

Western Michigan Industrial Hygiene Society

Occupational Hearing Impairment

Thursday October 8, 2009

Registration and Breakfast at 8:30am

Meeting 9:00am - Noon

Location: WMU Graduate Center--Beltline

2333 East Beltline SE

Grand Rapids, MI 49546

(For Map: <http://gr.wmich.edu/conferences/Beltline/BeltlineDirections2/>)

Cost: Members of WMASSE or WMIHS:	\$20.00 per person
Non-members:	\$30.00 per person
Students:	Free

Greg Flamme, PhD will review the current state of knowledge about hearing loss as a public health problem. Some elements he will discuss include: how common it is in society, most likely causes of hearing loss, and the effects of hearing impairment on quality of life, communication, environmental awareness, and occupational safety.

Greg Flamme, Ph.D. is an associate professor in the Department of Speech Pathology and Audiology at Western Michigan University. His research focuses on hearing loss as a public health problem, including prevalence, risk factors, and treatments for this condition.

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Call Brenda Wisniewski at (616) 772-1590 ext. 4748 or email at
brenda.wisniewski@gentex.com for reservations by Thursday, October 1.

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