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  No report submitted
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No report this month

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Robert Beasley
Richard Squicciarini
Amanda Meimin

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Pete   Bartolomei
Jeff   Eschliman
Amanda Lara
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Gregory Peterson
Miguel Vasquez
Benjamin Campbell
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I will second the motion to fund the $1667 needed. Get on those sponsors!

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As everyone knows Farmers put in 2500 openly.

Here are examples of what has already been brought forward: ABA has helped with web development, poster development, and social media by spending countless hours during the day and in the evening (talking to me by phone). Another partner has already committed to writing the check for the first 5000 banners even before we knew the cost. I am having those printed in the next week or so. Another sponsor who has paid for entire bill boards in the past is writing a line item in their budget which will more than likely pay for all the posters I am planning to get into high schools across the state. National Safety Council and ASSE while not yet having provided direct financial support give the initiative incredible credibility and have committed to media support and potential lobbying activities (the later not directly related to DSA but important for ASSE initiative). As for any and all governmental organizations, there can never be direct financial support from them but that will never mean we would not want them to participate. My employer has allowed me to provide countless hours to this initiative a dollar value into the thousands already.

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Hopefully that did not sound to preachy...

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Let me check with Matt Dillon as he is our local person in marketing. Doris only handles the grants.

Farmers has a website that has free safety materials for our clients with texting safety included. I can't give you access to it. There are about 10-11 different items in that library.

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The ASEC will donate $500 to the Chapter for the month of December.

Harold Gribow, MS, CSP, ARM
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Nominations Committee – 2015/2016

- Robyn Steiner has agreed to serve on the 2015/2016 Nominations Committee.
- I will confirm the second member.

Candidates for Election of 2016/2017 Officers

- I have confirmed that the current Secretary and Treasurer are interested in running again.
- I will begin seeking nominees for the office of VP.
- I will be speaking to current members of the Board, and other Chapter Members, to encourage them to run for an elected office for next year.
- I will ask the President to announce that we are now taking nominations for the 2016/2017 Chapter Year.

Slate of Candidates

- We will hold the election during the month of April. The slate of candidates has to be confirmed and posted on the web page 60 days prior to the election – Feb. 1 is the deadline.
- The goal is to have the Slate of Candidates finalized by the January Chapter Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Vicki Allen-Buglisi, CSP
2015/2016 Nominations Chair
November postings:

Number of new positions posted: 5

Arizona:
Quality & Patient Safety Program Director
Supervisory Mine Safety and Health Inspector
Safety Engineer
Regional EHS Manager
Safety Specialist

Number of job inquiries: 2

Slower month for job inquires this month. That is to be expected as the year comes to an end but remember to get the word out we are always here to help our member in their search. Also, I would to congratulate Marc Tomeoni on his new position.

Resumes posted on site: 4

Robert F. Willey (Chip) CSM & RIM
Robert Rosales CSP, CHST, CPEA
John R Miller, BA, PS
Kit Flores, CHST

Notes:
Have a great Holiday Season team.

If you know of anyone looking, please let me know or have them contact me. Please feel free to email me with any job posting you may have. obriend39@gmail.com

Respectfully submitted,

David O’Brien
The mentor committee did not meet last month. However, committee work resulted in:

- A completed student survey that will be distributed after the web page is completed,
- Draft mentor web page – Revisions underway,
- Development of mentor/mentee agreement,
- Authorization to adapt Mentor Guide (Guide for Mentoring, Be a Mentor) produced by inspire Program – Province of Nova Scotia, and
- Alteration to Mentor Board Flier.

The Chapter Student Liaison, three students from GateWay Community College and one student from Embry Riddle University participated in the 2015 Future Safety Leaders Conference in Lombard, Illinois. Over thirty different student sections and over 130 different students from 47 schools from all over the nation attended this conference. This was a great networking event with not only students, but also safety professionals and recruiters. A few chapter attendees will provide a summary of lessons learned at the December Technical Meeting.

Student contacts for the month of November – Connected with one student face-to-face to discuss mentoring opportunities within the AZ Chapter. Student was encouraged to join the ASSE, attend the local ASSE meetings, network with other students, and register for mentoring.

Mentees in database- (as of 11/25) 4
Mentees being mentored- 0
Mentors in database- 3
Mentors actively working with mentees- 0
Completed formal mentee/mentor relationships during 2015 - 0
Highlights of Jaitra Yatra (Successful Trip) to India
By Jitu Patel, ASSE Ambassador

A. Jaitra Yatra schedule (October 11 through November 15, 2015)

Oct. 11 – 17, 2015: ty India 2015 (Mumbai)
Oct. 11 – 14, 2015: Pre-Conference preparations
Oct. 13, 2015: Press Conference at the Taj Hotel
Oct. 14, 2015: Meeting with Principal Labor Secretary & Director General, DISH
Oct. 15, 2015: Conference (PDC&E) Opening Ceremony
Oct. 15 & 16, 2015: Conference (PDC&E) Proceedings
Oct. 17, 2015: ASP/CSP Workshop Opening Session
Oct. 17, 2015: Addressing the Maharashtra-State Police Dept. at Thane

Oct. 18 – 23, To Baroda (ASSE Gujarat Chapter - TBE)
Oct. 19, 2015: Meeting with ASSE Gujarat Chapter TFC

Oct. 24 – 29, 2015: To Hyderabad (ASSE Telangana Chapter)
Oct. 25, 2015: Seminar for forty (40) HSE students of Connect IT
Oct. 26, 2015: Seminar for sixty (60) HSE students of IASM
Oct. 27, 2015: Seminar for two hundred and fifty (250) HSE professionals – EHS Professionals
Oct. 28, 2015: Meeting with USHA Mfg. Co. executive
Oct. 28, 2015: Meeting with the Business Head, Dr. Reddy’s Labs
Oct. 28, 2015: Meeting with the CEO & President and VP Operations, Apollo Hospitals
Oct. 29, 2015: Seminar for fifty (50) HSE and other technical and line-management staff of Dr. Reddy’s Labs

Oct. 30 – Nov. 01, 2015: To Vishakhapattnam (ASSE Andhra Pradesh Chapter)
Oct. 30, 2015: Press Conference
Oct. 30, 2015: Addressing over two-hundred (200) Engg Students at Chaitanya Engg Univ. and founding a student Chapter
Oct. 31, 2015: Seminar for forty (40) HSE, other technical and line-management staff and dignitaries

Nov. 01 – 03, 2015: To Pune (ASSE Maharashtra Chapter)
Nov. 02, 2015 Seminar Leadership Skill Development Program for 120 EHS Professionals organized By ASSE Maharashtra Chapter jointly with MARG.
November 03, 2015: To Baroda & Ahmedabad

Nov. 04, 2015: Meeting with the President, Confederation of Indian Industries, Ahmedabad
Nov. 04, 2015: Meeting with the Managing Trustees of PEARL, Ahmedabad
Nov. 04, 2015: Meeting with the Principal and Faculty of the Fire & Safety Institute, Ahmedabad
Nov. 13, 2015 Meeting with the TFC - Gujarat
Nov. 05 – 14, 2015 addressing nearly 100 members of the Seniors Laughter Club on each morning with safety messages relevant to the age and also to convey the messages to their families and friends of all age.

Nov. 16, 2015: Returned to Phoenix

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B. Highlights of various events during my Trip - Jatra Yatra

i. Safety India 2015

ASSE Ambassador Jitu C Patel was actively involved successfully as an executive member of the conference organizing committee and also as its plenary speaker at the ASSE’s 2nd PDC&E, titled Safety India 2015. Shri Yalamanchili Satyanarayana Chowdary, Honorable Minister of State for Ministry of Science & Technology & Earth Sciences, Govt. of India was the Chief Guest at the Inaugural Ceremony on October 15, 2015 at the Lalit, Mumbai.

The PDC was not only important for the occupational safety and health profession, but a true benchmark for how government, business and the safety community must work together to achieve great economic development while protecting people, property and the environment. The Prime Minister of India, Mr. Narendra Modi, has launched the ‘Make in India’ initiative to place India on the world-map as a manufacturing and IT hub and give global recognition to the Indian economy. India is actively working towards establishing itself as a leader in industrialization and technological development.

Safety India 2015 was a great place to learn and share global best practices, exchange ideas and network for the benefit and advancement of the profession and professionals both in India and globally. ASSE is the global society of safety engineers that was founded back in 1911 in the USA with the mission to protect people, property and the environment. Today ASSE network includes more than 37,000 members who practice Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) in over 80 countries around the globe.
ASSE has an outstanding member network in India, which continues to grow rapidly. To better serve our India members’ and the safety community’s needs, we brought our conference to India for the first time in 2014 in Chennai, where ASSE’s first India chapter was formed back in 2012. The response from the first event, that emphasized the professional development and sharing of best practices in the OSH field, as overwhelmingly positive. It was also endorsed by the India Ministry of Labour and Employment.

Companies that represented at the conference: UL, Tata Group, Johnson Controls, Honeywell, L&T, Mahindra & Mahindra, Reliance Industries, Cairn zing Committee.

With the help of Ashok Garlapati, ASSE Ambassador to ME, India and SE Asia, Ajay Sachdeva, ASSE India Facilitator and many other great enthusiast HSE leaders from different parts of India, we have ASSE chapters in Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, AP and Telangana states. Momentum continues now for Gujarat, Karnataka and NCR.

ii. ASSE and DLS SHAH Trust/ASSE Safety India Awards 2015

ASSE has introduced an exclusive Award program to recognize OH&S professionals of India in collaboration with DL Shah Trust, Mumbai. Mr Patel chaired the Safety Awards & Honors Program Committee in India along with other Committee members (Ashok
Garlapati, Ajay Sachdeva, Dr Karuppaswamy, Yassie Dunn from ASSE and Mr Hari Taneja of DL Shah Trust). The Program was supported jointly by the D.L. Shah Trust and the ASSE, which is the first and the highest national level Recognition Program in HSE&S profession. Awards distributed to all successful candidates in a specially arranged program. Following are details of the successful candidates under various categories:

Ajay Sachdeva’s contributions in facilitating chapter formation efforts were recognized with a presidential award.
ASSE Telangana Chapter was handed over their charter by the ASSE President

We are proud to say that the Society has an outstanding member network of over 800 members in India, which continues to grow rapidly. We have also established an excellent professional relationship with a well-established National Safety Council of India.

If the government is successful in passing needed economic reforms on taxes, land and labor issues, most economists believe India will be able to grow its economy to dizzying heights. But these reforms must include adopting occupational safety and health (OSH) best practices. Nowhere will safety professionals make a bigger difference in the lives of India’s 1.25 billion citizens than in bringing the country’s political, business and civic leaders together to ensure the country’s infrastructure, the explosive grow of its cities, manufacturing areas and housing -- protect the workers who build them and the citizens who ultimately will use them. To succeed in this, we need skilled safety professionals and committed business leaders. We need bold new approaches, new partnerships and new perspectives.

Economic growth can’t be sustained without occupational safety and health procedures in place to make them successful. Safety professionals attended Safety India 2015 to enhance their skillsets or a business owner hoping to learn how to manage risks better, be part of a safety movement that will only help India own this century. As every business person knows, people are any organization’s greatest assets. But too often we see safety taken for granted. Every day, somewhere in the world, a typical workday is shattered when an employee is injured or killed while performing his or her job. With so many construction projects underway and planned, now is the time to ensure we have
occupational safety and health protocols in place to ensure everyone returns home safely.

In a country with 1.25 billion people, that won't be easy. For example, one thousand people died from factory/machine accidents, based on the latest Accidental Deaths in India report from 2012, down nearly 8 percent from the previous year. Another 10,567 people died from falling from heights, up 5.5 percent from the previous year. Road accidents accounted for 139,000 deaths, up 1.6 percent from 2011. These are just some examples of areas we need to improve. And that's why I am pleased that the American Society of Safety Engineers, the world's oldest professional safety society is hosted its second Safety India 2015 through its growing membership here. Now more than ever, we need safety professionals to embrace the latest best practices in keeping people safe.

IV. ASP/CSP Workshop/October 17th 2015

Mr Patel joined the CEO & President of the BCSP and the Team providing the support at the Opening Discussion and Q&A Session of the ASP/CSP Workshop on the Oct. 17th, 2015 that was attended by 31 candidates. Mr Ashok Garlapati, ASSE Ambassador conducted the workshop for benefit of ASSE members and other HSE professionals from India.
V. Meeting with Department of Labor Secretary, Government of Maharashtra

VI. October 17th 2015/ Event for Police Department, Government of Maharashtra

Mr Patel addressed the State Police Dept. where the Police Commissioner Mr Laminarayan Sir, IAS and Dy Police Commissioner Madam Dr. Rashmiji with all the high rank nearly 100 officers at Thane. The event was organized as per the request by Hon'ble Mr Baldev Sing. Principal Labor Secretary and DG/DISH. Mr Patel spent a full day covering all aspects of Road & Traffic Safety issues that cause major problems nationwide and provided tips and tools for use in this badly needed much improvement.
VII. Events at ASSE Telangana Chapter, Hyderabad: (Oct. 25 – 29, 2015)


Jitu Patel conducted a full-day seminar at the Connect IT Solutions
Two one-day solo seminars were conducted on October 25th 2015 for forty (40) Connect IT Solution and October 26th 2015 for forty (60) IASM Training for benefit of the HSE&S students and faculty. Mr Patel covered wide variety of relevant HSE topics. The attendees were also provided with good knowledge about the ASSE and the BCSP encouraging them to pursue ASP/CSP certification examinations in order to develop their professional career for building it up to an international standards level. Feedback received from students is merged together and put it hereunder:

- First of all, it was a great opportunity to meet Global Ambassador of ASSE, Mr. Jitu C Patel Ji with 45+ years, such a vast international experience, And it is really very nice of ASSE Chapter in India, conducting such a professional international level training in India, which is a good platform for students and fresher to learn from safety experts and leaders from different industry sectors.
- Fire Safety inspections and audits, is one of the important topics in any sector. The Training power point presentations supported with case studies, pictures, videos and lot of Mr Patel’s personal experiences in different countries made it easy and effective to understand for students.
- Mr. Jitu C Patel Ji with being knowledge like an ocean, his level of training and dealing with students was so humble, comfortable and his attitude and behavior never shows that his achievements are so very high like an Everest Peak.
- HSE students really enjoyed the training day filled with sessions. They were able to understand very clearly about the responsibilities as safety professionals, which in future they are going to handle. They were so glad, motivated and encouraged by Mr Patel as he also mingled and interacted so closely with them like young boy of their age group. They are eager to attend such
programs more in future. They all are interested to become ASSE Student Members of Telangana Chapter.

- Faculty also look forward to conduct more training sessions for students learning safety courses in Hyderabad, Telangana, as Students are the future of the country.

2. **EHS Professional/October 27th 2015**

A half-day seminar was conducted for benefit of over 200 HSE practicing professionals to supporting Social Corporate Responsibility (SCR), organized jointly by recently established EHS Professional Group having potential for over five-thousand members in conjunction with ASSE Telangana Chapter. Members are strictly technical knowledge oriented HSE & S practitioners, other engineers and line-management from chemicals and pharmaceuticals manufacturing industries. As requested by Mr. Tapas Saha, Vice President – EHS, Mr Patel gave excellent presentations on Hazards and Safe Handling of Pyrophoric Materials with their relevant hidden hazards that could be potentially disastrous. He explained applicability to their industries. Also, he took time to outline the Culture-based Safety Assessment whilst addressing the Preventing Human errors causing injuries and property damage including environmental catastrophe.

Mr. Patel was overwhelmed with the participation and about the group. He recommended conducting more of this kind of sessions, where people can learn new techniques from the experts. The Group formed by the EHS professionals, is working across different industries in Hyderabad to bring all professionals under one roof for building careers of new talent and to serve the society by organizing various awareness sessions. Group was started by Mr. Tapas Saha, Mr. BRL Swamy and Mr. N Jeevan which now has an organized structure with many senior professionals from the industries. On 19th Sept.
2015 group has conducted its first meet with support of department of factories & Mr. Gangadhar Reddy, Joint Chief Inspectors of Factories is the mentor of this group. As a first initiative Global Hand Wash day was conducted across many industries on October15th with a motto of “Swatch Factory Safe Factory” with the aid of Factories department. The group is now working on other activities to increase the connectivity of the professionals. EHS Professional VP expressed keen interest to join ASSE and to partner the activities with ASSE Telangana Chapter.

4.. Visit to USHA Mfg. Co./October 28th, 2015:

Mr Patel spent a short ninety-minute break by visiting two beautiful local temples for recharging his positive energy. He continued his journey and met with an executive from USHA Manufacturing Co., who has been a great supporter to ASSE Telangana Chapter.

Subsequently, he also met with the Corporate Business Head at Dr Reddy’s Lab.

5. Meeting with Apollo Hospitals/ October 28th, 2015

Mr. Patel accompanied by the Telangana Chapter President held an in-depth meeting with the CEO & President Mr Aashish Patel, and, the VP – Operations Dr. Rao, Apollo Hospitals, discussing variety of activities that could be undertaken jointly by these two powerful organizations to increase and improve public health and safety awareness partnering with ASSE. The group considered undertaking a huge challenge of training at least one member from each family in Hyderabad for administering CPR. A Follow-up meeting on the November 21st is arranged to discuss and develop action plan with roles of each TFC member to make the Mission for training 100,000 people in order to avoid
what happened to former president of India Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam on 27th July 2015 in IIM, Shillong. During the cardiac attack, there was no one present in the audience who was trained to apply any rescue procedures on him. This was a preventable death. ASSE Telangana Chapter jointly with Apollo, plan for 4/5-hour basic training on Life Saver techniques at a suitable large location as venue like cricket stadium.

6. Dr. Reddy’s Labs/Oct. 29, 2015:

HSE Seminar participants at Dr. Reddy’s Labs with Jitu Patel
On October 29, 2015, Mr Patel conducted a one-day seminar at Dr. Reddy’s Lab. in Hyderabad in their corporate beautiful auditorium for HSE&S professionals, which was attended by over fifty (50) HSE professionals from safety and line-management roles from different business units of Dr. Reddy’s labs and the corporate executives of this mega-pharmaceutical manufacturers. The session started by discussing participants’ perspective on Safety Culture? It was quite an interesting warm-up session led by Arpit Nanavati. Mr. Patel spoke on Disaster Management/Culture-based Safety, Case Study Exercises and Preventing Human Errors. He spent some time speaking about the BCSP, its certification programs and its relationship with ASSE and answered questions that were asked to me. HSE&S professionals were encouraged to pursue and preach about the Certification Program. Mr. Patel met Dr. Cartikejan Reddy, Biologics Business Head and visited the biologics unit, which has a world-class facility for biotech products manufacturing life-saving medicines. Mr. Patel commented that the video for visitors’ orientation to the facility and basic safety management system was very impressive.

Overall, presentations by Mr. Patel were technically enthralling and highly interactive. His program was enhanced by excellent animation videos and also narrating real life examples of industrial disasters connected with the cultural behavior on how we look at safety, was found to be very rewarding for the participants. Mr. Balu Mahender from Dr. Reddy’s labs expressed the
vote of thanks and Mr. Alok Malhotra, the corporate head, EHS & Sustainability, concluded the event stating that he welcomes more of this type of technical sessions in future at Dr. Reddy’s Labs. Attendees had a group photograph session prior to late lunch.

**VIII. Events at ASSE – Andhra Pradesh Chapter, Vishaka Patnam**

The press conference October 30 2015 did result in to positive actions. All the key newspapers next day published the pre-conference report and they came back next day and sat in Mr Patel’s presentations.

**Quote: [Ensure compliance to safety norms: expert** “American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE), world’s oldest and largest safety organization with presence in over
80 countries, has launched a campaign to create awareness among students in the city to spread safety culture after a study conducted by it found Visakhapatnam highly vulnerable to industrial accidents for want of fool-proof safety apparatus. Deployment of contractors in critical areas of operations, too much emphasis on outsourced workers, and cost-cutting measures were some of the factors identified by the study for frequent accidents in the city, ASSE global ambassador and noted safety expert Jitu C. Patel told The Hindu on Saturday"

2. Chaitanya Engineering Univ. Vishakhapatnam/Oct. 30, 2015:

Subsequently, On October 30, 2015, Mr Patel addressed more than 200 Chaitanya Engg. Univ. students, where the Univ. Head proclaimed formation of a student Chapter with full assurance.

Ensure compliance to safety norms/Oct. 31, 2015
Nearly 40 quality attendees including key govt. regulatory authorities and corporate executives – notably the Indian Navy Commander too, who requested Mr. Patel to consider offering similar health & safety seminars to Indian Navy and also to other local industries...

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**XI. Leadership Skill Development Program for EHS Professionals/ASSE Maharashtra Chapter jointly with MARG, Pune/November 02, 2015**

In the direction and guidelines provided by the Hon. Prime Minister of India on the path of "Make in India", India is moving toward a great success. Maharashtra State also is part of this great journey. ASSE Maharashtra Chapter jointly with Mutual Aid Response Group (MARG) Pune proactively understand the necessity to promote the awareness of upcoming emerging risks and hazards associated with expansion of businesses including infrastructure construction projects, to meet with the global challenges and the expectations for compliance with the International safety standards, and, planned this seminar with the support of our passionate mentor Jitu Patel, for benefit of EHS
professionals and EHS core committee members of local manufacturing plants and other hazardous businesses in the Maharashtra State. It was essential to arrange Managerial skill development for HSE and sustainability for these practicing professionals. The event also conducted a session of Executive Panel Discussion involving Senior corporate leadership and the govt. regulatory authority to determine expectations of policy and decision-making top management from HSE professionals and core teams totaling nearly 120 participants.

110 delegates enjoyed the full-day seminar at Pune
Key contributors and dignitaries of the event:

- Mr J B Kumbar – Deputy Director, Directorate of Industrial Safety and Health
- Mr. AHBN Reddy, Plant Head and Senior Director, Whirlpool of India Ltd., Pune
- Mr. Rakesh Baweja, Vice President, FIAT India Ltd
- Mr. Jitendra (Jitu) Patel – ASSE Global Ambassador
- Mr. R D Choudhari, Secretary, Ranjangaon Industries Association
- Mr Mahendra Patil – Chairman – MARG
- Mr. Rajeev Lokare - CEO, Classic Auto
- Mr Ajay Sachdeva- ASSE National Coordinator

An enthusiastic combination of corporate senior leadership, EHS professionals, EHS core committee cross functional team members, Co-partners of safety profession of more than 100 HSE practitioners attended the seminar.

The Opening Session on Expectations from HSE Professionals by Top Management was participated by the following panel members:

Mr. Rakesh Baweja emphasized on the responsibilities of EHS professionals as credible, responsible persons to top management of predictive approach. Also stressed upon Government Industrial cohesive relations to grow together to ensure “Make in India” a great success story.

Mr. A.H.B.N. Reddy emphasized upon experiences, behavior, beliefs, Attitudes leading to actions which result in cultural change. He also stressed on the point of collective
responsibility of cross functional team members towards closing the safety concern at the source location of the problem using systems and management tools.

Mr. R.D. Choudhary added that EHS professionals must come forward to ensure safety of society at large.

Mr. Rajeev Lokare emphasized upon cultural change towards safety should be supported with safety First in mindsets of people. Paper work on Audit must be supported by facts and findings to attack the root causes.

The seminar included recognizing the EHS professionals who were awarded at a national level, for their contributions with loud applause.

Mr. Jitu Patel delivered three sessions on Managerial skill development of HSE professionals and disaster Management. He correlated USA, Middle East, Africa and India with disaster management practices. He explained disasters having lesson learning potential with root causes, corrective actions, preventive approach and role of HSE professionals in the case of mishaps and non-routine major accidents. He stressed upon self-development and management leadership with competency to achieve higher standards of HSE results.

Dr. Ramesh Agrawal gave an overview of latest trends in industrial occupational checkups, and, modern equipment that could be used to perform on-site medical examinations in industrial campus. He also explained Doctors role for providing feedback concerning employee and Human Resources.

Mr. Sanjay Kulkani, MD PILZ, explained in details about machine safety and guarding with fail safe, redundant, safety measures. Also machine safety integration with robots and human interface were explained.

Mr. Shantanu Roy discussed financial institution giving priority to environmental and social sustainability. There is leading trend about financing to only Business cases that have been following environmental and social sustainability.

Mr. Jitu Patel shared the Mission of the ASSE and the resources available for the growth and development of an HSE professional in the chosen profession and also showed the path to accomplish the certification in safety profession from the BCSP to raise the bar to an international level. Mr. Rahul Jagtap outlined the journey of the ASSE Maharashtra Chapter for increasing the safety awareness of community at large and the developmental activities for the HSE professionals in particular.

Mr. Ajay Sachdev delivered the vote of thanks. Subject:

X. Events at Ahmedabad, Gujarat
On 5th 2015, Mr Jitu Patel, ASSE Global Brand Ambassador, Mr Kalpesh (Krish) Joshi, and Mr Dharmesh (TFC member of Gujarat Chapter) met with Mr Pankaj Tibak, Deputy Director CII (Confederation of Indian Industry) Gujarat State Officer, Ahmedabad. CII is a Premier Association of all the Leading Industries and operates across India in all Major Cities. All small or big organized businesses are members of this Body. They have great reach to all sectors of industries. They schedule regular conferences, meetings, seminars, trainings, debates, visits, lectures, award functions, competitions covering all areas of industries including health, safety, and environment. CII are the bridge between government and industry. They have great voice and weights in government policies for industry.

Items Discussed by ASSE with CII

- Discuss ASSE Gujarat Chapter formation and activities
- See possibilities to use CII reach and expand Gujarat Chapter membership
- Have joint efforts to spread awareness in Gujarat industries to work safe
- Use existing CII platform during their conference, seminar, to spread awareness about ASSE objectives and principals
- Find and evaluate any other collaboration and co-ordination opportunities which increase membership for ASSE in Gujarat
Krish explained in brief about Agenda of Visit and what is ASSE and ASSE Gujarat Chapter. Also what Support needed from CII. Jitubhai has shared his experience on ASSE and updated Mr Pankaj about what are major Objectives of ASSE. Jitubhai Shared some of Presentation and details for more clarity. He also Shared Achievement and recognition which ASSE got in USA and other countries. Mr Pankaj also Shared same views on WORK SAFE. He also agreed that Safety should be part of life in every work we do at Workplace, at home and even on road. After all Discussion and exchange of Information:

** CII agree to pass on required Support to strengthen ASSE Gujarat Chapter
** CII is planning a Safety Conference in DEC 2015. ASSE team will take part in that event.
** CII will have Big national level Road safety meet in July 2016, They requested ASSE to be Co-partner for same. ASSE Will revert to them in Jan 2016 on this.
** CII will also want to push Safety Audit in Industry to make Industry Aware about Work Safe requirement and to protect individual. They have Seek ASSE Help and Support to get Some Trained Auditor for Audit or train some of CII member to carry out same. ASSE will discuss with Team and revert to CII by Dec end.
** TFC members need to be in close coordination with CII to make effective use of their network.

2. **Pearl Special Needs Foundation/Nov. 04, 2015**

Jitu Patel interacted with students of Pearl Institute providing special needs
As part of the social service, Mr Patel accompanied by the potential Gujarat Chapter TFC members, paid a visit to Pearl Special Needs Foundation in Ahmedabad. This Foundation is established as part of the Community Social Responsibility by three highly educated young Indian-Origin ladies, who are US trained with PhD. They manage the institute for providing care and education to children with special educational needs suffering from Autism, Down syndrome and like. On behalf of ASSE, Mr Patel recognized the contributions made by these three managing trustees and the faculty, engaged in performing this task of a noble cause in developing these kids' talent and future security. Mr Patel truly enjoyed this very humble meeting. It was a heart-touching experience. Hats off to these three smart and kind-hearted girls especially for what they do with deep personal sacrifice! Mr Patel extended the collective admiration with much appreciation on behalf of ASSE (Please see the attached pictures of a class-room of the kids he interacted with and a write-up on his meeting with the managing trustees.

3. **Fire and Safety Institute Visit/Nov. 04, 2015**
Jitu Patel at the College of Fire & Safety Institute, Ahmedabad

On 5th Nov. 2015, Jitu Patel, ASSE Ambassador accompanied by Kalpesh (Krish) Joshi, and Dharmesh K. Sankla (TFC member of Gujarat Chapter) met with Principal Mr. Motawani and Director Mr. Rocky Parikh of the Fire Safety Technology.

The Institute offers Bachelor’s Degree in Fire and Safety, which is recognised by Gujarat University for the last 15 years. Almost 1200 students cleared their bachelor degree, who are practicing the profession with different sectors. B.Sc (Fire and Safety) course is also approved by Institute of Fire Engineers (IFE), UK. Institute is having more than 200 Students and they have Big Campus with all Basic training Equipment and Lab in field of Fire Safety. Dharmesh Sankla is an Ex Student of the same institute and hence he explained briefly what ASSE and ASSE Gujarat Student Chapter are about. Jitubhai has shared his experience on ASSE and updated with the Objectives of ASSE. Institute management has shown Interest in ASP/CSP seeking guidance from the ASSE. After much Discussion and exchange of Information, the following was concluded:

- ASSE team will continue to see possibility of having enrolment of Student from Institute of Chapter
- Mr Dharmesh Sankla will again visit and address the student with all presentation.
- ASSE will look into possibility of what way support can be given to Institute
- TFC members need to be in close coordination with Institute management to make effective use of student power and their facility.
The mentor committee did not meet last month. However, committee work resulted in:

- A completed student survey that will be distributed after the web page is completed,
- Draft mentor web page – Revisions underway,
- Development of mentor/mentee agreement,
- Authorization to adapt Mentor Guide (Guide for Mentoring, Be a Mentor) produced by inspire Program – Province of Nova Scotia, and
- Alteration to Mentor Board Flier.

The Chapter Student Liaison, three students from GateWay Community College and one student from Embry Riddle University participated in the 2015 Future Safety Leaders Conference in Lombard, Illinois. Over thirty different student sections and over 130 different students from 47 schools from all over the nation attended this conference. This was a great networking event with not only students, but also safety professionals and recruiters. A few chapter attendees will provide a summary of lessons learned at the December Technical Meeting.

Student contacts for the month of November – Connected with one student face-to-face to discuss mentoring opportunities within the AZ Chapter. Student was encouraged to join the ASSE, attend the local ASSE meetings, network with other students, and register for mentoring.

Mentees in database- (as of 11/25) 4
Mentees being mentored- 0
Mentors in database- 3
Mentors actively working with mentees- 0
Completed formal mentee/mentor relationships during 2015 - 0
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There has been a change in speakers for our construction section meeting on Friday, December 11th located at the AZ Safety Education Center, 201 E Southern Ave. Tempe, AZ 85282 starting at 0700.

Jessie Antencio will be giving us a ADOSH update along with metrics for enforcement, fatalities, new standards, and outreach/education.

Also, we are helping Toys for Tots so if you will and can please bring a unwrapped toy. (Under $10.00)

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I hope this email finds everyone in good health and safe!!

Friday, December 11, 2015 will be our next ASSE Construction section meeting locate at the AZ Safety Education Center, 201 E Southern Ave. Tempe, AZ 85282 starting at 0700.

We will have Gina Kesler with D & A Experts and she will be speaking about drugs and alcohol in the workplace. Now is a great time to go over this information with all the new recreational marijuana laws.

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Location: The AZ Safety Education Center, 201 E Southern Ave. Tempe, AZ 85282

Time: 7:00 – 8:30 am

Topic: Drugs and Alcohol in the Workplace

Presenter: Gina Kesler – President and CEO of D & A Experts

Experience

Gina has over 22 years of professional sales, management, and sales training experience in the human resources and human capital arena. At D & A Experts, Gina manages a small staff in Arizona for her national third party administrator of drug free workplace programs. She has expertise in drug testing laws and marijuana statutes across each state, and helps employers apply their own drug free workplace programs within state law requirements. She implements and rolls out new or modified drug free workplace programs and trains supervisors on how to effectively manage the program in order to reduce liability. In addition to helping businesses understand the ins/outs of a state Drug Free Workplace, Gina focuses on the U.S. Department of Transportation’s drug and alcohol testing for the various transportation modalities, training and compliance education.

Business/Organizational Leadership Experience

Prior to starting D & A Experts, Gina held a variety of leadership, management and executive sales roles for several Fortune 500 companies such as ADP and Right Management. She has built a broad and powerful network of business peers and industry experts that allows her to be a trusted advisor to her clients. She has owned and operated multiple businesses lending to her experience in identifying and providing solutions to employers’ daily challenges.

Being a good corporate citizen is also important to Gina. This is reflected by her active involvement with many community-based philanthropic events. This includes her membership in Phoenix Rotary 100, serving as committee chair, Board of Director and Secretary positions while supporting several fundraising activities for dog rescue groups, and community clean up efforts. Gina is a member of DATIA (Drug & Alcohol Testing Industry Association) and SAPAA (Substance Abuse Program Administrators Association), ASSE (American Society of Safety Engineers), ASBA (Arizona Small Business Association), Local First, and BBB (Better Business Bureau).

Education and Training

Gina holds a B.S. degree in Marketing from Montana State University. Additionally, Gina holds many industry certifications ranging from Certified Collector to Breath Alcohol Technician. She is certified to train others on conducting collections, breath alcohol, and Designated Employer Rep trainings through DATIA and SAPAA.

Please join us in attendance at the December Construction Section meeting where we will learn from Gina’s experience and expertise, network together and enjoy some refreshments.

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Please feel free to invite all interested parties.
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Team,

Please do not forget about the AZ ASSE Construction Section meeting this Friday the 13th.. SCARY.. ;o)

Falltech will be there to go over fall protection and the latest and greatest in equipment, they will also

1 Attachment

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have their truck there for a drop presentation (volunteer needed). They will also have the exoskeletal there, which is a pretty cool future robot for the military and construction.

James will be doing a 50/50 raffle also. Morning snacks will be provided.

Hope to see everyone there.
Thank you and have a great day and be safe!!

Good morning everyone,

I hope this email finds everyone in good health.

Friday, November 13th will be our next ASSE Construction section meeting locate at the AZ Safety Education Center, 201 E Southern Ave. Tempe, AZ 85282 starting at 0700. Please sign up using the link below.

http://az.asse.org/events/?ee=60

Please continue to send us your ideas on how we can increase our membership, speakers and what you would like to see.

Kyle Schoenberger – AZ ASSE Construction Chair – kyle.schoenberger@ryancompanies.com
Ken Keberle – AZ ASSE Construction Vice Chair - kenkeberle@gmail.com
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Thank you all for your help and support. Have a great day and please be safe!!

Respectfully,

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The greatest weapon you have to use everyday is your ability to make a CHOICE!!!
Here is a copy of what is proposed.

Obviously it would not have someone else’s name at the bottom.

Please call me to discuss further.

Jeremy
Team,

I am moving forward with accumulating the rest of the photos we need for the website banner.

I have a photo shoot scheduled tomorrow with a young man who will be posing as a teen texter (is that even a word). I also have reached out to two additional teens who will let me know by the end of the week if they are interested. That would give us two young men and one young women as our “texters”.

Attached are some of the shots with my current youth models.

Steve, I could really use a call to discuss the billboards. I need to get them ordered from our friends the first weeks of December to ensure they are up and running by second week of January.
Finally, PLEASE DO NOT FORWARD THE PHOTOS OF MY DAUGHTERS... YET.

I will let everyone know when the documents are approved for distribution. It seems to me that those images would be good for educational flyers/ pamphlets.

If anyone has ideas where we might get a partner who would provide in-kind donation of flyers that could be distributed that would be a great.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING EVERYONE!

Thanks,

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Update from ACCSH
Jeremy Bethancourt
to: 'Mary Bobbitt'
12/04/2015 10:39 AM
Cc: melissas
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From: "Jeremy Bethancourt" <jbethancourt@actasafety.com>

To: "Mary Bobbitt" <mary.bobbitt@farmersinsurance.com>
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2016 Fall Prevention Stand Down to take place week of May 2, 2016 / will coincide with ASSE NAOSH week and Construction Executives Week.
Confined Space rule is in place and current settlement work with NAHB
SIPS 4
Crane Standards Amendments, in review
Communication Towers is still an issue. OSHA will be schedule another industry meeting to determine ways to reduce incidents
Still working on comments from RFI on Com-Tower to be able to public a guidance document in 2016
Part of settlement from Crane Standard will require rulemaking under the settlement.

CPWR: Update from Stand Down
Increase from 2014 to 2015.
In 2015 there were approximately 1,041,307 workers who participated, including 1,492 companies and organizations.
There were 449 companies which participated in events at more than one location.
• The number of worker days accounted for during the weeklong event in well over 3 million worker days.
• NOTE: participants need to enter the data so that OSHA can account for the amount of participants as well as see ways to improve.
• See attached documents

Serious Injury Reporting, Office of Assistant Secretary, Rebecca Bilbro:
• See attached documents

Suggestion that due to the timeliness of the stand down this year in May, we should launch the PSA falls campaign of the Chapter on WMD and mention the Stand Down and NAOSH the following week. I suspect we can get the advertising sponsors to participate. I would like a discussion about whether we want to have digital billboards in prominent locations. There is a cost associated with this, I will work on sponsors for the billboards among my fall protection equipment vendors.

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I will second the motion to fund the $1667 needed. Get on those sponsors!

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Sent: Friday, December 11, 2015 5:44 AM
To: Melissa Schmaltz (5252)
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Subject: Re: Financial vote - Drive Smart Arizona

I make a motion to provide the two thirds required to fund this initiative

Sent from my iPhone

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I am reluctant to put specific dollar amounts into an email because it defeats the concept of the type of partnerships I build. As with all coalitions I have facilitated, it is not only about money. Support by large organizations provides credibility and potential new partners. In-kind donations are so much more valuable.

As everyone knows Farmers put in 2500 openly.

Here are examples of what has already been brought forward: ABA has helped with web development, poster development, and social media by spending countless hours during the day and in the evening (talking to me by phone). Another partner has already committed to writing the check for the first 5000 banners even before we knew the cost. I am having those printed in the next week or so. Another sponsor who has paid for entire bill boards in the past is writing a line item in their budget which will more than likely pay for all the posters I am planning to get into high schools across the state. National Safety Council and ASSE while not yet having provided direct financial support give the initiative incredible credibility and have committed to media support and potential lobbying activities (the later not directly related to DSA but important for ASSE initiative). As for any and all governmental organizations, there can never be direct financial support from them but that will never mean we would not want them to participate. My employer has allowed me to provide countless hours to this initiative a dollar value into the thousands already.

Keep in mind facilitators of past coalitions, it was not and is never about each party bringing financial support as a condition. It is about finding commonality in our goal so that each participant can feel comfortable bringing what they can without the burden of comparison. Some will bring more of one thing while another will bring something else which, all are invaluable to a coalition because all bring credibility.

While a truck can drive without a headlight during the day, it is a bit more difficult and much more dangerous to do so at night. To be a complete safe working vehicle all parts are needed.

Hopefully that did not sound to preachy...

If there are any other thoughts let’s hear them.

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12/11/2015 05:42 AM
Understood, one of the things I pointed out to ASSE, is that if we are going to help the masses we have to be willing to give some things for free.

Not to say in any way that Farmers is not giving. It is only to say I would want to show the world that they do have resources.

Perhaps they might make some available for posting a link. Don’t know if we don’t ask. Just let them know the intent is to promote their outreach nothing more.

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Let me check with Matt Dillon as he is our local person in marketing. Doris only handles the grants.

Farmers has a website that has free safety materials for our clients with texting safety included. I can't give you access to it. There are about 10-11 different items in that library.

Regards,

Mary D Bobbitt, CSP, ARM
Sr Loss Control Consultant
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www.MySafetyPoint.com

May I just call them directly. Don’t want to step on toes.

Here is what I need.

Resources Farmers puts out to educate about distracted driving and texting and driving. Its not just their money we want, (-:

I will eventually get to hyperlinking all the logos. I am just flooded right now getting the site going strong with content and adding coalition partners.

BTW, since you are part of Zurich how do we get their logo on here as well and perhaps some donation to further
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**To:** jbethancourt@actasafety.com  
**Subject:** Fw: PSA billboard program in Arizona

Jeremy,

Here is the approval to put the logo on the website in the two locations.

They asked a link to be imbedded to Farmers. Can you do that?
Regards,

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May I just call them directly. Don’t want to step on toes.

Here is what I need.

Resources Farmers puts out to educate about distracted driving and texting and driving. It's not just their money we want, :-(

I will eventually get to hyperlinking all the logos. I am just flooded right now getting the site going strong with content and adding coalition partners.

BTW, since you are part of Zurich how do we get their logo on here as well and perhaps some donation to further DSA (a little more latitude)

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Giving Hope to the Children and Families of Fallen Arizona Workers
Kids' Chance of Arizona
Jeremy,

Here is the approval to put the logo on the website in the two locations.

They asked a link to be imbedded to Farmers. Can you do that?

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www.drivesmartarizona.com - (When you get there, the video link area shows a Farmers and Zurich logo but it is the blocked site indicator from our internal systems as it is a U-Tube link. It confused me at first.)

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Don’t be the last thing she sees
EYES ON THE ROAD
I'm alive!
I do not text and drive.

A message from your police officers and the Jim Click Automotive Team.
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Hi all,

Sorry I still can't make it due to classes here. I'm sad not to make it for our Toys for Tots and for the student presentations (will the student sessions be taped Michael?). I hope to make it for our January meeting (on the 8th?) as it's before classes start up. To that end perhaps we can agree on a final draft for our memo of intent (MOI) with AIHA-AZ. Besides Jitu's redraft there hasn't been any other feedback. So if the attached and copied below is okay, can we formally vote to approve it please? I've asked AIHA-AZ the same. Feel free to discuss and/or vote at our meeting or to table it to our January meeting. As a recap and to bring anyone up to date this came about based on similar experience of mine in Maine with a very healthy and mutual cooperative relationship between the Downeast AIHA Section and the Maine ASSE Chapter. We did a lot together and yet each also did their own things. So this draft MOI is trying to help my two groups here enjoy a similar relationship.

This is:

- Acknowledgement of some mutual interests
- Intent to try to do some level of cooperation in general
- A nice first step and friendly outreach

This isn't:

- Commitment to specifics
- Merging of members, moneys, etc.
- Taking away our identity or specific goals

Questions and comments are of course quite welcome!

Happy holidays!

Jonathan

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Letter of Intent for Cooperation between
ASSE AZ Chapter and AIHA AZ Local Section

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