



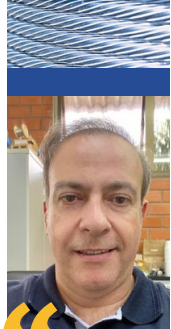
MEMBERSHIP



INFORMATION



**THE WIRE ASSOCIATION  
INTERNATIONAL, INC.**



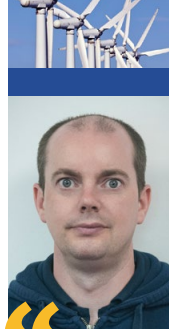
“WAI is part of my trajectory and knowledge in the wire and cable industry.”

Leandro Mazzoccoato  
Brazil



“Meeting people through WAI is the key to taking you somewhere exciting in your life and career.”

Lori Parent  
USA



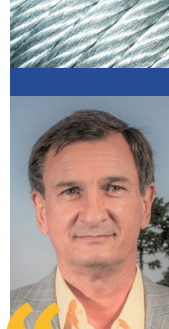
“We like to connect with new and existing WAI members to build customer relationships.”

Ashley Gent  
UK



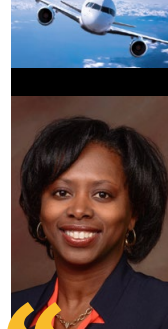
“I can help people solve technical problems and improve their careers.”

Dr. Horace Pops  
USA



“Joining WAI is an important step to expand and grow business outside Europe.”

Axel Bertholds PhD  
Switzerland



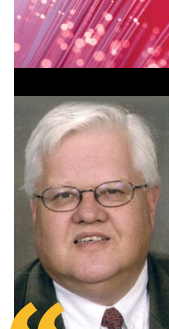
“WAI is a place to find industry news and updates and provide technical resources.”

Shirley Boulware  
USA



“I’m part of the WAI because the wire industry is like a big family.”

Ulrich Friedrich  
Germany



“If you’re serious about a career in wire and cable, all signs point to WAI membership.”

Erik A. Macs  
USA

## DISCOVER WAI.

Some things you know as well as your name. Other times it takes a little searching to find—or learn—what you need, especially if you are new to the wire and cable industry or plan to keep pace with its innovative advances.

Start with the Wire Association International (WAI).

As a WAI member it’s easy to stay informed. Likewise, you won’t have to dig too deeply to uncover the industry’s rich history and accepted certainties.

When you consider that wire making can be traced on one timeline from the golden threads in ancient Egyptian jewelry—through telephony, countless creature comforts, and modern infrastructure—toward yet unimagined applications, you can appreciate your vital role in the wire manufacturing continuum.

WAI members represent a living history of the industry. Whatever your direction, if you earn a living with wire, cable, supplies, or equipment you’ve earned a place in WAI’s global network.

**MEET YOUR PEERS. ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS. JOIN WAI TODAY.**

**WAI members rank NETWORKING as the #1 reason to join.**

### W A I O R I E N T A T I O N

#### — MISSION —

WAI was founded in 1930 to serve the technical, manufacturing, and general business segments of the global wire and cable industry.

#### — STRUCTURE —

WAI is governed by volunteers who guide the direction of the organization, its events, and services.

#### — COMMUNITY —

WAI members are represented in more than 50 countries; it has 9 chapters.

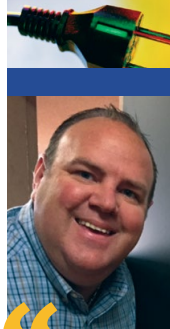
#### — SCOPE —

WAI serves the ferrous, nonferrous, electrical, fiber optic, and fastener segments of the wire and cable industry.

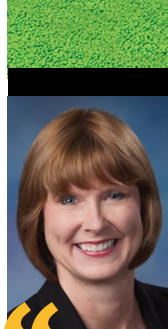
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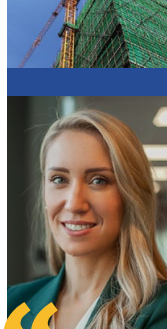




“I believe that the information WAI provides is essential to our company's continued growth.”  
Matthew Duncan  
USA



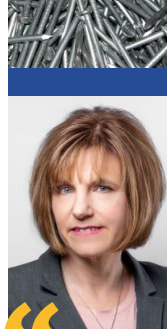
“I want to be involved in the organizations that work within my industry. WAI helps me do that.”  
Pati Kelly  
USA



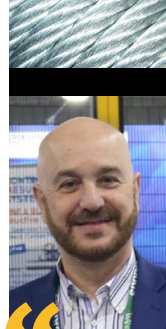
“WAI provides a forum at its trade shows for a vibrant community of professionals.”  
Olga Berlinberg  
Estonia/Finland



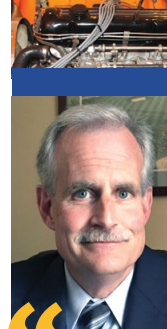
“WAI shares knowledge from end-users and suppliers all around the world.”  
Aleksandar Radojevic  
Serbia



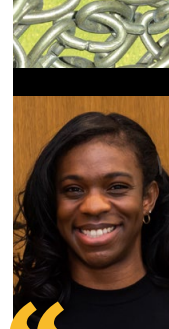
“I joined for the excellent networking opportunities and I stay for the lifelong friendships.”  
Amy Porras  
USA



“WAI provides an exceptional platform for networking, knowledge exchange and collaborative efforts.”  
H. Levent Selvili  
Turkey/USA



“I've always enjoyed the tightknit community within the WAI.”  
Dave Rascati  
USA



“A WAI membership has contributed to my continued education of the wire and cable industry trends, innovations, and technologies.”  
Erika Akins  
USA

## BENEFITS.

Networking. Education. Leadership. Mentorship. News. Resources. Savings.

### NETWORKING AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES.

- ✦ Reconnect with colleagues and meet new peers
- ✦ Join a WAI committee to help guide association activities
- ✦ Join a regional chapter to organize local activities
- ✦ Find global wire and cable manufacturers and suppliers through the online directory database
- ✦ Become a mentor and give back to your industry

### PUBLICATIONS.

- ✦ The annual *Wire Journal International Reference Guide*
- ✦ The industry's leading monthly *Wire Journal International* magazine
- ✦ *HardWIRED* educational videos

### WEBINARS AND RESOURCES.

- ✦ Attend an unlimited number of live online presentations free
- ✦ Access the full archive of previously recorded webinars
- ✦ Access 5,500 abstracts and free technical papers

### DISCOUNTS.

- ✦ Registration fees for conferences, courses, tours, and other events are reduced for WAI members
- ✦ WAI Store products—including books, videos, and technical resources—are also discounted for WAI members

### DUES.

WAI offers individual and group memberships.

1-Year \$150 | 2-Year \$260 | 3-Year \$390

Premium Group Membership: \$650/Year | Regional Chapter Membership: Add-on \$20/year

Ready to get started? Refer to sign up information on the back page.

*Discounts apply to corporations that sign up 5 or more members from one organization.*

Contact: [membership@wirenet.org](mailto:membership@wirenet.org)

## FIND YOUR WAY WITH WAI.



#### — ALLIANCES —

WAI enjoys educational alliances with allied organizations; its events are supported by corporate sponsors and industry partners.

#### — PROXIMITY —

WAI's member network is accessible at international, national, and local chapter events and anytime online.

#### — STRATEGIC COMBINATION —

WAI is all encompassing. Its services include: networking functions, publications, educational activities, trade events, and exhibits.

