

Manufacturing Print and Internet Resources

PRINT RESOURCES

Periodicals covering news, trends, and issues in the manufacturing industry. Some offer free online content.

Advanced Manufacturing
209-3228 South Service Rd.
Burlington, Ontario
Canada L7N 3H8
(905) 634-2100

www.advancedmanufacturing.com
A publication covering advanced manufacturing technologies and new organizational practices.

Appliance
1110 Jorie Blvd., CS 9019
Oak Brook, IL 60522
(630) 990-3484
www.appliancemagazine.com
A monthly magazine covering technology, industry trends, news, and new products in the worldwide appliance industry.

Electronic Business
1101 S. Winchester Blvd., Bldg. N
San Jose, CA 95128
(408) 243-8838
www.eb-mag.com
A monthly magazine covering management issues in the electronics industry.

Electronic News
1101 S. Winchester Blvd., Bldg. N
San Jose, CA 95128
(408) 243-8838
www.electronicnews.com
A weekly magazine providing news coverage of the semiconductor and computer hardware and software industries.

Infrastructure
P.O. Box 167369
Irving, TX 75016
(972) 492-7208
www.infras.com

A monthly newsletter covering the semiconductor, semiconductor equipment, and flat panel display industries.

Furniture/Today
7025 Albert Pick Rd.
Greensboro, NC 27409
(336) 605-0121
www.furnituretoday.com
A weekly magazine covering furniture industry conferences, manufacturing, retail company strategies and results, and product trends.

INTERNET RESOURCES

Industry Web Sites

Business, professional, and educational organizations offering news, analysis, and career information on the manufacturing industry.

American Chemical Society
www.acs.org
A professional association providing resources for professional chemists, educators, students, and chemistry enthusiasts.

American Electronics Association
www.aeanet.org
A trade organization representing companies in the high-tech sector.

American Institute of Chemical Engineers
www.aiche.org
A professional association dedicated to advancing the chemical engineering profession.



American Iron and Steel Institute

www.steel.org

A trade organization created to promote steel as the material of choice and to enhance the competitiveness of the North American steel industry.

American Machine Tool Distributors' Association

www.amtda.org

A trade association for U.S. machine tool distributors.

American Textile Manufacturing Institute

www.atmi.org

A trade organization representing manufacturers of textiles.

American Welding Society

www.aws.org

An association created to advance the science, technology, and application of welding and related disciplines.

Building Linkages Among Academic and Skill Standards for Manufacturing Occupations

www.mfglinks.org

Information about the manufacturing career cluster, with a history of how the cluster was developed.

Electronic Industries Alliance

www.eia.org

A trade association of electronics companies whose products range from the smallest electronic components to the most complex systems used by defense, space, and industry.

Equipment Manufacturers Institute

www.emi.org

An international organization for companies that manufacture equipment used in the construction, agricultural, industrial, mining, forestry, materials-handling, and utility industries.

The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc.

www.ieee.org

A professional association for electrical and electronics engineers in areas such as computer engineering, aerospace, and consumer electronics.

Institute of Textile Technology

www.itt.edu

A private educational and research institution created by companies in the textile industry.

Manufacturing is Cool

www.manufacturingiscool.com

A site created by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers designed to promote engineering and manufacturing and provide information on the interesting and challenging careers in these fields.

Manufacturing.net

www.manufacturing.net

An online portal providing information, news, and resources about the manufacturing industry.

Manufacturing Skill Standards Council (MSSC)

www.msscusa.org

An NSSB-organized industry partnership charged with establishing skill standards for the manufacturing industry.

National Certification in Plastics

www.certifyme.org

A national voluntary certification examination that tests plastics operations employees' skills and knowledge.

National Tooling and Machining Association

www.ntma.org

The representative of the precision custom manufacturing industry in the United States.



Precision Machine Products Association

www.pmpa.org

A trade organization representing companies that manufacture precision machine products.

Precision Manufacturing Association Educational Foundation

www.pmaef.org

A Web site providing information for parents and students about careers and education in metal forming.

Society of Automotive Engineers

www.sae.org

A trade organization with extensive links to automobile manufacturing sites.

Society of Manufacturing Engineers

www.sme.org

A professional society that promotes increased awareness of manufacturing engineering and keeps manufacturing professionals up to date on trends and technologies.

Society of the Plastics Industry

www.socplas.org

The trade association representing the fourth-largest manufacturing industry in the United States.

Steel Manufacturers Association

www.steelnet.org

The primary trade association for electric arc furnace (EAF) steel makers.

Government Web Sites

Government agencies and departments that oversee aspects of the manufacturing industry and offer information for the public.

Consumer Product Safety Commission

www.cpsc.gov

An independent federal agency responsible for protecting the public against unreasonable risks and injuries associated with consumer products by setting safety standards and initiating the recall of unsafe products.

Food and Drug Administration

www.fda.gov

The division of the Department of Health and Human Services responsible for supervising the food processing and drug manufacturing industries.

Manufacturing Engineering Laboratory

www.mel.nist.gov

A division of the Department of Commerce that conducts research on advanced manufacturing technology.

Union Web Sites

Labor unions representing workers in the manufacturing industry.

Glass, Molders, Pottery, Plastics & Allied Workers International Union

www.gmpiu.org

A union representing workers in a broad range of manufacturing industries including fine china, glass and plastic containers, and insulation.

International Association of Bridge, Structural, Ornamental, and Reinforcing Iron Workers

www.ironworkers.org

A union representing ironworkers around the country.

International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers

www.iamaw.org

A union representing a diverse array of workers in the aerospace industry.

International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers

www.boilermakers.org

A diverse union representing over 100,000 workers throughout the United States and Canada in construction, repair, maintenance, manufacturing, and related industries; commonly referred to as the Boilermakers Union.



International Brotherhood of Teamsters

www.teamster.org

A union representing workers in a variety of industrial trades.

International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America

www.uaw.org

One of the largest and most diverse unions in North America, with approximately 750,000 active members.

Sheet Metal Workers' International Association

www.smwia.org

A union representing craftspersons in the unionized sheet metal industry throughout the United States and Canada.

United Steelworkers of America

www.uswa.org

A union representing workers in all aspects of the steel manufacturing industry.

Career Web Sites

Internet-based employment sites offering career information and job postings for the manufacturing industry.

Hot Jobs, Manufacturing/Operations

www.hotjobs.com/htdocs/channels/manufacturing

A source for manufacturing jobs in a variety of industries.

ManufacturingJobs.net

www.manufacturing-jobs.net

A source of jobs, career advancement opportunities, and employment information for the manufacturing industry.

Nation Job Network Engineering and Manufacturing Jobs Page

www.nationjob.com/engineering

An online source for a variety of jobs in engineering and manufacturing.

