

Mike McGuire's Fastener Resume

60 + years of experience in the American Industrial Fastener Industry

19 Years of experience as a Full-Line Industrial Fastener Distributor

7 Years as an Independent Fastener Rep – Great Lakes Industrial Sales (Ohio) & Diamondback Fasteners (Arizona)

Authored 7 Books: (1970s – 80s)

American Fastener Source Guide (still up-dated annually by the AFJ)

Industrial Fastener Manufacturers Directory

Trade Name / Trademark Reference Guide (4000 + names currently on USFS.com)

Foreign Fastener Source Guide

AN-MS-NAS Aerospace Fastener Source Guide

Military Fastener Directory

Industrial Fastener Study Guide, 1981 (Still In-Print and Available from the AFJ)

Complied 1st NFDA Fastener Surplus Directory, 1972

Vice-President National Fastener Distributors Association (NFDA), 1973-74

Developed: Industrial Fastener Slide Training Program, 1976

Founder: The National Industrial Fastener Show & Conference 1980 (NIFSCO). SOLD 2016 to Emerald Exhibitions, now the International Fastener Expo (IFE)

Founder: The Fastener Hall of Fame, 1982

Founder: *The American Fastener Journal* (AFJ) trade magazine and the annual *American Fastener Source Guide* as Publisher/Editor 1984. SOLD 2016 – to Tom Massar. Authored numerous fastener articles during the 33 years Mike owned the publication- AFJ

Lead: AFJ Educational Fastener Factory Tours in Cleveland, Ohio, 1991-93

Inducted: **The Fastener Hall of Fame, 1994**

Founder: National Industrial Fastener Show/WEST, 1997

Started: The U.S Fastener Report, 1998 for the AFJ

Expert Fastener Witness

Recognized Fastener Consultant with GLG & LEK Consulting Firms

Started: **FAST-NER** Sale of the Week, 2001 (Weekly faxed List of Surplus Fasteners)

Started: Diamondback Fasteners, Rep Agency, Phoenix, AZ, 2001

Founded: Fastener Alliance of Independent Fastener Reps, 2001

Started: McGuire Fastener Trend Report 2001 for AFJ

Published: Aerospace Fastener Buyers Guide, 2002

Published: Electronic Fastener Buyers Guide, 2002

Published: Construction Fastener Buyers Guide, 2002

Started: Fastener Quality Engineering (FQE) Consulting Firm, 2002

2002 – 2016 Built NIFSCO into the largest fastener trade show in the World at the time and continued to grow the AFJ into the *Leading Fastener Publication for Fastener Professionals*.

2002 Published *Fastening* Magazine with fastener technical articles for the OEM market.

Published: 2014 McGuire Fastener Training Posters (Set of 48, 18" x 24" Posters, Laminated)

2017 Developed the www.worldwidefastenersources.com. (**WWFS**) website and three geographical websites (US, Eurasia & Asian). Today the Most Comprehensive Informational Fastener Websites in the World, with several other features for fastener buying & selling fasteners, fastener training, technical information and more.

2019 Expanded Resources tab on USFS with numerous technical charts, graphs and documents. A leading source of important fastener information not commonly found elsewhere.

2019 Developed "**Request for Quote**" (RFQs) for Standard and **Emergency "SOS"** RFQs.

2019 Introduced the **3D Fastener Printing** Service and Components for **WWFS** users.

2019 Developed unique "**REAL**" **LIVE** Fastener Surplus Listing with features never offered on the internet previously.

2019 Introduced **Blue Ocean Fasteners** to the Fastener Distribution Market

2019 Developed the **PREMIER** Fastener Supplier and **Fastener Distributor Directories**

2019 Added feature to add Part Numbers to **PREMIER** Supplier listing

2019 Introduced the **Fastener Innovation Awards** to recognize individuals and companies that lead the way to specific performance with new fastener development, innovation and design.

2019 Started the **American Fastener Veterans Association (AFVA)**

2019 Added **Fastener Associates** to the USFS website for non-suppliers or buyers of fasteners for additional technical information and services to the industry.

2020 Developed the **Joe Greenslade Memorial Digital Fastener Library**.

2020 Developed **THE Fastener Quiz** as a fastener training tool.

2020 Supplier lists for Construction, Electronic and Adhesive Distributors

2020 List of Aerospace Fastener Manufacturers for Distributors

2020 **NEW** features & benefits announced monthly. Fastener Videos and Digital Fastener Catalogs, McGuire Glossary of Fastener Terminology

2020 Honored by the Industrial Fastener Institute (IFI) with their **Soaring Eagle Award for Service** to the Fastener Industry

2021 **NEW** Fastener Slide Training Program

Shared Information + Shared Knowledge = Profitable Solutions

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