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2023**

ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM

"The Importance of Safety in ESG"

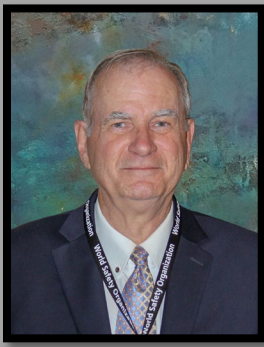
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from the desk of

DR. CHARLES H. BAKER



Chief Operations Officer

Hello,

Welcome to the September World Safety Organization Newsletter. Most of this Newsletter features information on the upcoming Symposium to be held in Odessa, Texas.

As you can see, World Safety is planning an interesting and informative program which you will not want to miss. If you have not registered for this year's Symposium, take a few minutes and do so now. It will certainly be worth the effort. Should you have questions or need help, please contact the WMC in Warrensburg, Missouri.

There are many interesting speakers from various safety fields participating. We are offering one of the most diverse group of speakers in our organization's history.

Also, World Safety is always looking for new members. This is a good time to recommend membership to your associates and co-workers, and a good time to invite them to the Symposium so they can see first hand what goes on.

We are nearing the end of the summer season and everyone is trying to get a last few weekends of summer activity in before cooler weather start. Be extra vigil and safe during these times.

We appreciate everyone's patience as Wanda is the sole individual in the WMC currently as we are conducting interviews for a new Membership & Certifications Coordinator.

As always, please let us know if questions or comments. We always try to improve and make the Newsletter more informative to our membership.

Thanks for being a member!

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Register Today for the Symposium at Special Prices!

Early Bird Prices Extended

World Safety & Health Symposium
October 2-4
Odessa, Texas, USA
This year's Symposium is *The Importance of Safety in ESG*

SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

You may submit your registration online or contact the WSO-WMC at symposium@worldsafety.org for a fillable PDF.

VENUE

Hotel and venue accommodations provided by the MCM Elegante located at 5200 E. University Blvd., Odessa, Texas, USA.

For reservations, call 1-432-368-5885 and identify yourself as a WSO Symposium participant.

Reservations must be made by **August 28th**. Please note that the MCM Elegante requires first night room and tax deposit by a major credit card at the time the reservation is made. A major credit card or cash deposit will be required to guarantee incidental charges upon check-in. **Free shuttle service will be provided from Midland International Airport to the hotel.**

WSO AWARDS NOMINATIONS

If you are interested in nominating a colleague/associate, company, or organization for one of the WSO Awards, we are now accepting nominations. A complete list of the WSO Awards, as well as the Nominations Guidelines, are available online at www.worldsafety.org. Deadline for nominations is **September 1st**.

SPEAKER ABSTRACT SUBMISSIONS

The deadline for abstract submissions is March 31st. All abstracts submitted will be reviewed, and accepted abstracts will be published in the program. Abstracts accepted for publication is subject to final review.

All speaker slots have been filled

You may submit your abstract online, where you may also download a fillable PDF if preferred. Email to symposium@worldsafety.org.

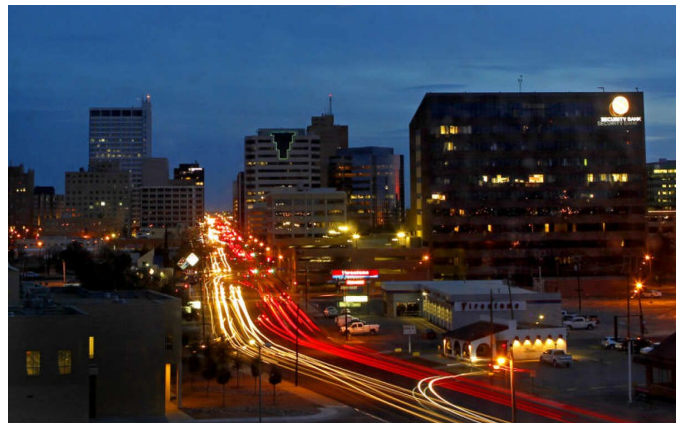
INVITATION LETTER

For international participants needing an invitation letter for use in applying for a travel visa to the US, please send your request to symposium@worldsafety.org as soon as possible, allowing one to two business days for processing. NOTE: *International registrations will not be completed without a valid U.S. travel visa.*

Please feel free to contact us directly by phone or email if you need additional information or assistance at (660)747-3132 and symposium@worldsafety.org

All forms in the Newsletter are available online.

Join us in Odessa!



PASSING OUT OF NYSC - WSO SAFERR CDS CORPS MEMBERS IN EDO STATE AND FCT, ABUJA, NIGERIA

On Thursday 22nd June 2023, was the passing out ceremony of the NYSC Corps members at the Egor Local Government Secretariat in Benin City, Edo state and at the old parade ground, Area 10, Garki, Abuja. Obiero Miracle Chidiebube who was the President of the Egor SafERR CDS Group, passed out alongside other Corps. Certificates of Appreciation, Completion and Volunteering were presented by the Country Director of the World Safety Organization Nigeria, Mr. Soji Olalokun, along side the State Director NYSC, the Zonal Inspector and other senior director's and staff of Edo State NYSC.



L-R; Mr Soji Olalokun (Country Director, WSO Nigeria), Miss Obiero Miracle (former President CDS group, Egor local government), Miss Peculiar Olotu (Office Manager, WSO National office)



L-R; Miss Peculiar Olotu (Office Manager, WSO National office), Mr Soji Olalokun (Country Director, WSO Nigeria), Miss Obiero Miracle (immediate past President SafERR CDS Group), Mrs. Long Blessing E. (Local Government inspector), Mr. Nosa Ogboghodo (Zonal Inspector)



L-R; Mr. Bamidele Praise Timilehin (immediate past Secretary SafERR CDS Group, Abuja), Mr. Agada Onyekachi Michael (Immediate past Treasurer), Mr. Onyeunuforo Chimaobim (Immediate past President)



L-R; Mr. Nosa Ogboghodo (Zonal Inspector), Mrs. Eke R.N. (Camp Coordinator) Miss Obiero Miracle (immediate past President SafERR CDS Group, Egor), Mrs. Oladeinde Foluke (State Coordinator, NYSC, Edo State), Mr. Soji Olalokun (Country Director, WSO Nigeria), Mrs. Long Blessing (NYSC Local Government Inspector), Miss Peculiar Olotu (office Manager, WSO National office), Mr. Oseto Waheed (PA to the State Coordinator, NYSC)

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The SafERR (Safety and Emergency Response Ready) program is an extracurricular activity that targets schools, campuses and communities; teaching them about Safety and Emergency Response Readiness, the World Safety Organization and leadership development. For many, it is their first contact with the World Safety Organization (WSO). Our belief is that when the right discipline and training is instilled in a child/individual, he/she will ultimately imbibe positive values at heart, showing care and compassion for humanity and have the early bird opportunity to pursue a career in the Safety profession (as a Public Health & Safety Educator, Public Health Specialist, Safety Specialist, Environmental Specialist to mention a few), thus contributing to the economy and making the nation and the world at large a better place for us all to live in.

SafERR SCHOOL AIMS AND OBJECTIVE

- To provide knowledge about Safety, Hazards and Risks in the environment.
- To provide knowledge about health risks, communicable diseases and prevention in the environment.
- To teach how to be Safety and Emergency Response Ready in all situation.
- To disseminate humanitarian values.
- To also set up a World Safety School Club.
- To equip all club members with early bird information and knowledge to pursue a career in the Safety profession (as Public Health and Safety Educator, Public Health Specialist, Safety Specialist, Environmental Specialist to mention a few), nationally and internationally.

SafERR SLOGAN

"Promoting Health & Safety, Saving Lives!"

STRUCTURE

The SafERR program exists for Primary and Secondary schools, Tertiary Institutions and Communities and is coordinated by a World Safety School Club instructor from WSO and a school appointed coordinator(s). You too can be a part of this global initiative. For volunteering/participation and to setup the SafERR Club in your institution/company, kindly send a mail: info@worldsafety.org.ng, wso.nig@gmail.com or call 08121683760.

SafERR Advocacy Beneficiaries (Institutions and Organizations)

- KURAMO PRIMARY SCHOOL, Victoria Island
- ARCH-BISHOP TAYLOR PRIMARY SCHOOL, Victoria Island
- BAPTIST HIGH SCHOOL, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- IGHOMO SECONDARY SCHOOL, EDO STATE
- IDIA COLLEGE, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- MIMSHACH SCHOOL, AKURE, ONDO STATE
- CHRIST EMBASSY, AKURE, ONDO STATE
- CHRIST EMBASSY, KADUNA
- CHRIST EMBASSY, ZONE 1, EDO STATE
- NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS, ONDO STATE
- NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS, RIVERS STATE
- NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS, EDO STATE
- NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS, ABIA STATE
- NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS, LAGOS STATE
- GREATER TOMORROW SECONDARY SCHOOL, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- GOLDEN TOUCH HIGH SCHOOL, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- FEDERAL STAFF SCHOOL, UGBOWO, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- ARMY DAY SECONDARY SCHOOL, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- CONTINENTAL GROUP OF SCHOOLS, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- THE INNERCITY MISSIONS PRIMARY SCHOOL, IKEJA, LAGOS
- IGBINEDION EDUCATION CENTER, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- NEWTON EDUCATION CENTER, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- NOSAKHARE MODEL EDUCATION CENTER, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- WORD OF FAITH GROUP OF SCHOOLS, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- ODUNAMEN FOUNDATION SCHOOL, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE
- UNIVERSITY OF BENIN, (FACULTY OF ENGINEERING STUDENTS) EDO STATE
- TRAVIS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE, BENIN CITY, EDO STATE

*NYSC (National Youth Service Corp)

*WSO (World Safety Organization)

*CDS (Community Development Service)

SYMPOSIUM INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION FORM

**WSO International
Safety & Health Symposium
October 2-4**

MCM Eleganté
5200 E University Blvd. \ Odessa, Texas, USA

- Please complete the registrant information of this form.
- Check your registration fee(s) and enclose payment with the registration form.
- Send the completed registration form and payment on or before September 1.
- Confirmation will be sent to you upon receipt of your registration and payment.
- Online registration is also available:

Accommodations/Hotel Reservations

- MCM Eleganté has blocked rooms for WSO Symposium participants at the discounted rate of \$ 99 per night (price does not include applicable state & local taxes)
- Please contact the hotel directly by phone at 1-866-368-5885, no later than August 28 to make your reservation.

Cancellation Policy

- Should you need to cancel your reservation after payment has been made, refund will be less an administration fee of \$50 (USD) valid until July 1, 2023.*
 - 50% will be refunded for cancellation until August 1.*
 - There will be no cancellation or refund allowed after September 1. A substitute may be designated at any time.*
- *) The only exception is a cancellation by WSO.

Dietary Restrictions

CATEGORY	Payment before August 1
Attendee: WSO Member	\$365.00 (US)
Attendee: Non Member	\$395.00 (US)
Speaker (attending)	\$345.00 (US)
Military and First Responders	\$345.00 (US)
Student	\$225.00 (US)

Other Fees:

Spouse/Guest Awards Banquet (per additional person)	\$60.00 (USD)
Additional #:	
CEUs to be issued through the University of Central Missouri	\$25.00 (US) For USA Only

- WSO Corporate Members may avail the following bulk discounts:
 - ◊ 5% over-all on registration fee for (5) attendees
 - ◊ 10% over-all on registration fee for (10) attendees
 - ◊ 20% over-all on registration fee for (20) attendees
 - Registration fee includes
 - ◊ Symposium materials
 - ◊ Daily snacks (breakfast, lunch, and dinner not included)
 - ◊ WSO Awards Banquet
- Full payment is required to complete registration*

Registrant Information: Please type or print

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Payment Methods

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Return this completed form with payment to WSO World Management Center,

Attn: Symposium Coordinator, 106 W. Young Ave Ste F, Warrensburg, MO 64093 USA | symposium@worldsafety.org

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Do you write articles for your company's newsletter?

Do you have relevant information to share?

Did your company or agency sponsor a special safety-focused event?

Does your company or agency have an upcoming safety-focused event you wish to promote?

If so, we would love to feature your content in a future WSO NewsLetter or TechLetter!

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