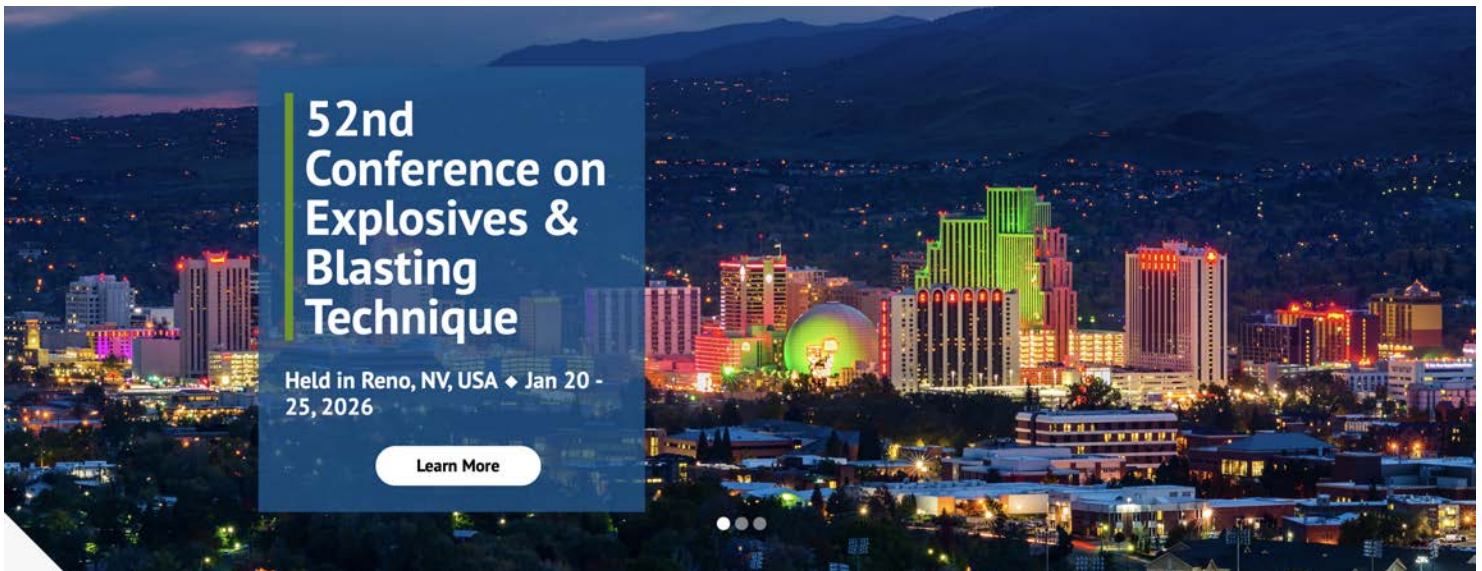


# NEWS THIS MONTH

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## THE ISEE GOES TO RENO, NV.



This January, The ISEE annual conference on Explosives & Blasting Techniques goes to Reno, Nevada. The annual event brings the very best in blasting techniques, the latest innovations and insights from the industries leading global experts. With technical sessions covering everything from reviews on drilling methods and tools to safeguarding WW1 structures in surface blasting there is something relevant to everyone. The 16 hours of training sessions over 2 days brings the boots on the ground blasters and engineers and researchers flock to hear the latest papers bringing every facet of the industry together under one roof. It's the premier event to get up to speed with the latest technologies, methods and means in the blasting community from around the world. If you are a surface blaster in a limestone quarry, an underground blasters working in mining, an all around construction blaster working in urban areas or even a highly specialized demolition blaster this conference has something for you.



## New England ISEE Chapter Blaster's Refresher Training

This past week we were happy to attend the New England ISEE chapter's New York State 8 hour blaster's refresher training held outside Albany in Selkirk NY. The program meets the New York state requirements for blaster continuing education in renewing a blasters license. We were happy to speak to the group about low explosives or deflagrating explosives and highlighting the advantages of using a product like Nxburst in urban areas.



Speakers from across the explosives industry as well as regulators from the state of New York, the state of New Jersey and the ATF provided the room with years of valuable insight and experience.

Like all ISEE local chapters, The New England Chapter provides opportunity for presentation of technical education programs, discussion of regulations, safety issues, and meetings to address local concerns. If you are a blaster or involved with blasting in the New England area consider a membership and getting involved with the New England Chapter of the ISEE.

<https://www.neisee.org/>

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## HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

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As the December days fall away your brain starts to go into holiday mode, all of us at Coogar Sales want to wish you and yours a happy holiday season. Now is the time to reflect on all the good of the past year and enjoy well deserved time with family and friends.

We would also like to take this opportunity to remind everyone to take a cab, Uber or public transit. Make sure you arrive home safe this holiday season.



Our office will be closed from December 24rd 2025 to January 5th 2026

## Please Don't Drink and Drive!