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**What’s New?**

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HEADLINES

[ANSI Submits Response to Department of Transportation RFI on Non-Traditional and Emerging Transportation Technology](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=5940a9d8-554a-4c1f-bdc7-7e72015b3c21&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2019-whatsnew_BG)

On January 10, ANSI issued a formal response to a Department of Transportation (DOT) Request for Information (RFI) on non-traditional and emerging transportation technology to support emerging areas of transportation, including hyperloop and non-traditional tunneling. The feedback is intended to support a recently formed DOT group tasked with identifying and resolving jurisdictional and regulatory gaps that may impede the deployment of new technology.

[AI in the News: Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Issues Draft Guidance for Regulation of Artificial Intelligence Applications](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=7384d79c-d28f-4915-8d1b-7ca41e01e2a6&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2019-whatsnew_BG)

The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has released a first-of-its-kind guideline memo to support federal agency regulation of artificial intelligence applications. The draft document highlights direction for the development of voluntary consensus standards that concern AI applications. The public will have 60 days to comment on the draft guidance.

[ANSI Hosts the National Standardization Agency of Indonesia (BSN) Delegation](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=86bb139d-7d71-48d8-afc6-87c13603b133&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2019-whatsnew_BG)

In December, ANSI hosted a delegation from the National Standardization Agency of Indonesia (BSN) for discussions focused on good regulatory practices (GRP) and non-tariff measures (NTM). The meeting took place as part of a visit coordinated by the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR).

[Register for The American Way Course: The American National Standard Development Process](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=37bd5fa0-4a10-45ce-9b79-731d23c49de5&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2019-whatsnew_BG)

ANSI will host a one-day seminar on the American National Standard (ANS) development process and procedures on April 1, 2020, from 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. ET at ANSI’s New York office. Participants who enroll in the course will learn why U.S. voluntary consensus standards are important, discover ANSI’s role in the U.S. standardization system, and gain an understanding of accreditation.

[Start the New Year with a Student Paper Competition Entry](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=49b9aa2a-c57e-4dc4-a083-3d5c151ebfbb&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2019-whatsnew_BG)

Mark your calendars for the April 30 deadline: ANSI, in conjunction with its Committee on Education (CoE), has announced its ninth annual paper competition with the 2020 theme, *Standards Supporting UN Sustainable Development Goals*. The competition is part of a long-term effort to spread awareness among postsecondary students of the strategic significance of standards and conformance.

[People on the Move](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=3c9d1d36-738a-4214-b636-dd0af862b918January-13-20-whatsnew_BG)

*People on the Move* highlights the career advancements of high-level trailblazers working professionally in diverse areas of standardization, contributing every day to the strength and success of the U.S. standards and conformance community. In this issue:

* **John H. Daniels** is the new executive director and CEO of the **Building Industry Consulting Service International** (BISCI).
* **Alison Lynn** is the new vice president of communications at the **Aerospace Industries Association** (AIA).

PUBLIC POLICY

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

[Standards Related Notices from the U.S. Federal Register, January 6–10, 2020](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Links%20Within%20Stories/1_13_20_Federal%20Register.pdf)

[Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Notice%20Pursuant_BG_updated112519.pdf)

PUBLICATIONS

Take advantage of more great information…

[Standards Action, January 10, 2020](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Standards%20Action/2020-PDFs/SAV5102.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)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)
The *United States Conformity Assessment Principles* articulates how U.S. conformity assessment activities foster confidence while avoiding the creation of unnecessary barriers to trade.

[2018 – 2019 Annual Report](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/News%20and%20Publications/Brochures/Annual%20Report%20Archive/2018-2019-Annual-Report.pdf)Released during World Standards Week 2019, *Expanding to New Horizons* provides a summary of recent work carried out by ANSI and its constituents in support of ANSI’s mission.

Check out our other[publications](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/periodicals/overview.aspx?menuid=7&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-10-2020-whatsnew_BG)and[documents of interest](http://www.ansi.org/news_publications/other_documents/other_doc.aspx?menuid=7&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-10-2020-whatsnew_BG).

MEMBERSHIP

Take advantage of ANSI member benefits including discounts and monthly webinars – to name a few.

Savings for **Lenovo** technology is a year-round benefit of a full ANSI Membership. For the month of January, save up to 45% off on Lenovo PCs.

[View ANSI Member Benefits](https://www.ansi.org/membership/overview/overview?menuid=2)

For questions, or info on how to become an ANSI member, email membership@ansi.org or call 212.642.8922.

[Engage and Partner with the Standards Community](https://www.ansi.org/membership/benefits/benefits?menuid=2)

[Learn About ANSI - Free Webinar First Friday of Each Month](https://www.ansi.org/membership/overview/membership-webinars?menuid=2)

SOCIAL MEDIA
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CALENDAR

Visit the [Events Section](http://www.ansi.org/meetings_events/online_calendar/events.aspx?menuid=8&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2020-whatsnew_BG) of ANSI Online regularly for complete event information.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Check out ANSI’s [Education and Training](http://www.ansi.org/education_trainings/overview.aspx?menuid=9?&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2020-whatsnew_BG) page regularly for listings of upcoming courses. Get more information from the [ANSI Education Activities](https://share.ansi.org/Shared%20Documents/Education%20and%20Training/Committee%20on%20Education/Education%20and%20Training%20Brochure%202019%2C%20Online%20Version.pdf) pamphlet.

Visit[StandardsLearn.org](http://www.standardslearn.org/?&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2020-whatsnew_BG) 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.

ANSI’s [K-12 Learning Resources](http://www.ansi.org/education_trainings/K_12_students.aspx?menuid=9&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2020-whatsnew_BG) provide a fun and interactive introduction to standards and the critical role they play in everyday life.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

ANSI provides an online network 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&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2020-whatsnew_BG) 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

[Standards Subscriptions](http://webstore.ansi.org/sitelicense.aspx?utm_source=whatsnew&utm_medium=newsletter&utm_content&source=whatsnew11320)Does your company need corporate access? An ANSI subscription may be the easy and economical solution. ANSI offers customized subscriptions for standards from over [120 developers](http://webstore.ansi.org/site_license_availability.aspx?utm_source=whatsnew&utm_medium=newsletter&utm_content&source=whatsnew11320). To learn more, visit [webstore.ansi.org/sitelicense](http://webstore.ansi.org/sitelicense.aspx?&utm_source=outlook&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20January-13-2020-whatsnew_BG).

[ANSI Web Store](http://webstore.ansi.org/default.aspx?utm_source=whatsnew&utm_medium=newsletter&utm_content&source=whatsnew11320)

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[ANSI B11. Machine Tools Safety Package](https://webstore.ansi.org/Standards/AMT/ANSIB11MachineToolsSafety)

The ANSI B11 - Machine Tools Safety Package includes standards that address the safety and safety requirements for various machine tools. Some of the safety requirement standards included are for hydraulic power presses, mechanical power presses, power press brakes, shears, manual milling / drilling, grinding machines, metal sawing machines and much more.

For more information about the inventory of thousands of documents available from the [ANSI Web Store](http://webstore.ansi.org/default.aspx?utm_source=whatsnew&utm_medium=newsletter&utm_content=11320), visit webstore.ansi.org or contact ANSI Customer Service (212.642.4980, storemanager@ansi.org).

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