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Our Mission

Our Core Values

Helping our world work better by creating a foundation for trust, trade, and transformation through the power of global standardization.

Who We Are

We are a globally recognized, member-based standards development and delivery organization. We are a catalyst for diverse perspectives, expertise, and knowledge connecting science, technology, and society.

What We Do

We deliver high-quality standards, tools, and services that empower industries to innovate and compete globally by advancing standards and transforming markets.

What We Believe

Our members and consumers are at the heart of everything we do. We believe in the power of standardization to drive quality, safety, and performance. Our success is built on a voluntary, consensus-based process where all voices matter.

We welcome everyone to our open and global community of belonging where every voice is unique and every voice matters.

We collaborate to discover and deliver the best solutions through diversity of thought, open minds, and teamwork.

We innovate by embracing new possibilities, challenging ourselves, thinking boldly, driving change, and evolving as an organization.

We serve with passion, commitment, and integrity, striving to exceed the expectations of each other, our members, and all those who rely on us.

We believe in our ability to make a positive difference in people’s lives through standards and services, helping our world work better.

Solid Ground

Whether you're adding onto a house or building a skyscraper, starting on solid ground is a fundamentally good idea. The same is true for any successful organization. Fortunately, at ASTM International – an organization with more than 127 years of rich and robust history – we are built on solid ground.

Over the years, that foundation – constructed through the tireless work of our members, staff, and partners – has enabled ASTM to expand the standards development process into more than 90 industry sectors, deliver integral products and services, launch centers of excellence for emerging industries, establish a robust Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) program, and accomplish much more.

As you'll read in the following pages, in 2025, that solid ground empowered ASTM to form new partnerships and collaborations that advanced:

- Additive manufacturing,
- Defense applications,
- Transportation,
- Technical training for the petrochemical industry, and
- Unmanned aircraft.

This foundation also supported robust global outreach. ASTM conducted a multi-week visit to standards development organizations across Asia, participated in several conferences and trade shows in the UAE, and engaged with MoU partner organizations in Rwanda. Additionally, ASTM hosted a technical meeting and a two-day training program on aviation fuels in Brussels, Belgium.

Stability has also given ASTM the unique opportunity to partner with the U.S. National Institute of Standards and Technology to launch a new center of excellence focused on critical and emerging technologies, while continuing to meet the evolving needs of our members. In 2025 alone, members revised more than 1,100 standards and developed more than 130 new ones, covering a wide range of topics, including:

- Dog harness safety,
- PFAS,
- Forensic analysis,
- Tissue cell cultivation,
- Laminated glass,
- Jet fuel integrity,
- Compostable packaging,
- Digital human modeling for exoskeletons, and so much more.

That same strength allowed ASTM to host three major conferences, including the 10th anniversary of ICAM, the International Conference on Advanced Manufacturing. ICAM2025 attracted a global audience and was supported by more than a dozen ASTM committees.

In 2025, ASTM also celebrated the 10th anniversary of the Emerging Professionals program. To date, the program has graduated 486 emerging professionals who fill 293 leadership positions in 122 ASTM committees.

Throughout the year, ASTM expanded its portfolio of impactful products and services with the launch of several new features, including a semantic search tool in ASTM Compass, additional third-party content, and new enhancements to ASTM SpecBuilder. Meanwhile, ASTM's Live Training and OnDemand Solutions team introduced more than 100 new eLearning products and formed partnerships with several new organizations to extend global reach.

As you explore the pages of this report, one theme becomes clear – solid ground matters. It empowers innovation, growth, and progress built to last. ASTM's enduring foundation – shaped by trust, trade, and transformation – continues to support not only the work of today, but the opportunities of tomorrow. Standing on solid ground, ASTM is well positioned to make the world safer and more productive through the power of global standardization.



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Consumer Products



PFAS ASSESSMENT FOR CONSUMER PRODUCTS

A new standard will provide users with a road map for planning and executing assessments of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) in consumer products and articles. The new standard, (F3700) was developed by ASTM’s consumer products committee (F15).

PFAS are a group of chemicals resistant to heat, grease, oil, and water. PFAS are used in many consumer products and do not break down in the environment. Some PFAS have been linked to serious health effects in living things.

BUNGEE JUMPING

ASTM’s amusement rides and devices committee (F24) approved the first standard for bungee jumping developed by an international standards development organization (F3785). Owner-operators, designers, manufacturers, and regulators in the bungee jumping industry will now have a single document outlining the minimum requirements to use as a baseline for their work.

AMUSEMENT RIDE RISK ASSESSMENT

A new standard will provide guidance for estimating, evaluating, reducing, and documenting risks associated with personnel and the public interacting with an amusement ride or device. The amusement rides and devices committee (F24) approved the standard, which specifies basic terminology, principles, and methodology needed for amusement ride risk assessment.

INFLATABLE RESTRAINTS FOR AVIATION

The general aviation aircraft committee (F44) approved a new standard that will provide a means of compliance for certification of inflatable restraints, popularly known as airbags. The standard (F3703) will be useful to aircraft original equipment manufacturers applying for the type certificate (TC) and supplemental type certificate (STC) from the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

DOG HARNESS SAFETY

The consumer products committee (F15) approved a new standard for the safety of dog harnesses used in motor vehicles. The standard (F3725) will provide value to pet product manufacturers, regulators, crash test laboratories, veterinarians, and consumers seeking safe travel products for dogs and paves the way for future pet product standards.



Health and Safety

CANNABIS CONTAMINATION

A new standard from the cannabis committee (D37) will aid in reducing the risk of microbiological contamination of cannabis products. Cannabis cultivators, regulatory agencies, and consumers, all of whom are concerned with the safety of cannabis products, will find the new standard (D8575) useful.

RNA THERAPEUTICS AND DRUG DELIVERY

The nanotechnology committee approved a new standard (E3482) for characterizing ribonucleic acids (RNA) in lipid nanoparticle (LNP) formulations that is a significant advancement for the field of RNA therapeutics and drug delivery.

TRACE EVIDENCE IN LABORATORY SETTINGS

A new standard developed by the forensic sciences committee (E30) aims to provide comprehensive guidance for the collection and preservation of trace evidence in laboratory settings. The standard (E3457) offers best practices for forensic science practitioners (FSPs) to detect, collect, and store trace evidence while minimizing contamination, loss, or damage.



FORENSIC ANALYSIS FOR FIBERS

The forensic sciences committee (E30) also developed a standard (E3404) that will provide a consistent approach to fiber analysis among forensic practitioners and researchers. The standard is intended for use by forensic scientists and researchers looking to compare fibers to determine how similar they are and whether they could have come from the same source.

Medical and Surgical Standards

TISSUE CELL CULTIVATION

A new standard from committee F04 will aid procedures for multiplying tissue cell cultivation in laboratory situations. Both normal and diseased tissue cells are cultured in laboratories for research, drug discoveries, toxicological tests, and producing products for cell therapies and cultured food. The new standard (F3716) describes methods for measuring and comparing the multiplication properties of cells in analyses and processes that are commonly practiced in a wide range of areas.

MUSCLE INJURY EVALUATION

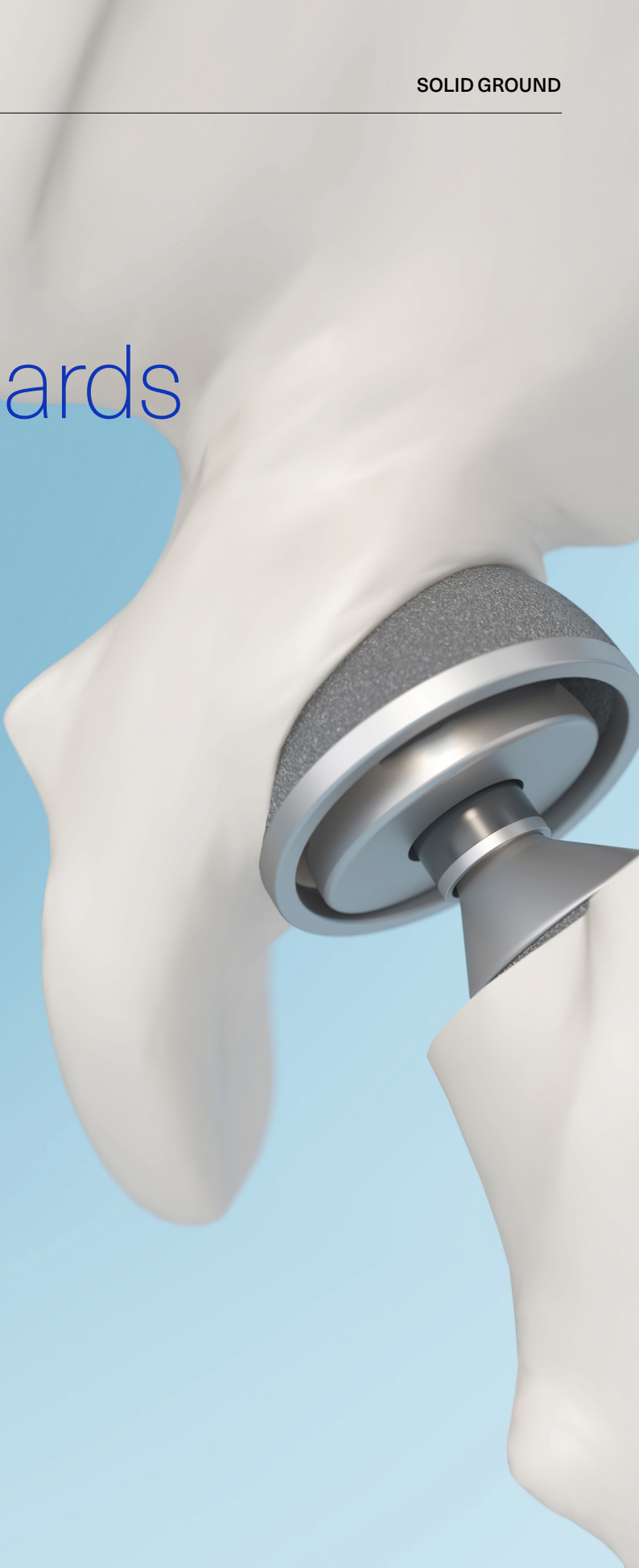
The committee also approved a new standard intended to serve as a useful guide to help individuals understand the severity of muscle injuries (F3645).

MEDICAL DEVICE TEST SUMMARIES

A new standard provides general principles for generating test report summaries from standards for medical and surgical materials and devices. The standard (F3766) also recommends best practices regarding both the content and form of these summaries.

HIP JOINT REPLACEMENT TESTING

A new standard that will help ensure hip joint replacements by simulating harsh conditions in a laboratory setting (F3738).



Building Performance/ Construction



LAMINATED GLASS

The glass and glass products committee (C14) has approved a new test method (C1956) to evaluate laminated glass with various interlayers when sealants are in intimate and intentional contact with laminate edges.

AIR QUALITY ODOR

A new standard will be used to help assess environmental odors. The standard (D8623), developed by the air quality committee (D22), presents a general strategy for an analytic, odorant-prioritization-based approach to environmental odor assessment.

FIRE PROTECTION MATERIALS

The performance of buildings committee (E06) has approved a standardized set of inspection procedures for the inspection of fire protection materials applied to structural building elements (columns, beams, floors, etc.). The standard (E3430) aims to enhance the probability of a building remaining structurally intact during a fire event.

Energy

CORN FIBER CONVERSION

A new standard (E3503) from the biomass committee (E48) will address a specific need in the ethanol industry: measuring corn kernel fiber conversion for various applications, including regulatory pathways. The test method covers the quantification of hemicellulose present in herbaceous biomass substrates using a dilute acid incubation period and high performance liquid chromatography analysis.

OIL EVAPORATION MEASUREMENT

The hazardous substances and oil spill response committee (F20) developed a new standard for measuring the evaporation rate of oils and petroleum. The standard (F3763) will provide a uniform way to develop an equation that can be used to predict the evaporation of oil that has been released in a spill.

JET FUEL INTEGRITY

A new standard (D8615) from the petroleum products, liquid fuels, and lubricants committee (D02) will support the integrity of jet fuel in the air using freezing point. The freezing point of an aviation fuel is the lowest temperature at which the fuel remains free of solid hydrocarbon crystals that can restrict the flow of fuel through filters in the fuel system of an aircraft.



Environment



PFAS SAMPLING

The environmental assessment, risk management and corrective action committee (E50) approved a new standard (E3439) that will be used to help planning analysis and selecting a laboratory when data is being collected for a per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances.



COMPOSTABLE PACKAGING

The waste management committee (D34) approved two new standards (D8618 and D8619) to outline how to test the breakdown of certified compostable products as intended in real-world composting facilities, including a defined range of operating conditions based on best management practices.

WASTE PLASTIC PROCESS OIL

A new standard developed by the petroleum products, liquid fuels and lubricants committee (D02) will fill a gap in the waste plastic process oil (WPPO) industry (D8577). This guide is the first step toward unification of the analytical testing needed to analyze WPPO.

ORGANIC SUBSTANCES IN WATER

The water committee (D19) approved a new standard (D8628) that will measure the ultrashort per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) that are not being measured currently. PFAS are widely used in various industrial and commercial products and have been reported to exhibit toxic qualities. PFAS have been detected in soils, sludges, surface, and drinking waters. This standard is a quick, easy, and robust method to determine these compounds at trace levels in water matrices.

CARBON BLACK PRODUCTION

A new standard (D8621) from the recovered carbon black (rCB) committee (D36) will help enable a manufacturer to significantly improve their production process monitoring abilities and improve productivity. The standard covers the determination of ash content of rCB using a Muffle Furnace. Primary contributors to ash in rCB are zinc, silica, and other inorganic compounds present in feedstock.

CLIMATE ADAPTATION VOCABULARY

A new standard will help communities develop an understanding of the vocabulary used to plan for adaptation to changing climate (E3360). The new standard was developed by the environmental assessment, risk management and corrective action committee (E50). The guide will use plain language definitions that will allow stakeholders to use common terms for environmental justice and resilience to climate impacts.

UNDERGROUND PETROLEUM TANK CLEANUP

The committee also approved a new standard that will be used to secure regulatory oversight for moving sites to closure (MStC) at petroleum underground storage tank (UST) sites requiring corrective actions. The new standard (E3488) provides a framework based on the latest science and best management practices for regulators, owners, and cleanup consultants to complete the cleanup of petroleum releases from underground storage tanks.

Advanced Manufacturing

STREAMLINING ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING PROCESSES

The additive manufacturing technologies committee (F42) approved a new standard that aims to assist all who use AM in a business-case capacity, whether it be a manufacturer, a consumer, or an agency.

The new standard (F3774) provides a resource that can be used to develop procedures for the procurement and delivery of an AM part (across a supply chain).

DIGITAL HUMAN MODELING FOR EXOSKELETONS

A new standard from the exoskeletons and exosuits committee (F48) will guide the use of digital human modeling (DHM) in exoskeleton design, evaluation, and application. The new standard (F3771) will identify and develop methods for using digital human modeling tools to understand the physiological and biomechanical effects of exoskeleton/exosuit usage on the body for static and dynamic movements and/or work activities.

ASTM INTERNATIONAL AND ASTRO AMERICA COLLABORATE

ASTM International's Additive Manufacturing Center of Excellence (AM CoE) announced a strategic collaboration with the Applied Science & Technology Research Organization (ASTRO) of America. This joint initiative aims to support the development and deployment of Additive Friction Stir Deposition (AFSD) by advancing standards, quality infrastructure, and best practices for large-scale AM technologies.

The project, titled "Advancement of Process, Materials, Applications, and Test and Evaluation for Large-Scale Additive Manufacturing," runs from January 2025 through December 2027. It will be delivered in five phases, each targeting specific technical and strategic deliverables to accelerate the adoption and industrialization of AFSD.

ASTM AND MAJOR OEMS LAUNCH ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

ASTM International's Additive Manufacturing Center of Excellence (AM CoE) launched a new manufacturer certification program designed to enhance quality assurance, regulatory compliance, and process control across the additive manufacturing (AM) supply chain. The launch coincided with ASTM's role as Knowledge Partner and Platinum Sponsor of TCT 3Sixty, the UK's premier AM trade show.

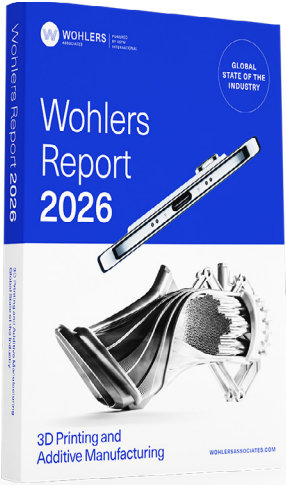
To develop this program, the AM CoE formed the Additive Manufacturing Certification Committee (AMCC) with over 25

end users, including Boeing, Lockheed Martin, Safran, Ford Motor Company, Stryker, Becton Dickinson, General Motors, and other leading organizations. The resulting AM certification program provides the assurance that customers need to build trust across their supply chains by validating AM-specific activities, in place of more general QMS programs.

WOHLERS REPORT 2025 SHOWED MAJOR INDUSTRY GROWTH

Wohlers Associates, powered by ASTM International, released the Wohlers Report 2025, which showed that the AM industry grew by 9.1% overall to USD 21.9 billion. According to the report, most of the growth is attributable to the development of the AM industry in Asia and China in particular. While the AM system manufacturer sector declined, the Wohlers Report 2025 shows growth in the service provider, software, and material sectors.

The Wohlers Report, which has been published for 30 consecutive years, provides organizations worldwide with detailed guidance, perspective, and research results on the state of the AM and 3D printing industry. 2025 marked the first time ASTM International took full ownership of the report's development process.





**ASTM AND NIKON AM PARTNER
ON DEFENSE APPLICATIONS**

ASTM International and Nikon Advanced Manufacturing Inc. (Nikon AM) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to collaborate on a series of strategic initiatives aimed at accelerating advanced manufacturing capabilities, with a particular focus on defense applications and workforce development.

The partnership will prioritize co-developing comprehensive education, training, and personnel certification programs tailored to Department of Defense (DoD) needs, particularly those of the U.S. Navy. Education programs will serve to train the next generation of manufacturing professionals, equipping them with the skills required to sustain and grow domestic production capacity.

In addition to joint education and research initiatives, the partnership will support engagement with federal agencies and pursue government-funded projects that promote manufacturing innovation.



ASTM CELEBRATES 10 YEARS OF ICAM

The ASTM International Conference on Advanced Manufacturing (ICAM 2025) was held Oct. 6-10 in Las Vegas, Nevada. Hosted by AM CoE and supported by more than a dozen ASTM technical committees, ICAM 2025 marked the tenth year of ASTM's flagship event for additive and advanced manufacturing. Guided by a scientific organizing committee of more than 100 experts spanning industry, academia,

government, and national laboratories, ICAM 2025 advanced the conference's core mission: to accelerate the transition of research to application through standardization.



ICAM25

Innovation

**ASTM AND NIST LAUNCH ASCET,
HOST WORKSHOP, AND DELIVER KEY REPORT**

In 2025, ASTM International and the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) officially launched the U.S. Standardization Center of Excellence for Critical and Emerging Technologies – renaming the effort ASCET Center of Excellence.

ASCET held its first major workshop May 14–15, drawing nearly 200 participants from industry, government, academia, and standards development organizations. The two-day event focused on the importance of U.S. participation and leadership in global standardization, with discussions centered on advancing standards for critical and emerging technologies such as artificial intelligence, quantum technologies, and biotechnology.

ASCET ANNOUNCES INAUGURAL ADVISORY BOARD

ASCET formed and convened the inaugural ASCET Advisory Board in late 2025. The board members' expertise on Critical and Emerging Technologies (CETs) ecosystems and standardization will provide valuable thought leadership to the Center. The Advisory Board will provide insights into ongoing efforts to shape and influence ASCET. They represent a broad distribution of stakeholder groups with perspectives and insights across industry, academia, standards-setting organizations, government, and other collaborators.

ASCET
CENTER OF EXCELLENCE

**ASTM LAUNCHES STANDARDS
ACCELERATION PROGRAM**

Last year, ASTM launched the Standards Acceleration Program, a pilot program intended to support the development of standards-related strategic R&D initiatives that enhance the integration of standards across 90 industry sectors.

The intention was to identify areas where ASTM could collaborate with our members to provide three core elements:

- Coordinated R&D to support faster standards development,
- Programs and services to support workforce development and training, and
- Strategic guidance and funding geared towards the needs of each technology.

A request for proposals process brought in several hundred submissions, and from those, projects from twelve different ASTM committees were selected, receiving approximately \$378,000 of funding. Each project has been initiated and is currently underway.

GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAIN

The digital information in the supply chain committee (F49) has revised its guide for supply chain traceability, authentication, verification, validation, and oversight using emerging technologies including blockchain (D8558). The guide introduces a structured four-step Conformity Assessment Model designed to enhance the ability of national authorities to verify supply chain-related claims made by importers on a shipment-by-shipment basis. This model is intended to facilitate legitimate trade and improve compliance with relevant requirements.

Global

ASTM PRESIDENT MEETS WITH STANDARDS OFFICIALS IN ASIA

Over the course of 2025, Andy Kireta, ASTM's president, met with standards officials throughout the world. During a February trip, Kireta visited Singapore, where he signed an agreement with Sauw Kook Choy, Director General of Enterprise Singapore, for the two organizations to develop a joint standard in robotics.

In Korea, Kireta met with Kwang Hae Oh, acting administrator of the Korean Agency for Technology and Standards (KATS), an ASTM MoU partner since 2006.

While in Japan, Kireta discussed the role of standards innovation and standardization workforce development with staff from the New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization's Technology and Innovation Center and the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry's Innovation and Environmental Policy Bureau.

STANDARDS EXPERTS ATTEND TRAINING AT ASTM HEADQUARTERS

In December, ASTM International's global cooperation team welcomed seven visitors who were attending the Standards Expert Program (SEP) and Technical Visitor Grant Program (TVGP) at ASTM headquarters in West Conshohocken, PA. These seven visitors were:

- **Eruel Bicol**, Oil Industry Standards and Monitoring Division (OISMD), Oil Industry Management Bureau (OIMB), Philippines;
- **Maria Cristina Carmella Manocan**, OISMD, OIMB, Philippines;
- **Evan Buwana**, senior analyst of standardization/ deputy director of standard development, National Standardization Agency of Indonesia (BSN);
- **Isaac Kabongo**, executive director, Ecological Christian Organization (ECO);
- **Alex Mboa**, principal standards officer, Kenya Bureau of Standards;
- **Maria Luiza Bazani Düwel**, technical assistant in international standardization, Associação Brasileira de Normas Técnicas (ABNT); and
- **Bolat Abaiuly**, deputy head of the analysis and systemization department, Kazakhstan Institute of Standardization and Metrology (KazStandard).

During the first of the two-week programs, the experts learned from ASTM staff about the international standards development process and met with senior staff members.

The SEP is a fully sponsored ASTM International program focused on training in standards development, while the TVGP is a 50% ASTM-sponsored program offering a more technical, in-depth experience in a specific area of expertise or technical committee.

ASTM INTERNATIONAL SIGNS MOU WITH GCC LAB TSCO

In November, ASTM International announced the formal signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Gulf Laboratory Company for Technical Services (GCC Lab). The agreement marks a major milestone in ASTM's mission to expand access to world-class technical training for the refining and petrochemical sectors.

This agreement lays the foundation for the establishment of a dedicated training center that will provide specialized, hands-on technical training to support workforce development and industry-aligned skill building. Through this partnership, ASTM will combine expertise in training delivery with GCC Lab's strong standing in technical services to create an environment where learners can gain practical, real-world experience with modern equipment and industry-standard tools.



Visitors from ASTM's Standards Expert and Technical Visitor Grant programs (left to right): Eruel Bicol, Oil Industry Management Bureau (OIMB), Philippines; Maria Cristina Carmella Manocan, OIMB, Philippines; Evan Buwana, National Standardization Agency of Indonesia (BSN); Isaac Kabongo, Ecological Christian Organization (ECO); Alex Mboa, Kenya Bureau of Standards; Maria Luiza Bazani Düwel, ABNT - Associação Brasileira de Normas Técnicas; and Bolat Abaiuly, Kazakhstan Institute of Standardization and Metrology.

INTERAMERICAN TRANSPORTATION CHAMBER SIGNS COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH ASTM

ASTM International and the Interamerican Transportation Chamber (CIT) signed a Memorandum of Cooperation to strengthen collaboration and promote technical exchange between the two organizations.

Founded in 2002, the CIT is a Brazil-based non-profit civil association that works internationally to improve logistics and transport, both for people and goods. Its mission is to foster an open forum for discussion and identification of the main trends and issues affecting these sectors.

The agreement was signed by Mr. Marcelo Augusto de Felippes, CEO of CIT, and Andy Kireta, president of ASTM International, underscoring their shared commitment to advancing best practices and international standards in the transportation sector across Latin America and beyond.

The agreement outlines several collaborative initiatives, including joint training programs, participation in technical events, and the exchange of information related to ASTM's globally recognized standards. It also supports the promotion of ASTM membership within the CIT network and encourages collaboration between CIT members and members of ASTM International's digital information in the supply chain committee (F49).

Global

ASTM INTERNATIONAL ATTENDS BOLAT 2025

ASTM International participated as an association partner at the Base Oil, Lubricants, and Additives Technology (BOLAT) show from Sept. 15-17 in Dubai, UAE.

BOLAT 2025 was a flagship industry event in the Middle East, connecting lubricants and base oils raw material providers with manufacturers working in oil and lubricants. The conference's theme is 'Embracing Technology for a Sustainable Future.'

ASTM INTERNATIONAL SPONSORS ARABLAB 2025

ASTM International was a supporting partner of ARABLAB 2025, Sept. 23-25, at the Dubai World Trade Centre.

ARABLAB is considered the largest global trade show for laboratory science and instrumentation, with an expected 10,000 visitors from over 100 countries. The event featured more than 1,000 exhibitors showcasing the newest technologies from laboratories worldwide.

A variety of industries in which ASTM has standards were represented at ARABLAB 2025, including robotics and automation, materials testing, forensics and security, chemical engineering, and more. ASTM held several presentations, including a keynote speech by Andy Kireta.

ASTM International supports several events in the Gulf region each year, including ADIPEC, the World Heavy Oil Congress & Exhibition, Project Qatar, the Oman Downstream Exhibition & Conference, and the Annual Quality Assurance for Sustainable Construction Materials Conference and Workshop.

DIGITAL STANDARDS ALLIANCE WELCOMES ASTM AS NEW MEMBER

The Digital Standards Alliance (DSA), a consortium working to create best practices for the authoring and use of digital standards, has announced ASTM International as a new member organization.

The DSA is one of SAE International's Industrial Technologies Consortia (SAE-ITC), an initiative by standards users and publishers to implement more efficient digital standards in the mobility industry's operations and supply chain. ASTM's participation will further digital standards that improve quality, compliance, and integration throughout the full development cycle.

ASTM was a supporting partner of **ARABLAB 2025**, which drew 10,000 visitors from over 100 countries.

ASTM HEAD OF GLOBAL OUTREACH VISITS RWANDA

James Olshefsky, ASTM International's head of global outreach, visited Kigali, Rwanda, in October. While there, Olshefsky met with Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) partner organizations and other collaborators.

ASTM celebrated several MoU milestone partnership anniversaries in 2025, including:

- **INTECO** (Instituto de Normas Técnicas de Costa Rica) – 20 years.
- **CROSQ** (CARICOM Regional Organisation for Standards and Quality) – 15 years.
- **BNSI** (Barbados National Standards Institution) – 10 years.
- **INIQ** (National Institute for Quality Infrastructure), Angola – 10 years.

In addition to celebrating longstanding alliances, Olshefsky presided over the launching of a new MoU between ASTM and Agence Congolaise de Normalisation et de la Qualité (ACONOQ), the standards organization of the Republic of Congo. Jean-Jacques Ngoko-Mouyabi, director general of ACONOQ, joined Olshefsky in signing the MoU.



(Left to right) Jean-Jacques Ngoko-Mouyabi, director general of ACONOQ, and ASTM's James Olshefsky, head of global outreach, sign a memorandum of understanding in Kigali, Rwanda.

Global



ASTM HOSTS AVIATION FUEL EVENTS IN BRUSSELS

ASTM International hosted a series of aviation fuel events from April 7-11 in Brussels, Belgium. The schedule included technical meetings, a synthetic aviation turbine fuel (SATF) seminar, and a two-day aviation fuels training program.

The aviation fuels subcommittee (D02.J) covered everything from SATF, to thermal and electrical properties, to jet fuel specifications. Members of D02.J include all major engine and aircraft manufacturers, fuel producers, and regulators from around the world.

ASTM AND KOREA CONFORMITY LABORATORIES SIGN MOC

During a visit to the U.S. in May, Young-ghil Cheon, president of Korea Conformity Laboratories (KCL), met with ASTM International President Andy Kireta in Washington, DC, and signed a Memorandum of Cooperation between their respective organizations on development of standards for Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) and other emerging areas in aviation.

President Cheon led a KCL delegation that included Deok Ryong Yoo, executive director of KCL's Strategic Business Division, and Yoonseok Chung, head of the Aerospace Strategy Center. During the meeting, Chung gave a presentation on KCL's aviation activities. Phil Kenul, vice chair of ASTM committee on unmanned aircraft systems (F38), gave a presentation on ASTM's work in these areas. The KCL visit followed Kireta's January visit to KCL's offices in Korea.



Young-ghil Cheon, president, Korea Conformity Laboratories (KCL) met with Andy Kireta, president, ASTM International, in Washington, DC, where they signed a Memorandum of Cooperation between the organizations.

The MoU establishes a framework for the two organizations to collaborate on future opportunities while maintaining confidentiality and protecting intellectual property as they work toward formalizing additional agreements.

ASTM STAFF PARTICIPATE IN APEC WORKSHOP

In September, Elvin Chia, ASTM International's director of outreach in Asia, participated in the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) Workshop on Marketing Compliance Mechanism for Self-Declaration of Standard Compliance on Textiles and Textile Products. The workshop was hosted by Badan Standardisasi Nasional (BSN) in Indonesia.

Chia spoke about ASTM's textiles committee (D13), which has more than 300 standards and 500 members who participate from more than 30 countries. ASTM's textile standards are used globally by regulators, manufacturers, research institutions, and laboratories.

ASTM also offers textile proficiency-testing programs and training courses that support the implementation of the standards.



Elvin Chia, ASTM's director of outreach in Asia, speaks about ASTM's textiles committee (D13) during the APEC workshop held in Indonesia in September.

Next Generation and Awards

GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

ASTM International boasts more than 5,000 student members and offers several scholarships and grant opportunities each year. In 2025, four \$10,000 scholarships were awarded to the following deserving students.



Pandora Picariello, doctoral student of materials science at Colorado School of Mines. Pandora is a renewal recipient who won the award last year, and continues her work related to ceramics in aerospace applications.



Mellissa Komninakis, doctoral student of materials science and engineering at Florida International University. Showing a strong interest in nuclear deactivation and decommissioning, Mellissa has fully immersed herself into her work for E10 as well as FIU's ASTM student chapter.



Amy Kurr, doctoral student of energy science and engineering at the University of Tennessee Knoxville. Amy has been an ambassador of ASTM with current projects touching on committees D09 and E05. She has also been heavily involved in teaching consensus standards.



Andrew Couch, doctoral student of management science and engineering at Stanford University. Andrew's research has revolved around small-to-medium-sized enterprise additive manufacturing, using many ASTM standards to significantly boost his work.

2025 AWARD OF MERIT RECIPIENTS

The prestigious Award of Merit, which includes the accompanying title of fellow, is ASTM's highest recognition for individual contributions to developing standards.

Klas M. Boivie
Additive Manufacturing Technologies (F42)

Audrey Boutin
Nonferrous Metals and Alloys (B02)

Jean-Francois Cote
Roofing and Waterproofing (D08)

Steve DelloRusso
Concrete Pipe (C13)

Adam A. Estelle
Copper and Copper Alloys (B05)

Darla M. Goeres
Pesticides, Antimicrobials, and Alternative Control Agents (E35)

Thomas M. Greene
Concrete and Concrete Aggregates (C09)

Dennis Hollatz
Environmental Assessment, Risk Management and Corrective Action (E50)

Marc L. Janssens
Fire Standards (E05)

Scott R. Keenan
Aromatic, Industrial, Specialty and Related Chemicals (D16)

Robert Q. Kluttz
Road and Paving Materials (D04)

Ronald Krueger
Composite Materials (D30)

Kenneth S. Kutska
Consumer Products (F15)

Min Liao
Fatigue and Fracture (E08)

Richard C. Lund
Packaging (D10)

James F. Mason
Plastic Piping Systems (F17)

Joseph T. Mastropierro
Temperature Measurement (E20)

Ernest J. Pauliny Jr.
Electrical Protective Equipment for Workers (F18)

Thomas J. Schlafly
Steel, Stainless Steel and Related Alloys (A01)

Ronald Schornstein
Engine Coolants and Related Fluids (D15)

Raj Shah
Petroleum Products, Liquid Fuels, and Lubricants (D02)

Ryan L. Siskey
Medical and Surgical Materials and Devices (F04)

Nassia Tzelepi
Petroleum Products, Liquid Fuels, and Lubricants (D02)

EMERGING PROFESSIONALS

The Emerging Professionals (EP) program celebrated its 10th Anniversary in 2025. A total of 486 EP graduates have gone through 38 workshops in four different countries. They account for 831 registered work items, fill 293 leadership positions in 122 different technical committees which reflects 83% of ASTM's 147 committees. 68 awards have been given to EP graduates, and 45 ILS programs are registered by EP graduates. Two past EP's have served on COTCO, and one on the Board of Directors. ASTM has hosted two international EP workshops in Singapore and Brussels which has broadened international reach and awareness; and the program has welcomed 15 students and 3 MOU members to ASTM.



AWARDS

James A. Thomas President's Leadership Award

This award recognizes individuals early in their ASTM International career who have advanced the organization's mission through extraordinary accomplishment, example, and vision.

Josh Coughlin is a laboratory manager at Revere Copper Products, recognized for his prodigious and enthusiastic service as a new member of the committee on copper and copper alloys (B05).

Ann Virts is acting group leader, manipulation & mobility systems group at the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST). She was recognized for her work as vice chair of the subcommittees on task performance and environmental considerations (F48.03) and response robots (E54.09).

W.T. Cavanaugh Award

The Cavanaugh Memorial Award honors W.T. Cavanaugh, CEO of ASTM International from 1970 to 1985, who established ASTM as the world leader in developing and disseminating voluntary standards.

Har Kupers is corporate executive officer with Sansei Technologies Inc. and chairman of Vekoma Rides and S&S. An avid technical contributor to various standards, he has long served as a liaison between organizations like ASTM, CEN, and ISO. Kupers is also a prolific volunteer, working on safety and standards harmonization with such organizations as the International Association of Amusement Parks and Attractions (IAAPA) and AIMS International.

Lorne Everett is chairman emeritus of LEA Environmental, Inc. He has over 35 years of experience with international voluntary consensus standards development, and is a respected advocate for use of vadose zone soil gas monitoring and related standards world-wide. He has written or co-written 16 standards with the soil and rock committee (D18), as well as over 150 technical papers and several books on the subject.

Katharine E. Morgan Women in Leadership Award

The award honors Katharine Morgan, ASTM International's first woman president, and recognizes female leaders of ASTM committees who have made significant contributions to the development of standards.

Helene Hardy Pierce was most recently the vice president of technical services, codes, and industry relations for GAF. Her career spans over 40 years in the roofing industry and she has been very active in many of the industry's organizations. She received the ASTM Award of Merit and title of Fellow from the roofing, waterproofing and bituminous materials committee (D08), and she served on the Board of Directors for ASTM from 1999-2002 and then on the Executive Board as chair of the finance and audit committee in 2003.

Joan Lawrence is senior vice president, standards & regulatory affairs for The Toy Association, a role she has held since 1992. At ASTM, she has served as chair of the subcommittee on toy safety (F15.22) for the past two decades. In addition, she has served on the Committee on Standards, on the F15.90 executive committee as its chair for several years, and as membership secretary of the committee on declarable substances (F40).

Professor of the Year Award

The ASTM International Professor of the Year Award is presented annually to recognize and reward the contributions of educators in developing students' understanding of consensus standards.

R. Bryan Ormond is an associate professor and director of the Milliken Textile Protection and Comfort Center at North Carolina State University. Ormond uses ASTM standards in teaching new generations of students and PPE researchers. He brings students to every ASTM committee week he attends, with several going on to join its Emerging Professionals program. Through this work, he instills in students the importance of high-quality standards development and unbiased research in the textiles and PPE industry.

Products and Services



ASTM DIGITAL LIBRARY

The Silverchair platform has reinforced ASTM's commitment to knowledge-sharing and accessibility

ASTM DIGITAL LIBRARY MOVES TO SILVERCHAIR

The ASTM Digital Library officially launched on the Silverchair platform in 2025. This purpose-built site for engineering books and journal content has elevated the user experience, making it easier for researchers, engineers, and professionals to discover and engage with our Digital Library content. Enhanced navigation, seamless accessibility, and optimized discoverability drove record engagement across key segments.

The Silverchair platform has reinforced ASTM's commitment to knowledge-sharing and accessibility, broadening the Digital Library's impact across academic and corporate audiences. With this momentum, the ASTM Digital Library is on a clear trajectory for sustained growth, ensuring its content reaches an ever-expanding global audience.

NEW THIRD PARTY CONTENT

Environmental Certification Professional Program

ASTM International's education and credentialing team has developed a personnel-certification program designed for practicing environmental professionals, specifically those performing environmental site assessments (ESAs).

For those working in environmental and engineering services and performing ESAs, this certification confirms competency in ASTM's Phase I assessment standard (E1527) and associated regulatory background. The certification will test user knowledge of how to properly perform a Phase I ESA, as well as how to document and report the results according to the standard.

The exam builds on ASTM standards E1527, E1528, and E2247, covering essential topics involved in a Phase I ESA.

The United Kingdom Ministry of Defense (MoD)

The U.K. MoD made two key standards, Defense Standards 91-090 and 91-091, available through ASTM Compass, ASTM International's proprietary standards and knowledge-based subscription resource.

Defense Standards 91-090 and 91-091 address aviation gasoline and kerosene-based jet fuel, respectively. These specifications are internationally recognized, and the ability to access them through Compass's workflow tools will help promote high-quality aviation fuel management.

International Association of Oil & Gas Producers (IOGP)

ASTM International and the International Association of Oil & Gas Producers (IOGP) partnered to provide ASTM users direct access to IOGP's extensive and globally recognized publications library, representing the collective technical expertise of over 2,500 industry specialists across IOGP's membership.

ASTM Compass Discover

ASTM Compass has released the first iteration of its newest search function, ASTM Compass Discover, a new semantic search. This new engine supplements the current ASTM Compass search engine. Compass Discover will recognize misspellings, synonyms, and vague search terms, delivering relevant results to users faster. With its ability to better determine user intent, this new engine paves the way for quick, precise navigation of everything ASTM Compass has to offer.



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updates and features.

ASTM SPECBUILDER

The SpecBuilder team rolled out several key features in 2025. The system now supports resolution of negative votes and comments, enabling administrators to document and resolve negative votes on open and closed ballots — supporting ANSI requirements and ensuring results remain accurate and auditable. Rich text formatting is now available in the Ballot Description, Drafts, and Discussion fields in SpecBuilder, improving users' ability to organize and present complex feedback.

SpecBuilder also introduced an Organizational Balance Report that fully supports its recently released Proxy Voter tool, making it easier to assign and manage Primary and Alternate Organizational Voter roles for individuals within the same company. These changes help boost ballot return rates and strengthen stakeholder representation for ANSI-compliant organizations.

These enhancements are a few among many others already in place and forthcoming to SpecBuilder. Full information and updates are available at go.astm.org/specbuilder.

BOOKS AND JOURNALS

In 2025, ASTM's Digital Library continued its upward trajectory following the launch of its new platform at dl.astm.org. Enhanced usability, improved metadata, and modernized delivery have translated into substantial growth across every performance indicator. Sales rose by 36%, usage rose by more than 75%, and international reach expanded to 51 countries. ASTM's platform now serves a broad mix of over 500 institutional and over 1,350 individual users, positioning the organization for sustained digital growth and member value in the years ahead.

DEVELOPMENTS IN JOURNALS

Geotechnical Testing Journal published the special issue ***Recycled Materials for Sustainable Geotechnical Construction (volume 47, issue 1)***. The issue brings together 23 articles covering the use of a broad range of recycled materials in construction applications including



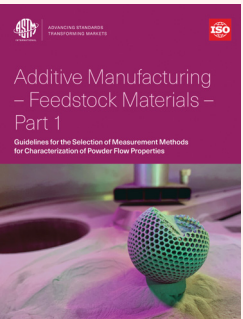
steel slag, rice husk ash, ferrochrome slag, recycled concrete aggregate, recycled asphalt pavement, lignin, recycled binders, recycled plastics, and quarry fines.

Smart and Sustainable Manufacturing Systems expanded its editorial team and editorial scope to include emerging and interdisciplinary areas in product lifecycle engineering and management. Led by journal co-editors Dr. Sudarsan Rachuri and Dr. Yinlun Huang, SSMS doubled its impact factor to 1.6.

New Books in 2025



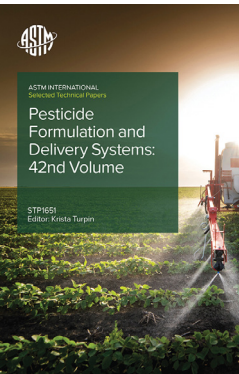
Resolving Data Language Barriers across Maritime Standards Vocabularies. ASTM Technical Report 5. Committee F49.



Additive Manufacturing—Feedstock Materials—Part 1: Guidelines for the Selection of Measurement Methods for Characterization of Powder Flow Properties. ISO/ASTM Technical Report 52913. ASTM Technical Committee F42.

SELECTED TECHNICAL PAPERS

Pesticide Formulation and Delivery Systems: 43rd Volume, Creating Certainty in an Uncertain World (STP1652), edited by Danny Brown, compiled nine papers from a 2023 symposium sponsored by the committee on pesticides, antimicrobials, and alternative control agents (E35) and the subcommittee on pesticide formulations and delivery systems (E35.22).



Application of Automation Technology and Advanced Analysis Techniques in Fatigue and Fracture Testing, 7th Volume (STP1654), edited by Kimberly Maciejewski, Peter C. McKeighan, and Peter B. S. Bailey, compiled nine papers from a 2024 symposium sponsored by the fatigue and fracture committee (E08) and the advanced apparatus and techniques subcommittee (E08.03).



ASTM is also
developing **six manuals**
and **one more**
technical report
to be published soon.

Products and Services

LIVE TRAINING & ONDEMAND SOLUTIONS

ASTM's Live Training and OnDemand Solutions Department provides live training (in-person, and virtual) and OnDemand continuing education courses on ASTM standards and related topics. The training services provide self-guided and instructor-led courses for internal, continuous, and up-to-date training for customers.

The course catalog consists of more than 800 courses, the majority of which include demonstration videos, animated simulations, step-by-step presentations, procedural outlines, glossaries of terms, and assessments.

ASTM expanded its OnDemand catalog with the launch of more than 100 new eLearning products, introducing training courses in critical areas such as exotechnology, plastics, PFAS testing, and textiles. Other new trainings build on ASTM's strong foundation of industry-focused education, delivering next-generation interactive experiences for the energy and construction sectors, full-immersion courses in Spanish and Portuguese, and expanded coverage of standard test methods in nondestructive testing, petroleum, building and construction, and laboratory and field fundamentals. To further support learners, the OnDemand training team also introduced several free offerings, including a dedicated eLearning course for new members—providing an accessible resource to help them prepare for meetings and understand what to expect as part of the ASTM community.

A total of 79 learning events took place, of which five were held in the Middle East. Additionally, ASTM recruited nine instructors, bringing its total number of ASTM Approved Instructors to 75. The new instructors have backgrounds in mechanical testing, plastics, polymers, and oil and gas, and will primarily respond to customer requests throughout the MENA (Middle East, and North Africa) region. Lastly, the live training team added two brand-new courses to the portfolio; property resilience assessment (E50) and renewables (D02).



PARTNERSHIPS

ASTM recently finalized agreements with the following organizations, allowing the organization to expand its reach internationally.

Tinius Olsen – The ASTM Training team supported the launch of the Training and Technical Center in Dubai. The training center will provide ASTM with dedicated space to hold hands-on training workshops. At its core, the center is designed to:

- Deliver structured training on metals, plastics, and composite materials testing.
- Host knowledge-focused workshops and standards-based seminars.
- Provide an environment to explore testing optimization, data repeatability, and lab productivity.
- Offer demonstrations that reinforce applied learning through real-world testing scenarios.

Gulf Laboratory Company for Technical Services – ASTM recently signed a Memorandum of Understanding with GCC Technical Services for the establishment of a Training Center in Dammam, Saudi Arabia. This center will focus on developing the skills of chemists through hands-on training and lectures on testing methods, accuracy, precision, and quality statistics. The engagement with GCC also includes the development of a certification program and technical courses relevant to the refining and petrochemical sectors.



American Petroleum Institute – ASTM recently announced the launch of the Petroleum-Inspector Training Program – a foundational level eLearning certificate program available through the API and ASTM Learning Center. The Petroleum Inspector eLearning Program utilizes ASTM's established standards to guide inspectors in evaluating the quality and safety of petroleum products, ensuring consistency, safety, and reliability in inspections. The program features cutting-edge animations and interactive content for engaging learning experiences.

The program is designed for organizations seeking to bolster their internal training programs with convenient online training components or for individuals preparing for certification programs. Currently, the program focuses on manual sampling, the utilization of gauging equipment, shore tank gauging, and manual gauging of marine vessels. Additional training content on temperature determination will be made automatically available when complete.



ASTM International was recently honored at the 2025 OnCon Icon Awards, receiving recognition as one of the Top 50 Learning & Development Teams.

Products and Services

CERTIFICATION

ASTM offers personal certification for construction materials, petroleum lab technicians, and environmental professionals. All programs include proctored online written exams and require the submission of completed performance evaluations.

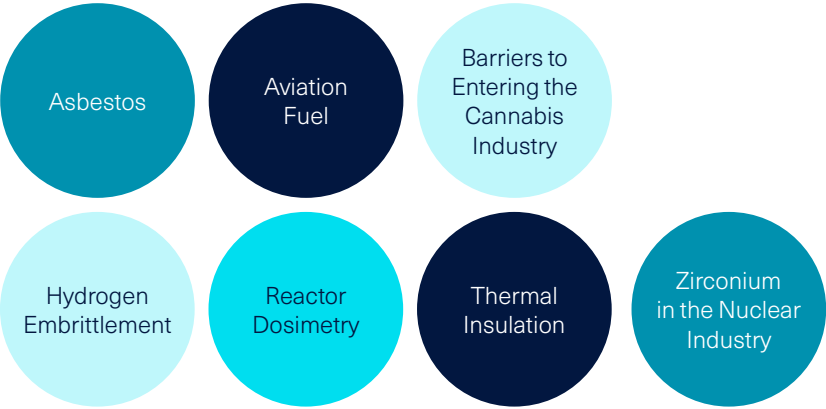
ASTM has expanded its offerings to advance industry standards through the Phase I Peer Review Program (ASTM-PEER), designed to enhance report quality, consistency, and conformance with E1527. Participant feedback from training programs has consistently highlighted strong demand for an expert peer-review process to strengthen the quality of Phase I reports. The new program directly addresses this need, enhancing confidence in Phase I ESA practices and supporting defensible, well-documented environmental assessments.

SYMPOSIA

In 2025, three conferences, seven symposia, and 11 workshops took place. Most of the events were held in-person and in conjunction with an ASTM Committee Week.

Five editions of ASTM's Selected Technical Papers (STP) and two special issues of ASTM journals are planned to publish as a result of the symposia held.

Event Topics Included





SAFETY EQUIPMENT INSTITUTE

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The Safety Equipment Institute (SEI) operates an independent program for testing and certifying thousands of innovative safety and protective products, from firefighter and baseball helmets to work boots and protective eyewear. SEI works with manufacturers as well as independent laboratories and quality-assurance auditors to certify products to performance standards for products used by consumers, fire and emergency services personnel, general industry workers, and law enforcement officers. The list of SEI-certified products continued to grow with the addition of new standards for recreational products and law enforcement.



CEMENT & CONCRETE
REFERENCE LABORATORY

A DIVISION OF ASTM INTERNATIONAL

The Cement and Concrete Reference Laboratory (CCRL) program continued to improve construction materials testing through lab assessments, proficiency testing samples, instruction, guidance, and clarification of standards. CCRL's Laboratory Inspection Program provides evidence of a laboratory's ability to perform test methods. The overall program has grown to include approximately 1,800 labs in concrete, concrete aggregates, steel-reinforcing bars, cement, pozzolan, slag cement, and masonry products. CCRL's Proficiency Sample Program helped laboratories compare their results with other labs by testing samples of the same material. This program ships approximately 18,400 boxes (377 tons) to more than 1,900 laboratories worldwide.



TEST MONITORING CENTER

POWERED BY ASTM INTERNATIONAL

The Test Monitoring Center (TMC) provides worldwide calibration services for more than 45 ASTM test methods used to evaluate automotive lubricants. Reference oil distribution, tests and calibration, and laboratory visits form the core of the center's mission under the automotive lubricants subcommittee of the petroleum products, liquid fuels, and lubricants committee (D02).

Financials

Consolidated Statements of Financial Position (in thousands)

ASSETS	December 31, 2025	December 31, 2024
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 12,351	\$ 13,579
Short-term investments	25,061	21,676
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$250 in 2025 and 2024	10,173	8,277
Interest receivable	214	194
Royalties receivable	8,639	8,735
Investments:		
General investment fund	300,959	269,895
Other	11,009	9,963
Cash surrender of life insurance	39,694	33,896
Inventories	1,384	1,492
Property and equipment, net	41,807	39,160
Right-of-use assets	752	998
Prepaid pension asset	111,234	95,831
Other assets	6,841	7,874
	<u>\$ 570,118</u>	<u>\$ 511,570</u>
ASSETS LIABILITIES	December 31, 2025	December 31, 2024
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 13,555	\$ 11,813
Deferred income	22,510	21,402
Postretirement benefit liability	3,424	3,396
Lease liabilities	903	1,194
Total liabilities	<u>40,392</u>	<u>37,805</u>
NET ASSETS	December 31, 2025	December 31, 2024
Without donor restrictions:		
Undesignated	346,146	293,978
Designated - general	179,532	175,829
	<u>525,678</u>	<u>469,807</u>
With donor restrictions	<u>4,048</u>	<u>3,958</u>
Total net assets	<u>529,726</u>	<u>473,765</u>
	<u>\$ 570,118</u>	<u>\$ 511,570</u>

Consolidated Statements of Activities (in thousands)

Years ended December 31, 2025 and 2024

	December 31, 2025	December 31, 2024
Changes in net assets without donor restrictions:		
Operating revenues:		
Publication sales	\$ 87,519	\$ 81,718
Laboratory services	30,421	28,645
Advanced manufacturing	3,610	3,399
Funded programs	1,937	856
Members' administrative fees	2,678	2,748
Investment return allocation	3,755	3,925
Symposium and other income	1,634	1,100
Contributions	72	316
Other	638	657
	<u>132,264</u>	<u>123,364</u>
Net assets released from restrictions	<u>4,836</u>	<u>1,269</u>
Total operating revenues	<u>137,100</u>	<u>124,633</u>
Operating expenses:		
Salaries and benefits	60,281	56,201
Consulting and IT services	14,811	14,132
Other Society office expense	10,074	8,678
Depreciation	9,292	9,725
Building occupancy	1,386	1,557
Publications	9,067	8,611
Laboratory services	9,539	8,888
Awards, contracts and other expenses	4,836	1,269
Committee and symposium expenses	3,851	3,055
Funded programs	985	–
Advanced manufacturing	4,032	3,249
Total operating expenses	<u>128,154</u>	<u>115,365</u>
Excess of operating revenues over operating expenses	<u>8,946</u>	<u>9,268</u>
Other revenues and (expenses):		
Board meeting - outside headquarters expense	(341)	(560)
Legal, copyright and strategy	(1,541)	(1,598)
Asia strategy	–	(23)
Modernizing business systems	(5,191)	(18,448)
Other	–	41
Investment gain	33,864	23,060
Pension and postretirement benefit changes	20,134	19,086
Total other revenues and expenses	<u>46,925</u>	<u>21,558</u>
Change in net assets without donor restriction	<u>55,871</u>	<u>30,826</u>
Change in net assets with donor restrictions:	December 31, 2025	December 31, 2024
Interest and dividends	165	303
Contributions	4,737	710
Other	14	121
Investment gain (loss)	<u>10</u>	<u>(5)</u>
	<u>4,926</u>	<u>1,129</u>
Net assets released from restrictions	<u>(4,836)</u>	<u>(1,269)</u>
Increase (decrease) in net assets with donor restrictions	<u>90</u>	<u>(140)</u>
Changes in net assets	<u>55,961</u>	<u>30,686</u>
Net assets at beginning of year	<u>473,765</u>	<u>443,079</u>
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 529,726</u>	<u>\$ 473,765</u>

2025 Snapshot

131	New Standards	1,150	Revised Standards	12,956	Active Standards
27,173	Members Worldwide	2,201	Technical Subcommittees	145	Technical Committees

COMMUNICATIONS

New types of video content — including more Instagram reels, increased use of video on LinkedIn and Facebook, and more varied YouTube offerings — sent video views on ASTM International social media channels skyrocketing in 2025. Post video views topped 400,000 for the first time. Total social media followers also rose and are now at nearly 155,000 — a 10% increase over the previous year. The average engagement rate across all channels (clicks, likes, comments, and shares) rose slightly to a healthy 4.7%.

SOCIAL MEDIA VIEWS

 1,591,814	 131,775	 21,720
 8,201	 1,923	



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