

# WHWB-US GROUP MUTUAL MENTORING PROGRAM

# **APPLICATION - MENTOR**

The Workplace Health Without Borders United States Branch (WHWB-US) has established a group mentoring program where a group of mentors are matched with individuals (mentees) who would like an on-going relationship with experienced occupational and environmental health and safety (OEHS) professionals.

Please complete this form and keep a copy of it for reference. Be sure to clearly state your goals for participating in the program, your background experiences and competencies so you can be matched to the most appropriate mentees (protégés).

#### **General Information**

Name:	
Employer (if employed):	
Country of residence	
Current Industry/Sector:	
Phone number:	
Email address:	
Certifications (not required):	
Degrees:	
Years of experience in OEHS:	

#### **Expertise level<sup>1</sup>**

This information is being gathered to help identify ten (10) skills or competencies you currently have in order to best match you with a mentee seeking greater experience or development in the following areas. Please rate your competency in the areas below on a 1 to 5 scale, with 1 being little to no experience and 5 being the highest level of competency.

	Expertise level	1	2	3	4	5
1	Air sampling and instrumentation					
2	Analytical chemistry					
3	Basic Science					
4	Biohazards					
5	Biostatistics and epidemiology					
6	Community and environmental health					
7	Engineering controls / ventilation					

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8	Ergonomics					
9	Health risk analysis and hazard communication					
10	IH Program Management					
11	Noise					
12	Non-Engineering controls					
13	Radiation - Ionizing					
14	Radiation / Non-ionizing					
15	Thermal stressors					
16	Toxicology, epidemiology					
17	Work Environments and Industrial Processes					
18	Workplace exposure and risk assessment					
19	Hazard mitigation and control					
20	Management system principles					
21	Health, safety and environmental legislation					

<sup>1</sup>see American Board of Industrial Hygiene, Industrial Hygiene, ABIH IH Rubrics for definitions

#### Please answer the following questions:

1. What are you hoping to get out of this program? What are you hoping your mentee will get out of this program?

2. What areas of practice, fields of work, or industrial hygiene topics are you proficient in?

3. Are you currently involved in any organizations, volunteer groups, or projects that you want to share with your mentee?

4. When you were just getting started, what did you wish you had known? Did you have a mentor or want a mentor?

## **Other Skills / Strengths / Competencies**

Are there any other skills / strengths / competencies you possess where you believe that a mentee/protégé would benefit from your training / experience?

## Please send your completed application and your curriculum vitae (CV) to:

Tuan Nguyen – <u>Tuancihcsp@gmail.com</u> Cheryl Schiller -- <u>cschiller1@aol.com</u>

Remember, as a mentor, you should:

- Make time for your mentee(s) and communicate in person, by phone, or texting
- Establish mutual trust and respect with your mentee(s)
- Maintain strict confidentiality
- Help your mentee(s) to address work-related problems or create learning opportunities
- Support your mentee(s) to help them reach their goals

Thank you for participating in the WHWB-US Group Mutual Mentoring program!