



## NEWS RELEASE

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**NGA Glazing Executives Forum**

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### **YKK AP America Inc. Returns as Gold Sponsor of 2018 Glazing Executives Forum**

**YKK AP America Inc.**, manufacturer of a complete line of aluminum entrances, storefronts, curtain walls, sunshades, and windows for use in commercial and institutional construction, located in Austell, Georgia, will serve as the Gold Sponsor for the 13th Annual Glazing Executives Forum. Held in conjunction with GlassBuild America: The Glass, Window & Door Expo in Las Vegas, the forum will take place September 12, 2018.

The Glazing Executives Forum is presented by the National Glass Association for owners, presidents, CEOs and senior managers in the North American glazing and architectural glass industry. The day-long event provides industry professionals a unique venue for building enduring relationships and discussing common challenges. This year's Forum will highlight **Strategies for Smart Growth**, featuring dynamic and informative speakers, Ask the Expert interactive coaching and access to the new GlassBuild Opening Reception on the tradeshow floor.

Registration for the 2018 Glazing Executives Forum is open, with discounted early-bird registration prices in effect until June 30. NGA members receive special member rates. More information on the event is available at [www.glassbuildamerica.com/glazing-executives-forum.html](http://www.glassbuildamerica.com/glazing-executives-forum.html).

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#### ABOUT GLASSBUILD AMERICA

Now in its 16th year, GlassBuild America: The Glass, Window & Door Expo is the largest and most comprehensive event for the entire glass, metals and window and door industries in the Americas. Held annually, GlassBuild America is presented by the National Glass Association, now combined with the Glass Association of North America as of Feb. 1, 2018, along with association sponsors: the Window & Door Dealers Alliance, the American Architectural Manufacturers Association, and the Insulating Glass Manufacturers Alliance, and in conjunction with the industry's leading publications – Glass Magazine and Window & Door. For more information, visit [www.GlassBuildAmerica.com](http://www.GlassBuildAmerica.com).

#### ABOUT NGA

Founded in 1948, the National Glass Association (NGA), [www.glass.org](http://www.glass.org), combined with the Glass Association of North America (GANNA), [www.glasswebsite.com](http://www.glasswebsite.com) on February 1, 2018 to form the largest trade association serving the architectural glass and metals industry supply chain, including glazing contractors, full-service glass companies, glass fabricators, primary glass manufacturers and suppliers to the industry. It is a technical

powerhouse that brings some of the best minds to the table to create technical resources and promote and advocate for glass in buildings. NGA's education and training programs—both online at [MyGlassClass.com](http://MyGlassClass.com) and in-person at association-sponsored events—and its official publication [Glass Magazine](#), keep the industry knowledgeable and well-informed. NGA also produces the industry's largest annual trade show in the Americas, [GlassBuild America](#), and hosts the [Building Envelope Contractors Conference](#), the [Glazing Executives Forum](#) and other educational and networking events, bringing together thousands of industry professionals to help them build more profitable businesses.