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**What’s New?**

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HEADLINES

Get caught up on the latest news from ANSI…

[**ISO Announces Appointment of Sergio Mujica as Secretary-General**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=5f5dc2df-1b0d-4ee7-8138-184e32fddf7f&source=whatsnew040317)

Mr. Mujica of Chile will serve as the next Secretary-General of the ISO (ISO), effective July 17, 2017. As the U.S. member of ISO, ANSI congratulates Mr. Mujica on his appointment and looks forward to productive work with him in support of international standardization.

[**ANSI Opens Nominations for 2017 Leadership and Service Awards**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=b7772478-fcd8-4e2f-824c-5da1cf2ef096&source=whatsnew040317)

The awards are presented in conjunction with World Standards Week (WSW) 2017, and honor individuals who have made significant contributions to voluntary consensus standardization and conformity assessment programs. The deadline for submission of nominations is Friday, June 16, 2017.

[**ANSI to Organize ISO International Workshop on Community-Scale Resource-Oriented Sanitation Treatment Systems**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=1b527253-bb51-4c87-a3c8-2e7f0d431530&source=whatsnew040317)

ANSI, with support from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, will hold the first workshop to develop an ISO International Workshop Agreement (IWA) on Community-Scale Resource-Oriented Sanitation Systems on June 28-30, in Durban, South Africa. The IWA will serve as an important step to develop an international standard for non-sewered sanitation systems.

[**Standards Alliance Hosts Indonesia Workshop on Key Aspects of Good Regulatory Practice**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=cb817c80-a496-4014-94ea-c6e4f11bb63a&source=whatsnew040317)

The Standards Alliance, in collaboration with the U.S. Embassy in Jakarta and the Indonesian Ministry of Trade (MOT), held a workshop on March 15-16 entitled “Key Aspects of Good Regulatory Practice (GRP): Tools to Effectively Achieve Policy Goals ” in Jakarta, Indonesia.

[**ANSI Releases Latest Issue of ANSI in China Newsletter**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=0082393f-aefa-4f88-8cc3-5b25116b68f8&source=whatsnew040317)

The newsletter is a resource for updates on technical activities, policy decisions, trade matters, and other information of interest to ANSI members operating in or interacting with China. Highlights include updates on standardization reform, standards development activities and policies in China, and more.

[**Reminder: Young U.S. Electrotechnology Professionals Sought for Prominent 2017 International Standardization Competition**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=0261b0f7-6dc4-4cbd-8bcf-f8661e34cb80&source=whatsnew040317)

The U.S. National Committee (USNC) of the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) is currently seeking nominations of emerging electrotechnology professionals to participate in the upcoming IEC Young Professionals 2017 Workshop, which will be held on October 9–13, 2017, in Vladivostok, Russia, in conjunction with the 81st IEC General Meeting (GM). Nominations are open until May 1, 2017.

[**Workcred Executive Director Presents at CONEXPO-CON/AGG**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=8e159eb9-b734-428a-be9b-80675496bea2&source=whatsnew040317)

Roy Swift, Ph.D., executive director of ANSI affiliate Workcred, recently presented at the CONEXPO-CON/AGG 2017 construction industry show in Las Vegas, where he spoke at a special session on behalf of the National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO).

[**People on the Move**](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=d4687117-72be-4c32-bbe6-c2681574e6a2&source=whatsnew040317)

*People on the Move* spotlights trailblazers in standardization, highlighting their latest achievements, advancements, and contributions to the standards and conformance community. In this issue: The American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA) and the Water Quality Association (WQA).

SOCIAL MEDIA

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PUBLIC POLICY

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

[**Standards Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, March 27-31, 2017**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/Standards%20_%20CA%20Notices/2017/4_3_17.pdf)

[**National Cooperative Research and Production Act Notices from the U.S. Federal Register: YTD 2017**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Government%20Affairs/Federal%20Register%20Notices/NCRP%20Notices/2017/NCRPNotices_03_2017.pdf)

PUBLICATIONS

Take advantage of more great information…

[**Standards Action - March 31**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Standards%20Action/2017-PDFs/SAV4813.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=whatsnew040317) 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=whatsnew040317)
The *United States Conformity Assessment Principles* articulates how U.S. conformity assessment activities foster confidence while avoiding the creation of unnecessary barriers to trade.

[**2015 – 2016 Annual Report**](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/Annual%20Report%20Archive/ANSI_2015_16_Annual_Report.pdf?&source=whatsnew040317)The 2016 annual report, *Collaborative Standardization Solutions for a Strong Nation and a Safer World,* 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=whatsnew032717)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=whatsnew032717)and[documents of interest](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/other_documents/other_doc.aspx?menuid=7&source=whatsnew032717).

CALENDAR

Visit the [Events Section](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/online_calendar/events.aspx?menuid=8&source=whatsnew032717) of ANSI Online regularly for complete event information.

[**ANSI Organizational Member Forum (OMF) Meeting**](https://eseries.ansi.org/source/Events/Event.cfm?EVENT=OMF_0417)

[April 19, 2017](https://eseries.ansi.org/source/Events/Event.cfm?EVENT=OMF_0417)

[**ANSI Company Member Forum (CMF) Meeting**](https://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/events/2017/CMF-spring-meeting)

April 25-26, 2017

[**World Standards Week 2017**](https://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/wsw17/wsw?menuid=8)

October 16-20

[**U.S. Celebration of World Standards Day 2017**](https://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/wsw17/wsd)

October 19

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Check out ANSI’s [Education and Training](http://www.ansi.org/education_trainings/overview.aspx?menuid=9?&source=whatsnew040317) page regularly for listings of upcoming courses.

Visit[StandardsLearn.org](http://www.standardslearn.org/?&source=whatsnew040317) 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=whatsnew040317) 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=whatsnew040317) 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=whatsnew040317) 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=whatsnew040317) 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.

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This week’s featured eSS package:

[**ISO/IEC 27000:2016 Plus Redline**](http://webstore.ansi.org/RecordDetail.aspx?sku=ISO%2fIEC+27000%3a2016+Plus+Redline&source=package_landing_page&source=whatsnew040317)

ISO/IEC 27000:2016 the overview of information security management systems, and terms and definitions commonly used in the ISMS family of standards. This International Standard is applicable to all types and sizes of organization.

For more information about the inventory of thousands of documents available from the [eStandards Store (eSS)](http://webstore.ansi.org/?&source=whatsnew040317), visit [webstore.ansi.org](http://webstore.ansi.org/?&source=whatsnew040317) or contact ANSI Customer Service (212.642.4980, storemanager@ansi.org).

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