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Biography

With over 20 years of extensive exposure working with Dangerous Goods in pharmaceutical, safety supplies, chemical, educational, waste, and clinical trials environments, Gene is knowledgeable in DOT (*49CFR*), ICAO (*A.I.R. & IATA*), IMO (*IMDG*), TDG, and ADR. Gene is one of the first three people in the world to become a Certified Dangerous Goods Trainer in five different sets of transport regulations. Gene has worked for carriers and for shippers, dealing with proposed products, with new products, and with waste, involving chemicals and involving articles, handling outgoing shipments and dealing with returns, on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean. Gene has been on a Hazardous Materials Emergency Response team, and on a volunteer fire department. Gene has developed and conducted training programs, primarily for shippers, involving some aspect of all hazard classes and divisions, including Class 1, Division 6.2, and Class 7. With degrees in Biochemistry and in Chemistry, and a minor in Microbiology, Gene regularly teaches in depth, detailed courses in Classification, and in Infectious Substances, as well as teaching more comprehensive classes involving all aspects of DG shipping, offering, and accepting.

Gene is a current member of the Board of Directors at DGAC (formerly HMAC), served on the initial Board of Directors for DGTA as well as being on the current Board, and is currently also a member of COSTHA, NESHTA, AHMP, and SCHC.

Gene writes a monthly column, *From the Porch Swing*, for HCB (Hazardous Cargo Bulletin), a global publication, and has conducted workshops and/or spoken at conferences such as SCHC, DGAC, and AHMP.

Gene now runs his own classification, training, and consulting company, W.E. Train Consulting.