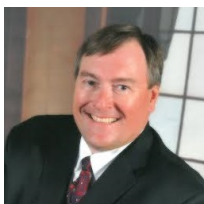




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Director's Message



It is hard to believe that it has been 25 years since the infamous attack on our country on September 11. Like other events that have changed the world, many can remember exactly where they were on that day and the stunned disbelief that they felt as events

unfolded.

For me, September 11 evokes a wide range of memories and emotions. I am grateful that my friend and colleague who was present at ground zero on that day escaped without serious injury. I am proud that personnel from our company volunteered in the rescue efforts on the following day. I am sad for the injured and those lost and for their families who must continue without them.

While the passage of time can help to heal wounds, it can also dull one's memory. Let us never forget what happened on that day or fail to honor those who made the ultimate sacrifice in trying to rescue others. Let us pray that our future finds us in a peaceful world where such events never happen again.

Training - A Wise Use of Year-End Budget Money

When it comes to spending year-end budget monies, the phrase 'Use It or Lose It' often applies. Training can be a wise choice for those looking to reduce a budget surplus.



Staying within budget is a constant challenge for maintenance managers. For many, it seems that there is never enough money in the budget. On occasion, however, it is possible to experience a

Upcoming Courses

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- Sep 14 - 17 Detroit
- Sep 14 - 17 Perth
- Sep 14 - 18 Dallas
- Sep 16 - 17 Perth *
- Sep 21 - 24 Boise
- Sep 21 - 25 Quezon City
- Sep 28 - Oct 1 Sarawak
- Sep 28 - Oct 1 Brisbane
- Sep 30 - Oct 1 Brisbane *
- Oct 5 - 8 San Diego
- Oct 19 - 22 West Windsor
- Oct 19 - 22 Santa Cruz
- Oct 19 - 22 Seattle
- Oct 19 - 22 Edmonton
- Oct 19 - 23 Quezon City
- Oct 26 - 30 Quezon City
- Oct 26 - 29 Saskatoon
- Nov 2 - 5 Winnipeg
- Nov 3 - 6 Kearney
- Nov 9 - 12 Toronto
- Nov 16 - 19 St. George
- Nov 16 - 19 Rosharon
- Nov 16 - 19 Ottawa
- Nov 16 - 20 Kuala Lumpur
- Nov 23 - 26 Moncton
- Nov 23 - 27 Quezon City
- Nov 30 - Dec 3 Saint John's
- Nov 30 - Dec 3 Melbourne
- Dec 2 - 3 Melbourne *

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surplus in one's budget when nearing year's end.

When faced with a budget surplus, it is imperative to fully utilize allocated financial resources. Failure to do so may cause a reduction in future budgeting if management perceives that your department is overfunded. When searching for wise choices for year-end spending, training is always a good option.

Thermographic training is a sound investment for initiating a PdM program or expanding an existing one. Whenever considering infrared training be certain to:

- Examine course curriculum to ensure that it meets your needs
- Ensure that course will be germane to all infrared imagers
- Determine course locations or availability of Distance Learning courses
- Ascertain whether certification is included with course, its expiration date, and renewal fees
- Insist that instructors be practicing thermographers with documented field experience in their area of instruction

Infraspection Institute have been providing infrared training and certification for infrared thermographers since 1980. Our Level I, II, and III training courses meet the training requirements for NDT personnel in accordance with the ASNT document, SNT-TC-1A. Certification and applications courses are offered as open enrollment or on-site classes or through our convenient [iLearnIR Distance Learning program](#).

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Get Listed in the International Directory of Infrared Thermographers



The International Directory of Infrared Thermographers is now the largest directory of infrared professionals in the world.

An IRINFO.ORG exclusive, the Directory is a unique opportunity to get the recognition you deserve and showcase your services to those seeking to find and/or hire professional thermographers.

For a limited time, thermographers may get a FREE listing in the Directory. Applying for a listing may be done online and only takes a few moments.

- Sep 14 - 17 West Windsor
- Sep 14 - 18 Quezon City
- Oct 26 - 30 Kuala Lumpur
- Nov 16 -20 Quezon City
- Nov 30 - Dec 4 Kuala Lumpur

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- Sep 21 - 23 West Windsor
- Oct 26 - 29 Melbourne
- Nov 30 - Dec 2 Melbourne

[Full 2026 - 2027 Schedule](#)

Upcoming Conferences

Infraspection Institute invite you to see us at the following upcoming conferences. Be sure to stop by and say Hello!

[Commercial UAV Expo](#)

Sep 5 - 7, 2026
Las Vegas, NV

[IR/INFO Conference](#)

Jan 31 - Feb 3, 2027
Orlando, FL

[NETA PowerTest Conference](#)

March 8 - 12, 2027
Orlando, FL

[EASA](#)

June 12 - 15, 2027
New Orleans, LA

[Vibration Institute](#)

July 28 - 30, 2027
Fort Worth, TX

Links of Interest

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[TI-Reporter.com](#)

[Thermographer Directory](#)

[NORMI.TV](#)

[A-Rent](#)

Premium listings which include your telephone number and a link to your website are also available. Premium listings ensure that your name appears at the top of search results pages and are a great way to gain exposure for your company and increase sales.

[Get Listed](#)

Renting a Thermal Imager

Whether you are facing an equipment shortage or looking to evaluate the characteristics of a new imager prior to purchase, renting a thermal imager may provide a solution. As with purchasing an imager, there are several important things to consider when arranging for a rental unit.



To help ensure that you select an appropriate imager for rental, be certain to:

- Identify appropriate spectral response required for project
- Determine if temperature measurement is required
- Evaluate the system for objective specifications
- Ascertain imager compatibility with reporting software

When arranging for a rental, obtain terms and conditions from the rental agency. These should include, but not be limited to: rental period, extension of rental, shipping costs, and requirements for insurance against loss. One should also consider the rental agency's ability to provide technical support during the rental period

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Attend IR/INFO 2027 and Get Discounted Training



In celebration of IR/INFO's 37th anniversary, Infrasppection Institute are pleased to announce several special offers combining the world's most respected infrared training and certification program with the industry's original technical conference.

Several packages are available featuring discounts on Level I, II, and III Infrasppection Institute Certified Infrared Thermographer® training courses, sUAS Thermography training courses, and TI

Reporter™ software. Discounted group rates are available for four or more persons.

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