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Keeping Traditions: Venkins Odoms,

enkins Odoms Jr. has been leading the charge, on both the civilian and military level, for a long time. He has a knack for inspiring others to do what has to be done to matriculate to the next level of ascension.

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In 1981, Jenkins began working with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Farmers Home Administration, where he served as the Safety and Health Manager. While there, he was responsible for developing health and safety regulations, policies, and administrative procedures. He was responsible for the management and development of the Collateral Safety Program where he was charged with training employees in government offices in all fifty states. Additionally, he spearheaded the coordination of an Employee Assistance Program in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Office of Personnel Management. He served in the post for six years prior to his appointment in 1986 as Director of Safety and Health for the Administrative Assistance to the Office of the Secretary for the U.S. Army, HQDA.

For seventeen years, Jenkins has provided exemplary leadership as a progressive taskmaster, advancing his department's development, while serving as a trailblazer in the field of logistical safety and health initiatives.

Jenkins' outstanding track record while holding the position of Safety and Health Manager at the U.S. Department of Agriculture led to his appointment as Director - Safety and Health Office of the Installation and Service, Washington's Kelvin Dick Jenkins Odoms Jr. Mustafa Atmar



Office of the secretary of the Army, HQDA (Pentagon and National Capital Region). Highlights of his tenure in the field of Safety & Health include:

Receiving commendations for excellence in training from the U.S. Army Garrison Commander at Fort Meade, M.D.

Receiving the Roy Wilkins Renowned Service Award presented to DOD Military and Civilians from the NAACP for distinguished service relating to EEO politics

Receiving recognition for professionalism, dedication and responsiveness from the Director of Architecture for ODISC4 for contribution made for air quality assessment surveys.

Receiving Quality Step increases for spearheading training and consolidation projects, inspections, and constructions programs for HQDA Safety and Health Programs for the 2000 calendar year.

Training over 5,000 DOD and U.S
 Army Personnel at various. DOD agencies
 and installations.

Mr. Jenkins Odoms, Jr. received the
 DoD Meritorious Service Award.

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Jenkins is a graduate of Columbia College where he majored in Administration; and the University of Maryland where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Management and minored in Safety and Health. He is also a graduate of the Baltimore Police Auxiliary Academy, the FBI Civilian Community Academy, and the U.S. Army Logistics Management College. He has performed post-graduate work at a number of academic institutions including: Texas A&M; Troy State University; University of Wisconsin at Whitewater; and the University of Arizona. Jenkins' certifications include the WSO - CSE/CSSD/CSM, as well as Asbestos Manager and Inspector; and Government & Health Professional.

With a life full of numerous awards and recognitions, Jenkins has a litany of honors. Of those presented by the Metropolitan Washington Federal Safety and Health Council, are citations for:

Promoting the advancement of the
 Federal Safety and Health Program for
 DOD

 Training Program Work Performance and Coordination with Department of Labor

 Providing Education Training Programs for Federal Government

 Serving on the Federal Safety and Health Council of Department of Labor

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Jenkins has been honored, on numerous occasions, by county and national government agencies for implementing programs of professional significance. Among those are:

 Prince George's County Schools - for the Cooperation Work Study Program

 U.S. Department of Labor - for the promotion of Safety and Health Programs within the Federal Government.

• U.S. Department of Army - receiving its Highly Successful Performance Award.

Jenkins Odoms Jr. at the 28th Annual Symposium in Manila.



For five consecutive years, Jenkins was awarded the Assistant Secretary of Labor's Occupational Safety & Health Programs with the Federal Government. He has served as:

President - World Safety Chapter of the World Safety Organization in Maryland, District of Columbia and Northern Virginia.

Past Chairman - Metropolitan Washington Federal Safety and Health Council

Member - World Safety Organization, American Society of Safety Engineers, National Safety Management Society, Emergency Response and Fire Protection Technologies Working Group, and the Defense Fire Protection Association.

Member of Safety Organizations

After the attacks by al-Qaeda on September 11th, 2001 at the Pentagon, he was faced with the daunting task of coordinating the logistical and procedural process for ensuring that all personnel were secured and equipped with the directives they needed to evacuate Pentagon buildings in a timely and effective manner. He was instrumental in helping to relocate service and secure the safety of the office of personnel. Without a doubt, Jenkins has faced many challengers over the years, testing his courage as an effective administrator; however, in the end, his outstanding record of achievement speaks volumes of the merit and magnitude of his journey.

Between 2005 and 2009, he traveled extensively to West Africa (Johannesburg and Cape Town) and Egypt, as he aided his late Pastor in being installed and crowned as Chief Nanna Appiah Atu – a Chief in the village of Asiaskwa, Ghana; and oversee the travels of the late Pastor as an African Chief of the Village of Bong County, Liberia.

For the past twenty four years, Jenkins has served as a Deacon at the First Baptist Church of Guilford, Vice-Chairman of First Baptist Church of Guilford Building Fund Committee and is a prominent supporter and representative of the National Baptist Convention for the State of Marulan. He is a Prince Hall Shriner and a 33rd Degree Prince Hall Mason.

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His civil work involves the services rendered as one of the Past Presidents of the NAACP Maryland State Conference where his focus was to ensure the political, educational, social and economic equality of minority group citizens of the state and country.

In 2013, Jenkins was unanimously elected President Emeritus for the State by all of the NAACP states, 23 counties, and the Baltimore City Branch. In his former position as President of the NAACP Howard County Branch, which he held for 14 years, he was responsible for implementing the first NAACP Annual Golf Tournament; establishing a 24 hour Hot Line; maintaining an exhibit on Health; initiated the Annual Health Walk; sponsored an annual Job Fair; and secured 265 Apple 3E Computers for students in low-income housing areas - bundled with math and science software. These accomplishments are a few of the highlights of a list of civic contributions too numerous to mention here.

On July 10, 2001, Jenkins received the Kelly Miller Alexander Senior State Conference President's Award from the National Board of Directors of NAACP as the Number One State Conference in the NAACP Worldwide. In 2006 he participated in the Kentucky Delta Rural Project, as a Chairman of Board, in building six houses for low income families through Department of Agriculture, given a \$250,000 budget with low interest rates to owner of their new homes.

Through his years of participation with the WSO Jenkins attended numerous WSO conferences during his membership in the WSO. In the 1990s he was one of the founding members of the WSO Metropolitan Chapter in Washington, DC. We have enjoyed Jenkins' company during the WSO Symposium in Denver in 2014 and in 2015 when he attended the WSO Symposium in Manila, Philippines.

To Do List:

V 2014 Symposium

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Shaping the Future: *E. Konczal*

p until November of 2015, Hilary E. Konczal was Metra's Director of Safety leading a team of safety professionals who are responsible for ensuring that the safety of Metra's employees, passengers, contractors, and public are at the forefront of its operation. It was during August of 2015 that Metra decided – due to Hilary's extensive background in railroad operations, regulatory compliance, and safety security – to name Hilary as the agency's first Chief Safety and Environmental Officer.

After more than 24 years of service with Metra Commuter Railroad, Hilary will now be reporting directly to the executive director and is responsible for the administrative oversight and management of Metra's safety programs and initiatives, environmental compliance and industrial hygiene activities.

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Shaping the Future: *Hilary E. Konczal*

Metra's Executive Director/CEO, Don Orseno, stated in a press release announcing Hilary's new position that, "safety is our highest priority and Hilary has shown his commitment to ensuring our customers are safe in their commutes and employees are safe in their work environments."

Just a few months before this promotion, Hilary was the recipient of the James K. Williams Award at the 28th International Environmental & Occupational Safety & Health Professional Development Symposium in Manila. He received this award after showing a great deal of willingness to assist the WSO in our efforts to update and further accredit our professional certifications and exams.

Hilary is Chairman of the American Public Transportation Association's (APTA) Commuter Rail Safety and Security Committee, Co-Chair of Metra's Labor Management Committee, and Executive Board Member of The Illinois Terrorism Task Force. He is an active member of the Federal Railroad Administration's (FRA) Railroad Safety Advisory Committee (RSAC), the American Association of Railroad's (AAR) Safety and Operations Committee, and the DuPage Railroad Safety Council.



Nathan Willows and Hilary Konczal at the 28th Annual Symposium in Manila.

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Shaping the Future: *Hilary E. Konczal*

Hilary is certified by the World Safety Organization (WSO) as a Certified Safety and Security Professional (CSSD-WSO), Certified Safety Manager (CSM-WSO) and Certified Safety Technician (CST-WSO). While not only a member of WSO, he also holds a position on the WSO Board of Directors. Recently, Hilary had the honor of working with the American Public Transportation Association's (APTA) Peer Review Team to share industry best practices with other transit agencies throughout the United States.

29th WSO International Environmental and Occupational Safety and Health Professional Development Symposium

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Supporting Development, Dissemination, and Utilization of Safety Education and Learning Resources for Upcoming Safety Professionals ... Worldwide

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Our ever-changing world, which has become smaller through new methods of communication, is demanding changes to how we live our lives and how we work, how we learn, how we share new information, and how we comply with new laws, regulations, and demands of the changes in global trade.

Register before July 31st to get the best available registration deal! See page 11 for the registration form!

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SYMPOSIUM

The 29th International Environmental & Occupational Safety & Health Professional Development Symposium

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Preview of Symposium Speakers

Keynote Speakers

Robert Hembree | San Antonio, Texas Training Manager, OSHA Training Institute Education Center, Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service (TEEX)

What's Behind Your Training? Safety Programs Reveal Intentions and Accepted/ **Tolerated Standards**

Leah Oberlin | Houston, Texas Environmental Affairs Director, Port of Houston Authority General Port Overview, Environmental Stewardship, and Port Security

Lincup of Breakout Speakers

Emmanuel Kunle Abayowa | Benin City, Nigeria Director of Administration, WSO National Office for Nigeria Environmental Governance in Nigeria: The Way Forward

Dr. Saud Said Al-Anbari WSO-RSD/CSI | Muscat, Oman Sr. Facilities HSE Engr., Oman Oil Company Exploration and Production LLC New Risk Assessment Methods for Occupational Safety and Health

Muktar Hassan Aliyu MD, MPH, FACOEM | Nashville, Tennessee, USA Tenured Assoc. Prof., Preventive Medicine and Medicine, Vanderbilt University Medical Cente

Development and Implementation of a Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Readiness Survey for Ebola Virus Disease and Other Contagious Pathogens

Muhammad Tariq Atmar | Kabul, Afghanistan Senior Environment and Safeguard Officer, The Colombo Plan, Afghanistan Office Initiative for Rehabilitation and Bringing Recovering Addicts Back into Normal Life and the Workforce

Stephen S. Austin WSO-CSI(ML) | Madison, Alabama, USA Site Safety Lead, MDA; WSO Board of Directors Drone Safety for All of U.S.

Monica P. Cervantes WSO-CST | Hobbs, New Mexico, USA Safety Trainer/Sales, DXP The "Pyramid Effect" Key to a Positive Safety Culture The Science of Accident Investigation

Forbeteh Walters Chenwi | Yaoundé, Cameroon CEO, Safety Agency Cameroon Preventing Industrial Accidents on the Construction Site

Adam Dillon | Charlotte, North Carolina, USA Senior Safety Consultant, East Coast Risk Management Workplace Violence

Dr. Elias M. Choueiri | Beirut, Lebanon Director General, Ministry of Public Works and Transportation; President, LAPS; Director, WSO National Office for Lebanon; WSO Board of Directors

Practices, Attitudes, and Perceptions Toward Road Safety in Lebanon and the Middle East Driving on Fumes: Lebanese Drivers Face Elevated Air Pollution Health Risks Inside Cars

Brian Grossguth | Fall River, Massachusetts, USA Corporate Safety Manager, Blount Fine Foods Front-line Supervisors: The Emotional Link Transformational Leadership: Supervisors' Role

Syed Tayyeb Hussain | Islamabad, Pakistan OSH Director, Greenwich Training and Consulting; Director, WSO National Office for Pakistan

Negotiating Safety Practices in Small Construction Companies

Ehimare Iden | Lagos, Nigeria Chief Executive Officer, Occupational Health and Safety Managers Workplace Health and Wellness Strategies in Global Melting Economies

C. Kannan WSO-RSD | Tamil Nadu, India Dep. Head, Occup. HS&E/Gen. Consultant-EMBYE, Chennai Metro Rail Project; Director, WSO National Office for India

Safety Management Systems in Chennai Metro Rail Project, Tamil Nadu, India

Muhammad Azmat Khan | Karachi, Pakistan Manager Logistics & Export, Getz Pharma Pvt. Ltd. Transportation Safety

Lora A. Keller | San Diego, California, USA

Supervising Ombudsman, San Diego Unified School District Updates: Americans with Disabilities Act

Joseph M. Kimeu WSO-CST, SIIRSM | Al Kuwait, Kuwait Director, INPATC Kenya Limited and G4S-Kuwait Health and Safety Strategy and Management System

Hilary E. Konczal WSO-CST/CSM/CSSD | Blue Island, Illinois, USA Director of Safety, Metra Commuter Railroad Confidential Close Call Reporting: A Year in Review Safety through Employee Engagement

Khalid Mahmood | Punjab, Pakistan Owner/Director, A&Z Pakistan, H&K International SDN BHD, Biztek Holdings Pvt Ltd Sri Lanka

HSE Implementation with Minimum Financial Impact, Corporate Strategy, and Social Responsibility

Ferhat Mohia WSO-CST/CSI | Tizi Ouzou, Algeria QHSE Manager, Institut des Sciences et de la Technologie (IST); Director, WSO National Office for Algeria Behavior Safety and the Evolution of HSE Education in Algeria

David A. North WSO-CSI(SL)/CHMT-II | Casper, Wyoming, USA Principal/Owner, DNS Environmental; WSO Board of Directors One of the World's Most Dangerous Jobs

Agharese Lucia Ojelede WSO-SCCS/CSM/CSI(ML) | Lagos, Nigeria Technical Director for WSO Office for Nigeria Promoting Environmental Sustainability: A Case Study of Waste Management in Nigeria

Olalokun Soji Solomon WSO-RSD/CSI(ML) | Benin City, Nigeria Director, WSO National Office for Nigeria and WSO Regional Office for Africa Grassroots Safety Education and Its Impact on ROI, Economic Development, and SDGs

Orlando Pernites WSO-CST/CSI, CFI, MSFPE | Doha, Qatar Senior HSE Supervisor, United Development Company – The Pearl Qatar Fire Protection and Fire Fighting in High Rise Buildings Under/During Construction

Douglas Perryman PE, CSP | Arvada, Colorado, USA President, DPSafety Services, Inc. Management of Change: The Final Frontier

Carl I. Prophet WSO-CSSD/CST | Pitt Meadows, British Columbia, Canada Exec. Director, Ministry Risk and Security Div., Ministry of Justice and Public Safety Sector Justice Integrity

Kadiri Shamusideen | Lagos, Nigeria Principal Consultant, Zub Chord Technical Venture Occupational Health and Safety Challenges in Expanding Economy of Nigeria

Stan Skipworth WSO-CST/RSD | Claremont, California, USA Director of Campus Safety, The Claremont Colleges Legislative Continuity Among Public Safety Agencies Serving Colleges and Universities

Jiaqi Sun | Johannesburg, South Africa Market Researcher, NOSA How Does Leadership Deliver Cultural Values Using Context and Style?

Ramasami Sundaresan | Hertfordshire, England, UK Managing Director, Athena HESS Consultants Pte Ltd Industrial Pre-Incident Planning: Purpose, Benefits, and Process

William G. Thompson IV WSO-CSE/CSM/SCI(ML) | Davie, Florida, USA OSH Mgr., Advanced Safety Consulting Group, Inc.; WSO Board of Directors Safety Management Systems (SMS): The FAA's Upcoming Regulation and Strategies for Compliance

Miguel A. Vasquez | Bronx, New York, USA Certified Safety Specialist, American Safety Training & Consulting Services, Inc. Teaching Safety as a Life Skill

Douglas J. Webb | Calgary, Alberta, Canada Global QHSE Manager/Compliance Officer, Phoenix Technology Services Engaging Today's Young Workers through Technology



2016 Symposium Individual Registration Form

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- Please complete registrant information portion of this form. Check/tick your registration fee(s) and enclose payment with the registration form.
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- This registration form is also available for download from the WSO website: www.worldsafety.org.

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- Symposium venue will be the DoubleTree Hotel at Houston Hobby Airport. The hotel has blocked rooms for Symposium participants at a discounted rate of \$110 (net) per night, single or double occupancy. Please contact the DoubleTree directly at telephone 713-645-3000 or fax 713-645-1409 no later than September 4, 2016, to make your reservation.
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