

## MISSOURI TRUCKING ASSOCIATION

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# NEWS RELEASE

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### MISSOURI TRUCKING ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SUPERTECH COMPETITION

**Branson, MO** --The 2015 Missouri Trucking Association (MoTA) Annual SuperTech Competition, sponsored by the MoTA Technology and Maintenance Council, was held at the Hilton Branson Convention Center, Branson, Missouri, February 4th.

The competition for full-time heavy-duty truck technicians included an ASE-style written test, with the 26 top scorers advancing to the finals. The finalists competed in the hands-on challenge with multiple skill stations, presenting equally challenging problems to both fleet maintenance and service shop pros. The SuperTech Competition Chairman, Phillip Goller along with Eric Larson, the Technology and Maintenance Chairman, presented plaques in thirteen categories honoring the best.

Winners in the competition stations are listed below with employer, company and location.

Highest Written Score;

**Brian Engemann, Mid-America Peterbilt, O'Fallon, MO**

Lift Gate;

**Mark Lammert, Walmart Transportation, St. James, MO**

Electrical;

**Aaron Tucker, Hogan Transports Inc., St. Louis, MO**

Engine;

**David Prichett, Central Power Systems & Services, Springfield, MO**

PMI;

**Guy Jensen, Mid-America Peterbilt, O'Fallon, MO**

5<sup>th</sup> Wheel;

**Aaron Tucker, Hogan Transports Inc., St. Louis, MO**

Wheel End;

**Richard Davis, Hogan Transports Inc., St. Louis, MO**

HVAC;

**Guy Jensen, Mid-America Peterbilt, O'Fallon, MO**

Starting & Charging;

**David Cottingham, Walmart Transportation, St. James, MO**

Brakes & ABS;

**Mark Lammert, Walmart Transportation, St. James, MO**

Tire / Wheel Analysis;

**Jacob Dewaard, Ryder Transportation, Springfield, MO**

Hardware / Fasteners;

**Richard Davis, Hogan Transports Inc., St. Louis, MO**

Air System;

**David Cottingham, Walmart Transportation, St. James, MO**

Trophies were presented to the three Overall Winners in the SuperTech competition as follows:

Third Place Winner;

**Brian Engemann, Mid-America Peterbilt, O'Fallon, MO**

Second Place Winner;

**Aaron Tucker, Hogan Transports Inc., St. Louis, MO**

2015 SuperTech Champion;

**Richard Davis, Hogan Transports Inc., St. Louis, MO**

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