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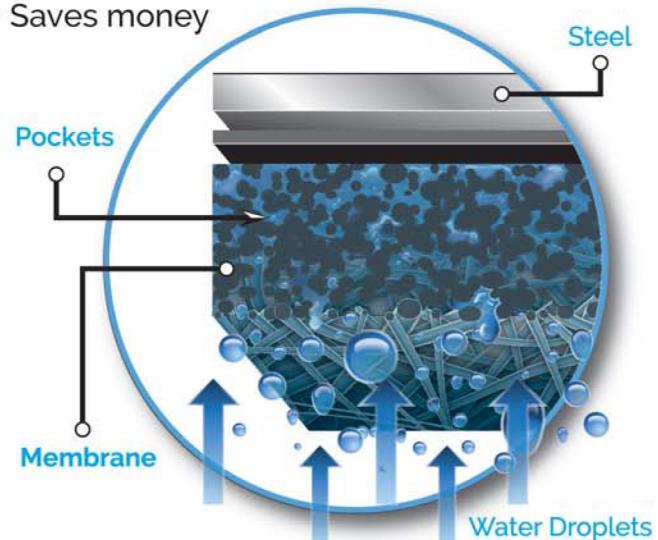
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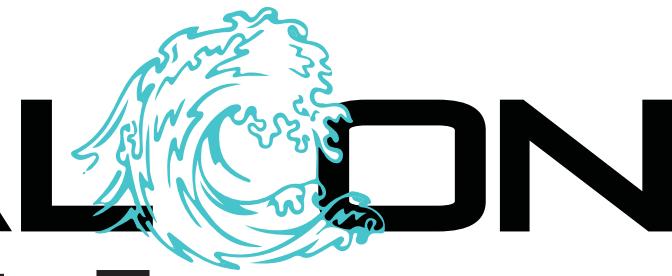


The Tampa Convention Center will host METALCON 2021 from October 6-8, 2021.

METALCON, the only global event dedicated exclusively to the application of metal in design and construction, announces its program line-up for this year's annual conference and trade show, which takes place at the Tampa Convention Center from Wednesday, Oct. 6-Friday, Oct. 8.

From intensive pre-show workshops to more than 40 free educational sessions located inside the exhibit hall to inspiring keynotes and Super Sessions, top industry experts will share their knowledge with attendees who are eligible to earn more continuing education credits than ever before, including AIA, CSI, NAB-CEP and ICC learning units among others.

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level), Sherwin-Williams (gold level), CIDAN Machinery Inc., and Flack Global Metals (silver level) along with long-time partner, the Metal Construction Association," said METALCON Show Director, Judy Geller.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Keynote speakers for this year's show include Keith Colburn star of the Discovery Channel's hit show *Deadliest Catch* and captain of the Alaska king crab fishing boat, *Wizard* along with Ken Simonson, chief economist of the Associated General Contractors of America.

On Wednesday, October 6 at 10 a.m., Colburn will share his insights on leadership, teamwork, safety and being successful in



On Wednesday, October 6, Keith Colburn, captain of the 155-foot *Wizard*, one of the fishing vessels featured on the *Deadliest Catch* television series, will give the presentation, Words of Advice from the Captain of the Wizard: It's Not Magic, It's Hard Work!

METALCON: PREVIEW



S-5! founder Rob Haddock will present the popular "Metal Roofing 101" course at METALCON 2021.

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On Thursday, October 7, Ken Simonson, who has more than 40 years of experience analyzing, advocating, and communicating about economic and tax issues, will present the talk, *U.S. Construction Outlook: Pandemic Impacts, Policy Initiatives, Project Implications*.



Acclaimed architect Yann Weymouth will present a keynote presentation for the *Architect's Experience*, which will inspire architects, designers, specifiers and engineers.

today's hyper-competitive business environment by providing parallels between his life as a captain and the high stress, highly competitive construction industry in *Words of Advice from the Captain of the Wizard: It's Not Magic, It's Hard Work!*

Then, on Thursday at 10 a.m., Simonson who has more than 40 years of experience analyzing, advocating and communicating about economic and tax issues will present the *U.S. Construction Outlook: Pandemic Impacts, Policy Initiatives, Project Implications*. Simonson serves as liaison to the Census Bureau's Construction Data Modernization Working Group. He is a Fellow and past president of the National Association for Business Economics, and co-director of the Tax Economists Forum, which he co-founded.

A variety of special focus areas are planned, including:

THE ARCHITECT'S EXPERIENCE

Featuring a series of events over two days focused on the use of metal as a design and construction component, this new "show-within-a-show" is for architects, designers, specifiers and engi-

neers to breathe new life into projects and solve a wide variety of architectural, structural, environmental and building performance challenges — all through the use of metal. Also offered is an optional off-site tour of the Salvador Dalí Museum and a special keynote presentation by acclaimed architect Yann Weymouth.

THE INSULATED METAL PANEL PAVILION

For the first time ever, at METALCON, the IMP Alliance (leading manufacturers, material suppliers, and resellers) brings together the six major independent brands of leading insulated metal wall and roof panels that produce 85%-90% of all IMPs shipped in the U.S. and Canada, all in one location: ATAS International, Inc.; All Weather Insulated Panels; CENTRIKA; GreenSpan Profiles; Metl-Span; and True Core Insulated Panels.

Each will display their newest products and visual illustrations of various projects while offering on-site product and technical guidance. Understand why IMP roof panels are being described as "tomorrow's roof panels today."



The new Architect's Experience component of METALCON 2021 focuses on the use of metal as a design and construction component. PHOTO COURTESY OF BRENNAN PHOTO VIDEO



METALCON offers plenty of social networking opportunities. Oktoberfest returns for the 2021 show.

THE NEW SOLAR CENTER

Business owners, designers, contractors, EPCs, solar developers and installers discover how solar can expand their businesses in a variety of educational sessions and live demonstrations in the solar center sponsored by S-5! Don't forget to sign up for the METALCON Solar Trivia Games!

Additional Learning Centers offer five 45-minute sessions from 11:30 a.m.-5 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday, and from 10:15 a.m.-1 p.m. on Friday. Sessions include the **Business Development Learning Center** that covers best practices and need-to-know information to take your business to the next level. And it includes the **Technical Know-How Learning Center** that offers the latest construction technology products and solutions.

SUPER SESSIONS

Also, new this year is METALCON's Super Sessions to address some of the major issues facing the construction industry today. Whether it's post-COVID strategic planning, the ownership transition process, materials, supply chain and labor woes, or growth opportunities to consider, each Super Session will arm attendees with new information, fresh ideas, and strategic direction.



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Super Sessions include:

- Find Your Focus for 2022 & Beat the Competition.
- Creating an Exit Strategy: How to Successfully Transition



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METALCON was last held in Tampa, Florida, in 2015, when it marked its 25th anniversary. PHOTO BY MCBOAT PHOTOGRAPHY

Ownership and Leadership.

- Disrupting Construction – Trends in Modular Building & Shipping Container-Based Structures.
- Stop the Insanity: Why Construction Needs Workforce Diversity.
- Federal Update – Solar Trade & Manufacturing.
- Perspectives: What Contractors & Architects Wish the Other Understood About Their Process.
- The Roaring '20s Are Here! METALCON Live!... LIVE at METALCON!
- How to Recruit & Retain Women in Construction.
- Using Technology Automation to Work Smarter.
- Metal Architecture Design Awards Seminar.

METALCON continues to offer in-depth workshops, which take place on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday and aim to provide cutting-edge education and training.

METALCON GIVES BACK

Each year, METALCON gives back to the local community where the show takes place. METALCON is partnering with Feeding Tampa Bay for this year's giving back program, which will raise money to help provide food to more than 1 million families in the 10-county area of West Central Florida.

"We couldn't be more excited to bring METALCON back to you for the first time in two years," said Geller. "Like many, we took advantage of the 'year of the pivot' and reached out to those who we serve – past and present – to map out the next chapter for an event that humbly began 31 years ago. The result is METALCON 2021, packed with opportunities to connect and to share ideas, solutions and information, along with the education you need to take your business to new heights — all in the beautiful



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city of Tampa, Florida."

ABOUT METALCON

METALCON is the largest international event in the metal construction and design industry. Established in 1991, it's the only annual trade show and conference devoted exclusively to the application of metal in design and construction. Contractors, architects, developers, owners, fabricators, manufacturers and suppliers from more than 50 countries attend each year. Industry experts from 200 leading companies exhibit the latest products, solutions and game-changing technologies, while sharing their knowledge with attendees. METALCON'S success is based on a dynamic exhibit hall, extensive educational programs and interactive learning opportunities. RB

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S-5! WINDCLAMP2X

S-5! expanded its WindClamps™ line, with the addition of the new WindClamp2X. The design of WindClamp™ products increases wind resistance for standing seam and other concealed-fastened metal roofs.

The new WindClamp2X are small aluminum clamps placed over the roof's seam at designated intervals to prevent male-to-female seam separation and/or seam separation from the roof's mounting clip. Attaching these highly-tested clamps to a roof's seams have proven to dramatically improve wind uplift performance and increase strength by more than

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DMI SCAMP 304 STAINLESS STEEL FASTENER

As painted metal roofing systems continue to improve in quality and longevity, it is important for the fasteners that are installed on these roofs to match the warranties of the panels and "complete the roof system". The DMI #12 diameter SCAMP 304 Stainless Steel cap metal to wood screw and self-drill for all steel applications accomplishes this objective. Assembled with a 304 Stainless Steel Bonded sealing washer and the shank coated with DMG85 corrosion coating, this fastener will match the paint warranties on all metal panels.

It is available with high quality powder coating to match most panel manufacturers and meets the rigid requirements set by Dade County to be listed as an acceptable choice for high corrosion coastal areas. The #12 SCAMP metal to wood can be used on new construction or can double as a replacement fastener for #10 diameter screws that have backed out.



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The Fisher Hand Tools™ caulk gun is the newest product offering from Levi's Building Components. Quickly handle caulking jobs with ease thanks to its variety of carefully thought-out features, created and tested by industry experts. The powder-coated 360° rotary steel riveted carriage has a dripless design and is equipped with a built-in puncture tool and easy-to-use-squeeze grip. With each trigger pull, a 12:1 thrust ratio is applied to the tube piston, allowing thicker caulk to move through the gun faster.



ASC MACHINE: NEW TKR-X LINE

ASC's innovative design of the all-new TKR-X™ Rollformer offers a high level of flexibility in the purlin market.

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- 2) Auto Gauge: Auto set up drive rolls and fixtures
- 3) Full Auto: Auto fixture and eave strut set up

The valuable eave strut feature (up to 5:12 pitch) is now included on all TKR-X™ Rollformer units. ASC customers can also expand their product portfolio and enter new markets by adding the new S-WEB (min 3") and XL-WEB (max 24") option. In addition, we also offer fully automated coil handling systems, coil conditioning units, live video monitoring, EWON remote support, and much more.



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METALCON: THINGS TO DO IN TAMPA

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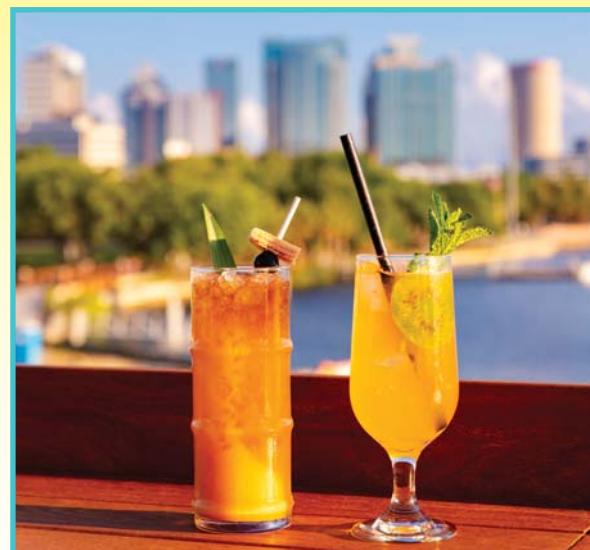


TAKING IN TAMPA

There is a multitude of options to enjoy great food and beverages, excitement and adventure, and even relaxation while in Tampa. So, plan today to enjoy the most of this METALCON 2021 host city.



Marine life is an abundant element of the Sunshine State, and equally plentiful are aquariums and related facilities perfect for visitors of every age.



With a variety of community neighborhoods and cultures, the dining options in Tampa are well-known for diverse and delicious treats. PHOTO BY KEIR MAGULAS, VISIT TAMPA BAY



With dozens of golf courses in the Tampa Bay area, spending time on picturesque greens, like those of Streamsong Resort pictured here, is a grand idea. PHOTO COURTESY VISIT TAMPA BAY



The coastal city of Tampa provides a wide variety of opportunities to enjoy waterfront activities, both adventurous and relaxing. PHOTO OF CANOE ESCAPE, BY KEIR MAGOULAS, VISIT TAMPA BAY

ART & CULTURE

With a rich mix of cultures and traditions, Tampa offers an eclectic selection of locations devoted to artistry, living history, and a celebration of community.

- The Dali Museum (off-site tour destination of METALCON's Architect's Experience)
- Tampa Museum of Art (including Art on the House – free admission from 4 p.m. – 8 p.m. on Thursdays)
- Florida Museum of Photographic Arts
- Tampa Bay History Center
- American Victory Ship Mariners Museum
- Florida Air Museum
- The Ringling (enjoy a robust review of art and circus history)
- Museum of Science & Industry (MOSI)

NATURE & ADVENTURE

The bounty of coastal scenery in Tampa is second-to-none. The area showcases a variety of destinations highlighting science and nature. In addition, opportunities to enjoy adventures and thrill-seeking experiences are also plentiful.

- Busch Gardens Tampa (including Busch Gardens Bier Fest – Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays during October)
- Zip lining (Empower Adventures Tampa Bay — with a stunning view of Tampa Bay)
- Clearwater Marine Aquarium
- Bok Tower Gardens
- Safari Wilderness Ranch
- Big Cat Rescue
- Adventure Island (30-acre waterpark)
- The Dinner Detective (Mystery dinner show, Oct. 7)

SPORTS & RECREATION

In addition to being home to the NFL Champion Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Tampa lays claim to professional baseball, soccer, and hockey teams, miles of beaches, and golf courses galore.

- Nearly a dozen golf courses
- Laser OPS Extreme Gaming Arcade
- Pirate Water Taxi
- Axe Throwing Tampa
- Archibald Beach Park
- Canoe Escape
- Charter fishing

DRINKS & DINING

With METAL CON taking place at the Tampa Convention Center, located at the mouth of the Hillsborough River and in the heart of downtown Tampa, the options for delicious meals and choice beverages are abundant. Additionally, if craft beer makes your mouth water, there are nearly 60 breweries in and around Tampa.

Below are some of the establishments named "Best Of" in 2021 by TAMPA Magazine:

- Mission BBQ
- Cigar City Brewing
- Mama's Kitchen (Best Diner)
- Bern's Steak House
- Buddy Brew Coffee
- Noble Crust (Best Southern Restaurant)
- Hattricks (Best Pub)