

MIHS ACTIVITIES

- Broadcast emails on the latest news, events, meetings and job postings
- Quarterly newsletter
- IH Job Postings
- Professional Development Courses for Certification Maintenance
- Annual full day Mini-Conference
- Annual Past Presidents' Meeting
- Annual Best Student Award Night
- CIH Exam prep workshops
- Award for best paper of the *JOEH* presented at the AIHce
- Exhibit the MIHS Membership Booth at the Michigan Safety Conference
- Local career fairs

MIHS WEBSITE

www.MIHSweb.org

- Provides updates on local IH activities, meetings, news and events
- Online Event Calendar Online Event Registration with credit card payment capabilities.
- Online Membership Directory

Membership Application

Name _____
Company _____
Address _____
City _____
State _____ ZIP _____
Email _____
Phone _____

Membership Status: (check one)

- ___ **Full \$25 / year**
Member in good standing with AIHA
- ___ **Associate \$25 / year**
Any person having a professional interest in Industrial Hygiene
- ___ **Student \$5 / year**
Graduate or undergraduate student enrolled in occupational or environmental health studies. Persons employed full-time are not eligible for this membership category regardless of their studies.
- ___ **Organization \$50 /year**
Company listed on website and in newsletter.

Please make checks payable to → "MIHS"

Mail application and check to:

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Attention: MIHS
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Chesterfield, MI 48047
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Or join online at www.MIHSweb.org, and click on "Join MIHS" on the left-hand sidebar link.



PURPOSE STATEMENT

- Protect Worker Health by Promoting the Art and Science of Industrial Hygiene**
- Advance the Knowledge, Skills and Character of Professional Industrial Hygienists**
- Link People Interested in the Various Aspects of Occupational & Environmental Health & Safety**
- Secure the Common Interest of the Industrial Hygiene Profession**



WHO WE ARE

Founded in 1938, the Michigan Industrial Hygiene Society (MIHS) is a local section of the national organization, American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA), which was founded in 1939.

That's right... The Industrial Hygiene Society started right here in Michigan!

MIHS is composed of approximately 100 highly trained professionals who service the occupational, environmental and health needs in the community.

Most members are industrial hygienists working for corporations, universities, regulatory agencies, private consulting firms, and within companies that service, sell, and distribute occupational health and safety products.

MIHS welcomes all individuals interested in occupational and environmental health and safety to join our organization.

While membership in the AIHA is encouraged, it is not necessary to be a member of the national organization to join and participate in the local section activities. AIHA had around 9,500 members in 2015.

AIHA website: www.aiha.org



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ADVANTAGES OF MEMBERSHIP

- Job Postings for IH and related job opportunities
- Broadcast emails to members on the latest IH news, events, meetings and job postings.
- MIHS posts a quarterly newsletter on the website covering topics to keep you updated on Industrial Hygiene.
- Obtain certification maintenance points a local Professional Development Courses (PDCs) relevant to Michigan.
- Network with local industrial hygienists
- MIHS offers Matching Grants to local Michigan Universities with ABET accredited IH programs, currently at the University of Michigan School of Public Health.

AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE FOUNDATION (AIHF) MIHS MERIT SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT

The MIHS Merit Scholarship was established in 2006. All students meeting the AIHF general scholarship criteria are eligible for this scholarship, however, preference is given to Michigan residents enrolled in an industrial hygiene program at the U of M.

www.aiha.org/foundations/AIHFoundation

(Also linked from the MIHS website home page.)

ALREADY CERTIFIED

- Obtain *local* certification maintenance points – save on your travel budget.
- MIHS hosts several events per year which offer ABIH, CIH CM credit

SEEKING CERTIFICATION

- Two times a year the U-of-M COHSE and the MIHS cosponsor a weeklong Comprehensive Industrial Hygiene Review Course to better prepare attendees who are planning to take the CIH exam.
- Attending MIHS sponsored events can provide contact hours which can be used to meet the IH coursework requirement needed to take the CIH exam.
- American Board of Industrial Hygiene (ABIH) www.abih.org

Since 1960, ABIH, a not-for-profit corporation, has been the world's largest, premier organization to certify professionals in the practice of industrial hygiene.

ABIH is responsible for ensuring high quality certification application and exam processes, certification maintenance and ethics governance and enforcement.

In 2015, there were around 6,800 Certified Industrial Hygienists with active status.