



ASNT STATEMENT ON DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

The following has been approved by the Board of Directors of the Society.

As the advocate for excellence in nondestructive testing (NDT), the American Society for Nondestructive Testing (ASNT) is unwavering in its commitment to fostering diversity and inclusivity within the NDT field. Recognizing the profound impact of diversity on innovation, problem-solving, and overall organizational success, ASNT embraces the imperative to cultivate an environment that welcomes individuals from all backgrounds.

Diversity is not just a moral imperative; it is a strategic business necessity for the NDT industry. In a rapidly evolving technological landscape, the collaboration of diverse minds ensures a richer tapestry of ideas and perspectives, propelling advancements in NDT methodologies and technologies. By actively promoting diversity, ASNT seeks to address current disparities within the field, ensuring that opportunities and resources are accessible to all, regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, or other dimensions of identity.

ASNT acknowledges that the NDT industry faces challenges related to underrepresentation and unequal access. We are dedicated to dismantling barriers and promoting inclusivity through targeted initiatives, outreach programs, and partnerships that amplify the voices of underrepresented groups. By fostering a culture of diversity, ASNT strives to create a dynamic and innovative NDT community that reflects the broad spectrum of talent and expertise present in society. ASNT understands that embracing diversity not just a moral and professional responsibility but is also essential for the sustained growth and relevance of our organization. We are committed to ensuring that our leadership, membership, and organizational practices mirror the diversity that exists in society. Through proactive measures, ASNT aims to be a beacon of inclusivity, leading by example and inspiring positive change across the broader scientific and technical community.

In summary, ASNT firmly believes that diversity is integral to the success of both the nondestructive testing field and our organization. By championing inclusivity, we not only address current challenges but also fortify the NDT industry's capacity to tackle future complexities with creativity and fairness while maintaining technical excellence.