



2020 AMUG Conference

Additive Manufacturing Users Group

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AMUG EDUCATES AND ADVANCES THE USES AND APPLICATIONS OF ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGIES



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Mission

Additive Manufacturing Users Group (AMUG) educates and advances the uses and applications of additive manufacturing technologies. The cornerstone of AMUG is the annual Education & Training Conference.



Experience

To call the AMUG event a conference is an understatement. It is a unique gathering of AM users, of all levels, that assemble and band together to provide and share valuable insights and experiences to help one another.



AMUG Philosophy

“For users, by users” is both AMUG’s philosophy and its guiding principle. Every presentation, workshop, sponsor and exhibitor passes through one simple filter: does it provide value to AM users? That is the crux of “For Users.” We then turn to users to provide the content and count on them to make the conference valuable, memorable and unique. That is the “By Users” component.

AMUG creates the sharing environment; users create the experience

AMUG IS A GLOBAL COMMUNITY OF OWNERS AND OPERATORS

With AMUG's expanded range, operators/owners of any commercial technology — stereolithography (SL), selective laser sintering (SLS), 3D printing, CLIP, DMD, DMLM, DMLS, EBM, FDM, LC, LS, MJP, PolyJet, SLM, and more — can benefit from the information exchange and professional network that AMUG offers.

ATTENDANCE GROWTH

2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
262 attendees 17 countries	361 attendees 16 countries	527 attendees 17 countries	888 attendees 26 countries	1061 attendees 23 countries	1548 attendees 27 countries	1705 attendees 29 countries	2064 attendees 32 countries

TECHNICAL COMPETITION

Since 1994

The AMUG Technical Competition provides a forum for users of additive manufacturing technologies to display their unique applications as well as their finishing capabilities.



2019 Advanced Finishing Winner
Cello by Maddie Frank of University of Wisconsin



2019 Advanced Finishing Winner
Master Chief reproduction by Bill Braune/Met-L-Flo



2019 Advanced Concepts Winner
Digitally printed helmet liner components and Riddell's SpeedFlex Precision Diamond Helmet by Erika Berg/Carbon

AMUG RECOGNIZES INDIVIDUALS

For both their contributions and years of service within the additive manufacturing industry and within the AMUG efforts



DINOs
Distinguished Innovator Operator (DINO)
AMUG has awarded **160** individuals a DINO since 1998



All-Volunteer Organization

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Members are all volunteers.

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