# 2009 SEA Aerospace and Defense Supply Chain Awards **SEMI-FINALISTS**



Semi-Finalists are among the few and the rare breed of suppliers who have distinguished themselves by making an uncommon investment in improvement. In many cases the difference between the announced winners, finalists, and semi-finalists is very small. There are 70 semi-finalists that represent the judge's choices from over 280 nominations.

# Stephen E. Barton Leadership & Culture

AGM Container Controls, Inc., Tucson, AZ Asturies Manufacturing Company, Inc., Corona, CA B&B Manufacturing, Inc., Valencia, CA Barry Controls Aerospace, Burbank, CA Clark Technology Systems, Inc., Milton, PA Custom Manufacturing & Engineering, Inc., St. Petersburg, FL Energy Dynamics, Inc., Machesney Park, IL Fairchild Controls Corp., Frederick, MD Garrett Precision, Inc., Laguna Hills, CA Geater Machining & Mfg. Co., Independence, IA Graco Supply Company, Inc., Wichita, KS Hixson Metal Finishing, Inc., Newport Beach, CA Kulite Simiconductor Products, Inc., Leonia, NJ MD Engineering, Corona, CA Pattonair USA, Inc., Ft. Worth, TX Precision Aerospace, Inc., Grove, OK Samtec Inc., New Albany, IN SMS Technologies, Inc., San Diego, CA Sonfarrel, Inc., Anaheim, CA Superform USA, a division of Luxfer, Riverside, CA Tara Technologies Corporation, Daytona, FL TechniGraphics, Inc., Wooster, OH Vescio Threading Company, Inc., Santa Fe Springs, CA W Machine Works, Inc., San Fernando, CA

#### **Workforce Development**

B&B Manufacturing Company, Inc., Valencia, CA Fredon Corporation, Mentor, OH Geater Machining & Manufacturing Company, Independence, IA Samtec Inc., New Albany, IN MD Engineering, Corona, CA SMS Technologies, Inc., San Diego, CA Superform USA, a division of Luxfer, Riverside, CA TechniGraphics, Inc., Wooster, OH

#### Operational Excellence

Asturies Manufacturing Company, Inc., Corona, CA B&B Manufacturing Company, Inc., Valencia, CA Best Mold & Manufacturing, Inc., Akron, OH Clark Technology Systems, Inc., Milton, PA Continental Heat Treating, Inc., Santa Fe Springs, CA DexM Corporation, Waukesha, WI EATON, Fluid Conveyance, Beltsville, MD

# Operational Excellence (Continued)

Evana Automation Specialists, Evansville, IN Garrett Precision, Inc., Laguna Hills, CA IDD Aerospace, Redmond, WA Kimberly Machine Company, Inc., Garden Grove, CA Long Machine, Inc., Temecula, CA MD Engineering, Corona, CA MG Watanabe Inc., dba West Coast Microwave, ARTESIA, CA Murrieta Circuits, ANAHEIM, CA National Technical Systems, Inc., Calabasas, CA Pattonair USA, Inc., Ft. Worth, TX Samtec Inc., New Albany, IN SMS Technologies, Inc., San Diego, CA Tara Technologies Corporation, Daytona, FL TSI Plastics, Inc., Minneapolis, MN W Machine Works, Inc., San Fernando, CA

## **Most Improved Using SEA Metrics**

Fairchild Controls Corp., Frederick, MD Gar-Kenyon Technologies, Naugatuck, CT MD Engineering, Corona, CA TSI Plastics, Inc., Minneapolis, MN

#### **Supply Chain Innovation**

B&B Manufacturing Company, Inc., Valencia, CA Fairchild Controls Corporation, Frederick, MD Gentex Corporation, Rancho Cucamonga, CA Hercules Heat Treating Corporation, Brooklyn, NY Pattonair USA, Inc., Ft. Worth, TX SMS Technologies, Inc., San Diego, CA

#### **Customer of the Year**

Northrop Grumman Corporation, El Segundo, CA Parker Hannifin Corp., Parker Aerospace, Cleveland, OH Signal Engineering Inc., San Diego, CA

### Richard Hall Award for Leadership Excellence

Dee Vaidya, President & CEO, TechniGraphics, Inc. Kevin Urban, President, Midwest Metal Products, Inc. Marzel Neckien, President, W Machine Works, Inc.