PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

The end of 2019 is upon us; does anyone else feel the year has flown by?

Now is the time to renew your MIHS membership. Renewal of a current membership, or registration of new membership, can be renewed online. The benefits of membership can also be found on the MIHS website. We also offer Student and Organizational memberships.

Becoming an MIHS member also allows you the ability to vote in our upcoming 2020 elections and join the MIHS Board. There are 13 positions available; some terms are two-year, some are one year. MIHS also encourages all members to join MIHS meetings and to contribute suggestions for presentation topics or speakers that would be available.

Events will start back up in the new year; with the Past-Presidents Breakfast and Annual Business meeting in March, followed by Student Award Night in April.

Thank you for you continued support. My hopes for a healthy and happy new year.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

MIHS Board Election
February 2020
http://mihsweb.org/

69th Michigan Industrial Ventilation Conference
February 9 through 14, 2020
East Lansing, MI
https://www.michiganivc.org/

MIHS Past President’s Breakfast and Annual Business Meeting
March 2020
http://mihsweb.org/

MIHS Student Night
April 2020
http://mihsweb.org/
The 2019 MIHS Fall Mini-Conference was held October 8th at the MSU Management Education Center in Troy, Michigan. Our first speaker was AIHA Past President, Cindy Ostrowski, who provided an update of programs and activities at AIHA. MIOSHA Director Bart Pickelman provided a MIOSHA update. Dr. Ken Rosenman, Chief, Division of Occupational and Environmental Medicine at Michigan State University provided an overview of medical monitoring for crystalline silica. James McGlothlin of McGlothlin Ergonomics, LLC presented an overview of emerging health and safety concerns for home healthcare workers. After lunch, Jeff Edgerton and MIHS President-Elect Matt Macomber presented information of safety and IH issues related to robots.
MIHS WANTS YOU!

MIHS is always looking for new members, no matter the time of year. As the holiday season is upon us, that means election season is right around the corner, and it is time to start thinking about running for MIHS Board!!

If you have any interest in running for a board position, please feel free to contact any Board member and ask them what they think of being involved. We will be looking to fill the slate of candidates by the end of December/early January. There are four Board positions (two-year terms beginning in March 2020) and the President-elect, which is a 3-year commitment. (President-Elect, then President, then Past President beginning in March 2020). Consider joining the Board. We look forward to hearing from you.
U OF M STUDENTS RECEIVE
AIH FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

During the 2019 AIHce, the American Industrial Hygiene Foundation (AIHF) recognized all 13 of the AIHF scholarship recipients, including two U of M students. Congratulations to Christine Edie and Roxanne Strobel! The complete list of awardees is presented below:

- Yao Addor, University of Cincinnati
- Russell Barr, University of Central Missouri
- Lauren C. Cox, Murray State University
- Alan Da Sileira Fleck, Université de Montréal
- Christine Edie, University of Michigan
- Anne Griffis, University of Iowa
- Thomas Hancock, Colorado State University
- Michelle Heins, Montana Tech of the University of Montana
- Derreck Koller, University of Arizona
- Ann Parker, University of Cincinnati
- Allison J. Persing, University of Iowa
- Megan Steele, Air Force Institute of Technology
- Roxanne Strobel, University of Michigan
- Carson Whitehead, University of Cincinnati

TELL US A STORY!

We are always on the lookout for content and items of interest to our members. If you have a story to tell that you feel would be of interest to the group and you would like to see it in the MIHS Newsletter, let us know.

- A “Tale from the Front” about something you have done in the field.
- A write-up on a seminar or conference you’ve attended
- A write-up on a new gadget or “app” you have discovered that might be of interest to others

Pretty much anything industrial hygiene-related. Send your article to apcrause@aol.com.

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Each year the activities of the MIHS have been supported by our Organizational Members. The MIHS appreciates the support and generosity of our Organizational Member.

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