

## January 2007 AIHA-UMS Announcements

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**1. January AIHA-UMS Monthly Meeting / Joint Meeting with ASSE**

Date: Thursday, **January 18, 2007**

Location: Majors Sports Café (formerly KFAN Restaurant)  
2801 Snelling Avenue N  
Roseville, MN 55113  
Telephone: 651-379-1180

Time: Registration: 11:30 a.m.; Lunch: 12 noon; Program: 12:30 p.m.

Cost: All meals are \$15.00 (\$10 for retirees, students, and members between jobs). Fee collected at the door.

Agenda: EU REACH

The new EU REACH (Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals) regulation is scheduled to be in force by Spring of 2007. REACH is likely to have a significant impact on U.S. and multinational firms that sell chemicals or chemical-containing products into the EU. REACH is a controversial program but is moving toward implementation quickly. This presentation will summarize the key aspects of the regulation, its potential effects on industry and consumers, and give you insights into why it is important to understand these impacts.

Lunch Menu: (Choose one):

- 1) Prime Dip Sandwich (Thin sliced, marinated prime rib topped with grilled onions, provolone, and horseradish mayo. Served on a grilled hoagie roll with beef au jus and French fries).
- 2) BBQ Pork Sandwich (Slow-roasted, small bits of pork loin is covered with our rich and tasty BBQ sauce. Served on a grilled hoagie bun with a side of coleslaw and French fries).
- 3) Greek Salad **with or without** Grilled Chicken (Mixed greens with tomatoes, cucumbers, red onions, pepperoncinis, feta cheese, Kalamata olives, and green onions with homemade oregano vinaigrette).

**To register**, contact Leslie Henckel – [lesliehenckel473@hotmail.com](mailto:lesliehenckel473@hotmail.com) or 763-315-7900. Please specify menu choice in reply. If choosing selection #3, please note if you want it with or without chicken.

Registration required by Thursday, **January 11, 2007** at 4 p.m. Walk-ins are welcome. However, menu choices may be limited.

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## 2. AIHA-UMS To Host Teleweb on February 13

Topic: Ergonomics - the Workplace and Aging: Strategies for Minimizing Incidents and Accidents

Date: February 13, 2007

Time: 1:00 – 3:30 pm (Registration begins at 12:30 pm. Please be sure to arrive by 12:45 so you won't interrupt the broadcast.)

Cost: **Free** (unless seeking certification credits, see below)

Location: Barr Engineering, 4700 West 77<sup>th</sup> Street, Bloomington, MN 55437; Take lobby elevator to 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Conference Room G

Phone: Call 952-832-2600 for directions

Speakers: Jerome J. Congleton, Ph.D., P.E., C.P.E; Pamela Ferrante, CSP, CHMM

To register, please send an e-mail to Leslie Henckel at [lesliehenckel473@hotmail.com](mailto:lesliehenckel473@hotmail.com) .

A link to download the handout materials will be sent to you shortly before the TeleWeb. AIHA-UMS will pay for the connection – the seminar is free to AIHA-UMS members. Refreshments will be provided.

**Certification information:** This TeleWeb is pending ABIH approval for 0.5 IH certification maintenance (CM) points, and has been awarded 0.25 continuance of certification (COCs), and 0.25 continuing education units (CEUs).

Individual participants seeking CM points, CEUs, must participate in the live TeleWeb or review the CD and complete/submit the final exam, evaluation, and processing fee (\$35 per student).

For more information, go to <http://www.aiha.org/Content/CE/DL/teleweb21307.htm>

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## 3. Upcoming Local Event Calendar

Mark Your Calendars:

**February 21—Monthly AIHA-UMS Meeting—11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**

Please note: Meeting is on 3<sup>rd</sup> WEDNESDAY of month.

Agenda: Professional Judgment & Bayesian Methods in Exposure Assessment & Control

Speaker: Gurumurthy Ramachandran, Professor, Division of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, University of Minnesota

Location: To be determined

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**4. Request for Members to run for AIHA-UMS Board**

The AIHA-UMS is looking for volunteers interested in running for local section office. This coming February 2007, the AIHA-UMS will have the annual voting for the next year's President-Elect, Secretary-Elect, Treasurer-Elect, and Director. To volunteer or inquire for additional information, please contact Bill Heim at: [william.l.heim@seagate.com](mailto:william.l.heim@seagate.com)

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**5. AIHA-UMS 2007 Membership Dues Renewal**

It's that time of year again to pay your 2007 Membership Dues. The cost of membership is still the low price of \$15. (Dues year runs from January to December). A new Membership Directory will be published in 2007. **In order to be listed in the Directory, membership dues payment is required by January 31, 2007.** For information please contact [leslieh@ieainstitute.com](mailto:leslieh@ieainstitute.com)

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**6. Job Board**

For up to date, Job Board listings, please check the local section website at: <http://www.aiha.org/LocalSections/html/umw/umwhome.htm>

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Best Regards -  
AIHA-UMS President Bill Heim  
AIHA-UMS Secretary Leslie Henckel