

2017 CIHC PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR “EHS Practice Evolving for 21st Century Issues”

Monday, December 4, 2017

Morning Session Theme - “Today’s Regulatory/Legislative Arena: Are You Prepared?”

7:00-8:00 a.m. Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:00 a.m. Welcome and CIHC Update — *Pamela Murcell, MS, CIH, Conference Co-Chair, CIHC Board President, KWA Safety & HazMat Consultants, Inc.*

8:15 a.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Chris Laszcz-Davis, MS, CIH, FAIHA, AIC Fellow, President, The Environmental Quality Organization, LLC, former CIHC Board President*

8:20 a.m. California Legislative Activity — *Catherine Barankin, CIHC Legislative Advocate*

8:35 a.m. National AIHA—Its Aspirations and Challenges in Today’s Climate — *Larry Sloan, CAE, Chief Executive Officer, American Industrial Hygiene Association*

9:10 a.m. Cal/OSHA Update and Progress--*Juliann Sum, JD, ScM, Chief, Cal/OSHA*

10:00 p.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

10:30 a.m. California Department of Public Health Update — *Barbara Materna, PhD, CIH, Chief, Occupational Health Branch, CA Dept. of Public Health*

11:15 a.m. Can Federal OSHA Withstand the Injury?: The Trump Administration’s Impact on Worker Protection Rules--*Peggy Otum, JD, Arnold & Porter Kaye Scholer, LLP*

Noon-1:30 p.m. KEYNOTE LUNCHEON – “Emerging Issues”, John Howard, MD, MPH, JD, LLM, Director, NIOSH

Afternoon Session Theme - “Emerging Issues”

1:30 p.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Dennis M. Robinson, D.Env., CIH, Program Director, Pacific States Environmental Contractors*

1:35 p.m. New Technology for Air Sampling — *Ron McMahan, BSIE, Director of Business Development and Innovation SGS Galson Laboratories Inc;*

2:25 p.m. Case Study: Big Data Use for Analyses of Consequences — *Dan Hernandez, MPH, CIH, NOA Manager, Dragados Flatiron Sukut JV Calaveras Dam Replacement Project / Bradley Erskine, Ph.D. PG, CEG, CHG, Geologist/Compliance Manager – Naturally Occurring Asbestos Program, Calaveras Dam Replacement Project*

3:15 p.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

3:35 p.m. Health & Safety Issues Associated with Cannabis Cultivation — *Bradley King, PhD, MPH, CIH, NIOSH Western States Office*

4:25 p.m. Worker Health and Safety Apps for Smart Phones — *Gino Fazio, Office of the Director, NIOSH*

5:15 p.m. Conference Day 1 ends

5:30-7:00 p.m. Evening Social

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

Morning Session Theme – “Case Studies in Protecting Worker Health & Safety in the Global Economy”

7:00-8:00 a.m. Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:00 a.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Garrett Brown, CIH*

8:10 a.m. Occupational Health Mission in Bangladesh for Doctors Without Borders (Medicins sans Frontiers /MSF) — *Gary Bangs, MPH, CIH, Retired, University of Washington, Seattle*

9:00 a.m. Mobilizing Consumers to Wear their Values — *Ayesha Barenblat, MPP, Founder, Remake, San Francisco*

9:50 a.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

10:20 a.m. The Good News and the Bad News on Working Conditions in Electronics Supply Chains — *Michael Rohwer, Associate Director, Business for Social Responsibility, San Francisco*

11:10 a.m. CSR’s global failure to protect workers – Case study of Hansae Vietnam — *Garrett Brown, MPH, CIH, FAIHA, Coordinator, Maquiladora Health & Safety Support Network, Berkeley*

Noon-1:30 p.m. LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

Afternoon Session Theme – “Tomorrowland: The Future of IH”

1:30 p.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Ben Kollmeyer, MPH, CIH, Principal and Chief Science Officer, Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc. / Joel I. Berman, CIH, CSP, CIAQM, Vice President, Health Science Associates*

1:35 p.m. Megatrends and AIHA’s Content Priorities — *Ben Kollmeyer, MPH, CIH, Principal and Chief Science Officer, Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc.*

2:20 p.m. The Value of an EHS Management of Change Process – *Richard Hirsh, MPH, CIH, FAIHA, Director, Environmental Health and Safety, Nektar Therapeutics*

3:00 p.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

3:30 p.m. The Exposure Science Frontier — *Jennifer Sahmel, MPH, CIH, CSP, Insight Exposure and Risk Sciences*

4:15 p.m. How Monitor Alarm Set Points Affect Real World Operator Level Behaviors — *Bob Comer, District Manager, Industrial Scientific*

5:00 p.m. Conference Day 2 Ends

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Wednesday, December 6, 2017

Morning Session Theme – “Legal Issues and the CIH Role”

7:00-8:00 a.m. Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:00 a.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions— *Joel I. Berman, CIH, CSP, CIAQM, Vice President, Health Science Associates / Pamela Murcell, MS, CIH, CIHC Board President, KWA Safety & HazMat Consultants, Inc.*

8:05 a.m. Prop 64 – Legalized Marijuana Impact on Work Place Policies — *Christopher Onstott, Attorney, Kronick Moskovitz Tiedemann & Girard*

9:05 a.m. “The Office” – A workers’ compensation perspective on employment and safety, including non-traditional work spaces — *Jeannette Herrera, Associate Attorney, Hanna Brophy*

9:55 a.m. Break

10:10 a.m. Update on Asbestos Litigation: Where are we now? – *Sonja E. Blomquist, Attorney and Managing Shareholder, Low, Ball & Lynch*

11:00 a.m. A Review of Hearing Loss Compensation Claim Outcomes in Light of Advanced Statistical Analysis Techniques for Determining Work-Relatedness — *Rob Brauch, President, Occupational Health and Safety Solutions*

Noon-1:15 p.m. LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

Afternoon Session Theme – “Ethics for IH Practice”

1:15 p.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Pamela Murcell, MS, CIH, CIHC Board President, KWA Safety & HazMat Consultants, Inc.*

1:20 p.m. Case Studies for IH Ethics – *Mark Katchen, CIH, FAIHA, Managing Principal, The Phylmar Group, Inc.*

3:20 p.m. Closing Remarks — *Pamela Murcell, MS, CIH, Conference Co-Chair, CIHC Board President, KWA Safety & HazMat Consultants, Inc.*

3:30 p.m. Conference Ends