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## SEI Elects New Director

McLean, VA . . . . May 17, 2013. The Safety Equipment Institute (SEI) is pleased to announce the recent election of **Michael J. Kassman** to the SEI Board of Directors.

Michael Kassman, MA, CHST, has served as the National Safety Coordinator for the International Masonry Institute (IMI) since October 2004. He brings extensive safety experience to the SEI Board of Directors, and will represent the organized labor perspective on the Board. IMI is a national joint labor management trust with the Bricklayers and Allied Trades Union and Masonry Contractors.

Continuing to serve on the SEI Board of Directors are:

Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer; Ron Herring - Vice President Global Product Leadership, MSA

Vice Chairman of the Board James Platner - Director of Safety, the Center to Protect Workers' Rights

Jeffrey Vincoli - Manager, ES&H Compliance Assurance, Bechtel Corporation

Bradley M. Sant - Senior Vice President, Safety and Education, American Road & Transportation Builders Association

Steven T. Edwards - Director Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute, University of Maryland

Information about SEI's certification programs and the most current version of the SEI **Certified Product List** can be accessed on SEI's web site, [www.SEInet.org](http://www.SEInet.org). The SEI home page includes the SEI **Certified Product List** which provides certified product model names and numbers, manufacturer's names, and contact information.

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