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# Why should you join the AHMP and obtain an IHMM credential?

**There are  
many reasons  
to join the  
AHMP.**

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Let's review who  
we are and what  
credentials we  
support through  
our organization.



# Alliance of Hazardous Materials Professionals

- ❖ For 37 years the AHMP has been the membership organization for the Certified Hazardous Material Managers (CHMM)
- ❖ Nonprofit Membership Organization of 870 members across the globe
- ❖ 25 chapters and sections providing:
  - Professional development opportunities
  - Professional networking
  - Business and industry resources
  - Career advancement

# AHMP Chapters and Sections

Chapters		Sections
Central Ohio	National Capital	Indiana Section
Chicago	New England	Nevada Section
Connecticut	New Jersey	New York State Capital
Cyber Chapter	New Mexico	Oklahoma Section
Dallas-Fort Worth	North Star	
Eastern Washington	Northeast Ohio	
Gateway Society	Pennsylvania Capital Area	
Heartland	Research Triangle Park	
Kentuckiana	Rocky Mountain	
Lone Star Central		
Michigan		
Midwest Plains		

# Alliance of Hazardous Materials Professionals

## ❖ Our Vision

To be the global leader and resource for EHS and Hazardous Materials Professionals

## ❖ Our Mission

- Provide opportunities to gain and share knowledge about EHS and hazardous materials management, Sustainability, and innovative technologies
- Create communities and a voice for professionals with common interests in EHS and Hazmat management
- Provide organizational support for smaller communities of EHS and Hazmat professionals by delivering educational opportunities and resources to our members



# Alliance of Hazardous Materials Professionals Board of Directors



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# Alliance of Hazardous Materials Professionals

## ❖ Our Strategy

Work with chapters, the Institute of Hazardous Materials Management (IHMM), and other professional organizations to link industry, government, and academia - establishing our vision for the future

## ❖ Our Core Values

- Demonstrate professional, credible and trustworthy behavior
- Perform duties with integrity
- Promote collaboration and networking
- Continually raise industry standards

*Global Leadership for a Sustainable Future*



# AHMP Member Benefits

- ❖ Online Community Discussion Board
- ❖ National Conference (EHS Hazmat Summit)
- ❖ Essentials of Hazardous Materials Management Course (prepare for exam)
- ❖ Career Center Access to job postings
- ❖ Discount on publications
- ❖ National Awards Program
- ❖ AHMP Chapters
- ❖ Monthly eNewsletter

# AHMP Committees

## ❖ AWARDS COMMITTEE

- ❖ The mission of the Awards Committee is to recognize individuals and AHMP chapters for outstanding contributions in education, training, research, development, operations and performance that further the objectives and the Vision-Mission-Strategy of AHMP.

**Linda H. Lawhorn, CHMM, AHMP - Chair**

**Comfort Agara, CHMM, HEM - Board Liaison**

## ❖ CHAPTER RELATIONS COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Chapter Relations Committee provides an opportunity for Chapter and Section leaders to gather periodically and address the needs of their organizations, as well as sharing success stories with other Chapters and Sections to emulate.

**Amanda Wuoti, CHMM - Chair**

**Robert Wilkinson, PG, CHMM - Board Liaison**

## ❖ CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Conference Committee works to establish robust educational opportunities through the annual conference. Conference planning requires great minds, thoughtful ideas and timely execute and this team works hard to pull it all together for our members.

**Sean Grady, CHMM - Chair**

**Kimberly M. Piepmeier, CSP, CRSP, CHMM - Board Liaison**

# AHMP Committees

## COUNCIL OF FELLOWS

- ❖ The Council of Fellows acts as senior advisors for AHMP's future leadership. The Council is comprised of AHMP Past Presidents, Past Chairs, and Appointees to continue their high-level involvement in AHMP by encouraging suggestions on future priorities and direction and by providing historical background to inform future planning.

**Becky Neal, CESLO - Chair**

**Kelsey Forde, CIH, CSP, CHMM - Board Liaison**

## EMERGING PROFESSIONALS COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Emerging Professionals Committee focuses on the needs of the next generation of EHS professionals in the fields of hazardous materials transportation, safety, security, environmental responsibility, and sustainability.

**Peter F. Downing, CHMM - Chair**

**Sarah Henderson, CHMM, SEA - Board Liaison**

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

- ❖ The mission of the Finance Committee is to ensure the financial health of AHMP by:
  - Verifying the accuracy of AHMP's financial records and transactions
  - Assisting with the preparation of and overall performance of the annual AHMP budget
  - Participating in AHMP financial planning and business plan development

The Finance Committee meets four times annually in the month following the end of a calendar quarter.

**Paul Hausman, CHMM - Chair**

# AHMP Committees

## GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Government Affairs Committee identifies and provides subject matter expertise and general industry guidance as well as to track and provide input on regulatory changes that potentially impact AHMP members as they relate to environment, health, safety, security, transportation, and energy issues.

**Sarah Henderson, CHMM, SEA - Chair**  
**Robert Wilkinson, PG, CHMM - Board Liaison**

## GRANTS AD-HOC COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Grants Committee works to develop ongoing educational opportunities through the annual grants program.

**Robert Wilkinson, PG, CHMM - Chair**  
**Amanda Wuoti, CHMM - Board Liaison**

## LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Leadership Committee works to engage leaders to serve in a volunteer capacity. All members are encouraged to consider joining our team of dedicated volunteers!

**Robert Wilkinson, PG, CHMM - Chair**

## MARKETING & SOCIAL MEDIA TASK FORCE

- ❖ Promotions of AHMP events and organizational news via Linked IN, Instagram, FB, and publications
- Sean Grady, CHMM - Board Liaison**

# AHMP Committees

## ORGANIZATIONAL TRANSPARENCY TASK FORCE

- ❖ The Organizational Transparency group was developed and maintains the objective to provide members transparent communication about goals and activities for the organization and committees.

**Shannon McKinney - Chair**

**Kelsey Forde, CIH, CSP, CHMM - Board Liaison**

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

- ❖ The Professional Development Committee supports implementation of the AHMP education and training programs and activities by identifying and vetting content, speakers, and educational venues consistent with the needs of the membership and the Vision-Mission-Strategy of AHMP. Meetings are held the third Tuesday of the month at 11 AM ET. Contact the committee chair if you would like meeting information. The annual meeting is held on Sunday before the conference in the afternoon.

**Eric R. Johnson, CHMM Emeritus, AICP - Chair**

**Jennifer Koenig, CHMM - Board Liaison**

# AHMP Programs and Services National Website

- ❖ Who we are/what we do
- ❖ Our committees – volunteer!
- ❖ Professional development resources
- ❖ Resources for chapters
- ❖ Live Learning Center
- ❖ Ability to consult with peers around the world through our members only online directory


The screenshot displays the AHMP National Website homepage. At the top, the AHMP logo is visible, along with navigation links for Member Login, Online Store, and Contact Us. A search bar is located in the top right corner. Below the logo, a navigation bar contains tabs for About Us, Professional Development, Membership, Knowledge Center, and Chapters. The main content area features a large green banner for the 2016 National Conference, including details about the date (August 28-31, 2016) and location (Omni Shoreham Hotel in Washington, D.C.). Below the banner, there are sections for 'RECOGNIZATIONS' and 'UPCOMING PROGRAMS'. The 'RECOGNIZATIONS' section highlights two members: Corey Brunken, PG, CHMM, and Linda Lawhorn, CHMM, CDGP, each with a small profile picture and a brief bio. The 'UPCOMING PROGRAMS' section lists various events, including 'Education & Training' (New Management for AHMP National Office), 'Attachment' (AHMP Press Release New Mgmt.pdf), 'AHMP Board of Directors Meeting', and '2016 AHMP National Conference'. A 'LATEST NEWS & EVENTS' section on the right lists several upcoming events with dates and titles. The bottom of the page features a '2016 AHMP National Conference (WebSite)' section with a photo of the conference venue and contact information.



# AHMP Programs and Services Publications

- ❖ *The Essential HazMat News* – AHMP’s monthly e-Newsletter
  - Current developments
  - New technologies
  - Practical applications
  - Marketing concepts/business practices
  - Legislative Update
  - Current regulatory trends
- ❖ *AHMP Educational Briefs* – Professional development material you can use!



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**FEATURED SESSION**

**Implementing an occupational and environmental health management system**    

Christopher Cutler at AHMP 2015 National Conference


In 2012 the USAF issued Air Force Policy Directive 90-8 which defines and establishes the AF Environment Safety and Occupational Health Program and directs the ESOH functional offices to develop management systems and all subordinate program elements necessary to implement the guidance across the Air Force." The Directive further defined ESOH Management Systems as "three separate but complementary systems." The AF/SG issued Air Force Instruction 48-145 the Occupational and Environmental Health Program in Jul 2014. This AFI described the OEH Management System based on the ANSI Z-10 standard and how it would be implemented in the USAF. This presentation discusses the issues that arose implementing the OEHMS across 87 active duty installations worldwide. [READ MORE](#)

**LIVE LEARNING CENTER**

**Influencing behaviors for better safety performance**    


Keith Robinson at AHMP 2015 National Conference

Companies invest thousands of dollars to implement programs designed to prevent employee injuries yet they still continue to occur. Leaders say that safety is just a matter of common sense. If so why then does it seem that common sense isn't that common? The answer is that safety is more than common sense program or process. It's about



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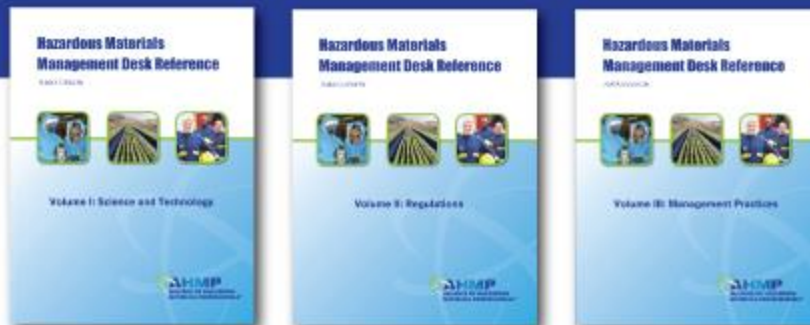


# AHMP Programs and Services

## Hazardous Materials Desk Reference

- ❖ Definitive resource for EHS&S professionals
- ❖ Fully updated, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition
  - Vol. 1 Science and Technology
  - Vol. 2 Regulations
  - Vol. 3 Management Practices
  - Purchase individually or as a set, paper or e-version

### AHMP Third Edition Hazardous Materials Desk Reference



# AHMP Member Benefits

- ❖ Professional development that keeps you ahead in the field
- ❖ Marketing resources for your organization
- ❖ Networking to bring you greater exposure in the industry (online and in-person)
- ❖ Career advancement
- ❖ Greater compensation
- ❖ Greater visibility and stature
- ❖ Community involvement (volunteer opportunities)

# AHMP MEMBER BENEFITS

## Professional Development

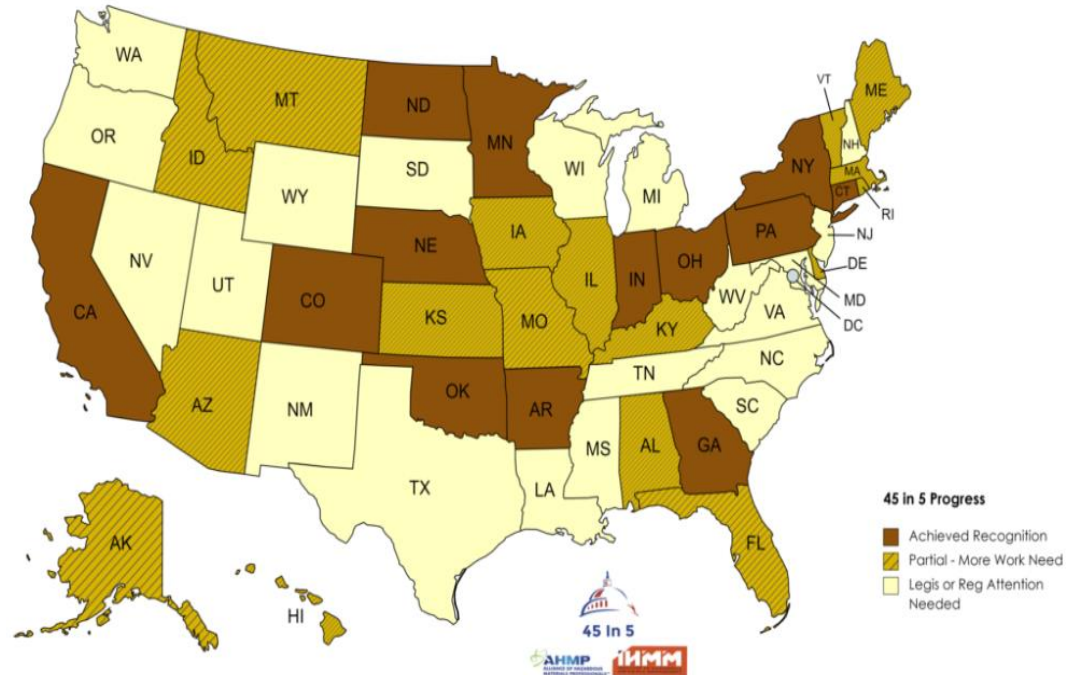
- ❖ Comprehensive, cost-effective educational opportunities
  - Annual Professional Development Conference
  - Technical Training Seminars
  - Leadership Training
    - Leadership Workshop (future project)
    - Chapter Delegate/Officer Training
  - Hazardous Materials Management Desk Reference
  - Publications
    - Monthly E-Newsletter
    - Monthly Educational Briefs

# IHMM-AHMP 45 in 5 Adds 4 New States to Credential Recognition

IHMM has produced a crosswalk between 40 CFR § 312.10 Definitions and the CHMM Blueprint that documents how the EPA regulation aligns with the CHMM Blueprint and demonstrates that in each instance the blueprint meets or exceeds 40 CFR § 312.10 Definitions.

The EPA definition of an Environmental Professional is in the Federal Register dated November 1, 2005 at page 66080. On that page is the instruction to private certifications being considered Environmental Professionals and how to compare 40 CFR § 312.10 to the certification.

13 States recognize the CHMM  
16 States partially recognize it



# IHMM Update



- ❖ Close working relationship between AHMP and IHMM
- ❖ IHMM offers a total of 12 Credentials
- ❖ Hazardous Material/Dangerous Good
  - Certified Hazardous Materials Manager(CHMM),
  - Certified Hazardous Materials Practitioner (CHMP),
  - Certified Dangerous Goods Professional (CDGP),
  - Certified Dangerous Good Trainer (CDGT),
  - Associate Hazardous Material Manager (AHMM)
  - Student CHMM
- ❖ EHS/Workplace Safety Credentials offered by the IHMM
  - Certified Safety and Health Manager (CSHM),
  - Certified Safety Management Practitioner (CSMP™)
  - Associate Safety and Health Manager (ASHM™)
  - Certified School Safety Manager™ (CSSM™)
  - Student Associate Safety & Health Manager (ST/ASHM™)



# AHMP MEMBER BENEFITS

## Career Advancement

- ❖ Recognition
- ❖ Leadership opportunities
- ❖ Increased compensation
- ❖ 2019 AXELOS conducted an Industry Survey on “The Power of Professional Certification”

*“They wanted to understand how organizations and employees valued certifications. The results, 97% of decision-makers and 84% of individuals (employees) said that certification had a positive impact and that it brought higher efficiency and employee satisfaction.”*

# AHMP MEMBER BENEFITS

## Networking

- ❖ “Branding” is no longer the sole domain of the employer and industry-recognized gurus
- ❖ Connect with colleagues to create powerful lasting relationships
- ❖ “Pre-position” resources
  - Make yourself available to support them
  - They in turn are available to support you!
- ❖ Develop as a professional
- ❖ Market yourself and find a new role



## Chapter Benefits

# Chapter Management

- ❖ AHMP provides management and business counsel to chapter leaders
- ❖ Quarterly calls with Chapter Development Committee
  - Chapters interact to share what works and what doesn't and see how other chapters handle marketing and management
- ❖ Collects dues payments for chapters
- ❖ Provides a significant discount for chapter delegates to attend the National Conference
  - Receive a day of training on chapter marketing and management
- ❖ Offers community outreach funds
  - Assists chapters in performing beneficial service projects

## Chapter Benefits

# Professional Development

- ❖ The premier annual professional development conference for EHS&S professionals
- ❖ Pre-recorded and live technical training webinars
- ❖ Government Affairs Committee
  - Revitalizing its mission to increase public participation, AHMP brand and credential awareness
- ❖ Hazardous Materials Management Desk Reference
  - Newly updated three-volume 3<sup>rd</sup> edition
  - EHS&S regulations, science basics, and management practices
- ❖ Essentials of Hazardous Materials Management course
  - Specially priced electronic copies of the Desk Reference
  - Continuously updated

## AHMP Programs and Services

# AHMP Annual Conference

- ❖ EHS Hazmat Management Summit: July 14 - 17, 2024
- ❖ Kansas City • MO
- ❖ Where All HMM and EHS&S Disciplines Connect
  - ✓ 400 Colleagues/over 30 Exhibitors
  - ✓ 70 Peer Reviewed Sessions
  - ✓ 5 Pre- and 4 Post Conference Workshops
  - ✓ CHMM/CHMP and CDGP Credentialing Exams
  - ✓ Emergency Response Scenario and Table Top Exercise



# AHMP Programs and Services Annual Conference

- ❖ Single best networking opportunity for EHS & Hazmat professionals
- ❖ Develop long-term relationships with leading experts and AHMP leadership
- ❖ Gain insight into direction of industry
- ❖ Continuing Education Units or Maintenance Points to maintain your Credential
- ❖ Meet leading service providers
- ❖ Learn about new products/latest advances
- ❖ AHMP Annual Awards Event



# AHMP EHS Hazmat Summit Sessions





# AHMP EHS Hazmat Summit

## Keynotes and Panels



**John Shegerian, CEO of ERI**



**Jeff Robichaud, Director of Water,  
USEPA**

# AHMP EHS Hazmat Summit Keynotes and Panels





# AHMP EHS Hazmat Summit ERS Drill





# AHMP EHS Hazmat Summit ERS Drill



## Become an individual Member!

- ❖ Professional \$150/year
- ❖ Professional Emeritus \$25/year
- ❖ Emerging Professional \$115/year
- ❖ Student \$20/year



# Become an Organizational Member!



## ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Learn More at [ahmpnet.org/become-a-member](http://ahmpnet.org/become-a-member)

BENEFITS	DIAMOND \$7,200	PLATINUM \$4,700	GOLD \$3,500	SILVER \$2,300	BRONZE \$1,200	COPPER \$795
Number of Individual Memberships Included	Up to 50 (Value up to \$7,500)	Up to 20 (Value up to \$3,000)	Up to 10 (Value up to \$1,500)	Up to 6 (Value up to \$900)	Up to 3 (Value up to \$450)	1 (Value of \$150)
Company Logo Hyperlinked on AHMP Website	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Complimentary Full National Conference Registrations	5 (Value of \$4,125)	3 (Value of \$2,475)	3 (Value of \$2,475)	2 (Value of \$1,650)	1 (Value of \$825)	1 (Value of \$825)
Discounted Full National Conference Registrations	20% Discount (Registrations 6-20) 25% Discount (Registrations 20+)	10% Discount (Registrations 4-6) 20% Discount	10% Discount (Registrations 4-6) 20% Discount (Registrations 6+)	10% Discount	10% Discount	✗
Complimentary Banner Ad in AHMP Monthly E-Newsletter	12	4	2	1	✗	✗
Discounted Exhibit Booth Space at National Conference	15%	15%	10%	✗	✗	✗

# Questions?

## ❖ Interested in joining a local Chapter/Section?

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