NIA ANNOUNCES THE **2021** PREMIER INDUSTRY MANUFACTURERS



he National Insulation Association (NIA) is proud to honor the winners of the 2021 Premier Industry Manufacturer Awards, which were announced in conjunction with NIA's Virtual Spring Summit member event, March 16–18, 2021.

The 2021 Premier Industry Manufacturers are:







This award was first presented in 2019 to recognize and distinguish exemplary insulation manufacturing companies as industry advocates and leaders. Available exclusively to NIA member companies, the award rewards Associate (Manufacturer) members for their actions, which demonstrate leadership, commitment, and support to the mechanical insulation industry and NIA. Each of the winning companies participated in activities and actions that support NIA and the industry. Through this program, NIA's Associate members demonstrate to customers that their company is a recognized leader amongst their peers.

"Congratulations to these three leading companies!" said Michele M. Jones, NIA's Executive Vice President/CEO. "Especially this year, these Associate members led by example and found innovative ways to promote the industry and NIA. We look forward to recognizing them in person later this year at our Annual Convention and promoting them all throughout 2021."

NIA will honor these award-winning companies at its 63rd Annual Convention, taking place October 26–28, 2021, at the MGM National Harbor in Maryland.

To learn more about this yearly award, please visit http://insulation.org/membership/premier_manufacturer/.



CSIA Company Safety Program Template - Now Available!

The Central States Insulation Association (CSIA) has published a customizable Safety Manual for its members. The template was developed by the Legal Counsel at Auman, Mahan & Furry specifically for mechanical insulation contractors to address your company's specific safety needs.

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations are updated frequently, and the industry standards are continuously subject to developments in technology, products, and equipment. The most important directive, no matter the size of the business, is to train employees in hazard recognition and protective equipment. As job sites are changing constantly, workers need to identify hazards as they arise. In response to daily safety challenges faced in the industry, general guidance is provided for contractors to develop safety rules and programs.

The CSIA's Safety Manual, which is available now to CSIA members only, addresses every conceivable issue, from fall protection to fire safety to prevention of mobile phone distraction.

Safety for the men and women on the job sites is always a top priority. Be sure to get the Safety Manual and use it!

The CSIA Safety Manual Template is available for purchase for just \$300 per year. Your company will be provided with the entire template and all manual updates arising from changing OSHA regulations. Just contact the CSIA Office at 937-278-0308 or csia@assnsoffice. com.