

## Argentine Occupational Safety and Health Week – 2005

Buenos Aires, Argentina, 25-28 April 2005

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During this second commemoration of the Argentine Occupational Safety and Health Week, the Superintendency of Occupational Risks will include in its programme the joint holding with the **International Social Security Association (ISSA) of the seminar "Registration and notification of accidents and health monitoring in the Americas"**, which will be organized by the ISSA Technical Commission on Insurance against Employment Accidents and Occupational Diseases in the context of its cycle of seminars on the challenges of occupational diseases worldwide.

The seminar will benefit from the participation of eminent national specialists in the field, international trade union representatives, academics and occupational safety and health specialists from Europe, the United States and Latin America.

Simultaneous interpretation will be available between Spanish and English.

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### Preliminary programme

#### Monday, 25 April 2005

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| 09:00 – 09:30 | Accreditations and provision of materials  |
| 09:30 – 09:45 | Opening ceremony   |
| 09:45 – 10:30 | Overview of the management of the Superintendency of Occupational Risks<br><br><i>Héctor O. Verón</i><br><i>Superintendent of Occupational Risks</i><br><i>Superintendency of Occupational Risks</i><br><i>Argentina</i> |
| 10:30 – 11:00 | Coffee break   |
| 11:00 – 13:00 | Safety and Health at Work: A trade union perspective – First part<br><br><i>Argentinean Union representatives from:</i><br><i>C.T.E.R.A. – U.O.C.R.A. – A.M.M.C.B.A. – U.P.C.N.</i>                                      |
| 13:00 – 14:30 | Lunch break  |
| 14:30 – 15:15 | Collective bargaining and Safety and Health at Work<br><br><i>Fernando Rodrigo Cencillo</i><br><i>Director "Instituto Sindical de Trabajo"</i><br><i>Environment and Health</i><br><i>ISTAS</i><br><i>Spain</i>          |

- 15:15 – 17:00 Safety and Health at Work: A trade union perspective – Second part
- Argentinean Union Representatives from:  
U.A.T.R.E. – F.A.T.I.C.A. – U.T.I.C.R.A. – C.I.S.P.R.E.N.*
- 17:00 – 17:30 Coffee break
- 17:30 – 18:15 Proposal for the creation of a Safety and Health Institute for Latin America and the Caribbean. Legal, medical and trade union aspects
- Jorge Campos Miranda  
Regional representative of the International Federation of Workers in the Metal Industry – F.I.T.I.M. – for Latin America and the Caribbean*
- Eliana Vásquez  
Research Lawyer and Masters Degree in Prevention of Risks*
- Carlos Rospigiosi  
Occupational Doctor*
- 18:15 – 20:00 Safety and Health at Work: A trade union perspective – Third part
- Trade Union representatives from:  
F.U.V.A. – S.A.T. – U.O.E.T.S.yL.*

## **Tuesday, 26 April 2005**

- 09:30 – 11:00 Presentations by the Superintendency of Occupational Risks
- Interactive CD on accident investigation: *The Tree of Causes Method*, presented by Esther Giraudo
  - Book: *First Argentine Occupational Safety and Health Week – 2004*, presented by Carlos A. Rodriguez
  - Book: *Workers' Health: contribution* from Carlos A. Rodríguez, presented by Estela Jiménez
  - Price Awards to winners of the graphic design competition, selection of scientific technical works, Biale Massé price
- 11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30 – 13:30 Programmes and experiences of International Organizations involved in Safety and Health at Work:
- *Registration and notification of accidents and occupational diseases – the ILO instruments*  
Valentina Forastieri, Senior Specialist, Working Conditions and Safety and Health at Work, Decent Work Programme, ILO
  - *ISSA's Work Injury and Prevention Programme*  
Patricia Weinert, Programme Manager of the Work Injury and Prevention Programme, ISSA
  - WHO-PAHO

- 13:30 – 15:00 Lunch break
- 15:00 – 16:30 Evaluation of psycho-social risk factors
- Salvador Moncada i Lluís  
Specialist, Prevention and Public Health;  
Manager of the Centre of Work Organization and Health of the ISTAS;  
Researcher in Occupational Health at the University Pompeu Fabra  
Spain*
- 16:30 – 17:00 Coffee break
- 17:00 – 18:30 Evaluation of physical risk factors (noise, vibration)
- Antonio Méndez  
Association "Acústicos Argentinos"  
Argentina*
- 18:30 – 19:00 Coffee break
- 19:00 – 20:30 Evaluation of ergonomic risk factors
- Marc Favaro  
Research Engineer  
National Institute for Research and Safety  
France*

**Wednesday, 27 April 2005**

- 09:30 – 11:00 Evaluation of chemical risks – First part
- Juan Guasch Farrás  
Director of the National Working Conditions Centre (INSHT)  
Spain*
- 11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30 – 13:00 Evaluation of chemical risks – Second part
- 13:00 – 14:30 Lunch break