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ISHM News

ISHM Board of Directors Election
The three who received the most votes were:
Dan Blankfeld
Steven Guillory
John Faulconbridge

The newly elected officers will be installed September 24th in Indianapolis. Please join me in welcoming them and wish them all the best in their time on the board.

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Excellence in EHS Management Award 2017
Haley Uhl has been selected for this prestigious award. It will be presented at the awards dinner on September 24th in Indianapolis. Congratulations Haley!!!!
We would like to thank our sponsors for the event:


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Get Ready Day is coming up quickly on September 19, I suppose too late for some.

Learn about the do's and don't's of reacting to an emergency situation by going [here](#).

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**Positions Available**

There are some current and imminent Construction Site Safety Positions Available.

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**Ask the Lawyer - Darren Hunter**

**Question:** Which workers are protected by OSHA? Are all workers covered under OSHA or are there exceptions?

**Response:** This is a good question and serves as a reminder that when Congress enacted the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 ("Act"), Congress expressly stated that the purpose of the Act is "to assure so far as possible every working man and woman . . . safe and healthful working conditions." With this in mind, and for all intents and purposes, virtually all workers are covered under the Act, including traditional laborers, construction workers, maritime workers, office workers, among many others. The Act also covers all categories of workers, such as hourly, salaried, seasonal, temporary, full-time, part-time and contract employees.
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Guest Post

Workplace safety programs should always be given high priority. A good primer.
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