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Environmental Risk Management Workshop Hazardous Substances in Groundwater, Soil, & Vapors: The New Turning Point



Registration Information

Registration is now open for the 9th Annual AIPG Michigan Workshop on June 11 and 12, 2019, at the Ralph A. MacMullan Conference Center on Higgins Lake in Roscommon, Michigan. Early bird discounts are available. Click on the "Register Here" below.

This 9th workshop in the series of annual training events hosted by the AIPG Michigan Section focuses on providing quality technical information and case studies. These environmental workshops bring together a broad base of topic expertise from consulting, regulatory, academic, and owner perspectives. This unique workshop forum promotes collaboration for solving tough environmental problems through real site case studies using innovative approaches as valuable technical learning tools to develop strategies for evaluating and managing risks associated with releases of hazardous substances to the environment.

The theme for this year's Environmental Risk Management Workshop is Hazardous Substances in Groundwater, Soil, & Vapors: The New **Turning Point.** Advances in science and technology along with the discovery of new contaminants has changed the way we investigate, remediate and manage risks from hazardous substances released to the environment. We are at a turning point in the environmental industry. In some situations, science and technology have resulted in greater accuracy and efficiency; in others, the advances raise more questions than answers; and as we are discovering, new situations where the science and technology are non-existent.

Hazardous substances volatilizing to indoor air from contaminated soil and groundwater is at the forefront of concern across the nation. In the past decade, we have learned more about these invisible threats and means for managing the risks associated with them. AIPG is dedicating an entire track at this year's workshop to vapor intrusion including demonstrations with opportunities for workshop attendee participation.

The presentations in the 1st track at this workshop will feature the many aspects of the volatilization to indoor air pathway (VIAP) including investigation, sampling, analytical, and mitigation methodologies. The 2nd track will focus on innovative approaches to evaluating the risks, characterizing the contaminants, communicating the risks, and management and remediation strategies in all media. This workshop will provide thoughtprovoking, high quality technical presentations and discussions that have come to be expected of the AIPG Michigan Section's annual workshop. As professionals working in the environmental industry sharing the latest information on the advances in the science as well as the regulatory requirements and other legal issues, we can make better, informed decisions regarding the risks associated with these substances in the environment.

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See you at the Workshop!
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