

2018 CIHC PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR “OEHS – Making a Difference”

Monday, December 10, 2018

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 — *Joel Berman, CIH, CSP, CIAQM, CAC, Conference Co-Chair, CIHC Board Vice- President, Health Science Associates.*

8:15 a.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Chris Laszcz-Davis, MS, CIH, REPA, 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—Moving Boundaries” — *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. “California and Federal Legal EHS Drivers”, *Peggy Otum, JD, Arnold & Porter*

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

Afternoon Session Theme – Cannabis – Up ‘n Smokin’

1:30 p.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Joel Berman, CIH, CSP, CIAQM, CAC, Conference Co-Chair, CIHC Board Vice- President, Health Science Associates*

1:35 p.m. Challenges for OEHS Professionals in Addressing the Emerging Cannabis Industry — *David Kahane, MPH, CIH, FAIHA, Founder, Forensic Analytical*

2:25 p.m. Respiratory Protection Regulations: “There is Another” (Yoda, *The Empire Strikes Back*) — *Harvard Fong, CIH, CalEPA, Department of Pesticide Regulation, Worker Health & Safety*

3:15 p.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

3:35 p.m. Attorneys?

4:25 p.m. Rob Kleinerman?

5:15 p.m. Conference Day 1 ends

Tuesday, December 11, 2018

Morning Session Theme – Wildfire Response and Recovery

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

8:00 a.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Dennis M. Robinson, D.Env., CIH, Program Manager, Pacific States Environmental Contractors*

8:10 a.m. Impact of Wildfires to Neighboring Communities — *Michelle Rosales, MPH, CIH, Forensic Analytical Consulting*

9:00 a.m. Exposure and Health Impacts of Smoke for Wildland Firefighters — *Kat Navarro, PhD, MPH, US Forest Service*

9:50 a.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

10:20 a.m. Topic **TBD** — *NIOSH*

11:10 a.m. **TBD**

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

Afternoon Session Theme – Emerging Issues

1:30 p.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Megan Canright, MPH, CIH, CIHC Board, Forensic Analytical Consulting*

1:35 p.m. Workplace Violence — *Jessica Smith Penhall, BSI Group*

2:20 p.m. Surface Disinfectants in Healthcare — *Erica Stewart, Kaiser Permanente*

3:00 p.m. Exhibitor Demonstration and Exhibits

3:30 p.m. Legionella Amplification in Carbon Filters — *Robert McNeely, Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc.*

4:15 p.m. Simulation Studies to Evaluate Safety Risks: Case Study with Lithium Ion Batteries — *Dana Hollins and Will Cyrs, Cardno ChemRisk*

5:00 p.m. Conference Day 2 Ends

5:30-7:00 p.m. Evening Social – location TBD

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Wednesday, December 12, 2018

Morning Session Theme – Construction Issues

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

8:00 a.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions — *Tim Bormann, CIH, FAIHA, The Cohen Group*

8:05 a.m. Drones – McCarthy Construction

9:05 a.m. Silica – Cal/OSHA (invited)

9:55 a.m. Break

10:10 a.m. Valley Fever - *Mark Nicas, PhD, CIH, School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley*

11:00 a.m. Competent Person?

Noon-1:10 p.m. LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

Afternoon Session Theme – Experiences from Seasoned OEHS Professionals: What I Know Now that I Wish I Knew Then

1:10 p.m. Session Chair Welcome and Introductions - *Pamela Murcell, MS, CIH, CIHC Board President, KWA Safety & HazMat Consultants, Inc.*

1:15 p.m. How I Earned My Gray Hair (or what's left of it) — *Howard Spielman CIH, CSP, REHS, President, Health Science Associates*

2:00 p.m. "Good Things Happen on the Detours to Life" — *Chris Laszcz-Davis, MS, CIH, REPA, FAIHA, AIC Fellow, President, The Environmental Quality Organization, LLC*

2:45 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. Around the IH World in 30 Years — *Richard Hirsh, MPH CIH FAIHA, Director, Environmental Health and Safety, Nektar Therapeutics*

3:45 p.m. Business Case of Safety: Examples Lived for Success — *James Boretti, CSP, President / CEO, Boretti, Inc.; Regional Vice President of Region 1, American Society of Safety Professionals*

4:30 p.m. Closing Remarks & Conference Ends — *Joel Berman, CIH, CSP, CIAQM, CAC, Conference Co-Chair, CIHC Board Vice-President, Health Science Associates*