

# Society for Chemical Hazard Communication Professional Development Training

## **Ecotoxicology for Hazard Communication**

Sunday, March 26, 2017 New Orleans, Marriott – New Orleans, Louisiana

### **Course Description**

This course is designed to provide an introduction to the principles of ecotoxicology as they pertain to hazard communication. Emphasis will be placed on an understanding of how chemicals impact the environment, the transport and fate of chemicals within the ecosystem, and how environmental hazards and risk are assessed and communicated.

The goals of this course are to provide participants an understanding of how chemicals interact with the ecosystem to produce adverse ecological effects and to introduce them to the tools necessary to identify chemicals that can cause adverse ecological effects that are relevant to hazard communication.

This is considered to be a basic course and there are no prerequisites. However, it is recommended that participants have either taken the SCHC course, Toxicology for Hazard Communication, or that they be comfortable with the basic principles of toxicology.

#### **Intended Audience**

Hazard communication professionals looking to broaden their understanding of ecotoxicology and to sharpen their hazard determination and risk assessment skills.

#### **Course Director / Instructor**



### Robert Skoglund, Ph.D., DABT, CIH

Dr. Skoglund is the Director of Product Safety and Regulatory Affairs at Covestro LLC. His responsibilities include compliance, safety, and stewardship, including hazard communication.

## **Course Instructor**



#### **Scott Strand**

Scott Strand is a Senior Information Specialist at the 3M Company. His primary responsibilities include the development, maintenance and enhancement of IT systems and business processes for chemical data management and hazard communication. In addition he has over 20 years of experience in the assessment, classification, and communication of chemical hazards and risks.



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## **Course Fee**

\$450.00 for members \$540.00 for non-members

## **Course Topics and Schedule (Subject to Change)**

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| 7:30 – 8:00              | Registration / Continental Breakfast   |
| 8:00-9:10                | Introduction<br>Overview of Ecotoxicology                                      |
| 9:10-9:25                | Break  |
| 9:25-10:35               | Quantifying and Measuring Ecological Effects                                   |
| 10:35-10:50              | Break  |
| 10:50-12:00              | Transport and Fate of Chemicals in the Environment Data Sources and Quality    |
| 12:00 – 1:00             | Lunch (buffet lunch provided)  |
| 1:00-2:10                | Classification & Communication of Environmental Hazards Workshop               |
| 2:10-2:25                | Break  |
| 2:25-3:35                | Safety Data Sheets and Labels<br>Ecological and Environmental Risk Assessments |
| 3:35-3:50                | Break  |
| 3:50-5:00                | Sustainability<br>Ecolabeling  |

### Registration

Admission to the course will be on a first come basis. Payment must be received by February 10, 2017, to secure your space. Space is limited.

Fill out the registration form located on SCHC's website: http://www.schc.org

SCHC accepts checks, Visa, MasterCard and American Express.



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#### **Cancellation Policy**

No refunds will be given after February 10, 2017. No one will be admitted to the course unless all fees have been paid in advance. Substitutions are permitted. Every effort has been made to ensure the information in this brochure is accurate. SCHC reserves the right to modify this course without prior notice or to cancel the course 30 days prior to the course date. In the event this course is canceled, SCHC's obligation is limited to a full refund of the course fee.

#### **Hotel Accommodations**

Arrangements have been made for a block of rooms at the New Orleans Marriott – 555 Canal Street, New Orleans, Louisiana – 504-581-1000. The rate is \$199/night. The hotel cut-off date is March 3, 2017. You must identify yourself with SCHC when making reservations – use the hotel online registration