



## Armstrong's Aubrey VanHorn Named a 2025 Women MAKE Awards Honoree



Aubrey VanHorn interacting with an employee at the Macon, Ga. manufacturing facility.

LANCASTER, Pa., April 25, 2025 — Armstrong World Industries, Inc. (Armstrong), an Americas leader in the design and manufacture of innovative interior and exterior architectural applications including ceilings, specialty walls and exterior metal solutions, is proud to announce that Aubrey VanHorn, Assistant Plant Manager at our Macon, Ga., plant, has been named a 2025 Women MAKE Awards Honoree by Women MAKE America and The Manufacturing Institute.

The Women MAKE Awards honor women at all levels of manufacturing who have demonstrated excellence in their careers and dedication to supporting and uplifting other women in the industry. Honorees are selected based on their professional accomplishments, community involvement and efforts to inspire the next generation of women in manufacturing. As the manufacturing sector continues to evolve and grow, these role models are essential in helping build a diverse and inclusive workforce.

Aubrey began her Armstrong career as a Process Engineer and quickly advanced to leadership roles, including Value Stream Specialist, where she led the adoption of a local recycled paper supply – saving over \$2 million and diverting 3,500 tons of landfill waste annually. As the first woman to hold her current role at the plant, she now oversees 350 employees and is mentoring new female leaders, which is important as Armstrong works to increase the presence of female stakeholders and leaders across business functions.

Beyond the plant, Aubrey is an active mom of two young children, supports Little League baseball and gives back to her community through local shelters and Feed the City, which distributes meals to families in Middle Georgia.

"We are incredibly proud of Aubrey and all she has accomplished at Armstrong," said Mark Hershey, chief operations officer at Armstrong. "Her leadership exemplifies the values we uphold at Armstrong – innovation, sustainability and inclusion – and we look forward to seeing her continue to inspire others within our organization and the broader manufacturing community."

Aubrey was honored at the Women MAKE Awards Gala on April 24 at The Anthem in Washington, D.C.

## **About Armstrong World Industries**

Armstrong World Industries, Inc (AWI) is an Americas leader in the design and manufacture of innovative interior and exterior architectural applications including ceilings, specialty walls and exterior metal solutions. For more than 160 years, Armstrong has delivered products and capabilities that enable architects, designers and contractors to transform building design and construction with elevated aesthetics, acoustics and sustainable attributes. With \$1.4 billion in revenue in 2024, AWI has approximately 3,600 employees and a manufacturing network of 20 facilities, plus seven facilities dedicated to its WAVE joint venture.

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