

## **DECEMBER 2018— NEWSLETTER**

December 2018

## **President's Message**

Happy holiday season LI ASSP members! I hope that everyone has enjoyed our activities for the first half of the year, I know I have. From the wineries to start the year, to this past month's murder mystery holiday party, I think it is safe to say that we have been having some fun while we continue to learn and grow as safety professionals. The executive board has worked hard to prepare another great run of activities to start 2019, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Know that your engagement in developing yourself as a safety professional matters, because our work matters. It is of paramount importance to keep workers safe and healthy in their workplace, and it is our profession that aids in facilitating that outcome. This chapter thrives on the membership it serves, so as you take the time to read this message, we would like to thank you for your engagement in chapter activities and welcome on another great year. Please enjoy this time with your family and friends as you celebrate and recharge.

Sincerely,

**Anthony Marletta** 



"Grow as a Safety Professional, Add Value to your Organization, & Have Fun Doing It!"

- Anthony Marletta

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#### AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SAFETY PROFESSIONALS



#### November Meeting— Make Safety Training More Engaging

Dr. Sy Islam, a principal consultant with Talent Metrics presented the second technical meeting of the ASSP calendar year on November 14th.

Attendees after the meeting were better equipped to align safety training content with instructional techniques to maximize learner engagement, use needs assessment results to identify preferred learning methods of trainees and use post-session feedback to develop more engaging training.

Talent Metrics, LLC is a management consulting firm focused on helping organizations make research-based, sustainable improvements related to their employees, culture and processes.

#### **Link to Talent Metrics**

# Long Island ASSP Facts

- Established for 35 years and is 300 members strong and counting.
- Meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of every month
- ♦ Webinars are available here <a href="https://">https://</a> li.assp.org/ event/

# Upcoming Meetings/ Events

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### December Meeting—Annual Holiday Party/Murder Mystery Dinner

The Long Island ASSP Chapter along with invited guests celebrated the Annual Holiday Party at the Parlor House Grill located in Sayville, NY. In addition to the Annual Holiday Party, the chapter celebrated the 35th anniversary for the Long Island ASSP Chapter. In attendance to celebrate the milestone were the founding members; James Chin, Leo Debobes, and Dr. William Marletta.

The celebration continued with an interactive murder mystery dinner, produced by Knock 'Em Dead Comedy. The night ended with raffle from donations provided earlier in the evening to The Dreamweaver House, a non-profit organization that offers free consultations, evaluations, care and schooling rights advocacy to children and families affected by learning delays, and other neurological, behavioral, mental and physical disabilities.

# **Holiday Party/Murder Mystery Photos**







# **Upcoming Meetings**

**January Technical Meeting** 

#### Safety in the Kitchen

Do you smell that? Smells like fun-cooking and safety techniques in the kitchen. You don't want to miss January's event at Sur La Table in the Smith Haven Mall's Lifestyle Village! The chapter has reserved a special cooking class around safety in the kitchen and cooking techniques.

When: January 09, 2018 4:00 pm - 6:00pm

Where: Sur La Table— 630 Smith Haven Mall, Lake Grove, New York,

11755

How: Register prior to January 09, 2018

Register Here Or copy and paste the following URL https://li.assp.org/events/january-technical-meeting-safety-in-the-kitchen/



### Register for Upcoming Events

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Register Here

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Webinar Registration

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#### **February Meeting**

#### OSHA Enforcement of the Crystalline Silica Standard for Construction

It has been a little over one year since OSHA began enforcing the crystalline silica dust standard for construction. We are beginning to see details about enforcement trends.

During this presentation we'll discuss key part of the OSHA standard and where we are seeing most OSHA citations being issued. We'll review common errors in exposure monitoring, Table 1 controls not being fully and completely utilized, common problems with written exposure control plans, and role of the competent person in implementing the plan.

When: February 13, 2018 9:00am—10:30am

Where: Melville Marriott, 1350 Walt Whitman Road, Melville, NY 11747

How: Place Holder Register Here.

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## **Scholarship Opportunity**

#### Long Island ASSP Student Scholarships

The Long Island ASSP is very excited to announce the development of two new scholarships for students in the Safety field at Suffolk Community College and Stony Brook University.

Each student will apply directly through the school and the ASSP will donate \$1000 per school for the student chosen by their university. A link to the application portals for each scholarship will be posted in the Spring when the scholarships come available. Be sure to spread the word if you know any students in either program!





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# Being a Professional Member

By Joann M. Robertson CPCU ARM CSP November 14, 2018

I am a Professional Member of ASSP and have been for some time. But when a newer Long Island chapter member inquired about how to become one, I really did not remember how to apply and sent them to the ASSP website for more information and the requirements. Although the website is a helpful resource, I realized that there are probably many other Long Island members who are also in the dark about this category, so I included more information below...

#### What is Professional Member Status?

This category of membership does not have any benefits or advantages over a regular members, but this label recognizes and acknowledges your more advanced level of education, experience and/or the completion of specific designations.

The list of requirements and details to apply are also listed on the website, see: <a href="https://www.assp.org/membership/benefits-qualifications/member-types-and-qualifications">https://www.assp.org/membership/benefits-qualifications/member-types-and-qualifications</a>

## **National Safety News**

Dec 12, 2018

Seven Cs for Safety Success- Click Here for Article

Dec 12, 2018

Legislation Aims to Reduce Violence Against Healthcare and Social Service Workers—Click Here for Article

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## **Job Opportunities**

#### Safety Specialist—Bombardier Transportation

Date: Dec 13, 2018

Location: JFK Airport, New York, US

**REQUISITION NUMBER: TAME-USNY01838193** 

**About Bombardier Transportation** 

Bombardier Transportation is a global leader in rail technology and offers the broadest portfolio in the industry. It covers the full spectrum of rail solutions, ranging from trains to sub-systems and signal-ling. The company also provides complete transport systems, e-mobility technology and maintenance services. As an innovation driver, Bombardier Transportation continuously breaks new ground in sustainable mobility. It provides integrated solutions that create substantial benefits for operators, passengers and the environment. Headquartered in Berlin, Germany, Bombardier Transportation employs around 39,850 people and its products and services operate in over 60 countries.

#### Description

Based in New York City, you will provide assistance to the Safety Manager in all matters relating to Health & Safety at the Newark SDC. You will coordinate, and at times develop, the development, implementation and evaluation of initiatives that promote safe work practices and working environments, with an emphasis on system safety.

#### Qualifications

As our ideal candidate:

- You hold a Bachelor's Degree in Safety, Health and Environment, Science, Management or Engineering;
- You have one (1) to three (3) years of experience in a related field;
- You have knowledge in the following programs involving: Electrical Safety and NFPA 70E, Systems Safety, Incident Investigation, Risk Assessment and hazard Analysis, Root Cause Analysis;
- You have excellent English communication skills, both written and spoken.

Job: Health and Safety Engineer

Primary Location: US-NY-New York - JFK Airport

Organization: Transportation

Schedule: Full-time Employee Status: Regular

#### Link to Apply

# Long Island ASSP Job Openings

https://li.assp.org/ current-openings/

# **ASSP Job Openings**

https://jobs.assp.org/

# **ASSP Career Center**

https:// www.assp.org/ resources/careercenter



## **Job Opportunities**

#### Project Coordinator I - Colombia University - New York, New York

Posted: 12/13/2018

The Project Coordinator position is available at Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health in the Department of Environmental Health Sciences. The position is part of a project to study host response to respiratory virus infections.

The Project Coordinator will be responsible for overseeing the day to day activities that include management of field sampling, coordination with the lab manager, screening and registration of participants, administration of surveys, and collection of respiratory and blood samples. An ability to work weekends is required. Minimum Qualifications for Grade

Applicant MUST meet these minimum qualifications to be considered an applicant Requires a Bachelor's degree or equivalent in training, education and/or experience plus a at least two years of related experience. Additional Position-Specific Minimum Qualifications

Applicant MUST meet these minimum qualifications to be considered an applicant Special Instructions Preferred Qualifications MPH, RN, MD or MBBS degree and 2-years work experience.

Fluent in Spanish a plus. Essential Functions 60% - Field Sampling (specimen collection including nasopharyngeal swabs and blood samples, management of field sampling logistics)

- 25% Screening and registration of study participants
- 10% Coordination with Lab Manager and Project Leads
- 5% Perform other related duties Additional Essential Functions (Limit to 3950 characters.) Special Indications

This position works with: Bloodborne pathogens

#### **Link to Apply**

#### Director, HSSE- Confidential— New Jersey

Based in Elizabeth, NJ, the Director, HSSE contributes to the success of APM Terminals Elizabeth by managing all Health, Safety, Security and Environmental (HSSE) practices at the shipping port. They direct all HSSE processes, ensure regulatory compliance with multiple agencies and enforce safe working practices for all stakeholders. This position is responsible to develop strategy, structure and assurance as is required to deliver a safe and healthy container terminal. This position reports directly to the Terminal Managing Director.

The qualified candidate has a:

- •Bachelor's degree, preferably in a related discipline or alternatively a technical education with additional high quality training in the field of HSSE
- •Safety Certifications, IOSH preferred
- •Experience on terminal operations.
- •Proven track record of directing and monitoring HSSE processes for at least 10 years.
- \*Broad oversight of all relevant HSSE specialist fields, and ability to organize knowledge and expertise from internal or external consultants.
- •Understanding and can articulate HSE requirements and regulations.
- •Demonstrated ability to lead HSE programs and people.
- ·Strong problem solving, organizational and analytical skills.
- •Excellent communication skills conflict resolution, diplomacy

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### **Student Interns Available**

#### Stony Brook University Environmental Health & Safety Interns

It's that time of year where I'm making arrangements with our hosting institutions for our Environmental Health & Safety Interns and I'll be looking to place them in late January/early February. Can I count on you to take our Intern(s) this year?

Stony Brook University's School of Health Technology and Management is looking to place EH&S students in the field. These students are graduating seniors and are available for internships from early February until mid-May. Their areas of interest are in the following disciplines:

- \* Industrial Safety Engineering / Occupational Safety
- \* Industrial Hygiene / Occupational Health
- \* Radiation Safety / Health Physics
- \* Fire Protection / Fire Safety
- \* Environmental Management (Air/Water/Soil)
- \* Waste Management
- \* Emergency Management
- \* Healthcare Safety/Environment of Care

The students are typically available in 1/2 day blocks, but many are available for full days (this must be coordinated through the individual students). They are required to complete a minimum of 90 hours of internship by graduation in May. There is no cost to the hosting institution. If you are interested in having a student intern with you, please contact Leo DeBobes at leo.debobes@stonybrookmedicine.edu

More details about the BS in Health Sciences (EH&S concentration) can be found at <a href="http://healthtechnology.stonybrookmedicine.edu/programs/hs/curriculum/nonclinical">http://healthtechnology.stonybrookmedicine.edu/programs/hs/curriculum/nonclinical</a>

As many of you already know, our students intern in hospitals, schools, industry, and regulatory agencies (and elsewhere) throughout the Long Island and NYC areas.

Leo DeBobes

(631) 444-6151

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