



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

Long Island Chapter

2022 Professional Development Conference

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Theme:
“Safety Resilience”

Date/Time:
Wednesday, April 27th, 2022
8:00 am - 5:00 pm EST

Where:
Virtual - ZOOM Registration Link -
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1uiVQ0GXS1u8AH_0fQMeiQ

About:
Join American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP) Long Island Chapter for their annual PDC - to be streamed virtually, and provided free of charge. Engage with safety professionals in the environmental/occupational safety and health field. Learn from a variety of subject matter experts in various industries including industrial hygiene, healthcare, regulatory oversight, environmental remediation, and ergonomics! (See schedule for details).

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8:00AM Opening Acknowledgments/Local Section Comments

Matthew Harris, ASSP Long Island Chapter Vice President

Delaney Jones, ASSP Long Island Chapter President Elect

8:30AM Legionella in Building Water Systems

John P. Springston, CIH, CSP, FAIHA

John Springston has over 34 years' experience in industrial hygiene and occupational health. He is a Certified Safety Professional, Certified Industrial Hygienist, and is one of less than 50 active CIHs who also hold a sub-specialty certificate in Indoor Environmental Quality (IEQ). John is the Industrial Hygiene Services Manager, Branch Safety Officer, and Training Director for Atlas Technical Consultants in New York City, Albany, and Long Island.

9:30AM Are you Now in Compliance with the Requirements of NFPA 652 Standard on Combustible Dust and if so, What is Next?

Vahid Ebadat, Ph.D., StoneHouse Process Safety, Inc.

Dr. Vahid Ebadat Ph.D., M.Inst.P, MIET, C.Phys. is CEO of Stonehouse Process Safety, Inc. He has worked extensively as an operational and process hazards consultant for the chemical, pharmaceutical, food, oil/gas, and paper/wood industries. He has been a member of NFPA 77 Technical Committee on Electrostatic Hazards; NFPA 654 Standard for the Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions from the Manufacturing, Processing, and Handling of Combustible Particular Solids; and ASTM E27 Committee on Hazard Potential of Chemicals. Earlier in his career, Dr. Ebadat served as CEO of Chilworth Technology, Inc. for more than 20 years. Dr. Ebadat has published many technical articles and papers globally and speaks widely on the topic of process safety, dust explosion mitigation, gas and vapor flammability, and controlling electrostatic hazards.

10:30AM OSHA Update

Kevin J Sullivan

Kevin Sullivan is the Area Director of OSHA Long Island Area and Queens District Offices. He previously worked as Regional Auditor, Assistant Area Director, and compliance safety and health officer for OSHA. Kevin has 20 years of experience working for OSHA.

11:30AM ANSI A92 - Aerial Work Platform Standard - Revisions Overview

Charles J. Keeling, CUSP

Charles Keeling has 30 years of experience as a Safety Professional, experience in Occupational Safety & Health, Fire Prevention, and Investigation, as well as Public Safety in Law Enforcement. BS Degree SUNY Empire State College, AAS Degree from Suffolk Community College. Certified Utility Safety Professional & NYS Certified Workplace Safety Consultant. Work experience includes Heavy Civil Construction, Scrap Recycling Industry and Electrical Utility

12:30PM Lunch Break - Sponsor Presentations



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1:00PM Citizens Campaign for the Environment

Adrienne Esposito, Citizens Campaign for the Environment

Adrienne holds a degree in Geology and Environmental Science from CW Post University. She is a co-founder of CCE and has worked on numerous environmental campaigns for over 35 years. Adrienne has crafted campaigns to engage the public on environmental protection issues including but not limited to upgrading failing sewage treatment systems, protection of drinking and surface water, remediation of toxic plumes, stewardship of land and water, support for large scale renewable energy projects, reduced pesticide application, and more.

2:00PM How Implementing Bouts of Exercise in the Workplace will Improve Employee Mental Wellbeing

Lorrell Zegarelli, MEd, ATC, ACSM HFS

As a Senior Client Manager for Briotix Health, Lorrell works with Safety and Human Resource Professionals, Operations and EHS Managers to improve their company's current occupational health, ergonomic and wellness programs. They have a master's degree in athletic training/Sports Medicine, bringing a sports medicine approach into the everyday industrial/occupational setting. They enjoy working with the physically active population and seeing them return to their prior level of activity after injury. Interests include treatment, rehab and strength and conditioning of working athletes; as well as educating people in the field of athletic training, health and wellness. Lorrell has over 20 years of experience in the healthcare field which includes physical therapy and injury prevention. They also have a background in marketing to allied healthcare professionals.

3:00PM Sustainability in the Hospital Setting

Christina Mcneilis

Christina leads the Corporate Sustainability initiative for Mount Sinai Health System. Prior to founding the sustainability program, she was the Associate Director of EH&S at The Mount Sinai Hospital and an EHS Consultant at Triumvirate Environmental. Christina earned her M.P.H. with a Certificate in Climate and Health from Columbia University. Additionally, she has a B.S. from the University of Wisconsin.

4:00PM ASSP National Chapter Updates - Keynote Speaker

Linda Tapp, CSP

Linda Tapp has been working in safety and health for over 30 years and is President of SafetyFUNDamentals, an occupational safety training company. An ASSP member since 1989, she currently serves ASSP as Chair of the Foundation and has been a Foundation Trustee since 2016. Other ASSP volunteer positions include roles on the Council for Professional Development, the Technical Publications Committee, the Public Relations Committee, every possible position at the Chapter level and leadership roles in several Practice Specialties. Linda has received six ASSP Safety Professional of the Year (SPY) awards including the Society's Edgar Monsanto Queeny SPY. She is also the recipient of a Culbertson Award and a President's Award.

4:45PM Prize Drawing/Closing Comments

5:00PM Adjournment