Dear Colleagues:

Wow, this year is really flying by but we still have several things coming up that you can be a part of this fall. We had a very successful Spring Conference with several excellent speakers. I must say a big “Thank You” to all our speakers for the Spring Conference. They include Dr. Deborah Nelson, the National AIHA President, Dr. Kevin Shefield, Dr. Prada Silvy, Dr. Carol Jones, and Eric Esswein. The conference, “The New Age of Industrial Hygiene” was very informative and well attended. If you were unable to attend you really missed out on some interesting topics and discussions.

Elections & Membership Dues Vote:

It’s that time of year again for new officer elections for the 2019 year. Nominations are now being accepted for President Elect, Treasurer and 1st Year Director. In addition, we will also be holding a vote of the members on whether to increase OKAIHA membership dues, effective for 2019. Please watch for both ballots in the upcoming months. They may be combined depending on how soon nominations are finalized.

Meetings:

We are planning several meeting for the Fall so mark your calendars. The first will be August 13th, 2018 at 6:00pm at Interurban in Norman, Oklahoma. Cheri Marcham will be speaking on “The Future of IH”. In September we will be having a Joint Meeting with ASSP. This will take place at the Francis Tuttle Tech Center on Reno. It will be on the 14th of September at 11:30am and lunch will be provided. RSVP will be required and an Eventbrite will be sent to all members. The final meeting of the year will be on November 13th, 2018 at 11:30 am at Abuelos Bricktown. Greg Day will speaking on sampling for metals and aligning measurements to standards. Hope everyone can make an effort to attend and support our local chapter.

Fall Conference:

We are lining up some excellent speakers for our Fall OSHA Update Conference. We will be hosting the Fall Conference in both Oklahoma City and Tulsa. The Oklahoma City conference will be on October 18, 2018 at the OKC-Moore/Norman Technology Center. The Tulsa conference will take place at OneOK on October 26, 2018. So mark your calendars!

Other Activities:

You should have received information concerning the Safe & Sound Week. It will be the week of August 13 to 19, 2018. It is a nationwide event to raise awareness and understanding of the value of safety and health programs in workplaces. It is being organized by AIHA, ASSP, OSHA, NSC, NIOSH and other safety organizations.

One other thing that you should be aware of is the scholarships that we are offering this fall. We have three scholarships that we will award, one to a graduate student and two to undergraduate students. An application is attached on page 2. So, if you know of a student that is working on his or her degree in the field of Occupational Safety and Health/Industrial Hygiene please make them aware of this opportunity.

Lastly, I would like to say Thank You to all of our members/officers who help to keep our chapter running so smoothly with your input and participation. Hope to see everyone at our August meeting.

Sincerely,

Chris Bradshaw, OKAIHA 2018 President
2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Oklahoma Local Section of the
American Industrial Hygiene Association
Scholarship Application

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1) Applicants must be considered a full-time student at the Junior level or above for undergraduate scholarships and be consider a full-time graduate and postgraduate student for the graduate student scholarship. School . Such eligibility status is based upon the Oklahoma college or university for which they are enrolled. Applicants must have completed a substantial portion of his/her course work in the disciplines of industrial hygiene, environmental health or safety.

2) Applicants must be currently enrolled in courses leading to a degree, and shall be enrolled at the time that the award is presented.

3) Applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 overall grade point average (GPA).

4) Applicants must agree to allow the Scholarship Committee to review certain applicable confidential information such as grades. The committee will keep such information confidential.

Name: ____________________________  College/University: ____________________________
Address: ____________________________  City: ____________, Oklahoma  Zip: ____________
Telephone No.: ____________________________

Please attach the following:

Statement of Career Goals (200 words or less)
Statement of Financial Need (How will this money be used to further your education)
Transcript or grade report and a letter of recommendation from a faculty member or advisor

Scholarships

The Oklahoma Local Section of AIHA (OKAHA) is pleased to announce that we are awarding three college scholarships of $500 each at the OKAHA OKC Fall 2018 Conference. The two undergraduate scholarships are named for the James Folsom and Elden Cheatham Memorial Scholarships. These scholarships will be granted to full-time undergraduate students entering into his/her junior year or higher at an Oklahoma college or university and have substantial credit hours in courses concerned predominantly with industrial hygiene, occupational health, environmental health or safety. The Glen R. Williamson Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to a graduate student in the field of industrial hygiene or a field closely allied to IH. All applicants must attend a college or university in Oklahoma.

Any student interested in applying for these scholarships should complete the application, demonstrate they meet the requirements stated above and submit that information to:

Oklahoma Local Section, AIHA
c/o Scholarship Committee
P. O. Box 1073
Oklahoma City, OK 73101

Applications must be postmarked by September 28, 2018

Successful applications will be determined by a Scholarship Committee selected by the Board of Directors of the Oklahoma Local Section, AIHA.
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Access the AIHA (BoK) Body of Knowledge Documents by logging onto your AIHA Membership Center.

Learn more at:
https://www.aiha.org/publications-and-resources/BoKs/Pages/bodies%20of%20knowledge.aspx

2018 Webinar Sessions

Don’t forget to view the 2018 eLearning Webinars. Links below to view current webinars.

Evaluating the Effectiveness of a Contractor Management Program Webinar and Evaluation Deadline 9/22/18

Health and Safety in the Cannabis Industry Webinar and Evaluation Deadline 1/31/19

Upcoming Webinar:
Investigating Odor Complaints
Come Join Us!

The Oklahoma Section of the American Industrial Hygiene Association would like to invite you to join as a member for 2018.

Local Networking
Membership in the local section does more than just keep you informed—it provides you with a total spectrum of activities that enhance your professional growth, while promoting the occupational health and safety field.

Free Webinars
With a paid Full OK AIHA membership, you have access to some of the many AIHA webinars. The OK Section subscribes five AIHA webinars and offers free access to those webinars to members.

These webinars are a great way to keep up with certification points and provide great opportunities to learn.

2018 Pricing
$25 Full Membership
(Voting privileges, may hold OK AIHA Board position)

$15 Associate Membership
(No voting privileges, cannot hold board position)

$100 Corporate Membership
(2 Full members, 10 Associate members)
Online Payment

We now accept credit card payments through PayPal. Please follow the link to fill out the membership application and OK AIHA will send an invoice via email for payment. A 4.04% convenience fee will be added to cover Paypal’s charge to us.

Online Application:
https://goo.gl/forms/UkkbiIEDB7x9OLWA3

Pay by Mail

If you would prefer to pay by mail, please complete the 2018 Application Form on Page 6 and return with a check made out to OK AIHA.

Please mail payments to:
Margaret Phillips, PhD, CIH
Treasurer, Oklahoma Section AIHA
PO Box 1073
Oklahoma City, OK 73101

National AIHA Website

You can always become a member by adding the local section dues when renewing your National American Industrial Hygiene Association membership each year. If you select this option, there is no need to fill out an additional application.
# OKLAHOMA SECTION
## AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATION

## APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
**January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018**

Have you ever been a member of the Oklahoma Section, AIHA?  
Yes _  No _  
(If yes, please indicate the last fiscal year you were a member (e.g., 7/01/12-6/30/13): ______________________)

Please check the appropriate box and enclose the appropriate funds.

- [ ] Full Member – (Voting privileges, may hold position on OK AIHA Board) $25
- [ ] Check here if you are a national member of AIHA
- [ ] Associate Member (No voting privileges, may not hold board position) $15  
  (Includes ancillary professionals, full-time students, retirees and others not wishing to vote)
- [ ] Corporate Member (No voting privileges for the corporation) $100

The corporation may name two individuals as full members and up to ten individuals as associate members. The two full members must meet OK AIHA membership criteria. Once approved by the OK AIHA Board of Directors, the two full members have all rights and privileges of the organization.

Names of the Designated Full Members:  
________________________________________  
________________________________________

Designated  
Associate  
Members:  
________________________________________  
________________________________________  
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________________________________________

If elected, would you be willing to serve as an OK AIHA Board Member?  
[ ] Yes  [ ] No

Please make checks payable to:  
Oklahoma Section, AIHA

Please remit to:  
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