

2025 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

# Program



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Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino  
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Welcome to our 2025 Annual Conference where we encourage and educate NDT managers to stay current with technologies, present, share and engage with other NDT professionals so that we can all grow and advance our industry together.

## We're glad you're here! Be sure to experience:

- + Conference sessions by experts in their field on NDT technical subjects, management, and regulatory issues
- + Welcome reception and networking with NDT industry colleagues and peers
- + Tabletop exhibits with product and technology demonstrations by leading NDT suppliers

## Presented by:

**Nondestructive Testing Management Association (NDTMA)**  
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# Keynote Speaker



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## MAURICE "TERMITE" WATKINS

### AN OLYMPIC DREAM THAT INSPIRED THE WORLD

Watkins turned professional as a boxer on May 21, 1974, beating Cesar Cortez by knockout in round one at Houston. Through his career, Watkins fought some of the best fighters in the Lightweight and Jr. Welterweight divisions. He beat Marion Thomas by a knockout in round seven, Rocky Ramon by a decision in twelve, Arturo Leon by decision in ten, Bruce Strauss by knockout in three, Bobby Rodriguez by knockout in one, and others. His fight with former United States Lightweight champion Norman Goins resulted in a three-round no contest. He also lost to Olympic gold medalist Howard Davis Jr. and Alfredo Escalera. On October 2 of 1980, at the Caesars Palace hotel in Las Vegas, Nevada, he got his only world title shot, losing to Saoul Mamby by a fifteen-round decision for the WBC's world Jr. Welterweight title. He retired with 61 wins, 5 losses, 2 draws (tie), one no contest and 48 wins by knockout.

After retiring, Watkins went back to Texas to work as a fumigator. In 2003, the American military, needing personnel to work rebuilding Iraq's infrastructure, contracted him as a fumigator to work on Iraqi homes that had been decaying and infected with insects during Saddam Hussein's presidency.

In 2008, writer Suzy Pepper, a former neighbor of Maurice Watkins, released "Termite", a biographical book about Watkins. Also in 2008, a movie based on the book was announced.

After the IOC announced that Iraq would be allowed to compete in seven sports at the 2004 Olympics in Athens, including boxing, the United States military set about to find a new boxing coach for the Iraqi national boxing team. With research, they found out about Watkins' background and invited him to coach a team of young hopefuls in Baghdad. Realizing he needed to train the team in a setting different from Baghdad, he moved his team to a city close to Baghdad, but much quieter than the capital city. He trained nine Iraqi boxers who hoped to reach the Olympics, but only Najah Ali was able to qualify for the games.



***Maurice "Termite" Watkins inspired the world, and will inspire you as well, with his story of incredible perseverance overcoming daunting obstacles as he helped Iraq reach their Olympic dreams!***

[www.instagram.com/termitewatkins/](http://www.instagram.com/termitewatkins/)

Presented by



# Tuesday, February 18, 2025

- 8AM -4PM **CONFERENCE REGISTRATION**  
Location: Pebble Beach Foyer
- 8-9:30AM **GIAC MEETING**  
Invitation only  
Location: St. Andrew's
- 9:45AM **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING**  
Location: St. Andrew's
- 12:30PM - 4:40 PM **REGULATORY, CERTIFICATION, EDUCATION**  
Location: Pebble Beach I  
Co-Chairs: Paul Beer, Jeff Lattea
- 12:40 **PRESENTATIONS FROM CODE BODIES:**  
NRC (Hammond), API (Ferguson), ASTM (Muehlhauser), ASME (Peloquin)  
Changes - last year & upcoming
- 1:50PM Coffee Break  
*Sponsored by Dosimetry Services (A Mirion Company)*
- 2:05 **PRESENTATIONS FROM CERTIFICATION BODIES:**  
ASNT (May), CINDE (Tubrett), API (Orphanides), AMPP (Evans)  
Changes from last year & upcoming
- 3:20 **Coffee Break**  
*Sponsored by Dosimetry Services (A Mirion Company)*
- 3:30 **EDUCATION**  
Ed Cabral (CINDE), Don Booth (AINDT), Dylan Lennox (AATA)
- 4:40 **Changeover Break**

## 4:50PM **NDTMA ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING**

## 5:30PM **WELCOME RECEPTION – EXHIBITS OPEN**

Location: Bel Air | Foyer | Pine Valley  
Hosted by: **EVIDENT**



## 7:15PM **WOMEN IN NDT (WIN) PHOTO OP FOR NDT.NET**

Directly outside Bel Air in front of the NDTMA backdrop

## 7:30PM **NDTMA RECEPTION**

Location: Pebble Beach I-III  
Sponsored by: **FUJIFILM** North American Corporation Industrial Division



## 7:00 – 8:30PM **JOIN THE PHOTO FUN!**

Take a souvenir photo with your colleagues at our NDT photo booth.

Location: Pebble Beach Foyer  
Sponsored by: **COMET X-RAY**



# NDTMA Annual Business Meeting

**Tuesday, February 18, 2025**  
**4:50 – 5:15PM**  
**Pebble Beach II & III**

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| <b>1</b> | <b>CALL TO ORDER</b>                                 | Sandberg |
| <b>2</b> | <b>APPROVAL OF AGENDA<br/>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</b>    | Sandberg |
| <b>3</b> | <b>PRESIDENT'S REPORT</b>                            | Sandberg |
| <b>4</b> | <b>TREASURER'S UPDATE<br/>BUDGET VOTE</b>            | Wechsler |
| <b>5</b> | <b>ELECTION OF OFFICERS<br/>&amp; DIRECTORS VOTE</b> | Sandberg |
| <b>6</b> | <b>CONSTITUTION &amp; BYLAWS</b>                     | Sandberg |
| <b>7</b> | <b>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S<br/>REPORT</b>               | Miceli   |
| <b>8</b> | <b>IN MEMORIAM</b>                                   | Sandberg |
| <b>9</b> | <b>ADJOURN</b>                                       | Sandberg |

**NDTMA Member Company  
Attendance at this Meeting is  
Strongly Encouraged!**

## Exhibit Schedule

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2025

9AM – 4PM **MOVE IN**  
5:30 – 7:30PM **WELCOME RECEPTION**  
In the Exhibit Hall

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2025

12:30 – 2:00PM **LUNCHEON**  
In the Exhibit Hall

5:00 – 7:00PM **EXHIBITS OPEN**

9:00AM – 5:00PM **EXHIBITS AVAILABLE**  
For Private Demonstrations

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2025

9:00AM – 12:30PM **EXHIBITS AVAILABLE**  
For Private Demonstrations

12:30 – 1:15PM **LUNCHEON**  
In the Exhibit Hall

1:15PM **EXHIBIT HALL CLOSED**

# Wednesday, February 19, 2025

## 8:00AM CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

– Location: Pebble Beach Foyer

4:00PM

## 7:45AM BREAKFAST

– Hosted by: **VAREX NDT SOLUTIONS**

8:20AM Location: Pebble Beach



## 8:30AM KEYNOTE ADDRESS

– Speaker: **TERMITE WATKINS**

9:30AM Sponsored by: **VAREX NDT SOLUTIONS**

**Coffee Break**

## 9:40AM TECHNICAL SESSION I

– **DIGITAL RADIOGRAPHY FORUM**

12:30PM Co-Chairs: Jim Peeler, Mitch Alexander

Location: Pebble Beach

## 9:40 INSPECTION OF ELECTRONICS THROUGH 2D AND CT X-RAY

David Kruidhof, Comet Yxlon

## 10:15 DRIVING THE APPLICATIONS AND PERFORMANCE OF HIGH ENERGY DR & CT TO NEW LEVELS

Brett Meuhlhauser, North Star Imaging

## 10:50 COFFEE BREAK

## 11:00 PROFILE DIGITAL X-RAY

Joshua Houston, Superior Integrity

## 11:30 REAL-TIME RADIOGRAPHY (RTR) TO DETECT CORROSION UNDER INSULATION (CUI)

Thorsten Achterkirchen, TELEDYNE ICM

2:00 –

5PM

## NDT MANAGEMENT SESSION I

Co-Chairs: Mike Wechsler, Jeremy Howard

Location: Pebble Beach

## THE DYNAMIC RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

Noah Fredette, Varex NDT Solutions

## STRATEGIC ASSET INTEGRITY MANAGEMENT – INSPECT TO MONITOR TO PROCESS OPTIMIZATION

Steve Strachan, Eddyfi Technologies

## COFFEE BREAK (3:10 - 3:20PM)

## THE BUYER/SELLER DYNAMIC

Erik Meier, EAM Consulting Group

## TOMORROW ISN'T A PLAN: HOW SUCCESSION AND CONTINGENCY PLANNING CAN START TODAY

Brendan Walsh, Catalyst Solutions Group

## COFFEE BREAK (4:20 – 4:30PM)

## NONDESTRUCTIVE TESTING AND ETHICS “THE ULTRASONIC RESEARCH STORY”

Dale Norwood, Norwood Consulting

5PM

## EXHIBITS OPEN RECEPTION

Sponsored by: **TELEDYNE ICM**

Location: Bel Air | Foyer | Pine Valley



**TELEDYNE ICM**  
Everywhere you look™

9-11AM

## SPOUSES PROGRAM

Location: Registration Desk

Hosted by: **R-CON NDT Consultants**

Scheduled directly with spa

gnlvspa@goldennugget.com



12:30 – 2:00PM

## EXHIBITS OPEN LUNCHEON

Location: Bel Air | Foyer | Pine Valley

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7:15- 8PM

## MEMORIAL FOR JIM TREAT

Hosted by: NDTMA & We-NDT

Open forum to share memories and thoughts about this industry legend



**Continued >>>**



## Our Mission

NDTMA promotes continuous growth and leadership development through the open exchange of management, technical, and regulatory information critical to the nondestructive testing industry.

# Thursday, February 20, 2025

8:00AM **INTERDENOMINATIONAL PRAYER GATHERING**  
Location: Merion

8:15AM **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**  
Hosted by: **Sherwin Inc.**  
Location: Pebble Beach II & III



9:00AM – 12:00PM **TECHNICAL SESSION II**  
Co-Chairs: Allen Gress, Becca Hase  
Location: Pebble Beach II & III

**EDDY CURRENT INSPECTION OPTIMIZING THE FREQUENCY FOR NON-FERROUS & FERROUS MATERIALS**  
Toni Bailey, TB3 Consulting

**COFFEE BREAK (9:30 - 9:40AM )**  
Sponsored by GIA Insurance

**NDT OF CONCRETE STRUCTURES**  
Katelyn Gennuso, Screening Eagle | Proceq

**QUALITY AT EVERY LEVEL**  
Daisy Gaona, Element Materials Testing

**COFFEE BREAK (10:45 – 11AM )**  
Sponsored by GIA Insurance

**INTERMODAL TOTAL FOCUSING METHOD (TFMiTM) AND MULTI-TECHNIQUE ULTRASONIC SIZING ANALYSIS STUDY**  
Will Haworth, Sonatest

**ULTRASONIC THICKNESS GAGE EVOLUTION OVER THE LAST FOUR DECADES**  
Larry Gochnauer, Danatronics

1:15 - 1:45PM

**EXHIBITS BREAKDOWN**  
Bel Air | Foyer | Pine Valley  
**SPECIAL SESSION**  
**NDT WORKFORCE & COMPENSATION RESEARCH REPORTS (1:20-1:40pm)**  
Pebble Beach II & III  
Heather Cowles, ASNT Foundation

1:45 – 3:45PM

**MANAGEMENT SESSION II**  
Co-Chairs: Larry Gochnauer, John Spruiell  
Location: Pebble Beach II & III

**NDT ADVOCACY**  
Speakers: Eddie Pompa, Emilie Peloquin

**WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN APPLYING FOR COMMERCIAL CREDIT**  
Cory Alsip, Civista Leasing & Finance

**COFFEE BREAK (3 – 3:15PM)**

3:15 – 3:45PM

**INSURANCE ROUNDTABLE**  
Speakers: Mark Tedford (Tedford), Trey Davis (GAI), Joe Colaluca (Captive)

3:45- 4:00PM

**HAPPY HOUR BREAK**  
Pebble Beach I



4:00 – 5:00PM

**YOUNG PROFESSIONALS PRESENTATIONS & HAPPY HOUR**  
Sponsored by: **North Star Imaging**  
Co-Chairs: Cory Alsip, Billy Steele  
Location: Pebble Beach II & III

**BUSINESS IN NDT: THE GENERATIONAL PERSPECTIVE**  
Rebecca Hase, NSI

**BEYOND TRADITIONS**  
Muriel D. Magloire, FLOWSERVE

**LESS WORK, MORE MONEY!**  
Leonardo Artiga, Waygate Technologies

5:00PM

**CLOSING AWARDS RECEPTION**  
Sponsored by: **NDTMA**  
Location: Pebble Beach I  
Innovation Award, Advocacy Award, President's Presentation, Survey Giveaways – End at 6:30pm

12:00 – 1:15PM

**EXHIBITS OPEN LUNCHEON RECEPTION**

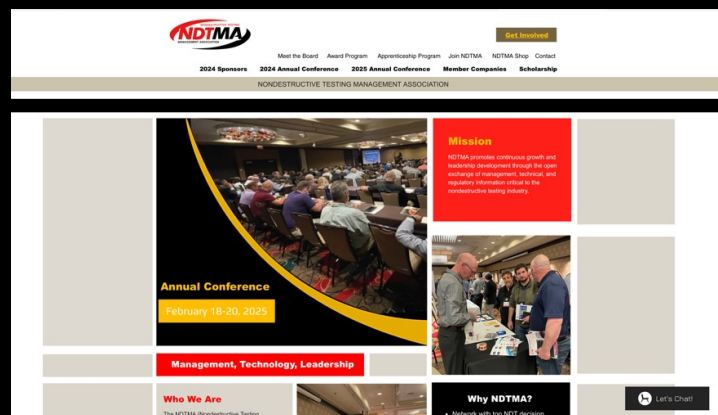


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Location: Bel Air | Foyer | Pine Valley



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# 2025 Awards



## INNOVATION IN NDT

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## VisiConsult Compass

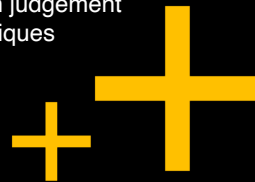
With the broad adoption of digital detectors and automation in the field of X-ray inspection, the bottleneck switched away from acquisition to evaluation. It is faster and cheaper than ever to generate high quality digital X-ray images. Nevertheless, the inspection process is only completed once the image is interpreted and evaluated by a skilled and experienced Level II technician. Due to the faster acquisition times, this process step has become a serious bottleneck for organizations, and it is increasingly challenging to find skilled personnel. VisiConsult X-ray Systems & Solutions GmbH has developed an Automated Defect Recognition (ADR) tool based on Artificial Intelligence (AI) called the "COMPASS – the X-ray AI Copilot".

Depending on the specification it can be used in an "Assistance" mode or "Automatic" mode. In the assistance mode, it augments the human inspector by providing support with localizing indications and automatically measuring them. The final call (accept/reject) is still with the inspector in this case. In industries that permit fully automatic interpretation, the Automatic mode detects and measures all indications and does a decision on its own. The AI algorithms itself can either be run locally on the evaluation computer, in a local on-premise server or in the cloud.

The impact of this innovation unlocks significant potential for operating companies all around the world as the cycle time for performing an evaluation is decrease, inspection quality goes up and operator stress is being reduced. It also helps to solve the problem of labor shortage, that is rampant in many parts of the western world. Especially, when it comes to tasks that includes hardships like working through nightshifts etc. It allows humans to refocus on what matters: Making the really tough calls, bringing in judgement when necessary, supervising the AI and writing the techniques that guide its decisions.

Results include:

- 25% quality improvement
- 60% increased throughput



The commercial impact can be measured in hard dollars through ROI calculations. Just implementing the Assistance stage, already drops cycle time by 60%. Implementing the second stage, which sorts out images that definitely do not include any indications to the inspector, bring savings up to 80% and significantly reduces the distraction for operators. With the third stage, fully automatic, savings approach 95% and only leave a supervision function to be covered by humans. When looking at the costs of skilled and experienced Level II's there is a huge economic potential.

The other impact is the increased quality and consistence of inspection decisions. As the impact and costs of just one missed critical defect can be immense, this factor cannot be underestimated. Just catching one of those, that would have slipped otherwise could save millions of dollars and even more important lives. That alone justifies the use of the technology to just enhance the quality of human decision making.



VisiConsult is engaged in extensive studies with early stage customers to further quantify the impact of implementing COMPASS.



## COMPASS



# 2025 Awards



## ADVOCACY COMPANY OF THE YEAR

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### ASNT

#### ADVOCATING FOR THE NDT INDUSTRY



In 2022, ASNT launched a forward-looking strategic plan, with one of its key pillars centered around advocacy and advancing the field of NDT. This initiative aims to position ASNT as a powerful advocate for NDT professionals and elevate the industry's visibility and importance on a broader scale. Among the core objectives of this advocacy focus are the creation of a public awareness campaign and the establishment of a brand representative program—each designed to drive engagement and inspire interest in NDT careers. In alignment with these goals, ASNT has spent the past few years developing the highly successful "Faces of NDT" initiative. We have 8 Faces of NDT. This program showcases diverse professionals within the NDT field, humanizing the industry and sparking enthusiasm for careers in NDT. By highlighting real-life stories and experiences, the campaign has effectively engaged the public, contributing to a stronger awareness and understanding of the critical role NDT plays in various industries. The "Faces of NDT" program exemplifies ASNT's commitment to advocacy by connecting with the next generation of talent and bringing excitement to a field that is essential but often underrepresented. Through continued efforts like these, ASNT is helping to shape a more vibrant, well-recognized NDT community, fostering growth, and positioning the industry for a promising future.

The impact of this program on the NDT community has been growing, both in terms of direct engagement and long-term visibility. Through active participation in over 10 STEM events, we have reached hundreds of students, parents, teachers, and school counselors. These interactions have introduced NDT to a wide range of individuals who may not have been previously familiar with the field. By showcasing the exciting opportunities available in NDT, we have sparked interest in future careers and increased overall awareness about the importance of the industry. These events serve as crucial touchpoints for inspiring the next generation of NDT professionals.

As a subject matter experts, the Faces of NDT have contributed to the public awareness campaign by producing articles in key publications, sharing in-depth knowledge and insights about NDT to a broader audience. Additionally, they have written for ASNT's blog, focusing on topics that promote both the technical and professional aspects of NDT. These written contributions, alongside participation in webinars and ASNT's podcast, have provided valuable educational content and engaged the NDT community in meaningful ways, offering a platform to discuss industry trends, challenges, and opportunities. Our social media influence has also played a pivotal role in reaching a global audience. Through LinkedIn, Instagram, and Facebook, we have built a strong presence for ASNT, contributing to a growing online community that actively shares, discusses, and promotes NDT-related content. Working closely with ASNT's marketing team, we have created engaging videos and other content with the Faces of NDT that resonate with a wide range of audiences, from seasoned professionals to newcomers. These efforts have broadened the visibility of NDT helping ASNT remain a key voice in the digital space. At ASNT's annual conference, the Faces of NDT support a variety of initiatives, including on-stage participation during general sessions and promoting new products (new this year at ASNT 2024.) By working collaboratively with other members, we continue to drive impactful programs that promote NDT's growth and success.

In all these areas, the overarching goal is to elevate the NDT community, create sustained public interest, and ensure the industry's continued development. This program has begun to create a ripple effect within the NDT community, helping to raise awareness, attract new talent, and solidify ASNT's role as a leading advocate for the industry.





# NDTMA 2025 Board Officer Candidates



## PRESIDENT

### Allen Gress, COMET

Allen Gress is the Technical Sales Manager for Comet X-ray. He is also a ASNT Level III in RT, VT, MT, and PT as well as a Certified Weld Inspector (CWI). Allen has over 35 years' experience in Nondestructive Testing, Quality Management, Quality Engineering and Operational Management. Allen worked at NASA as a contractor for 18 years providing NDE inspections onsite at Johnson Space Center. Allen worked for Howden North American as a Quality Engineer/Corporate Level III providing vendor surveillance and NDE training corporate wide. Allen also worked for Element Materials Technology for 12 years as the Operations Manager/Responsible Level III where he managed the NDE lab and the Materials Testing Lab for the Oil & Gas and Aerospace industries. Allen has his Business Management Degree from The University of Phoenix. He loves to teach NDE classes to educate the next generation and use his experience to help mentor NDE technicians. Allen is married to Paige Gress, the father of four boys and the grandfather to one grandson and one granddaughter, they are the light of his life.



## VICE PRESIDENT

### Mike Wechsler, MISTRAS

Mike Wechsler is the Technical Director/Subject Matter Expert for Mistras Group and has over 36 years of experience in Advanced NDE techniques, including research and development, operations, training, management, and consulting. His experience and direct involvement with Failure Analysis, Risk Based Inspection, Damage Mechanism, Critical Flaw Sizes, Mechanical Integrity along with Inspection efforts gave him a more thorough understanding of the issues and how to come up with solutions for customers. Mike has a detailed understanding of all NDE methods, and holds ASNT Level III certifications, as well as many other industry qualifications including API, EPRI, Chevron, Shell, and many others. His primary love focuses around Ultrasonics; however, he is perfectly comfortable dealing with any of the other complimentary NDE techniques. Industries served included Nuclear, NASA, Petrochemical/Refinery, Fossil, and Research. Robotic platforms in both automated ultrasonic weld inspection as well as corrosion mapping is something he has been doing for years. Inspection Technique development and specialized efforts have gone into Touchpoint Corrosion, Deadleg inspections, HTHA, and many others. Mike holds a technical degree from Ridgewater College, specifically related to the field of Nondestructive Testing.



## SECRETARY / TREASURER

### Jeff Lattea, SUPERIOR INTEGRITY SERVICES

Jeff Lattea is the Corporate Level III and General Manager of Advanced NDT for Superior Integrity Services. Jeff has been in the NDT industry since 2012 servicing primarily the Oil & Gas / Petrochemical markets. He has ASNT Level IIIs in UT, MT, and PT, ASNT ISQs UTT, UTSW, and PAUT, as well as CSWIP GWT Level II & GUL Level I. He serves as the Corporate Level III & Advanced Services Manager for Superior Integrity Services. He is an outspoken NDT advocate with a passion for the industry. In some of his free time, he enjoys making NDT parodies with his good buddy Paul Holloway.



# NDTMA 2025 Nominated Board Members



## DIRECTOR CANDIDATES

### Leon Bunch

#### TEST EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTORS (TED)

Leon Bunch currently serves as President of Test Equipment Distributors (TED) and has also been the CEO of TED's parent company, Integrity Aerospace Group, Inc. since 2015. In Leon's prior position he served as Executive Vice President of MCM Management Corporation, a company who specialized in demolition, environmental remediation, and repurposing of industrial property sites. Leon's previous experience includes 14 years as a consultant (finance and operations) to a multitude of industries at Conway Mackenzie, Inc. and Barefoot, Cramer & Associates, both of Birmingham, Michigan. Prior to that, Leon held positions of President, Executive Vice President/General manager, and Chief Financial Officer for several mid-size automobile suppliers. Leon received his MBA from Eastern Michigan University. He is a past member of the Board of Directors for Food Gatherers of Ann Arbor, Michigan and served on the board of directors for two privately held corporations. Leon is also a past board member of the EMU College of Business Development Board, Emerson School, and Nonprofit Enterprise at Work.



### Erica Schumacher

#### EXTENDE

Erica Schumacher has a BSME and an MSIE from Rutgers University plus over 25 years of NDT experience in both commercial and military environments. She was previously qualified as a NAVSEA 250-1500-1 and MIL-STD-2132 test examiner in PT, MT, UT and RT. Currently she is Vice President of Extende Inc, distributor of CIVA NDE simulation software and TrainDE NDE Simulators, where she supports customers throughout the US and Canada. She is a member of the ASNT Research Council, member of the CINDE Board of Directors, and one of the authors of the ASME PTB-15-2023 Full Matrix Capture Training Manual.



### Flynn Spears

#### ALBAN NDE

Flynn Spears has been in NDT since 1975 starting in the NDI field of the USAF. Following his time in the Air Force, Flynn spent 4 years with Boeing, 20 years with Zetec, 5 years with GE Inspection Technologies, amongst others in his 50 years in the industry. During his time as a local ASNT PNW Section member and officer, Flynn has been directly involved in the promotion and activities on many levels of ASNT both local and national. As a past member of the ASNT BOD (two terms) and committee membership on Aerospace, Exhibitors, Governance, Laser Methods, and Military Outreach, ASNT 2003 Fellow Mr. Spears has interfaced with many of our industry market segment NDT practitioners in management and in the field as an inspection technician and NDT equipment sales role.



# NDTMA 2025 Soon to be Appointed



## GOVERNMENT & INDUSTRY AFFAIRS CHAIR

### Steve Strachan

#### EDDYFI TECHNOLOGIES

Steve is the VP of sales for Eddyfi Technologies. Eddyfi is a technology leader which manufactures NDT equipment for inspection and asset integrity monitoring across a multitude of global industrial sectors. Steve is a graduate from Pennsylvania State University who has since spent over 15 years in the industrial NDT & inspection sector. Prior to Eddyfi, Steve worked for Air Products & Chemicals in their industrial gas and equipment division and GE's Commercial Leadership Program (CLP). After graduating from the CLP, Steve worked as a Regional Sales Manager and Product Manager for Ultrasound, Digital Radiography and Handheld XRF (PMI) for GE Inspection Technologies. Steve joined Sensor Networks, a start-up NDT company focused on IIoT and remote monitoring technologies until being acquired by Eddyfi in 2023.



## TREASURER (pending C&BL change approval)

### Cory Alsip

#### CIVISTA LEASING & FINANCE

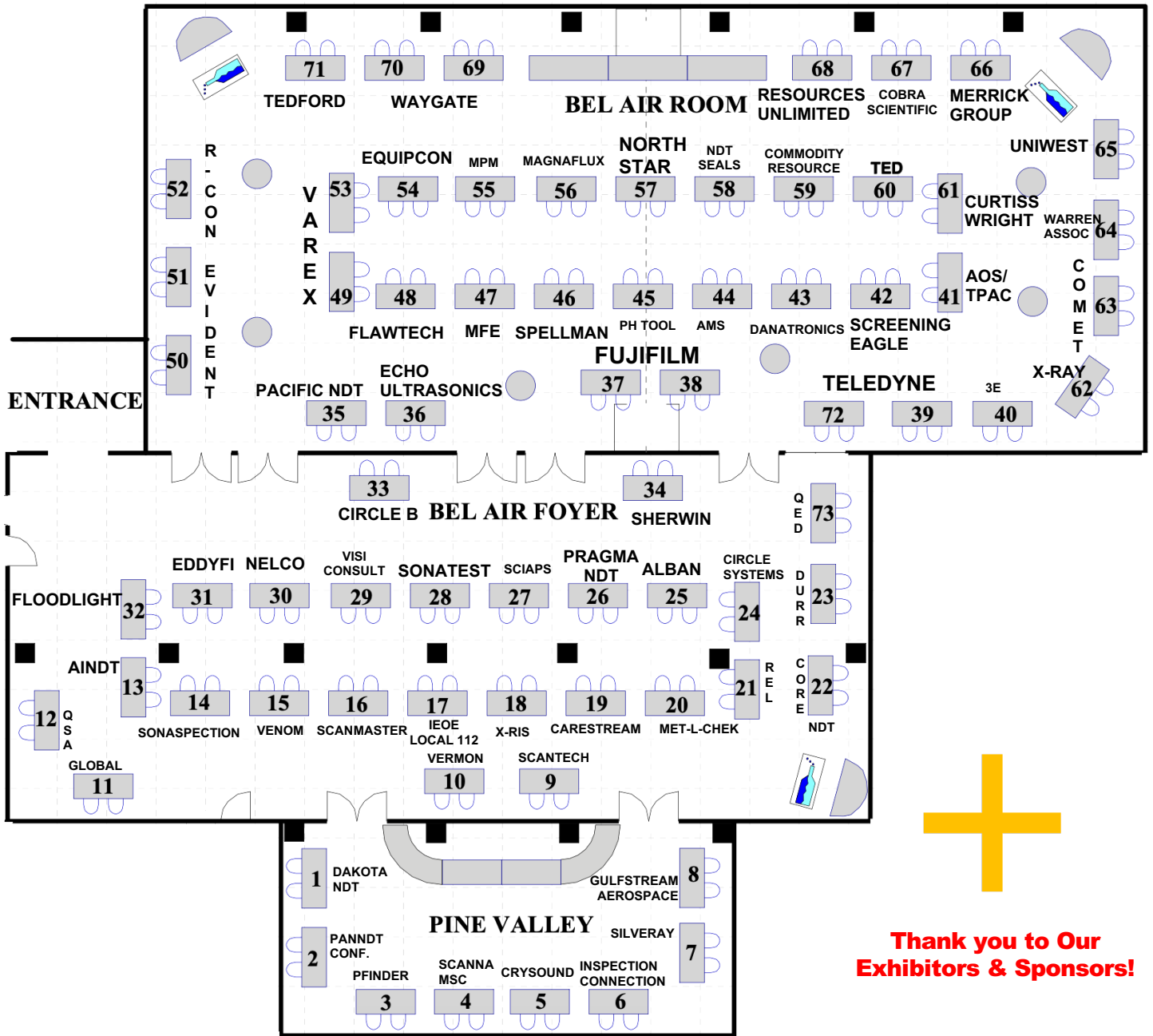
Cory Alsip is Vice President of Sales at CIVISTA Leasing & Finance. As Vice President, Cory is responsible for building relationships with new and existing clients and financing equipment acquisitions that help their businesses sustain, thrive, and grow. He also performs equipment valuations, mitigates residual risk for VFG, and manages end-of-lease negotiations. Prior to joining VFG, Cory worked in a variety of positions in the banking industry including commercial and business banking. He has a Degree in Economics from the University of Southern Indiana. Civista via VFG has been financing Non-Destructive Testing equipment for more than 20 years. Cory is an active member of both ASNT & NDTMA. He has made virtual and in-person presentations for members of both organizations who are interested in learning more about all aspects of finance. Cory specializes in financing NDT equipment. In his spare time, Cory enjoys spending time with his wife and daughter. His friends enjoy watching him play bad golf.



## NDTMA Fred Rohde Honorary Members

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- + George Moran + Terry Plasek + Rod Reinholdt + Kirk Thams + Jim Treat

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