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### **Industry Leaders Meet on Next Wave Advanced Manufacturing & Delivery**

**October 3-5, 2017  
Shilo Inn Conference Center  
Idaho Falls**

Leading technology developers and suppliers will congregate at a series of advanced nuclear energy manufacturing and supply chain meetings in Idaho Falls from October 3 – 5.

A two-day Advanced Manufacturing & Supply Chain innovation Leadership Summit & Showcase is slated for October 3-4 at the Shilo Inn Conference Center sponsored by the U.S. Nuclear Infrastructure Council in conjunction with the Idaho National Laboratory. It will be followed by the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Nuclear Energy's annual review of the current projects that are part of its Advanced Methods for Manufacturing program. The DOE workshop will run from Wednesday afternoon, October 4, into the afternoon of Thursday, October 5.

The Advanced Manufacturing & Supply Chain Summit & Showcase is an inaugural meeting of leading U.S. nuclear energy suppliers and manufacturers including the new Center for Advanced Nuclear Manufacturing (CANM). Perspectives will be provided from the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Nuclear Energy, Idaho National Laboratory and Argonne National Laboratories with special focuses on supplier and technology developer opportunities and challenges as well as cutting edge manufacturing and supply chain issues. National nuclear energy pundit and commentator Llewellyn King will offer a keynote on "Innovate and Prosper." Showcase participants include INL, CENTRUS Energy, X-Energy, Holtec International, CANM, Canadian Nuclear Laboratories, USNIC and Idaho suppliers. An international perspective will also be offered by the UK Nuclear Advanced Manufacturing Research Centre and the Canadian Nuclear Laboratories at Chalk River.

During the DOE AMM workshop, more than a dozen principal investigators will review the status of their research and discuss the relevance of their findings to advanced manufacturing. The Workshop presentations will cover advancements in: Welding and Joining Technologies; Additive Manufacturing; Modular Fabrication; Concrete Materials and Rebar Innovations; Data Configuration Management; Surface Modifications and Cladding Processes.

The full agenda and registration for the USNIC Advanced Manufacturing & Supply Chain Innovation Leadership Summit & Showcase are available at:

<http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07eee14v7dc2f9dd6c&llr=b95dy%20ciab&showPage=true>

The full agenda and registration for the DOE-NE Advanced Methods for Manufacturing Workshop are available at: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/doi-ne-advanced-methods-inmanufacturing-annual-program-review-registration-37755490689>

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