

# WSD

## U.S. CELEBRATION OF WORLD STANDARDS DAY

An exhibition of how standards and conformance assure the health and safety of people and the environment

**Friday, October 14, 2011**  
11:30 am – 1:30 pm  
*Cannon Caucus Room*

**Speakers:** T.B.A.

**Exhibitors:** American National Standards Institute (ANSI), American Society of Plumbing Engineers (ASPE), Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solution (ATIS), ASTM International, Consumer Electronics Association (CEA), International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials (IAPMO), International Code Council (ICC), National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), National Institute of Building Sciences (NIBS), Toy Industry Association (TIA)

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### About the 2011 WSD Theme

Issues of safety and sustainability have become important causes for stakeholders around the world, from alternative energies and environmental protection to the safety of products, services, homes, and workplaces. As governments, organizations, and individuals alike strive to address these trans-national challenges, globally relevant standards provide the technological and scientific foundations that drive health, safety, and environmental innovation.

This year, the theme of the U.S. Celebration of World Standards Day – Advancing Safety and Sustainability Standards Worldwide – recognizes the crucial role of standards, codes, and conformity assessment in assuring the health and safety of people and the environment, today and for future generations. Standardization speeds innovation, facilitates harmonized trade, and boosts consumer and government confidence in products, services, systems, and processes.

But above all, standardization provides an adaptive framework for developing the most effective solutions to critical global challenges.

### RSVP

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This is a widely attended event at which a simple lunch will be served.



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SUSTAINABILITY STANDARDS WORLDWIDE