**August 4, 2014**

**What’s New?**

*What’s New?* is a weekly electronic newsletter produced and distributed free of charge to the members and constituents of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). For a complete listing of ANSI news and events, please visit our website, [ANSI Online. >>>](http://www.ansi.org/membership/overview/overview.aspx?&source=whatsnew080414)

HEADLINES

A summary of this issue’s top stories…

**ANSI Announces Recipients of the 2014 Leadership and Service Awards**

ANSI recently announced the recipients of its 2014 Leadership and Service Awards. These eighteen individuals will be honored at the 2014 ANSI Annual Awards Reception, Banquet, and Ceremony, which will be held on October 22, 2014, in Washington, DC.

[more…](http://webstore.ansi.org/site_license_availability.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4025&source=whatsnew080414)

**ANSI Cities Network to Discuss ISO 50001 on Energy Management Systems**

The ANSI Network on Smart and Sustainable Cities (ANSSC) will hold a web meeting on Tuesday, August 19, to discuss ISO 50001, *Energy management systems - Requirements with guidance for use*, as well as energy performance indicators and their relationship to municipalities' sustainability goals.

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[**ANSI Announces August 11 Webinar on Proposed U.S. TAG to New ISO Technical Committee on Brand Evaluation**](http://webstore.ansi.org/?menuid=7&articleid=4024&source=whatsnew080414)

As part of an effort to assess interest in the formation of a U.S. Technical Advisory Group (TAG) related to a new International Organization for Standardization (ISO) technical committee (TC) focused on standardization activities related to brand evaluation, ANSI will hold a webinar at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, August 11, 2014.

[more…](http://www.youtube.com/user/ansidotorg?menuid=7&articleid=4024&source=whatsnew080414)

[**Reminder: Time to Register for World Standards Week 2014**](http://www.standardslearn.org/standardization_case_studies.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4015&source=whatsnew080414)

ANSI would like to remind interested stakeholders that the final deadline to register to take part in in World Standards Week (WSW) 2014 is October 10, 2014. WSW, which will be held this year October 20–24 in Washington, DC, is an annual event where members of the standards and conformity assessment community come together in the spirit of cooperation and collaboration.

[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4015&source=whatsnew080414)

[**ANSI Seeks Comments on Proposed New ISO Field of Activity on Electoral Administration**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4023&source=whatsnew080414)

INTECO, Costa Rica’s member body to ISO, has submitted a proposal to ISO for a new field of technical activity on electoral administration. ANSI invites all interested stakeholders to submit comments on the proposal by Friday, September 12, 2014.

[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4023&source=whatsnew080414)

[**UV Safety Month 2014: Standards Save Your Skin (and Eyes!)**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4026&source=whatsnew080414)

Whether you’re slathering yourself with high SPF sunscreen or popping Vitamin D supplements, voluntary consensus standards developed by ANSI Federation members play an important role in keeping you healthy during UV Safety Month and throughout the rest of the year.

[more…](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4026&source=whatsnew080414)

[**Did You Know?**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=4029&source=whatsnew080414)

*Did You Know?* offers a quick look at the broad scope of activities underway within the ANSI Federation, highlighting the people and initiatives making waves in standardization. In this issue: SCTE, NFPA, ASC C137, and ASC ESS.

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SOCIAL MEDIA

ANSI actively participates in a number of social media websites, making pertinent information about events and initiatives readily accessible and providing a place of discussion for the U.S. standardization community.

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PUBLIC POLICY

*Federal Register* notices of potential interest …

[Standards and Trade Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, July 29, 2014 – August 4, 2014](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?&source=whatsnew080414)

[National Cooperative Research and Production Act Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, June 17, 2014 – August 4, 2014](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?&source=whatsnew080414)

PUBLICATIONS

Take advantage of more great information…

[**Standards Action – August 1, 2014**](http://ansidotorg.blogspot.com/?&source=whatsnew080414)The latest issue of ANSI’s key public review vehicle.

[***United States Standards Strategy* (USSS) *– Third Edition***](http://www.facebook.com/pages/ANSI-American-National-Standards-Institute/46446679081?&source==whatsnew080414)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==whatsnew080414)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://plus.google.com/103554078283468148972?&source=whatsnew080414)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://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?&source=whatsnew080414)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://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Standards%20Action/2014-PDFs/SAV4531.pdf?menuid=7&source=whatsnew080414)and[documents of interest](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/Standards%20_%20CA%20Notices/2014/08%2004%2014.pdf?menuid=7&source=whatsnew080414).

CALENDAR

Please check the [Events Section](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/online_calendar/events.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew080414) of ANSI Online regularly for updated and new event information.

[**ANSI World Standards Week (WSW)**](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/Annual%20Report%20Archive/ANSI_2012_13_Annual_Report_with_Roster.pdf?menuid=8&source=whatsnew080414)October 20–24, 2014
Washington, DC

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Please check the [Education and Training](http://twitter.com/ansidotorg?menuid=9?&source=whatsnew080414) page of ANSI Online regularly for listings of upcoming courses.

Visit[StandardsLearn.org](http://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/NCRP%20Notices/2014/NCRPNotices%2006_19_14.pdf?&source=whatsnew080414), the premier online source for standards and conformity assessment education, for easy-to-use educational tools that address the full range of standards activities. All of the courses and resources are free and provided by ANSI as a public service.

[**Standardization Case Studies**](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?&source=whatsnew080414)

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://publicaa.ansi.org/sites/apdl/Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/WhatIsANSI_brochure.pdf?menuid=13&source=whatsnew?&source=whatsnew080414) 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/news_publications/periodicals/overview.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew080414) of ANSI Online.

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Learn more about this issue’s featured package:

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