standards%20Action/2014-PDFs/SAV4505.pdf?&source=whatsnew020314)The latest issue of ANSI’s key public review vehicle.

[***United States Standards Strategy* (USSS) *– Third Edition***](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Standards%20Activities/NSSC/USSS_Third_edition/USSS%202010-sm.pdf?&source==whatsnew020314)The *United States Standards Strategy* provides a framework that can be used by all interested parties to further advance trade issues, and a vision for the future of the U.S. standards system in today’s globally competitive economy.

[***United States Conformity Assessment Principles* (USCAP) *– Third Edition***](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/USCAP%202011.pdf?&source==whatsnew020314)The *United States Conformity Assessment Principles* document articulates the principles for U.S. conformity assessment activities that the consumer, buyers, sellers, regulators and other interested parties should be aware of to have confidence in the processes of providing conformity assessment, while avoiding the creation of unnecessary barriers to trade.

[***2012-2013 Annual Report***](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/Annual%20Report%20Archive/ANSI_2012_13_Annual_Report_with_Roster.pdf?&source=whatsnew020314)This year's annual report, *Building Connections, Fostering Solutions*, covers the work carried out by ANSI and its Federation of members to safeguard the U.S. standardization system and support the development of standards-based solutions for economic growth, innovation, and national and global priorities.

[***What Is ANSI?***](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/WhatIsANSI_brochure.pdf?&source=whatsnew020314)This user-friendly introduction to ANSI provides a brief overview of many of the Institute’s programs and activities, with links to more detailed information.

Check out our other[publications](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/periodicals/overview.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew020314)and[documents of interest](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/other_documents/other_doc.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew020314).

CALENDAR

Please check the [Events Section](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/online_calendar/events.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew020314) of ANSI Online regularly for updated and new event information.

[**ANSI Company Member Forum (CMF) Meeting**](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/events/2014/Company_Member_Forum_0414.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew020314)April 2–3, 2014
San Diego, CA

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[**Standardization Case Studies**](http://www.standardslearn.org/standardization_case_studies.aspx?&source=whatsnew020314)

From radiation detection to quality drinking water, a wide variety of topics are addressed by these case studies, where standardization – either the concept or actual practice – helped in the resolution of real-world problems. Instructors can use these case studies as a vehicle to stimulate class discussion of standardization in their discipline, along with the economic and/or operational consequences of addressing or not addressing the issues or needs.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

As a service to our members and constituents in the U.S. standards and conformity assessment community, ANSI provides an [online network](http://www.ansi.org/career_opportunities/positions_available/position_available.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew?&source=whatsnew020314) connecting the most progressive companies with the most qualified career-minded individuals.

Openings are frequently available in ANSI’s New York and Washington, DC, offices. For more information or to submit your qualifications, visit the [Career Opportunities Section](http://www.ansi.org/career_opportunities/positions_available/position_available.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew020314) of ANSI Online.

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