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The Challenge of Finding and Keeping High Performance Employees

By Kathy Price-Robinson. Freelance writer for construction and building trade

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The Purpose and Promise of APA's New Full-Scale, Three Dimensional Test Program

By: Jack Merry, APA

Legislative Outlook

Challenges and Opportunities in the New Congress

By: Juanita Dugan, President & CEO American Forest & Paper Association

Ahead of the Pack

What Forest Industry Managers Think About Achieving and Measuring Innovation

By: Eric Hansen-OSU, Chris Knowles - OSU, Heikki Juslin Univ of Helsinki

Staying in Control

Improving Flake Bending and Mat Forming in Older OSB Mills

By: Sergei Kuznetsov -The Automation Group

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Banking on Nonres

The Wood Products Industry Takes Aim at the Nonresidential Construction Market

By: Emily Westman, APA

California Dreamin'

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By: Jack Merry

Workforce Strategies

Employee Recruitment, Retention and Succession Planning

By: Jack Merry

Sales Savvy

Tips on Forest Products Industry Sales Methods and Techniques

By: Bob Smith, Virginia Tech

Biofuel Future

Why the Industry's Next Big Transition May Center on Biofuels

By: Dick Carmichael -Price BIOstock Services, Scott Miller, consultant

Process Improvement

Light Transmission Method of Green Veneer Moisture Sorting

By: Brian Martin & Mike Crondahl, Westmill Industries

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Beetle Battle

Impact of the Mountain Pine Beetle Infestation in British Columbia and Alberta

*By: Steve Dunkelberger, Tacoma, WA
freelance writer*

Defining Green

Lack of Meaningful Criteria Diminishes the Value of Many Green Building Programs

By: Jim Bowyer - Univ of Minnesota

Workforce Woes

Older Boomers Could Be Partial Answer to Impending Labor Shortage

By: Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania

Conformity Assessment

The Need for International Standards in Today's Global Marketplace

By: Tom Williamson, APA

Power Studies

Elements and Benefits of Periodic Plant Power System Reviews

By: Stephen Blackwelder, Hunt Guillott and Associates

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Venue Vegas

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Raising Awareness

Gulf Coast Raised Wood Floor Program in Full Swing

By: Georgiann Gullet – SFPA & Kevin Hayes, APA

Woodworks at Work

Nonresidential Construction Market Initiative Begins to Gain Converts

By: Not listed

Reducing Variation

The Role of Statistical Process Control in Advancing Product Quality

By: Tim Young, Center for Renewable Carbon, Univ. of Tennessee

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From Movement to Mandate

The Growth of Green Building Legislation

By: Mark Rosolo, Green Building Initiative

The THz Solution

The Prospects for Terahertz Imaging Technology

By: Dennis Callaghan, Deltec Mfg.; Matt Reid - U of Northern British Columbia

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Non-Construction Market Applications Help

Soften the Effects of the Housing Slump

By: Jack Merry, APA

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Congratulations!

2008 APA Safety and Health Award Winners

By: Jack Merry, APA

Building For Better Times

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Clearing the Air

The Use of Bio-Oxidation for Industrial Air Emissions Control

By: Jim Boswell - Bio Reaction Industries

Resource Supply

The Effect of the Wood-to-Electricity Industry on Wood Fiber Markets

By: Pete Stewart, Forest2Market

Best Behavior

Corporate Social Responsibility and the Forest Products Industry

By: Eric Hansen, OSU; Xiaou Han, OSU; Rajat Panwar, Northland College

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EWTA Member Business Outlook Survey Results

By: Jack Merry

Quality + Innovation

Adapting Quality Management Practices to Achieve Innovation Performance

*By: Scott Leavengood, Oregon State Univ.;
& Timothy Anderson, Portland State Univ.*

Damage Control

The 10 Steps of Crisis Communication

By: Jonathan Bernstein, Berstein Crisis Management

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Cross Laminated Timber

Conceived in Europe, CLT is Quickly Gaining Interest in North America

By: Rick Massey, Raute

Meeting Gras

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Green Claims

The Rise and Significance of Environmental Product Declarations

By: Reprinted from Dovetail Partners, a nonprofit that provides information on environmental land use decisions

Joint Venture

Seattle Event Combines Wood Composites and Veneer Processing Symposia

By: Jack Merry

Technology Transfer

A Look at the R&D Priorities of the Wood-Based Composites Center

By: Linda Caudill, WBC

Fluid Test

Fluid Analysis and Hot Oil System Review for Press Platen Systems

By: Jim Oetinger and Jed Seybold, Paratherm Corp.

Best in Class

Ten APA Member Companies Earn 2010 Safety Awards

By: Jack Merry, EWTA

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State of Affairs

An Interview with APA President Dennis Hardman on the State of the Industry and Association

By: Dennis Hardman and EWTA Staff

Looking Ahead

EWTA Business Outlook Survey Suggests Little Has Changed in Expectations

By: Jack Merry and Sheila Cain, EWTA

Variation Reduction

Avoiding the Process Improvement Paradox

By: Tim Young, Center for Renewable Carbon, Univ. of Tennessee

Saving Energy

Maximizing Veneer Dryer Efficiency with Today's Top Performers

By: Alan Knokey, USNR

Employee Rewards

Do Employers Who Rein in Compensations Too Much Pay a Price Later?

By: Reprinted from Knowledge@Wharton

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An Interview with APA Market Research Director, Craig Adair

By: Craig Adair, APA & EWTA Staff

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By: Jack Merry and Sheila Cain

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EWTA Supplier and Innovation of the Year Award Winners

By: Jack Merry and Sheila Cain

U.S. Woodworks

Growing the Market for Wood in Nonresidential and Multifamily Construction

By: Adrian Blocker, US WoodWorks

Back into Service

Tips on Restarting an Idled Facility

By: Jason McIntosh, Hunt Guillot

Salute to Safety

Congratulations to the APA Safety Competition Award Winners

By: Jack Merry and Sheila Cain, EWTA

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Wood Products Society Sets New Course

By: Sheila Cain

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On the Road to Recovery

EWTA Business Outlook Survey Points to Industry Optimism

By: Sheila Cain

“We’re a Tough Bunch of Survivors”

APA’s Resiliency Carrying Association Through Downturn, Says APA Chairman

By: Sheila Cain

Structural Panel Markets Strengthening

Housing Market Rebound Brings Welcome News

By: Greg Lewis, Forest Economic Advisors

Formaldehyde: Just the Facts

The Basics Behind this Building Block Chemical

By: Mark Gruenwald, Momentive Specialty Chemicals

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Celebrating 20 Years of the Supplier Showcase

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APA President Wraps Up Eight Years at Helm

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Supplier, Innovation Awards Honor Outstanding EWTA Member Companies

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By: C Squared Advertising

Greener Academics

The Evolution of Wood Science Programs at Universities in the U.S.

By: Barry Goodell, Virginia Tech

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Managing Combustible Dust in the Workplace

By: Brad Carr, IES/SonicAire

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APA Names Winners in 2012 Safety Competition

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New APA President Offers Engineered Wood Outlook for 2014

By: ED Elias, APA & Sheila Cain, EWTA

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The Slowly Recovering Engineered Wood Products Industry

By: Craig Adair, APA

Cautious Optimism

Business Outlook Survey Suggests Continued Confidence

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Workers Wanted

As Housing Heats Up, Demand for Skilled Workers Increases

By: Nad Elias, HT Staffing

Two for One

Conferences Team Up to Offer Expanded Program

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Cross-Laminated Timber Use Increasing in Mid-Rise Structures

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Supplier Awards 2014

Supplier and Innovation Award Entrant Highlights

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MDI Safety

Best Practices for Composite Wood Manufacturers

By: Michael Adams, John Bebak, Huntsman Polyurethanes

Designed Experiments

Is Industry Ready for DOE Methodology

By: Tim Young, Univ. of Tennessee

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APA Research Center Has Long History of Market-Driven Research and Member Services Delivery

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Q&A with APA President Ed Elias

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Tumultuous Market May be Giving Way to Stabilized Rates

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Twice and Nice

Associations Partner to Present Upcoming Conference

By: Sheila Cain

Implementing a Safety Culture

Does Your Safety Strategy Contribute to or Constrict Business Strategy

By: Shawn Galloway, ProAct Safety

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Association Stronger Than Ever Through Name Changes, Transition

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Celebrating Member Accomplishments

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Heating Up

Thermal Modification Tested on Engineered Wood Products

By: Matt Aro, research fellow at UMD NRRI

Chemical Reaction

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By: Kim Stier, Site Hawk

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APA Announces 2014 Safety Award Winners

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Higher Wood

Universities Find Ways to Attract Students to Wood Products Programs

By: Sheila Cain

Wood Watchers

OSU Programs Accelerate Forest Education and Research of Advanced Wood Products

By: Geoffrey Huntington and Lech Muszynski, Oregon State Univ.

Multifamily's Moment

Shift Towards More Multifamily Housing Construction Signals Opportunity for Wood Industry

By: Joe Elling, APA

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APA's Hygrothermal Research Program Tests Insulating Materials

By: Kelvin Liu, APA

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VOCs from Wood Products

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By: Steve Zylkowski, APA

Affordable Housing: Navigating the Headwinds and Uncertainties

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Advanced Analytics

Using Big Data to Improve Your Company's Competitiveness

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