



**ECIA Member Newsletter** 

#### April 08, 2020

### **ECIA COVID Resources**

CORONAVIRUS

ECIA's <u>Coronavirus Resources</u> page is being continually revised as new information is received. The latest updates are a link to the application and FAQ sheet for the **Paycheck Protection Program**. There is a public resource

page and one for members only that has additional information. The members-only page requires that you log into your ECIA account for access.

## Webinar Series: Safer Remote Working with The Trust Bridge



This 3-part series explores a variety of aspects of maintaining cyber health; corporate communications and a professional presence during this unique time. The 20-minute segments are

designed to bring you the latest tips and best practices from subject matter experts. Register for one, two or all three!

- <u>Thursday, April 9</u>: Work Safe and Care for Your Cyber Hygiene & Internal Communications and Keeping in Touch with Your Teams
- <u>Tuesday, April 14</u>: Checking Your Data Assets; Look Professional on Screen
- <u>Thursday, April 16</u>: Supply Chain Assurance and Operational Resilience

What are you doing to support the coronavirus recovery? Use the hashtag #ECIACovid19 to tell us your story. ECIA will share your news, give you a shout out...and be forever grateful for your contributions.

## **Coronavirus Survey - Update 4**

#### **Results of ECIA Survey Ended April 6, 2020**

Dale Ford, ECIA Chief Analyst



With the spread of the Coronavirus there is a need to provide visibility on how this crisis is impacting the electronics components industry and the supply chain. ECIA has been conducting surveys of member manufacturing and distributor companies to gain an understanding of this fluid situation.

This most recent survey was conducted between Monday, March 30<sup>th</sup> and Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>. Between the most recent survey and the previous survey that ended March 20th, the number of confirmed cases and deaths due to COVID-19 jumped by four to five times worldwide. More stringent quarantine orders have been implemented and new U.S. weekly unemployment claims have smashed records as the economic impact of the pandemic sweeps around the world.

This most recent survey reflects the deepening worldwide crisis and presents renewed concerns for the impact on the electronics markets and supply chains. <u>Click here</u> to read the

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**Upcoming Events** 

Thursday, April 9

 <u>Safer Remote Working</u> <u>Webinar: Part 1</u>

Tuesday, April 14

<u>Safer Remote Working</u>
<u>Webinar: Part 2</u>

Thursday, April 16

 Safer Remote Working Webinar: Part 3

Monday, April 20

GIPC Update Webinar

Friday, April 24

 <u>Rep Council - Quarterly</u> <u>Webinar</u>

Wednesday, April 29

<u>Spring Engineering</u>
<u>Summit - Webex</u>

#### Weekly Economic Trends National Association of Manufacturers

By special agreement ECIA is pleased to present NAM Chief Economist Chad Moutray's weekly analysis of key U.S. government economic data and manufacturing industry trends in the <u>NAM Economic</u> <u>Report - April 06.</u> Synopsis Survey Report. Members can access the complete survey results by logging into the ECIA website.

## Semi Survey Results Show Inventory Concerns



The most recent TPC survey polled over 7,300 active industry professionals across the globe. The availability of critical parts are still a concern with lead times extending and inventories remaining low. Respondents reported an improvement in C2Q growth

expectations. However, C2Q bookings expectations were weaker. <u>Click here</u> for the March 27th survey report.

Technology Partners Consulting, (TPC) provides independent third party consulting to electronics suppliers and financial services firms. TPC provides ECIA with a monthly report on a market trends survey administered by Glenn Hitchcock, TPC founder and president.

## **GIPC Quarterly Update Webinar**

#### Monday, April 20, 4:00 PM Eastern



The Global Industry Practices Committee (GIPC) has been working on some new initiatives in the first quarter of 2020 and will hold a Q1 update on Monday, April 20 at 4:00 p.m. EST. Join Don Elario, VP of Industry Practices, committee members and the SME (Subject Matter Expert) resource pool members for this timely

review of important association initiatives. Click here to register.

The meeting is open to all ECIA members who wish to attend and learn more about the GIPC.

# Did You Know? ECIAauthorized is More Powerful

#### Now Search with Distributor Part Numbers



Our powerful search tool just got more powerful: search for *distributor* part numbers on <u>ECIAauthorized.com</u>! So while search results have always included distributor part numbers, now you can search for parts using these numbers.

Searching for parts on <u>ECIAauthorized.com</u> is fast, flexible, and free. And now, with this new feature, you have even more ways to use <u>ECIAauthorized.com</u> to find genuine parts from only authorized sources. For questions on supplying your inventory feed to the site, contact <u>Victor Meijers</u>.



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