

# Inservice Testing Training

## August 9-13, 2021

### Montrose, Colorado\*

**\*The course will be conducted in accommodate both In-person and virtual attendees. Please specify desired option on Registration Form below.**

#### OVERVIEW

GSE TrueNorth will be conducting their biannual Inservice Testing Training course beginning January 18, 2021 and concluding August 9 –13, 2021 in Montrose, CO. Courses offered, and associated details are below with additional information available at the provided links.

#### COURSE CONTENT

- IST requirements up through the 2017 Code Edition
- Course content and approach structured for IST Program Owners
- Training materials provided in hard copy or electronic download...PLEASE SPECIFY on registration
- Current issues and interfaces with emphasis on industry/code initiatives and solutions
- IST Alternatives—Risk Informed, Performance Based Testing, Future OM Code Activities

#### SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

**August 9 - 13, 2021**

Mon, August 9	8 am – 5 pm MST	Regulatory Framework, ASME Framework/OM Code Cases, ISTA General Requirements
Tues, August 10	8 am – 5pm MST	ISTB Pump Testing, Appendix
Wed, August 11	8 am – 5 pm MST	Valve Testing, Appendices I, II, III and IV
Thurs, August 12	8 am – 5 pm MST	ISTD Snubber Testing, Regulatory/Industry Future OM Code Activities/Challenges; Appendix IV, Performance/Risk Programs
Fri, August 13	8 am – 5 pm MST	Course Review, Exam, Exam Review, Closing and Discussion

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS (CEU)

Each attendee will receive a Certificate of Completion for 3.6 Continuing Education Units (CEU) credits to qualify for 36 Professional Development Hours (PDH) needed to fulfill Professional Engineers' continuing education requirements. The credits will be awarded without authorization. It is the attendee's responsibility to keep and present the certificate to any organization that requires the certificate.

#### FEE: \$2,695

\*\* A copy of the ASME Code is required. Training material will be provided prior to the training by electronic download.

### WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

*I liked the variety of instructional methods, even the examples and discussions.  
The instructor was very good at explaining the material clearly.*

*Very thorough training. I liked the practice pump and valve exercises and examples of issues in  
IST at other plants. Thanks for a good training, I learned a lot!*

*Excellent course! Overview and then details are a great method. Good feedback on attendee questions.*

*Very thorough and informative training with many opportunities for discussion.*

*The instructor was very knowledgeable and able to relate the information to  
real-world applications. Great instructor that would ensure students  
understood the material before moving on.*

*The instructor presented a large amount of information and was very patient with questions.  
Overall a very good and knowledgeable instructor. I would recommend to other IST Engineers. I  
have a greater appreciation of how the IST program is governed and administered.*

*Instructor was well-versed in the Code and dealing with real-life situations associated with the  
Code and plant operation. His teaching was much more than academic. Classroom OE examples  
and hypothetical questions were good for learning and understanding.*

### LOCATION & ACCOMMODATIONS

Holiday Inn Express Montrose  
1391 South Townsend Ave  
Montrose, CO 81401  
970-240-1800  
Specify you are with True North Consulting for  
the \$99 rate.

### INSTRUCTOR

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Mr. Lippy's background encompasses significant expertise with thirty plus years in ISI/IST Coordination and diverse technical experience in nuclear power plants. Ron's focus on strengthening and standardization of Engineering Program positions has advanced nuclear power throughout the entire industry. He currently serves on the ASME/OM Main Committee as Chairman and numerous sub-committees, as well as previous Chairman of the New Reactors OM Code Subgroup. Additionally, Ron is integrally involved in the Inservice Testing Owners Group (ISTOG) and has performed Inservice Testing related assessments and training for the majority of US Nuclear Utilities.

### QUESTIONS

Contact Pam Gilroy  
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## REGISTRATION FORM

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DEADLINE – August 2, 2021

E-mail: [pamela.gilroy@gses.com](mailto:pamela.gilroy@gses.com)

Mail to: Pam Gilroy, GSE TrueNorth  
150 Merchant Drive | Montrose, Colorado 81401

Or Register Online at: <https://www.gses.com/registration>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remittance of payment is due one week prior to the first day of training.</li> <li>• Receipt for payment will be emailed to you as your confirmation.</li> <li>• If your company or another party will be compensating GSE TrueNorth for your registration fee via check or credit card, please include a contact name, number and email address of the person responsible.</li> <li>• <b>All information shall remain confidential.</b></li> </ul>	
If you have any questions about registering, please call 970.252.1489 or email <a href="mailto:pamela.gilroy@gses.com">pamela.gilroy@gses.com</a> .	