

Society for Chemical Hazard Communication **Professional Development Training**

Advanced Topics in EHS: Risk Management and Communication

December 1 and 3, 2020 Distance Learning

Course Description

The Advanced Topics in EHS series of courses were designed to expand on topics that are introduced in the other SCHC courses. The topic of risk management and communication is introduced in the SCHC course Hazard Determination and Risk Assessment.

The objective of this course is to provide an understanding of risk management and communication for chemicals. For the purposes of this course, risk management is the process of selecting an appropriate response to the risks of chemicals and risk communication is the exchange of information on the risks of chemicals. Emphasis in this course is placed on balancing the technical information from a risk evaluation with an understanding of the basis for risk-based decisions, the trust and integrity of those involved in the process, and the social, economic, and political concerns that impact a response to risk. The goal of this course is to provide participants with an understanding of the technical and interpersonal aspects of risk management and communication.

This is an advanced course. While there are no formal prerequisites for this course, it is recommended that participants have a working knowledge of chemical hazards and risks and that they have either taken the SCHC courses Toxicology for Hazard Communication and Hazard Determination and Risk Assessment or that they are comfortable with the principles presented in these courses.

Intended Audience

Product EHS professionals that want to expand their understanding of the technical and interpersonal aspects of risk management and communication.

Course Fee: \$275.00 members // \$365.00 non-members

Course Director / Instructor



Robert Skoglund, Ph.D., DABT, CIH

Dr. Skoglund is the Director of Product Safety and Regulatory Affairs at Covestro LLC. His responsibilities include product safety, compliance, stewardship, and sustainability for North America - including hazard communication.



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Course Instructor



Tannie Eshenaur, MPH

Ms. Eshenaur is a Principal Planner at the Minnesota Department of Health in St. Paul, Minnesota. Her primary responsibilities include serving as a state specialist for health education, community involvement and risk communication activities related to hazardous waste sites and toxic chemical releases. She is also active in research, development and production of health professional education resources relating to non-occupational exposures to hazardous substances.

Course Instructor



Robert Roy, Ph.D., DABT, Fellow ATS

Dr. Roy is a Lead Toxicology Specialist at 3M in St. Paul, Minnesota. His primary responsibilities include assessing the human health hazards and safety of products and other materials for several 3M business units. In addition, he leads the development of the 3M Occupational Exposure Guidelines and has been actively involved in California Proposition 65 assessments, chemical health hazard determination, and the human risk/safety assessment of chemicals/intermediates and finished products.

Course Topics and Schedule (Subject to Change)

Tuesday, December 1, 2020

1:00 – 3:30pm (ET) Introduction

Overview of Risk Analysis

Overview of Risk Assessment

Risk Communication

Thursday, December 3, 2020

1:00 – 3:30pm (ET) Risk Management

Risk in a Regulatory Framework



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Registration

This is a half-day training session offered over two days via GoToTraining. You are expected to participate in all sessions to receive a certificate. The course will not be recorded and there will be no make-up sessions available. Registration and payment must be completed by November 30, 2020, to secure your space.

Register here

SCHC Members will need to use the discount code for the member rate (<u>log onto the SCHC site for the code</u>); CHCS Members will need to use a discount code to get the SCHC member rate – contact <u>CHCS</u> or <u>SCHC</u> for the code.

SCHC accepts checks, Visa, and American Express. If paying by check, check must be received by SCHC by November 30, 2020.

Cancellation Policy

No refunds will be given after midnight November 30, 2020. No one will be admitted to the training 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. In the event this course is canceled, SCHC's obligation is limited to a full refund of the course fee.