

Transportation Classification and HazCom

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Presenter biography

Chandra Deeds Gioiello has a Bachelor's Degree in Anthropology from Franklin and Marshall College and a Master's Degree in Industrial Hygiene from University of New Haven. She is vice president of IHSC, LLC, a small consulting firm that focuses on international regulatory compliance and SDS and label authoring. Chandra is a registered Safety Data Sheet and Label Author and a Certified Industrial Hygienist. Her focus is on international chemical regulations including GHS adoption, labeling, and chemical control laws. She regularly helps clients navigate the regulations across the globe, especially the Asia-Pacific countries. She is active with the .American Industrial Hygiene Association. She helped create the SDS and Label Author registry for AIHA. She served on the Board of Directors of the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) from 2016-2019. She previously served as the chair of the SCHC Social Media Committee and spearheaded their social media expansion. She is currently the chair of the SCHC Member Engagement Committee and Past-President of the Connecticut River Valley chapter of AIHA. She is the 2024 recipient of the AIHA Fellows SIG Outstanding Midcareer Professional Award. You may recognize her from the SCHC Member Forums!



Presentation abstract

While the physical hazard classes of the GHS were initially derived from those same hazard classifications in transport, there have emerged a number of minor and major differences between the two. In this presentation, we'll look at where those differences occur, why they occur, and how to communicate those differences on the SDS to improve both workplace health and safety and transport safety. We'll also help identify when it may just be a mistake and when questions should be asked.