

The Source

A weekly newsletter for members of the
Electronic Components Industry Association.



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Upcoming Events

EDS

May 15-18, 2018

Las Vegas, NV

Spring Standards Engineering Summit

May 30-31, 2018

Savannah, GA

Regional Series: Boston

June 7, 2018

Boston, MA

World Passive Component Trade Statistics Meeting

June 13-14, 2018

Atlanta, GA

CE-2 Meeting

June 13-14, 2018

New Orleans, LA

Regional Series: Dallas/Ft. Worth

August 7, 2018

Irving, TX

Regional Series: Minneapolis

October 2, 2018

Minneapolis, MN

Executive Conference

October 21-23, 2018

Chicago, IL

Regional Series: Guadalajara

November 6, 2018

Guadalajara, MX

Weekly Economic Trends

National Association of Manufacturers

Chief economist Chad Moutray provides weekly analysis of key U.S. government economic data and manufacturing

In Memorium

Milena Krasich, Raytheon Intergrated Defense Systems

The EIA Standards Council (ESC) is saddened to report the passing of Milena Krasich, Chair of the ECIA D-1 (Dependability) Committee and Technical Advisor to the US TAG for IEC TC 56.

Milena was Senior Principal Systems Engineer for Raytheon Integrated Defense Systems and authored numerous publications as well as participated in US and international standards in her career that spanned a half century. She will be remembered for her vast knowledge in the field of Dependability and for her tremendous energy and enthusiasm. She will be deeply missed by the standards community.

New Standards Project - Explore the Opportunities



Participation in ECIA standards programs is open to all individuals who are directly and materially affected by matters addressed by the work. The EIA Standards Council (ESC) is presently specifically seeking additional participation by the User category. This typically includes, but is not limited to, OEMs, ODMs, Contract Manufacturers, and Electronics Distributors.

The following new projects have been opened by the committees of the ESC:

- PN-5420: Standardization Handbook of RF Transmission Lines and Fittings
- PN-5419: Revision of EIA-364-20F Dielectric Withstanding Voltage Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors, Sockets and Coaxial Contacts
- PN-5418: EIA-364-119 Removal Tool Rotation Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors
- PN-5417: Revision or Reaffirmation of EIA-364-01B, EIA-364-07C, EIA-364-18B, EIA-364-22B, EIA-364-29C, EIA-364-36B (Connector Test Procedures)
- PN-5416: Revision of EIA-364-10G Fluid Immersion Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors

For more information on these projects or the EIA Standards Program, please contact Edward F. Mikoski Jr, MBA, CStd, FSES, Vice President of Standards and Technology at: emikoski@ecianow.org or (571) 323-0253.

industry trends in the [Monday Economic Report](#).

This information is made available through ECIA's membership in NAM.

Key Links

www.ecianow.org

www.eciaauthorized.com



Hosts Needed at EDS

Volunteer to Introduce a College Student Ambassador to the Industry



For over 30 years, ECIA members have introduced college students to the industry via Project Host. There's no better way for a student to understand what the electronic components industry is all about than by attending an industry event and meeting company executives face-to-face. Volunteer executive "hosts" are matched with Student Ambassadors to attend these important business meetings. Select from three sessions to host: Wednesday morning/afternoon or Thursday morning. [Click here](#) to register or email Debbie Conyers.

Are You Involved in FIRST Robotics?

Send Us Your Videos



Make FIRST loud - share your video links with ECIA!

ECIA is developing a video for the Executive Conference that will show the many ways our member companies support these important programs. The clips do not need to be professionally shot - just show the interaction of you or your team with FIRST students. From volunteers to coaches to sponsors, show off your spirit!

Contact Debbie Conyers for more details.

Did You Know?

Design Registration Form & Best Practices Document Available

A committee of Component Manufacturers, Distributors, and Manufacturers Reps recently updated the ECIA Design Registration Form. It addresses the authorized electronic components industry's need for a standardized methodology for design registration requests and approval. The form and a Best Practices document are available at the ECIANow.org website.

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