Dear Colleagues:

We had a successful Fall Conference with several excellent speakers. Special thanks to Dr. Deborah Nelson, the National AIHA President, who gave presentations at Tulsa and at the Norman meetings. Also, special thanks to our third-year director, Joshua Simmons, who provided us the use of the ONEOK auditorium for the Tulsa meeting, and provided technical support to have Dr. Nelson give her presentation via Skype from Colorado during the Norman meeting.

2018 OKAIHA Officers and Board Members:

Effective January 1, we will have a new officers and board as follows: Dr. Chris Bradshaw, MT (ASCP), CEA, will be the 2018 President; I will become Past President; Dr. Jung Wang, PhD, PE, President-Elect; Dr. Margaret Phillips, PhD, CIH, Treasurer; Rachel Butler, MS, CIH, Secretary; Dr. Gregory Day, PhD, third year Director; Dr. Bryan Stolte, PhD, CIH, second year Director; and Susanna Przywojski, MS, first year Director.

We would like to thank our outgoing Past-President, Dr. Charles Marshall and Board Member, Joshua Simmons for their service to OKAIHA. The association continues to grow and improve thanks to the support and dedication you have each provided throughout the years. OKAIHA is lucky to have both as mentors in the years to come.

2018 Events:

We will have a Spring Conference on Thursday, April 26 in Oklahoma City. We are working to find great speakers. The first one to sign-up was Dr. Deborah Nelson, National AIHA President and native Oklahoman, who will give us a presentation about “Twentieth Century IH” where she will wander (and wonder) about the political, legislative, sociocultural, and technical events and advances during the span of her career—1975 to today.

There will be a couple of lunch or dinner meetings with other great guest speakers. We will announce them in future newsletters and email.

Workers Memorial Day is the week of April 28. We will remember the workers who were killed in on-the-job accidents in Oklahoma with a ceremony at the State Capitol. OKAIHA is part of the planning group. We will keep you informed of developments.

Safe & Sound Week 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, ASSE, OSHA, National Safety Council, NIOSH, and other safety organizations. We will be sending information by email.

Finally, I take the opportunity to bid farewell as the OKAIHA President. It was a pleasure and an honor to have had the opportunity to serve in this capacity. I wish the best of luck to my successor, Dr. Chris Bradshaw. I’m looking forward to continue to serve in my new capacity as Past President.

Sincerely,

Jorge Delucca, MS, MA, CAIH 2017 President
Announcements

Fall 2017 Scholarship Winners

Two students were awarded scholarships for the Fall 2017 semester. Congratulations to the winners.

Glen R. Williamson Memorial Scholarship:
Jacob Bartels, PhD student in Occupational and Environmental Health, University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center

James Folsom Memorial Scholarship:
Russell Pritchett, Sr., BS student in Occupational Safety and Health, Southeastern Oklahoma State University

OKAIHA will be accepting scholarship applications again in the Fall of 2018.

2018 Officer Election Results

Congratulations to the newly elected officers!

President-Elect: Jun Wang, PhD, PE
Secretary: Rachel Butler, MS, CIH
Director: Susanna Przywojski, MS

OKAIHA Website Job Postings

We have added a job postings portion to the OKAIHA website. If you would like a job posted, email rachelbutler@marshallenvironmental.com. Please attach a PDF of the job posting and a date to remove it from the site.
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https://www.aiha.org/publications-and-resources/BoKs/Pages/bodies%20of%20knowledge.aspx

Archived Webinar Sessions

Don’t forget to view the 2017 eLearning Subscription Page. As part of your Oklahoma AIHA membership, members get to view Free Webinars and AIHA Fall Conference Recordings for credit. The deadline for submitting course requirements for credit is January 31st, 2018.

Please Visit:
https://www.aiha.org/education/eLearning/Pages/eLearning20Subscription17Members.aspx
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 one of the many AIHA webinars. The OK Section subscribes to the 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.

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
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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

| Name: |  |
| Affiliation: |  |
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| City, State, ZIP Code: |  |
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| E-mail address (required): |  |
| Credentials (Ph.D., CIH, CSP, PE, CHMM, etc.): |  |
| Area of Expertise: |  |

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
- **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:  
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Designated  
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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

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