

Meet . . . the *Material Handling & Logistics* Editorial Team



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Introducing . . . the Editorial Advisory Board

Material Handling & Logistics is proud to present the members of its first Editorial Advisory Board. This group of professionals represents an eclectic cross section of disciplines that play a key role in ensuring the free flow of goods and information through all industries. Represented on the board are experts with backgrounds in military logistics, education, training, consulting, manufacturing and distribution. They will share their insights with readers in every issue of *MHL*.



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