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**What’s New?**

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HEADLINES

Get caught up on the latest news from ANSI…

[**September 14 ANSI Cities Network Webinar Features NYU InterCEP and Its Metropolitan Resilience Network Situational Awareness Platform**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=bb1b2840-3aa5-4eec-b6bd-48727ad30855&source=whatsnew082916)

The monthly webinar of the ANSI Network on Smart and Sustainable Cities (ANSSC) will feature a report on the International Center for Enterprise Preparedness (InterCEP) at New York University and its Metropolitan Resilience Network situational awareness and collaboration platform. Speaker: William G. Raisch, founding director and executive director of InterCEP.

[**ANSI and SES to Co-host Webinar, Developing Standards Professionals: Perspectives from New Professionals**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=b599810b-aea0-4a39-bb45-532bda0c3f42&source=whatsnew082916)

ANSI and SES-The Society for Standards Professionals will co-host a webinar on September 14, 2016, from 1:00 to 2:30 pm ET, in which panelists will discuss their first introduction to standards in their professional careers, opportunities and challenges, and how they have enhanced their skills and knowledge in standards to meet perceived employer expectations.

[**Two New American National Standards to Improve Communications Structures**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=9282e37f-28d8-4ecb-9611-3e4680772d3b&source=whatsnew082916)

Two new American National Standards, developed by ANSI members and accredited standards developers the Telecommunications Industry Association (TIA) and the American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE), will facilitate improved safety and communication between engineers and contractors when planning and assessing tower construction.

[**Workcred Executive Director Dr. Roy Swift Receives Award from SES-The Society for Standards Professionals**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=01355b40-d1d8-4f36-9309-d10d61e7923f&source=whatsnew082916)

Roy Swift, Ph.D., executive director of Workcred, an ANSI affiliate, was recently honored by SES-The Society for Standards Professionals at the 66th Annual Conference in Denver, Colorado.

[**Register Now: September Certificate Issuers’ Accreditation Workshop**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=8ddfe0ef-c25b-46d4-8294-dbac22384ea1&source=whatsnew082916)

The two-day workshop September 19-20 is designed to introduce the American National Standard ASTM E2659-09, *Standard Practice for Certificate Programs*, and provide an overview of the requirements for developing a quality education/training course that has an effective outcome assessment at the end.

[**Save the Date: Free Fall Webinar on the Operating Procedures of the U.S. TAGs to ISO**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=e46a3ad1-64b3-4db6-889f-deb6936cbe5b&source=whatsnew082916)

ANSI will host a webinar on “The Operating Procedures of U.S. TAGs to ISO,” on November 3, 2016, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET. As the U.S. member body to ISO, ANSI encourages interested stakeholders to register.

[**Start Your Job Search on ANSI's Career Network**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=e7997c12-659d-471b-8cdf-726bde1b1270&source=whatsnew082616)

ANSI is hiring! ANSI’s career page, [www.ansi.org/careers](http://www.ansi.org/careers), provides details on full-time staff positions available, in addition to information on multiple contractual positions and other opportunities across the U.S.

[**ANSI Welcomes New Members**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=62c1e404-923a-4980-857c-962ce93a7b97&source=whatsnew082916)

ANSI proudly welcomed 13 new members in August.

[**Did You Know?**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story.aspx?menuid=7&articleid=fbbb6bef-2d66-481a-8f77-65b1658043dd&source=whatsnew082216)

*Did You Know*? offers a quick look at the broad scope of activities underway within the ANSI Federation of members and partners, highlighting recent accomplishments and new resources related to standardization. In this issue: AIIM, the Air Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Institute (AHRI), CSA Group, NEMA, the Parenteral Drug Association (PDA), and Underwriters Laboratories (UL).

SOCIAL MEDIA

Check us out on …

                       

PUBLIC POLICY

This week’s *Federal Register* notices of potential interest …

[**Standards Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, August 22-26, 2016**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/Standards%20_%20CA%20Notices/2016/8_29_16.pdf)

[**National Cooperative Research and Production Act Notices from the U.S. Federal Register: April – August 2016**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/NCRP%20Notices/2016/NCRPNotices_07_11_2016.pdf?&source=whatsnew082216)

PUBLICATIONS

Take advantage of more great information…

[**Standards Action – August 26, 2016**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Standards%20Action/2016-PDFs/SAV4735.pdf)

ANSI’s key public review vehicle enables effective participation in the standards development process.

[**United States Standards Strategy (USSS)**](https://share.ansi.org/shared%20documents/Standards%20Activities/NSSC/USSS_Third_edition/ANSI_USSS_2015.pdf?&source=whatsnew082916) The *United States Standards Strategy* provides a framework to further advance trade and a vision for the future of the U.S. standards system in today’s globally competitive economy.

[**United States Conformity Assessment Principles (USCAP)**](https://share.ansi.org/shared%20documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/USCAP%202011.pdf?&source=whatsnew082916)
The *United States Conformity Assessment Principles* articulates how U.S. conformity assessment activities foster confidence while avoiding the creation of unnecessary barriers to trade.

[**2014 – 2015 Annual Report**](https://share.ansi.org/shared%20documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/Annual%20Report%20Archive/ANSI_2014_15_Annual_Report.pdf)The 2015 annual report, *A Window on the Standardization Initiatives Making the World a Safer, Better Place,* provides a summary of recent work carried out by ANSI and its constituents in support of ANSI’s mission.

[**What Is ANSI?**](https://share.ansi.org/shared%20documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/WhatIsANSI_brochure.pdf?&source=whatsnew082916)This user-friendly introduction to ANSI provides a brief overview of many of the Institute’s ongoing programs and activities.

Check out our other[publications](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/periodicals/overview.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew082916)and[documents of interest](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/other_documents/other_doc.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew082916).

CALENDAR

Visit the [Events Section](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/online_calendar/events.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew082916) of ANSI Online regularly for complete event information.

[**World Standards Week (WSW) 2016**](http://www.ansi.org/wsweek?&source=whatsnew082916)

October 24 – 28, 2016, Washington, DC

[**U.S. Celebration of World Standards Day (WSD) 2016**](http://www.wsd-us.org/?&source=whatsnew082916)

October 27, 2016, Washington, DC

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Check out ANSI’s [Education and Training](http://www.ansi.org/education_trainings/overview.aspx?menuid=9?&source=whatsnew082916) page regularly for listings of upcoming courses.

Visit[StandardsLearn.org](http://www.standardslearn.org/?&source=whatsnew082916) 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.standardslearn.org/standardization_case_studies.aspx?&source=whatsnew082916) demonstrate how standardization helped in the resolution of real-world problems. Instructors can use these case studies as a vehicle to stimulate class discussion of standardization and its potential economic and/or operational benefits.

ANSI’s [K-12 Learning Resources](http://www.ansi.org/education_trainings/K_12_students.aspx?menuid=9&source=whatsnew082916) provide a fun and interactive introduction to standards and the critical role they play in everyday life.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

ANSI provides an [online network](http://www.ansi.org/career_opportunities/positions_available/position_available.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew082916) of standardization-related career opportunities as a service to our members and constituents. ANSI’s [Career page](http://www.ansi.org/career_opportunities/positions_available/position_available.aspx?menuid=13&source=whatsnew082916) includes openings in ANSI’s New York and Washington, DC, offices, as well as job listings from ANSI member and other prominent companies and organizations.

ACCESS STANDARDS

[**Site Licenses**](http://webstore.ansi.org/sitelicense.aspx?source=left_nav&source=whatsnew082916)Does your company need corporate access? An ANSI site license may be the easy and economical solution. ANSI offers customized licenses for standards from over [100 developers](http://webstore.ansi.org/site_license_availability.aspx?&source=whatsnew082916). To learn more, visit [webstore.ansi.org/sitelicense](http://webstore.ansi.org/sitelicense.aspx?&source=whatsnew082916).

[**eStandards Store**](http://webstore.ansi.org/default.aspx?&source=whatsnew082916)Need a single copy? Check out the [eStandards Store (eSS)…](http://webstore.ansi.org/?&source=whatsnew082916)

This week’s featured eSS package:

[**IEC 62366-1 / IEC/TR 62366-2 - Medical Devices Package**](http://webstore.ansi.org/RecordDetail.aspx?sku=IEC+62366-1+%2f+IEC%2fTR+62366-2++-+Medical+Devices+Package&source=whatsnew082616)

IEC 62366-1 / IEC/TR 62366-2 - Medical Devices Package provides assistance with the proper use of medical devices as it pertains to human risk factors. It specifies safety related processes to analyze, develop, and evaluate the usability of medical devices. The IEC 62366-1 / IEC/TR 62366-2 - Medical Devices Package is applicable to "normal" medical devices usage and is supported with guidance information. IEC 62366-1 / IEC/TR 62366-2 - Medical Devices Package includes: IEC 62366-1 Ed. 1.0 b:2015, IEC 62366-1 Ed. 1.0 b cor:1:2016, and IEC/TR 62366-2 Ed. 1.0 en:2016.

For more information about the inventory of thousands of documents available from the [eStandards Store (eSS)](http://webstore.ansi.org/?&source=whatsnew082916), visit [webstore.ansi.org](http://webstore.ansi.org/?&source=whatsnew082916) or contact ANSI Customer Service (212.642.4980, storemanager@ansi.org).

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