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"The Future in Aerospace Machining"

Lunch & Learn: Presentation and Tour of Mazak USA's
Aerospace Technology Center

Host:

Richard McCauley
Regional General Manager
Mazak

Note: The Day of the Week, the Time, the Date,
and
the Location are different than
the chapter's normal meeting.

Thursday, June 8, 2017
South Bay Chapter Meeting
Gardena, CA

10:00am-1:00pm: Meeting, Presentation, Tour, & Lunch

[Click here to register.](#)

This special presentation and tour is limited to 30 attendees. Both members and non-members must register by 12:00pm on Tuesday June 6th. No walk-ins will be permitted to attend.

A waitlist will be maintained for this meeting. Generally you will have 24 hours to respond to notification of a waitlist opening.

Mazak Corporation reserves the right to decline attendees who are current or potential direct competitors of Mazak USA.

Note: To ensure that everyone who wishes to attend the tour can be accommodated, anyone who registers and fails to show without prior notice to [Ivan](#) or 818-505-9915 will not be permitted to attend A&D Forum tours for a year.

Registration Fees:

- Free - A&D Forum member - exclusive access until May 25
- \$30 - Non-member Early Bird (after May 25 & until May 31)
- \$40 - Non-member (after May 31 and until 12pm June 6)

You will receive multiple invitations, regardless of whether you have already registered. Please do not register more than once!.

See meeting logistics information at the end of this e-mail.

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Manufacturing today is fast-paced - every minute of production affects the bottom line. To be competitive, shops must achieve efficient use of leading edge technology backed by comprehensive service and support that ensures machines are performing at their best. Operators must also be well-trained so that they can optimize each machine's capabilities.

At Mazak's Western Region Aerospace Technology Center in Gardena, we will be provided with a presentation on "The Future of Manufacturing". After the presentation, we will tour their facility where you will see the latest advancements in milling, turning, 5-axis and Multi-Tasking technologies in action. This tour will show how production can be taken to even higher levels and will cover topics such as complementary technologies, like work-holding techniques and how to securely connect equipment to the internet.

The meeting will be hosted by Richard McCauley, Regional

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General Manager, CMTSE (Certified Machine Tool Sales Engineer). Richard has been the head of Mazak's Western Region for 16 years.

Mazak will host a lunch for A & D Forum attendees after the presentation and tour.

South Bay Chapter Meeting

10:00am - 10:45am: Welcome and Presentation

10:45am - 11:45am: Tour of Facility showing an array of CNC machinery

11:45am - 1:00pm: Lunch

About Mazak Corporation

Yamazaki Mazak was established in Japan in 1919. Mazak entered the US market in 1968 and the Western Technology Center was established in 1982. Located in Gardena, California, the Western Region Technology Center is one of eight Technology Centers for Mazak in North America. This facility works closely with manufacturers from all industry segments, with a special focus on the aerospace sector, to generate the most innovative ideas for increasing productivity, efficiency and equipment utilization.

Mazak Corporation has become a leader in the design and manufacture of productive machine tool solutions. Committed to being a partner to customers with innovative technology, its world-class facility in Florence, Kentucky, produces over 100 models of turning centers, Multi-Tasking machines, vertical and horizontal machining centers, including 5- axis models.

June 8, 2017 Meeting

- Attire is business casual.
- Attendees may park anywhere in Mazak's parking lot
- Please check in on arrival in the Lobby
- Bring a business card - they will be duplicated and a copy will be provided to all attendees.
- There will not be any opportunity to distribute flyers and other material.
- Introductions will be minimal - your name, company, industry, and a 5 word "elevator speech". We encourage you to be creative!

Feel free to pass this invitation on to others you think would be interested.

Event Info

California United Bank
- **Ivan Rosenberg**, Executive Director & Co-Founder, The A&D Forum, & Managing Partner, InVista Associates.

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- **Robert Jacobson**, Desert Sky Holdings & Co-founder, A&D Forum
- **Ivan Rosenberg**, Managing Partner, InVista Associates, Inc. & Co-Founder, A&D Forum

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1333 W. 190th St.
Gardena, CA 90248

Directions

South on the 405 Fwy: Take Exit 37 Vermont Ave. Turn right at the end of the offramp onto 190th St. Continue West on 190th St. past the light at Normandie Ave. and turn right into the 1st driveway past Normandie into Mazak's parking lot.

North on 405 Fwy: Just past the 110 Fwy., take Exit 38A for Normandie Ave. Use any lane to turn left onto Normandie Ave. Turn right on W. 190th St. Turn into Mazak's parking lot (1st driveway on right).

South on the 110 Fwy: Just past the 91 Fwy., take the 190 St. Exit. Turn right onto 190th St. and progress to the 1st driveway on your right past the traffic light at Normandie Ave.

North on the 110 Fwy: Exit to the 405 Fwy North toward Santa Monica. Take Exit 38A for Normandie Ave. Use any lane to turn left onto Normandie Ave. Turn right onto 190th then right into the 1st driveway.

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