



Society for Chemical Hazard Communication
Professional Development Training

Environmental Hazards in Transportation

Monday September 22, 2025 – AM Course
Grand Hyatt Washington – Washington, DC

Course Description

This course is designed to teach both the assessment of environmental toxicity data relating to transportation and the various ways transportation regulations worldwide address environmental hazard communication. Many Dangerous Goods transportation/HazMat experts lack expertise in Environmentally Hazardous Substance classification data analysis. Many environmental toxicologists lack expertise in the various ways transportation regulations address environmentally hazardous substances, from multiple lists to criteria to various exceptions based on size, mode of transport, and geography. SCHC now addresses all those issues in one course. The course will include both lecture and practical exercises to build your skills.

Intended Audience

This course is intended for Hazard Communication professionals responsible for completing or reviewing Section 14 of the SDS and HazMat specialists who need to better understand the classification of products for their environmental hazards related to transport. For individuals previously trained in Hazardous Materials/Dangerous Goods, this course can serve as refresher training for substance specific training.

Course Fee: \$305 / members \$450 / non-members

Course Director and Instructor



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Denese Deeds is co-founder of Industrial Health & Safety Consultants (now IHSC, LLC) and is certified in the Comprehensive Practice of Industrial Hygiene by the American Board of Industrial Hygiene. She has been consulting in the areas of Industrial Hygiene and Chemical Regulatory Affairs since 1981. In her position as Director of Chemical Regulatory Services she prepares SDS and other hazard communication documents, files international chemical registrations and assists companies with overall chemical regulatory compliance. As part of her practice, Denese has assisted clients in classifying their products for transport, developing shipping guidance for products and audited hazmat compliance programs. Prior to consulting, Ms. Deeds held industrial hygiene positions with Westinghouse Electric and General Electric. She is a fellow of the American Industrial Hygiene Association, the Academy of Industrial Hygiene and the Society for Chemical Hazard Communication, where she has served as President.

Course Topics and Agenda (Subject to Change)

7:00 to 8:00am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 to 8:45am	US Environmental Hazard Classification (Hazard Substances and Marine Pollutants)
8:45 to 9:15am	US Classification Workshop
9:15 to 10:00am	International Environmental Hazard Classification
10:00 to 10:15am	Break



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10:15 to 10:45am	International Environmental Hazard Classification (continued)
10:45 to 11:15am	International Classification Workshop
11:15 to 11:30am	Proper Shipping Name Selection
11:30 to 12:00 pm	Proper Shipping Name Workshop

Course Materials

SCHC is transitioning course materials for professional development courses at the Annual Meeting from paper to digital format. The digital materials will be similar to those used in SCHC's distance learning courses. Your course fee includes access to these electronic materials, which you can download before the meeting. This year will be a transition year, and you can still request a notebook of the materials for an extra fee: \$45 for half-day courses and \$65 for full-day courses. Notebooks must be ordered when you register. Notebooks will be available for pick-up at the conference. Embracing digital course materials aligns with sustainability goals and fosters an eco-friendly and technologically advanced approach to professional development.

Registration

Admission to the course will be on a first-come basis. Payment must be received by August 22, 2025, to secure your space. Space is limited. Fill out the registration form located on SCHC's website: www.schc.org. SCHC accepts checks, Visa, MasterCard and American Express.

Cancellation Policy

No refunds will be given after August 22, 2025. No one will be admitted to the course unless all fees have been paid in advance. Every effort has been made to ensure the information in this brochure is accurate. SCHC reserves the right to modify this course without prior notice or to cancel the course 30 days prior to the course date. In the event this course is canceled, SCHC's obligation is limited to a full refund of the course fee.

Hotel Accommodations

A hotel room block has been reserved at the Grand Hyatt Washington, located at 1000 H St. NW, Washington, DC. Rates start at \$299 for a standard room. Deadline for hotel reservations is Friday, August 29, 2025. Click here to make reservations. <https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/WASGH/G-SCH5>