

2023 PUMP SCHOOL

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PRESENTER BIOS

Ron Aceto

Aceto has had a distinguished career with several pump manufacturers and distributors of centrifugal and positive displacement pumps and is experienced in pump systems, applications, operations and maintenance and sales. Involved in pumping since 1984, Aceto has been an instructor at events such as the Tri-State Seminar (Nevada WEA) and WEFTEC, presented on pump maintenance and operation in North America, Europe, Asia, and Australia, and helped author pump maintenance protocols at Moyno, MonoFlow, and Cornell Pump

Kyle Ashby

Kyle Ashby joined Cornell Pump in 2023 as a Product Engineer in the Order Processing Group, responsible for engineering duties and technical support for new pump orders. He graduated with a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from UC Santa Barabara and has a wealth of industry experience in mechanical design and physical testing.

Josh Barksdale

Josh Barksdale is the Embedded Systems Engineer at Cornell Pump. He is a Team-oriented electrical engineer proficient in embedded programming, PCB layout, and analytical thinking. He graduated form Oregon State University in 2020 with an BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering.

Marcus Davi

Marcus Davi is Vice President of Sales at Cornell Pump and is responsible for all sales and engineering functions at the company. He has been with Cornell Pump more than 10 years. Before his time at Cornell, Marcus worked at other companies within the Process Technologies group of Roper Technologies, living and working in the UK, Singapore, Dallas, Atlanta and beyond. He has a BS in Mechanical and Aeronautical Engineering from UC Davis.

Jason Davidson

Jason Davidson is pump professional with more than 25 years' experience as a distributor and as manufacturers' sales team manager. A keynote speaker at various international conferences, Jason has traveled the world selling pumps and building relationships. He joined Cornell Pump in 2015

Andrew Enterline

Andrew Enterline is the Engineering Manager for Cornell Pump, and the chief speaker of Virtual Pump School. Enterline graduated from the University of Portland with a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering. He has spent more than 15 years with Cornell, earning his Professional Engineer certification in 2014.

Andrew Enterline a PE certified instructor and member of the Hydraulic Institute, who has worked on hundreds of pump designs at Cornell Pump. He Graduate magna cum laude from Portland University in Mechanical Engineering.

Chad Enz

Chad Enz is a Design Engineer for New Product Development joining the team in 2022. New to design, Chad worked in construction fields before returning to school earning a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering and then passing the FE in 2020. His most recent effort includes several pumps for the new ZX line.

Eddie Esparza

Eddie Esparza joined Cornell in 2018 working the warehouse before moving into parts sales and most recently in agricultural pump sales. During his time in sales, Eddie has developed strong relationships with domestic and international customers helping them sales, troubleshooting, and logistics.

Eric Holtan

Eric Holtan has been a pump applications more than 25 years. Working at Cornell, Holland Supply, and on his family farm, he I very familiar with agricultural applications. Holtan became Cornell's Agricultural Market Manager in 2021.

Seth James

Seth James started work for Cornell in June of 2018 in the test lab. After a year, he started work as a Design Engineer. James received a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering from Oregon State University.

Adam Lawler

Adam Lawler is a Mechanical Engineer with years of experience designing pumps and pumping systems for various industries. He joined Cornell in 2020 as a Design Engineer for New Product Development where he focused on creating new hydraulics and expanding Cornell's product

lines. Now Adam is an Engineering Supervisor for Order Processing at Cornell where he oversees projects in the Industrial, Mining, Rental, and Agricultural sectors of business.

Sarah McChesney

McChesney is the Engineering Manager at Reich USA Corporation. A graduate of the Colorado School of Mines in Mechanical Engineering, she has been employed in engineering projects and sales roles at Caterpillar, Ringfeder Corporation, and Reich.

Brian O'Neill

With over 20 years of sales experience, Brian joined Cornell last year as our Midwest Regional Manager responsible for Cornell's Manure Pump Market. Brian oversees sales of pumps used in the agricultural mark for manure pumping, mainly working with OEMs on engine drive pumping systems.

Michael Papadeas

A pump professional, specializing in international sales and mining, Papadeas has extensive experience sizing and operating pumps in difficult applications. He has worked at well known pump companies such as Toyo, Weir, Sykes, and Technosub. Papadeas also had a stint in international finance in China, and has an MBA from thee Booth School at the University of Chicago.

Scott Pellerin

Scott Pellerin began his career in the oil and gas industry, where he spent 17 years designing process equipment that relied on the use of centrifugal pumps as part of the process. He joined Cornell in 2017 as a regional manager. He is responsible for growing the rental, industrial, municipal, mining and ag markets in the Gulf Coast region, as well as supporting the customer base for each of these markets within this territory.

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Robert Ray

Robert Ray is the president of Cornell Pump Company. He began his tenure at Cornell after serving in the Army, working his way up from test lab technician, to Chief Engineer, VP of Sales, and now president. A professional engineer, he has an MBA from Portland State.

Rob Stuart

A graduate of BSEE from Washington State, Stuart has worked in the pump motor industry for decades. He has been involved in engineering, project management, marketing, and sales aspects at companies such as Sharp, Carmody, Tektronix, and WEG. In his role. He is currently a motor application engineer at NorCal Power Solutions.

Tim Wegener

As District Manager of Flowserve, Wegener has extensive pump and troubleshooting experience. A pump systems sales professional for more than 20 years, Wegener's talk on sealing systems is always eagerly anticipated at Cornell's Pump Schools. Even seasoned veterans learn something new and seal and seals maintenance in the class.

Aaron Weiss

Aaron Weiss is the Electrical Project Engineer for Cornell Pump, where he designs predictive and preventative applications for pump failure as part of our IIoT initiative. Previously, Weiss worked at Google and Motorola, among other companies. He graduated from the University of Colorado at Boulder with a B.S. in Physics, with concentrations in Electrical Engineering and Embedded Systems.

Jordan White

Jordan White is the Product Development Manager in the engineering department of Cornell Pump. He joined the company in 2017 and has moved up from design and project engineer into his role. Prior to working at Cornell, he was project engineer for a brewing equipment manufacturer. He graduated from Oregon State University with a BS in Mechanical Engineering.

Brandon Yoder

Brandon Yoder began his career with Cornell pump as a pump assembler. Working nearly a decade in the shop, and rising to lead assembler, gave him a great perspective on pump design. In 2018, he transitioned into the engineering department as an Engineering Technician. In the engineering department Brandon is responsible for all manual creation, processes warranty evaluations, works at least one week a month out in the field for training service, is featured in many of our YouTube videos, and helps in creating the new innovative designs for Cornell's pumps.

Dave Young

Dave Young is the NW Regional Manager for Cornell Pump Company. Joining Cornell in 1995, he has more than 25 years of pump sales experience. Dave has been published in Pumps and Systems magazine and covers all markets for Cornell including Agricultural, Industrial, Municipal, Rental, and Mining.