

The Best of 2019:

We've Been Everywhere, Man!

Cue Johnny Cash, because we've been everywhere this year, man! From Washington to Maine, Florida to California, Canada to Texas, and all places in between, our clients have had us crisscrossing the country in 2019.

Some places we've been:

- Ohio: Finished a [\\$50M, automated batching and dosing facility](#) for a Fortune 500 client; and designed a new state-of-the-art oil blending facility.
- Canada: Designed an [energy reclaim and reduction](#) process improvement at an oilseeds plant.
- Georgia: Completed designs and construction assistance on two new automated bottling lines.
- Alabama: Increased the cracking, drying, flaking, and grinding capacity at an oilseeds facility.
- California: Provided mechanical and [piping design](#) for a production line relocation to a new specialty ingredients facility.
- Iowa: Completed a rail loadout design for dust control that [included a dust hood](#).

Some things we've done:

- Performed a record number of 15 [Dust Hazard Analyses](#) across 12 states.
- Our employees traveled to client sites nearly every day of the year - we managed 357 travel bookings!
- Were asked to hold [training seminars](#) for several clients.
- Matt Williamson and [Ray Smith](#) were invited to present at professional conferences, and Matt was invited to [write an article](#) for *Inform Magazine*.

Where will your projects take us in 2020? We look forward to finding out!

Thanks for reading,
 Alex Fishman, P.E.
 President
 ADF Engineering, Inc.



2019 ADF Employee Awards

I am proud to recognize our dedicated employees each year. This year, 8 awards were given out for anniversaries and for going above and beyond in safety and customer service. Join us in congratulating our very deserving recipients - [leave someone a message here!](#)

10 Year Anniversary:

- Beth Hery,
Senior Process Engineer
- Mario Ancona, *Omaha Office Manager*

Safety Stars:

- Matt Williamson,
Dir. of Engineering
- Rod Geist,
Sr. Designer and Project Manager



5 Year Anniversary:

- Sanja Marin,
Structural Designer

Customer Service:

- Natalie Quinn,
Process Engineer
- Derek Jacobs,
Structural Dept. Manager
- Melissa McKinney,
Sr. Project Assistant

Awardees are pictured below: (top row, left to right) Sanja Marin, Melissa McKinney with Alex Fishman, and Mario Ancona; (middle row, left to right) Matt Williamson with Alex Fishman, and Rod Geist; (bottom row, left to right) Alex Fishman with Derek Jacobs, Beth Hery, and Natalie Quinn with Alex Fishman.



Where Will ADF be in 2020?

- **NEW** Midwest Association of Rail Shippers' Winter Meeting: Lombard, IL, Jan. 14-16, Tabletop Display
- IPPE: Atlanta, Jan. 28-30, Booth A2926
- GEAPS: Minneapolis, March 21-23, Booth 1934
- AOCS: Quebec, Canada, April 27-29, Booth 817
- CUTC: Chesterfield, MO, June 1-3
- FEW: Minneapolis, June 15-17, Booth 1228
- ABA Tech Conference: Kansas City, Oct. 25-28, Tabletop Display

How are we doing? Let us know!