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American Land Title Association Awards National Title Professional Designations

Washington, D.C., September 3, 2013 — The [American Land Title Association](#) (ALTA), the national trade association of the land title insurance industry, awarded three National Title Professional (NTP) designations today.

The professional designation was received by Paula Bachmeier of Minot Guaranty and Escrow Company in Minot, N.D.; Nancy Landmark of Commercial Partners Title in Minneapolis, Minn.; and Gregory Wolff of Fidelity National Title Company in Colorado Springs, Colo.

“I am pleased to congratulate an extremely talented group of title industry colleagues on their National Title Professional designations,” said ALTA President Frank Pellegrini. “Their knowledge, dedication and breadth of experience make them deserving recipients of this designation.”

The [National Title Professional \(NTP\)](#) designation recognizes land title professionals who demonstrate the knowledge, experience and dedication essential to the safe and efficient transfer of real property.*

The designation has several elements, including industry and compliance prerequisites and training requirements. To apply for the NTP designation and for more information, please visit [ALTA's NTP website](#).

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About ALTA

The [American Land Title Association](#), founded in 1907, is the national trade association representing more than 4,600 title insurance companies, title agents, independent abstracters, title searchers, and attorneys. With offices throughout the United States, ALTA members conduct title searches, examinations, closings, and issue title insurance that protects real property owners and mortgage lenders against losses from defects in titles.

*Designation under the National Title Professional Program solely demonstrates that a land title professional has met the particular standards and criteria of the National Title Professional Program. Neither the American Land Title Association, nor the designation itself, guarantees or warrants anything beyond a designee’s ability to meet such standards or criteria. The American Land Title Association makes no representations, warranties, or guarantees as to, and has and assumes no responsibility for the proper performance of land title services, including but not limited to the transfer of real property, or related services provided by designees.