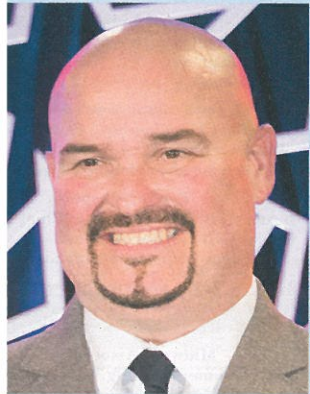


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### Logistics

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**ordan Dewart** has been  
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**roshi Shimizu**, who was  
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a president of Yusen Logistics

# WheelTime, Forsyth Tech Host Pros, Students in 'Road to SuperTech' Trials

WheelTime Network and Forsyth Technical Community College hosted the "Road to SuperTech" competition April 28-29 at the college in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Technicians from W.W. Williams and Clarke Power Services competed alongside five Forsyth Tech students.

Elijah Doub, who took first place among the Forsyth Tech students, will compete in American Trucking Associations' 2016 National Student Technician Competition, TMC FutureTech, this fall.

Kyle Ballard, a technician with Clarke Power Services of Cincinnati, took first place among the professional technicians, followed by Aaron Burdick and Kevin Fricke, also with Clarke Power Services. Other Clark Power Services technicians competing included Ronnie Schlessinger, Wes Trimble and D.J. Allison.

The 2016 "Road to SuperTech" event included two training sessions in the afternoon and concluded with a competition the next day.

Forsyth Tech and WheelTime,



Schlessinger (left), Trimble, Burdick, Ballard, Allison and Fricke, all of Clarke Power Services, competed in "Road to SuperTech."

based in Greensboro, North Carolina, have worked together to create a program to prepare technicians for the workforce. The competition exposes students to industry opportunities and showcases Forsyth Tech's dedication to working with industry professionals.

"Today, technology is changing so fast that historical teaching methods can't keep up, making it difficult to create a curriculum that provides everything today's students need," said George Arrants, director of training and recruitment for WheelTime Network.

## Bison's Pitzel Receives Casey Safety Award From TCA for Years of Service to Trucking

Garth Pitzel, director of safety and driver development for Bison Transport, has received the Truckload Carriers Association's 2016 Clare C. Casey Safety Professional of the Year Award. The award honors an individual for profound contributions to highway safety.

Pitzel joined Bison Transport, based in Winnipeg, Manitoba, in 1994 and has worked in the fleet's highway and city operations. As director of safety and driver development since 2001, he is responsible for company and driver safety, driver development and company security.

Bison Transport ranks No. 59 on the TRANSPORT TOPICS Top 100 list of the largest for-hire carriers in the United States and Canada.

Pitzel actively promotes the trucking industry and furthers transportation and workplace



Truckload Carriers Association

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safety initiatives. He makes presentations at industry-related events and regularly contributes his expertise to trucking associations, private industry and government and regulatory bodies.

A member of TCA's School Committee, Pitzel has served in

leadership of the Safety & Security Division. He is a member of the Saskatchewan Trucking Association's board of directors, Qualcomm's safety advisory board and the Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce transportation committee.

He also was inducted to the Manitoba Trucking Association's Pioneer Club, which includes members of the local trucking industry who have been continually employed in the industry for at least 25 years and are actively engaged in transportation policy.

The award was presented at TCA's Safety & Security Division Annual Meeting on May 22-24 in Fort Worth, Texas. It is named for Clare Casey, a safety professional who served TCA from 1979 until his death in 1989. The first award in his name was presented in 1990.