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American Land Title Association Awards Lockhart, Texas Resident National Title Professional Designation

Washington, D.C., July 26, 2013 — The [American Land Title Association](http://www.alta.org) (ALTA), the national trade association of the land title insurance industry, announced today it has awarded Shari K. Foster of Lockhart, Texas, a National Title Professional (NTP) 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.*

“It is our honor to award Shari Foster a National Title Professional designation,” said ALTA President Frank Pellegrini. “This designation is a testament to Shari’s vast experience and admirable commitment to the land title industry.”

Foster is the Vice President/Director of Education and Training at Fidelity National Title Group’s Southwest Agency Division in Dallas, Texas. She serves on the Texas Land Title Association’s (TLTA) Land Title School Committee and Federal Issues Committee. She received a Certified Title Insurance Associate award from TLTA in 2011. She also serves on ALTA’s education committee.

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](http://www.alta.org).

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About ALTA

The [American Land Title Association](http://www.alta.org), founded in 1907, is the national trade association representing more than 4,500 title insurance companies, title agents, independent abstractors, 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 designation. 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.