

EH&S Executive Business Issues Forum

Purpose

To provide a forum for senior corporate officials with lead EH&S responsibilities to:

- Engage in candid and confidential discussion of critical business issues with other corporate thought leaders
- Engage in formal and informal benchmarking to assist in developing business strategies and solutions for effective Safety, Health and Environment management
- Develop action plans to address selected issues of interest to members

Services

- Semiannual Forum meetings
- Members-only Web site and bulletin board
- Access to ORC consultant expertise and support
- Special-topic projects and benchmarking

Forum Operations

Two-day meetings are held twice a year, featuring roundtables focused on member benchmarking and discussion around topics of concern. Forum meetings:

- Focus on opportunities to advance understanding of strategic leadership and management issues
- Provide a setting for joint problem solving among Forum members
- Facilitate sharing of best practice information on critical EH&S issues

Projects requested by EBIF members, including surveys, benchmarking, and special-topic meetings, are completed between meetings. Selective mailings on EH&S regulatory and business-related issues are made available regularly.

Membership

Membership includes senior corporate officials responsible for executive leadership in occupational safety and health and environmental functions.

The Forum size and operation are designed to promote active participation from all members and to foster problem solving.

Member companies help to set meeting agendas and suggest improvements through a Steering Committee.

Contact Us:

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About ORC Worldwide

ORC Worldwide is an international consulting company specializing in compensation and HR peer networking. Our Occupational Safety and Health and Environmental practice started in 1972 and today provides unique forums for discussion and interaction among member companies, organized by experienced professionals in various safety, health, and environmental disciplines, with access to administrators of relevant federal agencies.

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Forum Membership Benefits

Expertise and Responsiveness

- Nationally-known and certified in-house EH&S experts
- Prompt and authoritative responses to member requests and inquiries
- Unlimited telephone and e-mail access to ORC consultants

Leadership

- In the forefront of the new approaches, tools, and practices that help advance safety and health in business and the broader safety and health community
- Plays an increasingly important role for U.S. businesses in a variety of global safety and health initiatives

Primary Information Source

- Members-only Web site with critical updates and links to new developments
- Frequent e-mail alerts regarding key Safety and Health developments

Issue Tracking and Shaping

- Key EH&S legislative, regulatory, legal, and policy developments
- Close communication with government agencies (e.g. OSHA, NIOSH, EPA, etc.) and standards bodies to shape effective public policy
- Emerging issues and trends in occupational safety and health

Networking

- Members-only Web bulletin board enables instant access to and communication with other companies on issues of interest

Benchmarking

- Annual ORC benchmarking survey affords members the unique ability to compare progress in key performance indicators with other leading corporations
- Access to more than 150 of the world's leading companies that share with their ORC member peers valuable insights into an array of successful safety and health business strategies
- Numerous issue-specific surveys of members on key issues that allow "real-time" benchmarking on critical safety and health topics

Member Companies

Current members of EBIF include:

- Alcoa, Inc.
- BASF Corporation
- Baxter Healthcare Corporation
- Bayer MaterialScience, LLC
- BP America Inc.
- Chrysler LLC
- Colgate-Palmolive Company
- Comcast Cable Communications
- Covidien
- The Dow Chemical Company
- Duke Energy
- Eaton Corporation
- E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Company, Inc.
- ExxonMobil Corporation
- Ford Motor Company
- General Electric Company
- General Motors Corporation
- Hercules Incorporated
- Hess Corporation
- Hewlett-Packard Company
- Johnson & Johnson
- Lockheed Martin Corporation
- Mars, Incorporated
- MedImmune Inc.
- Monsanto Company
- Northrop Grumman Corporation
- Philip Morris, USA
- PPG Industries, Inc.
- Purdue Pharma LP
- Sanofi-aventis
- Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics, Inc.
- Sunoco, Inc.
- Toyota Motor Manufacturing North America, Inc.
- TRW Automotive
- United Technologies Corporation
- W. L. Gore & Associates, Inc.