## The North Coast Fastener Association Presents *A Dinner Meeting with the Fastener Training Institute*

The NCFA has partnered up with the Fastener Training Institute to bring you an interesting and informative dinner meeting opportunity.

Carmen Vertullo (CarVer Consulting) and Salim Brahimi (IBECA Tech.), two of the instructors from Pac-West sponsored Fastener Training Institute, will be discussing the renowned Fastener Training Institute and some current topics affecting our industry.

Salim Brahimi is a renowned hydrogen embrittlement and fastener failure researcher. He conducted the metallurgical investigation on the recent Bay Bridge fastener situation. Both Carmen and Salim and brilliant individuals, and this dinner meeting provides attendees the opportunity to meet Salim and Carmen and discuss industry topics.

Also in attendance at this meeting, will be board members from the Fastener Industry Coalition (FIC), a group made up of members of each regional fastener association, as well as the IFI, NFDA and WIFI.

The NCFA is absorbing much of the cost for this event to make it feasible for companies to send multiple attendees. We truly believe this event provides a unique networking opportunity for attendees. This is an event that you don't want to miss!

