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Risk Assessment Strategies



Date: March 26-27, 2018

Time: 8 am–5 pm

Location: UCLA



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Overview

Few workplaces are hazard free. Some have greater challenges than others. You may know your workplace needs improvement to provide a safe and healthful environment, but where do you start? Risk Assessment is the starting place.

In this 2-day course, you will learn, among other things, what is meant by a “suitable and sufficient” risk assessment; what the necessary competencies of risk assessors are; what the terms “hazard”, “risk” and “control measure” mean; where you can find sources of information on hazards and risks, both internal and external to the organization; steps involved in a risk assessment; what is meant by the “hierarchy of control” and how it applies in the selection of control measures, and how to identify the general and specific circumstances that would require a review of a risk assessment.

Participants will learn about the fundamentals of Risk Management and also focus on strategies for Risk Assessment. Includes hands-on exercise which may include a field trip.

Course Details

<http://erc.ucla.edu/course/ra/>

FACULTY

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John currently serves as the Director of Environmental, Safety Health and Risk

Management for the University of California Santa Barbara. In addition, he currently serves as an instructor for safety, environmental compliance and risk management courses at the University of California of Los Angeles, University of California San Diego and California State University Dominguez Hills.

Prior to his current assignment, John served as the Director of the Los Angeles Unified School Districts’ Office of Environmental Health and Safety.

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Learning Objectives

Students should understand the main causes of accidents and illness, and the implications they have for people in the workplace, and be able to:

- State the main causes of work-related fatalities, injuries and illness, and outline the moral, legal and economic reasons for preventing such events.
- State the main costs to employers of accidents and work-related illness, and the benefits of their control to employers, employees and society.
- Define basic occupational safety and health and risk management terms.
- Explain how occupational, environmental and human factors affect occupational health and safety, and give examples of each.

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Accreditation

- **ABIH**— This event contains 16.0 hours and may be eligible for ABIH CM credit. See ABIH website for CM credit criteria.
- **REHS** — 16 Contact Hours have been approved. *The SCERC is an REHS Continuing Education Accrediting Agency approved by the California Department of Public Health.*
- **BCSP** and Continuing Education Units — Eligible for 1.6 COC Points/CEUs .

Who Should Attend

Health and safety professionals who address indoor air quality complaints, facilities maintenance and operations staff, building engineers, and design professionals. The course addresses indoor air quality in buildings, schools, residences and other non-industrial indoor environments.



Registration Information

Please see website for payment terms-
<http://erc.ucla.edu/payment-terms/>

Standard Fee: \$479

Early Bird: (ends 2/23/18) \$299

Paying by credit card: All major credit cards accepted. Complete credit card information on registration form or call 310/206-2304.

Paying by check: Payable to **University of California Regents**

Phone registration: Call 310/206-2304

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Online registration:

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Comments from prior participants:

"Great course and execution."

"Great introductory course."

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Who We Are

The Southern California Education and Research Center is a NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health) ERC. It is one of 18 ERCs at major universities whose goal is to train occupational health and safety professionals, provide them with professional development, and train non-professionals in occupational health and safety best practices. It is located in the Fielding School of Public Health at the University of California, Los Angeles, and includes the Center for Occupational and Environmental Medicine at UC Irvine School of Medicine, the Occupational and Environmental Health Nursing Program at the UCLA School of Nursing and the Industrial Hygiene Program at UCLA.

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