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The Copper and Brass Supply Chain Association



Michael Russo
CBSCA President

Dear Copper and Brass Supply Chain Association Members,

As we approach the end of another year of growth and resilience in our industry, I'm excited to invite each of you to join us at the upcoming **Red Metals Summit** in Chicago, IL, USA, this December 3 – 4, 2024. This year's event promises to be a milestone gathering, bringing together leaders, experts, and innovators from across

the copper and brass supply chain.

The Red Metals Summit is more than just an opportunity to hear the latest market updates and forecasts. It's a dynamic forum for collaboration and networking with industry peers, providing invaluable insights into the trends shaping our future. From

supply chain advancements to sustainable practices, the summit will address the issues that matter most to our community, helping us strengthen and evolve our operations for the years ahead.

Additionally, this summit is an invaluable opportunity for networking. With attendees ranging from industry veterans to emerging professionals, the event is the perfect venue to build relationships, exchange insights and foster connections that can support your business for years to come. Whether you are looking to expand your business, learn from experts or simply catch up with colleagues and friends, there is no substitute for the face-to-face connections that make our industry strong.

Whether you're a long-time member or new to the Copper and Brass Supply Chain Association, we encourage you to take advantage of this unique opportunity to engage with industry experts, deepen your understanding of market dynamics and make lasting connections.

On behalf of the entire association, I look forward to welcoming you to Chicago and to an unforgettable Red Metals Summit. Together, we are building a stronger, more resilient future for our industry. Don't miss out on this opportunity to be part of it!



CBSCA RED METALS SUMMIT

DECEMBER 3 - 4, 2024
CHICAGO, IL USA

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CBSCA Red Metals Summit delegates will receive a special room rate of **US\$209** per night for a single/double room. **You must [book your room](#) by Monday, November 4, 2024, to receive this special rate.** After November 4, 2024, the room block will close and the room rate will increase to the going rate.



Industry / Partner News

Materion Corporation Continues Legacy in Space Exploration



NASA's Europa Clipper began its journey to Jupiter's ice-covered moon Europa in October 2024 with the help of Materion Corporation.

In collaboration with the Arizona State University School of Earth and Space Exploration, Materion Corporation developed processes in advanced photolithography and metallization to create solderable seal rings on the custom diamond substrate windows used on the Europa Clipper. This enables the Europa Thermal Emission Imaging System to provide high spatial resolution, multi-spectral imaging of the moon in the mid-wave infrared and long-wave infrared bands.

The Europa Clipper will reach Jupiter's moon in 2030 for a detailed exploratory mission, exploring whether Europa has an environment suitable for life.

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United Scrap Metal, Inc. Holds Successful Recycle with Ronald Event



United Scrap Metal, Inc. held its 20th Annual Recycle with Ronald event in support of Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) on October 12, 2024. Leading up to the annual event at their headquarters, all six of United Scrap Metal's locations have been collecting pop tabs for their local branches of RMHC. The pop tabs collected for RMHC are bought by a recycler at market rate and all proceeds from the sale go toward supporting the families of hospitalized children. This year, United Scrap Metal raised \$86,000 for RMHC!

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Wieland Group Acquires Morgan Bronze Products, Inc.



Wieland Group acquired Morgan Bronze Products, Inc. in a transaction which officially closed on October 7, 2024. Morgan Bronze Products, located in Lake Zurich, IL, USA, is a 77-year-old family-owned company specializing in bushings, bearings and washers as well as customized industrial ready-to-mount parts and components.

“By integrating Morgan Bronze, we gain an experienced and skilled team and broaden Wieland’s manufacturing, assembly, and service capabilities for engineered products in North America. The acquisition allows us to strengthen our footprint in growth markets like aerospace and defense and to enlarge our product solutions in industrial, transportation, and heavy equipment applications,” Dr. Erwin Mayr, CEO of Wieland said in a company press release.

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Changes to Fall 2024 Macro Forecasts and Looking Ahead to 2025

ITR recently revised the US Real GDP forecast upward, and it is important to know where the increase is coming from so you can better determine its impact on your business.

One key factor to point out is that the data used in the prior forecast, done with December 2023 data, was revised upward by 1.3% from the source. This accounts for the majority of the 2.2% favorable deviation in the June 2024 actual compared to our forecast.

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