



MARCH 2019— NEWSLETTER

March 2019

President's Message

Happy Spring LI ASSP members!

I hope that everyone has enjoyed our activities during the first quarter of this year. Our board has been working hard to keep the meetings engaging, informative and fun. From safety in the kitchen, to silica and hazard awareness, we have tried to provide a wide range of topics for the membership to enjoy.

Coming up soon are joint meetings with the LI RIMS Chapter and NYC Chapter which we believe should be great opportunities to network with other folks in our industry as well as learn and grow as safety professionals.

Keep an eye out for more information on our PDC coming up this May 8th at Brookhaven National Lab!

Sincerely,

Anthony



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

- Anthony Marletta

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January Meeting— “Safety in the Kitchen”

The L.I ASSP Chapter attended a professional cooking-safety class in January.

The meeting was held at Sur La Table in the Smith Haven Mall’s Lifestyle Village. Attendees were presented with the opportunity to learn a few new recipes along with safety techniques to practice while cooking in the kitchen.



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 <https://li.assp.org/event/>

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“Safety in the Kitchen” Photos





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February Meeting– OSHA Enforcement of Crystalline Silica

During February’s Technical meeting the L.I. ASSP Chapter discussed the ongoing OSHA enforcement standards of crystalline silica dust. During the meeting OSHA citations being issued were discussed along with reviewing 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.



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March Meeting– Hazard Awareness

The first of two March ASSP meetings was conducted on March 13th at Tullulah’s Restaurant in Bay Shore, NY. Attendees left not only full from their meals, but full of knowledge on the concept of hazard awareness. Through the use of common-sense techniques, attendees learned how to identify, evaluate and remove hazards even when the OSHA regulations are difficult to follow.

Upcoming Meetings

March—Joint LI RIMS/ LI ASSP Meeting

Topic: New York State Code Rule 59 – Compulsory Workplace Safety and Loss Prevention Program

Speakers: Mr. Lee Raynor, Corporate Risk Manager (Ret.)Mr. Lawrence Como, Executive Risk Engineering Consultant, The Hartford

Panelists: Mr. Frank D'Ambrosio, Broker, Frenkel Company Mr. Tom Petralia, CSP, COHC

Why did your company receive a notice from the New York Compensation Insurance Rating Board? What must your organization do to comply with NYS Insurance Code Rule 59?

Please join the LI RIMS and LI ASSP Chapters for this special joint session to learn what a NYS Code Rule 59 Notice means for your company. We will discuss the triggers for the notice, what steps need to be taken and what resources will be needed.

When: March 26, 2019 12:00pm—2:00pm

Where: Inn at Fox Hollow—7725 Jericho Turnpike, Woodbury, New York, 11797, United States

How: Register prior to March 26th.

[Register Here.](https://li.assp.org/events/li-rims-li-assp-joint-meeting/) Or copy and paste following URL: <https://li.assp.org/events/li-rims-li-assp-joint-meeting/>

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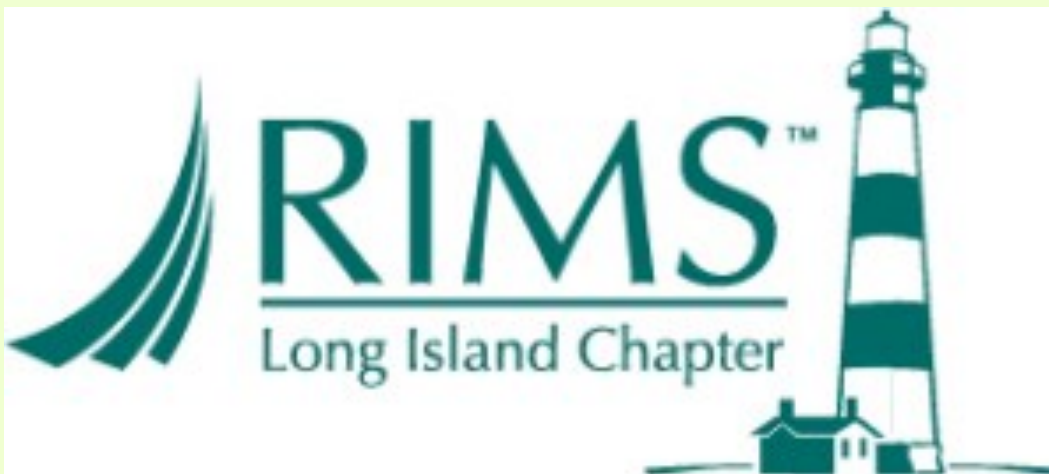
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April Joint NYC/L.I. ASSP Technical Meeting

Topics Residential Methane Detectors & Gas Transmission Pipeline Safety by Consolidated Edison (Con Ed)

The Residential Methane Detectors is a cutting edge, pilot program that enhances residential customer's safety by sending emergency signals to the Con Ed response center.

The Gas Transmission Pipeline Safety is a feature/implementation of the Pipeline Safety Management Mission to guide gas operations in achieving its Vision 2020 goals by establishing a systematic and holistic approach to people, pipeline and public safety.

Presenter: Residential Methane Detectors

When: April 11 2019 5:30 pm - 7:00pm

Where: JRM Construction Management—242 W 36th St, 9th Floor, New York, New York, 10018, United States

How: Register prior to April 11th

[Register Here](https://nyc.assp.org/events/nyc-assp-technical-meeting/) Or copy and paste the following URL <https://nyc.assp.org/events/nyc-assp-technical-meeting/>



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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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National Safety News

Feb 12, 2019

“Did You Know OSHA Has a Drone Inspection Policy” - [Click Here for Article](#)

Feb 14, 2019

“Six Tips That Will Help You Become an ASSP Conference Speaker”

[—Click Here for Article](#)

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Advance Your Career



Expand Your Network



Grow Your Knowledge

ASSP Public Sector Practice Specialty

The Public Sector Practice Specialty (PSPS) provides a forum for issues that impact government agencies and facilities at the federal, state, county, municipal, and institutional levels in all types of communities. As a member of the PSPS, you have access to our network of professionals to connect you to the latest technical content on unique topics (e.g., emergency preparedness and recovery, school safety, park and recreation safety, workers' compensation). Consider joining the PSPS, and/or becoming more involved on the PSPS committee today!

American Society of Safety Professionals

For more than 100 years, ASSP has been at the forefront of helping occupational safety and health professionals protect people and property. Our global membership of over 37,000 professionals covers every industry, developing safety and health management plans that prevent deaths, injuries and illnesses. We advance our members and the safety profession through education, advocacy, standards development and a professional community.

What is an ASSP Practice Specialty?

These virtual communities promote the advancement of the safety profession within an industry or practice-specific area. Members can:

- Comment on industry standards and regulations
- Request advisory committee guidance
- Review conference speaking proposals
- Publish their knowledge to earn recertification points



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PUBLIC SECTOR PRACTICE SPECIALTY

JOIN US IN ATTENDING AND SUPPORTING THE SAFETY 2019 PSPS SPONSORED SESSIONS:

- S5062: Thoughts, Feelings, and Opinions: Gauging Employee Perceptions
Monday, 2:00 – 3:00 PM
- S5112: NASA's Journey to Safety Culture
Monday, 4:30 – 5:30 PM
- S5123: KICS: Employer Best Practices for Suicide Prevention in the Workplace
Monday, 4:30 – 5:30 PM
- S6029: Best Practices for Joint Commission and CMS Emergency Management
Tuesday, 3:00 – 4:00 PM



LEO DEBOBES

If you see the PSPS Safety Professional of the Year at Safety 2019, congratulate him on his accomplishments and winning the award!

WANT TO BECOME MORE INVOLVED?

- Become added to the [PSPS Volunteer List](#) to learn about new initiatives you can participate in
- Join the [PSPS Volunteer Advisory Committee](#)
- Volunteer to [deliver a technical presentation](#) at a PSPS open call/virtual meeting!

Email Lori Schroth (lori.schroth@yahoo.com) or Brandon Hody (hodyo8@yahoo.com) for details



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Job Opportunities

Sr. Specialist Health & Safety – American Water

Posted: Feb 28, 2019

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Merrick, NY

Key Accountabilities

- ☐ Develop and implement (including delivery of) educational training programs and activities that help develop and improve the safety process within the company and to ensure compliance with federal state and local regulations.
- ☐ Develop and implement the use of regulatory compliance programs, including investigating new technologies, providing professional review and recommendations for the purchase of tools, materials and equipment that will enhance safety performance throughout the organization.
- ☐ Conducts safety audits and inspections to identify hazards and deficiencies that expose the company to loss or failure to comply with regulatory requirements Compile, analyze, and interpret data related to safety training and performance to measure the effectiveness of existing programs.
- ☐ Provide assistance and expertise in accident/claim investigation and claims management, when required, and make recommendations to prevent reoccurrences.

Experience / Education

- ☐ Minimum 5 years experience in safety/loss control in a related industry or municipal operation.
- ☐ Associate level degree required in a related field, i.e safety/loss control.
- ☐ Bachelor's level degree preferred
- ☐ Must be flexible.

To apply, please visit our website at www.amwater.com, requisition # 95962

[Link to Apply](#)

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Job Opportunities

Driver Trainer – Part Time – Riverhead Building Supply

Posted: Feb 14, 2019

Driver Trainer – Part time

Seeking an enthusiastic, proactive, experienced driver trainer to develop employee's skills and abilities. Lessons focused on safety and obtaining or upgrading their CDL license. The Instructor will deliver the appropriate instructional and hands on training programs that comply with company policy and regulatory agency standards.

Requirements:

Strong training skills, utilizing diverse methodology.

Flexible Schedule and ability to travel.

Excellent communication and record keeping skills.

Comprehensive knowledge of regulatory guidelines, equipment and compliance.

CDL Class A and 5 or more years of Driving or equivalent experience.

Bilingual a plus

Apply here: [RBS Careers](#)

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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 <http://healthtechnology.stonybrookmedicine.edu/programs/hs/curriculum/nonclinical>

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
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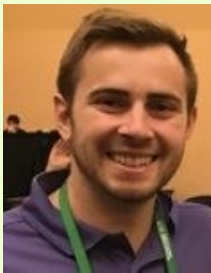
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