**March 14th, 2027 Poplar Creek Golf Tournament (Shuttle leaves Hyatt at 9am, Tee-Time 10:00am)**
**March 14th, 2027 Bay Club Pickle Ball Tournament 2-4pm & Hyatt Pre-Registration 4-6pm**

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## Hyatt Regency, South San Francisco, 1333 Bayshore Highway, Burlingame, CA 94010 - Sunday Pre-Registration 4-6pm

## 29th California Unified Program Annual Training Conference "Turning Lessons into Leadership, Advancing California's Unified Program"

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| Set | 145 Th H4 | 250 Cl/Th H4 | 350 Th H4 | 44 Th | 142 H5 | | 155 Th Max H8 | 250CL H4 | 107 Max H3 | 50 Cl | 130 Th | 150 Th Max H3 | 160 Th |
| Room | Cypress AB | Sequoia A | Sequoia B | 9052 Vista View | Harbour | Boardroom 3 | Regency A | Pool Pavillion | Sandpebble DE | Bayside | Cypress C | Regency B | Regency C |
| **Monday, March 15th, 2027** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **6:30am - 5:00pm Registration and Computer Kiosk Open in Grand Foyer** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6:30am - 8:00am Breakfast in the Grand ballroom | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mon 8:00-9:45 | M-A1 COMMON CalARP VIOLATIONS (Alexa Kostrikin & Jovanni Larios, APCCO; Amanda Duran, Merced County) Video | M-B1 Hazardous Waste 101 (Marcus Powell-Ford, Mihir Vohra - DTSC) | M-C1 UST SECONDARY CONTAINMENT TESTING (Andrew Evans, Placer County EHS) ICC Video | M-D1 11 PRINCIPLES OF LEADERSHIP (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | M-E1 ELEMENTS OF A HAZARDOUS WASTE VIOLATION (Amalie Larsen, DTSC & LeeAnn Young, DTSC) Regulator Only | M-F1 | M-G1 APSA BY THE NUMBERS: PETROLEUM STORAGE CALCULATION (Andrew Dye, Denise Villanueva, Mary Wren-Wilson - CAL FIRE OSFM) | M-H1 HAZWOPER: GENERAL AWARENESS (Ross Kellogg, Lion Technology) | M-I1 SOCAL URBAN CONFLAGRATION AND THE LITHIUM-ION BATTERY RESPONSE (Charles Tobias, Cal OES) | M-J1 CONFINED SPACE (Omar Deguzman, NES) | M-J3 CHALLENGES IN COMPLYING WITH HAZARDOUS WASTE GIR (Geoff Knight) | M-L1 "CERS NEXTGEN PROJECT UPDATE AND DEMONSTRATION MON, 8AM, 2" (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) | M-M1 BEST PRACTICES (Skye Frank, Trinity Consultants) |
| Mon 10:00 - Noon | **M-D2 Opening Ceremony in the Grand Ballroom starting at 10:00am. Please join us to recognize the Annual Environmental Leadership and Safety Awards, Annual update from Cal CUPA Forum and CalEPA, and the Secretary Award for Environmental Achievement and Keynote Speaker See full agenda at www.calcupa.org (Grand Ballroom)** | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch provided in Grand Ballroom & upstairs Atrium** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **M-O2 12:00pm - 2:45pm Executive Leadership Summit (Closed meeting - CFB & BDO Executives, includes lunch) SandPebble ABC** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **M-O3 3:00pm - 4:45pm California CUPA Forum Board meeting (Public meeting open to all) SandPebble ABC** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mon 1:00-2:45 | M-A2 CalARP 101 (Dominic Salazar & Yama Noorzai, Stanislaus County DER) | M-B2 Hazardous Waste Determination Workshop (Arleen Gurfield, San Diego County DEHQ; Mickey Pierce, Santa Clara County EH; Ryan Artz, Sacramento County EMD CUPA) | M-C2 LESSONS LEARNED AND LESSONS TO SHARE FROM STEEL (Garrick Mullen, Watco Tanks, Inc.; David Spaeth, TrueNorth Steel, Steve Pollock, STI/SPFA) ICC Video | M-D3 OPTIMIZING YOUR TIME: MEANINGFUL DELEGATION (Natalie Douvos, Natalie Douvos Coaching) Video | M-E2 HIDDEN HAZARDS: SAN DIEGO COUNTY ENFORCEMENT STORIES (Ryan Yanda, Kevin Valdez, Richard LeClair, Emma Rand - San Diego County DEHQ) Regulator Only | M-F2 A REGULATORS GUIDE TO EFFECTIVE SCOPING MEETINGS (Maryam Tasnif-abbasi, DTSC; Anthony Rosas, CalEPA) 1 hour | M-G2 APSA EXCLUSIONS VS. EXEMPTIONS (Jeremy Gates, Southern California Edison) Video | M-H2 PREPARING FOR THE RCRA HAZARDOUS WASTE BIENNIAL REPORT (Maxa Silva Saenz, Republic Services) | **M-I2 1:00pm - 1:50pm** LOCAL CUPA IN ACTION: RESPONSE TO RECOVERY (Marni Flagg, Monterey County EHD) **M-I3 2:00pm - 2:50pm** HAZARDS OF UNPERMITTED BUSINESSES: PREVENTING A DISASTER (George Fay, San Diego County DEHQ) | M-J2 RAPPORT-BASED INTERVIEWING (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | M-J4 LITHIUM BATTERY COMPLIANCE: WHAT SHIPPERS ARE STILL GETTING WRONG (Regan Bottomley, ERC) | **M-L2** CERS NEXTGEN EXPERIENCE - REGULATOR ONLY **1 hour** (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) Limited to 30 attendees **M-L3** CERS NEXTGEN EXPERIENCE - **1 hour** (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) Limited to 30 attendees | M-M2 HMPB 101 (Robert Douglas, San Mateo County EH CUPA; Marisol Novak, San Francisco DPH EH CUPA; Bryan Silva, Santa Clara City Fire CUPA) |
| Mon 3:00 - 4:45 | M-A3 PROCESS SAFETY INFORMATION (PSI) & RAGAGEP (Zachary Good, Brook McKeown, Kelly Churchill, ERG) | M-B3 BASICS OF SAMPLING AND WASTE ANALYSIS (Scott Lyons - McCoys Seminars) | **M-C3** BRAVO B2000 REPAIRS & REPLACEMENTS ( Trent Caster, S Bravo Systems) 3:00 pm - 3:50 pm ICC Video **M-C4** FUEL POLISHING: PROTECTING FUEL QUALITY AND STORAGE SYSTEMS (Dillon Bain & Paul McCarter, Tait Environmental Services) 4:00 pm - 4:50 pm | M-D4 WHEN VIOLENCE CROSSES THE THRESHOLD: RECOGNITION TO RESPONSE (Karen Saturday, TrueNorth Consulting) 1 hour | M-E3 MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL TRENDS & UPDATES FROM THE PROSECUTORS (William Fallon, Orange County DA's Office; Diane Newman, Solano County DA's Office; Ken Misfud, Celeste Toy, Alameda County DA) Regulators Only | M-F3 PFAS THE BROAD-SPECTRUM APPROACH TO REGULATION (Wendy Linck, State Water Board) Video 1 hour | **M-G3** SPCC STORYTIME: THE HISTORY OF 40 CFR PART 112 (Mark Howard, Ounce of Prevention Consulting) (1 hr.) **M-G4** SPCC SHORT COURSE AND REFRESHER (Mark Howard, Ounce of Prevention Consulting) (1 hr.) | M-H3 WHY GOOD FACILITIES STILL GET CUPA VIOLATIONS (Cecile Felsher. NV5) | M-I4 DTSC WILDFIRE PHASE 1 PROCESS (Noelle Wondergem & Jose Diego, DTSC) | | | **M-L4** "BEYOND CERS NEXTGEN: BUILDING THE AI-POWERED INSPECTOR" (Hannah Wall, Salesforce) **1 hr** | M-M3 BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS: A UPA REGULATORY GUIDE (Jeremy Gates, Southern California Edison) |
| Exhibitor set up 1-4:45pm | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4:45pm - 6:30pm Welcome Reception w/ Exhibitors in Grand Ballroom Sponsored by | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## Tuesday, March 16th, 2027

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| **7:00am - 5:00pm Registration Open and Computer Kiosk for completing Session Evaluations in Grand Foyer** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7:00am - 8:00am Breakfast with the Exhibitors in the ballroom | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Tu-O1 7:00am - 8:00am** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tues 8:00-9:45 | Tu-A1 CalARP 201 (Uriah Donaldson, Resource Compliance; Chad San Juan & Ryan Beahm, Kern County) | Tu-B1 TIERED PERMITTING: THE TOUGH STUFF (Mickey Pierce & Socorro Guzman, Santa Clara County EH; Ryan Artz, Sacramento County EMD CUPA) | Tu-C1 BEGINNER UST INSPECTOR 101 (Greg Breshears, Retired Regulator) 8:00 am - 11:45 am ICC Video | Tu-D1 SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY - A PRIVILEGE FOR FEDERAL FACILITIES (Sean Anderson, San Diego County DEHQ) 1 hour | Tu-E1 ECONOMIC BENEFIT OF NONCOMPLIANCE: WHY IT MATTERS, HOW IT WORKS (John Schofield - US EPA) 1 hour Regulators Only | Tu-F1 COMMUNITY CLEANUP TRAINING: PUBLIC OUTREACH WITHOUT A COMMS TEAM (Maryam Tasnif-abbasi, DTSC) | Tu-G1 FROM THE SHIRE TO THE SITE: THE JOURNEY OF THE TANK (Matthew Taylor, Mosier Bros; Joseph Mentzer, Tim O'Toole, STI/SPFA; Bruno Busnardo, Morrison Bros Co.) | Tu-H1 E-WASTE MANAGEMENT IN CALIFORNIA (Rita Hypnarowski & Jennifer Ybarra, DTSC) | Tu-I1 EL NINO: LESSONS LEARNED, RISKS AHEAD & EMERGENCY RESPONSE (Christine Sosko, Sonoma County EH; Kristalynne Anderson, Trinity County EH CUPA; John Elkins, CalEPA) | Tu-J1 COMMUNICATION AND DE-ESCALATION (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | Tu-K1 HAZWOPER 8 HOUR REFRESHER (Nick Vent, Retired) **Limit of 50 attendees Pre-Registration Required** | Tu-L1 "USING AI TO RECONCILE WITH CERS TUE, 8AM, 2" (Darryl Booth, Hedgerow Software) | Tu-M1 HMBP 201 (Richard LeClair & Emma Rand, San Diego County DEHQ) |
| Tues 10:00-11:45 | Tu-A2 CALARP FOR NON-REGULATED PROCESSES: IMPROVING SITE SAFETY (Jeanne Lemaster, SCS Engineers) 1 hr | Tu-B2 RCRA AIR EMISSION RULES: A GUIDE FOR CUPA & DTSC INSPECTORS (John Schofield - US EPA) | | Tu-D2 TRUST: ESTABLISHING AND REBUILDING (Natalie Douvos, Natalie Douvos Coaching) | Tu-E2 CASE STUDIES - LESSONS LEARNED (Heather Tanner, Sacramento County EMD CUPA) Regulators Only | Tu-F2 WHEN WORKPLAN MEETS REALITY: FIELD LESSONS IN VAPOR INTRUSION (Suzie Nawikas, H&P Mobile Geochemistry; Blayne Hartman, Hartman Environ Geoscience) | Tu-G2 GAUGES, ALARMS, AND CAPS! OH MY! (Bruno Busnardo, Morrison Bros Co.; Andrew Dye, CAL FIRE OSFM) | Tu-H2 COLLABORATION AND COOPERATION - WORKING TOWARD A COMMON GOAL (Mike McCann, San Diego County DA Office; George Gigounas, DLA Piper Law) | **Tu-I2 10:00am - 10:50am** WHAT'S COOKING? WHEN HAZMAT ISN'T ON THE MENU. 1 hr (Natalia Deardorff, CDPH) **Tu-I3 11:00am - 11:50am** DATA CENTER GROWTH AND LAYERED OIL STORAGE REQUIREMENTS 1 hr (Tanya Garcia, Trinity Consultants) | | | Tu-L2 "CERS NEXTGEN - CME FOCUS" (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) | Tu-M2 FIRE 101 (Lee Kirby, Downey Fire Department and Ken Wong, Sacramento Fire) |
| **12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch provided in Grand Ballroom & upstairs Atrium** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Tues 1:00-2:45 | Tu-A3 AMMONIA RELEASE CASE STUDIES (Peter Thomas, Resource Compliance) | Tu-B3 INDOOR AND OUTDOOR SHOOTING RANGE INSPECTIONS (Arleen Gurfield - San Diego County DEHQ) | Tu-C2 UST 201 (Ashlee Chan-Gonzalez & Amanda Duran, Merced County) ICC Video | Tu-D3 LEADERSHIP PRESENCE (Natalie Douvos, Natalie Douvos Coaching) Video | Tu-E3 ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ENFORCEMENT ORDERS (John Paine - CalEPA, Brooke Selzer – CalEPA, Gerrit Kovach – CalEPA, Dennis Karidis – Sacramento County, Linnea Chandler – San Luis Obispo and one other TBD) Regulators Only | Tu-F3 UNDERSTANDING VAPOR INTRUSION AT A SITE (Tina Ures, CA State Water Resources Control Board) | **Tu-G3** REAL WORLD LESSONS LEARNED FROM AST LEGAL CASES (1 hr.) (Earl Crochet, Crochet Midstream Consulting ) **Tu-G4** IDENTIFYING TANK CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS IN THE FIELD (1 hr.) (Craig Fletcher, Fletcher Consultants) | **Tu-H3 1:00 - 2:00pm** IMPLEMENTATION OF GENERATOR IMPROVEMENTS RULE (Elizabeth Chung, DTSC) **Tu-H4 2:00 - 3:00pm** BEYOND THE AUDIT-TURNING COMPLIANCE DATA INTO PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT (Jenna Bracken, Arcadia) | Tu-I4 WESTERN INCIDENT, GARDEN GROVE METHYL METHACRYLATE RESPONSE (Charles Tobias, Cal OES) | Tu-J2 COMMUNICATION AND DE-ESCALATION, PART 2 (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | HAZWOPER 8 HOUR REFRESHER Session Continues | Tu-D3 INTRODUCTION TO INTENT BASED LEADERSHIP (Kirk Ford, Stone Creek Environmental) | Tu-M3 DATA CENTERS AND THE CUPA PROGRAMS: POTENTIAL REGULATORY OVERLAP (Zachary Good, Brook McKeown, Kelly Churchill - ERG) |
| Tues 3:00-4:45 | Tu-A4 CONDUCTING AN EFFECTIVE PROCESS HAZARD ANALYSIS (Jack Becker, Condor Earth Technologies) 1 hour | Tu-B4 UNDERSTANDING THE LARGE QUANTITY GENERATOR REQUIREMENTS, POST GIR (Ross Kellogg - Lions Technology) | Tu-C3 TITLE 23 CHANGES: ONE CUPAS LESSONS & OPPORTUNITIES (Michelle Santos & Ana Bui, Santa Clara County EH CUPA) ICC Video | Tu-D4 INTRODUCTION TO INTENT BASED LEADERSHIP (Kirk Ford, Stone Creek Environmental) | | | Tu-G5 LORD OF THE RINGWALL (Mark Howard, Craig Fletcher, Steve Pollock, Earl Crochet, Joseph Mentzer, Pete Reich, Jennifer Lorenzo) | Tu-H5 MANAGING BATTERY EMBEDDED PRODUCTS (BEPS) IN CALIFORNIA (Rita Hypnarowski & Jennifer Ybarra, DTSC) | **Tu-I5** BEYOND THE CHEMICAL RELEASE: PROTECTING CHILDREN BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER HAZMAT EVENTS 1 hr (Sauda Yerabati, MPH, CDPH; Dr. Nicolaus Glomb, MD, MPH; Larissa Chiari-Keith, MPH; Patricia Frost RN,PHN,MS,PNP) **Tu-I6** EMERGENCY COORDINATION MEETINGS: BEYOND REGULATORY COMPLIANCE 1 hr (Marie Samson, SCS Engineers) | | | **Tu-L4** CERS NEXTGEN EXPERIENCE - REGULATOR ONLY **1 hr** (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) Limited to 30 attendees **Tu-L5** CERS NEXTGEN EXPERIENCE - **1 hr** (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) Limited to 30 attendees | Tu-M4 DON'T GET REJECTED! FIXING COMMON MISTAKES IN HMBP REPORTING (Sydney Kwan, Trinity Consultants) |
| **Tu-O4 3:00pm - 5:00pm** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **4:45 Reception in Ballroom 4:45pm - 9:00pm CUPA CUP Tournament at Top Golf with buffet. This is open to players and non-players. Sign up at www.calcupa.org Buses start at 5:45pm and loop.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## Wednesday, March 17th, 2027

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| **7:00am - 5:00pm Computer Kiosk for completing Session Evaluations in Grand Foyer** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7:00am - 8:00am Breakfast in Ballroom with Exhibitors in Grand Ballroom | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8:00am - 5:00pm Exhibitor Booths open Ballroom & Foyer | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **7:00am - 8:00am Student Day Briefing Grand Ballroom at podium** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **W-O1 8:00am - 9:45pm Tyler Technologies Users Group Meeting** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **W-O2 10:00am - 12:00pm Enforcement TAG Meeting** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wed 8:00-9:45 | W-A1 CALARP OFFSITE CONSEQUENCE ANALYSIS, Jack Becker, Condor Earth Technologies) | W-B1 3-D PRINTING/ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING - THE HIDDEN HAZARDS (Cameron Prescott - LA County Fire) | W-C1 JACKETED STEEL USTS - COMPLICATIONS WITH CONTAINMENT TESTING (Andrew Evans, Placer County EHS) ICC Video | W-D1 CUPA 101 (Kristen Ward, San Bernardino County Fire; Jason Boetzer, CalEPA) | W-E1 HAZARDOUS WASTE SAMPLING FOR ENFORCEMENT (Faith Friend, DTSC; Dylan Clark, DTSC; Bonny Lew, DTSC; Nicole Hinton DTSC) Regulator Only | W-F1 SEA LEVEL RISE EVALUATION FOR CONTAMINATED SITES (Jesse Negherbon & Brianna Singh, DTSC) | W-G1 FAR OVER THE MISTY MOUNTAINS: BIG TANKS AHEAD (Tim O'Toole & Joe Mentzer, STI/SPFA) | W-H1 Legislative & Regulatory Update (Gary Lucks & Andrea Sumits, Bay Law Group LLP) | W-I1 IDENTIFICATION AND HAZARD ASSESSMENT (IDHA) FOR HAZMAT INCIDENTS (Grant Miner, HazTAC Inc.) | W-J1 CUPA PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS: UPDATES, ?'S AND ANSWERS (Tim Brandt, Kaeleigh Pontif, Jessica Snow, Garett Chan, Gerrit Kovach - CalEPA; Ryan Miya, DTSC; Mary Wren-Wilson, Denise Villanueva - CalFire; Kaitlin Cottrell, Magnolia Busse, Michelle Suh - State Water Board) | W-K1 HAZWOPER 8 HOUR REFRESHER (Andy Smith, Lotus Environmental Services) **Pre-Registration Required** | W-L1 "HARNESSING THE POWER OF AI WED, 8AM, 4 hrs" (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | W-M1 TBA |
| Wed 10:00-11:45 | W-A2 IIAR AMMONIA STANDARDS - OVERVIEW AND IMPORTANT UPDATES (Peter Thomas, Resource Compliance) | W-B2 In Depth Satellite Accumulation Requirements Regan Bottomley - ERC Video | W-C2 STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD UST LEAK PREVENTION UPDATE (Kaitlin Cottrell, Magnolia Busse, Michelle Suh - State Water Board) ICC Video | W-D2 EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATION (Nicole Heath, Contra Costa County FPD; Mario Tresierras, LA County Fire) Regulator Only | | W-F2 GEOTRACKER'S NEW CLEANUP CLIMATE ASSESSMENT TOOL (CCAT) (Dayna Cordano, State Water Board) | W-G2 AST PLAN REVIEW (**1.5 hours**) (Jason Rizzi, UC Davis Health Fire) | | W-I2 SYNTHETIC DRUG LABS - DMT & THC CLAN LAB INCIDENT REVIEWS (Ernie Hernandez & Ashley Mathe, Los Angeles County Fire) | W-J2 HAZARDOUS WASTE DATA TOOLS FOR INSPECTORS (Kendall Johnson, US EPA Region 9, Amalie Larsen, DTSC) Regulator Only | | | W-M2 BATTERY REPORTING GUIDANCE (TBA) |
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| Wed 1:00-2:45 | W-A3 PROCESS HAZARD ANALYSIS (PHA) (Zachary Good, Brook McKeown, Kelly Churchill - ERG) | W-B3 INTERPRETING LAB RESULTS: CASE STUDIES IN WASTE ANALYSIS (Christopher Thomas, Mihir Vohra, Karlaina Gipson - DTSC) Video | W-C3 UST STATEWIDE TAG (Tom Henderson, Stephanie Duong, Austin Lemire-Baeten - State Water Board; Jesus Gaona, Kings County EHS; Luis Romero Zaragoza, Ventura County) ICC | W-D3 IMPLEMENTATION OF INTENT BASED LEADERSHIP (Kirk Ford, Stone Creek Environmental) | W-E2 Enforcement 301 (Heather Tanner, Sacramento County EMD CUPA) Regulators Only | W-F3 BAY AREA CLEANUPS: NAVIGATING SEA LEVEL RISE (Alyx Karpowicz, State Water Board) | **W-G3** TANKS ARE LIKE A BOX OF CHOCOLATES; YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT YOU FIND (1 hr.) (Earl Crochet, Crochet Midstream Consulting) **W-G4** LET'S TAKE A DIVE INTO THE WEEDS OF ENVIRONMENTAL EQUIVALENCE (1 hr.) (Mark Howard, Ounce of Prevention Consulting) | W-H2 BUILDING A SUSTAINABLE PROGRAM FROM THE GROUND UP (Alexander Ocampo Vergara, Republic Services) | W-I3 HAZMAT CLEANUP FOR DUMMIES (Justin Lee, Ocean Blue Environmntl Services) | W-J2 EMPLOYEE SAFETY (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | HAZWOPER 8 HOUR REFRESHER Session Continues | W-L2 "MAPPING POLLUTION & HEAT RISKS: CALENVIROSCREEN & CALHEATSCORE **1 hr**" (Kelsey Ranjbar, Office of Env Health Hazard) | W-M3 HAZMAT AND FIRE CODE IX: THE PERFECT STORM (Grant Miner, HazTAC Inc.) |
| Wed 3:00-4:45 | W-A4 ELUCIDATING EPCRA AND CERCLA REGULATIONS FOR EPA ENFORCEMENT (Anuka King, US EPA Region 9) 1 hour | W-B4 Hazardous Waste Tank Inspection Essentials (Elizabeth Chung - DTSC, Resham Sandhu - Stanislaus County DER) Video | **W-C4** CONTINUITY AND TIGHTNESS VERIFICATION (CTV) SYSTEM (Nik Zagorov, ECO-CHEK Compliance) 1 hr Video ICC **W-C5** NEW DEVELOPMENT IN UST AND PIPELINE LEAK DETECTION TECHNOLOGY (Jackson Seymore, The JF Group) ICC | W-D4 LEADERSHIP LESSONS: WHY THEY REPEAT AND HOW TO MAKE CHANGE STICK (Keirsten Taillon, MaxPotentials) | W-E3 SINGLE-WALLED USTS: CUPA ENFORCEMENT STRATEGIES (Kelly Robertson, San Diego County DEHQ; Chase Mendenhall, Los Angeles City Fire Dept; Jesus Gaona, Kings County EHS; Dominick Salazar, Stanislaus County DER) Regulators Only | | **W-G4** ALL ABOUT PIPING: CORROSION & JURISDICTIONAL BOUNDARIES (1 hr.) (Jeff Schmidt, CAL FIRE OSFM Pipeline Safety Division) **W-G5** PIPING 101: PROTECT, INSPECT, AND MAINTAIN (1 hr.) (Mark Howard, Ounce of Prevention Consulting; Joseph Mentzer, STI/SPFA) | W-H3 OVERVIEW OF CAL/OSHA HAZWOPER STANDARD AND RELATIONSHIP TO LQG (Geoff Knight, Yorke Engineering) | W-I4 DTSC EMERGENCY RESPONSE ASSISTANCE (Jose Diego & Noelle Wondergem, DTSC) | | | W-L3 "KEEPING THE RECEIPTS: AI FOR EHS RECORDKEEPING" **1 hr** (Jessica Evangelista, Trinity Consultants) | W-M4 INSPECTING ELECTRICITY: SAFETY, EQUIPMENT, & EXEMPTIONS, OH MY (Jeremy Gates, Southern California Edison) |
| 8:00am -1:00pm Exhibitor Booths open in Grand Ballroom & Foyer | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4:45pm - 6:00pm Vendor Reception with music in the Grand Ballroom & Foyer Sponsored by the Exhibitors | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **5:00pm - 6:00pm Student Day Debriefing & Scholarship Awards - Bayside Meeting room** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## Thursday, March 18th, 2027

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| **Th-O1 8-9:45am Open (Boardroom 3)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Th-O2 10-11:45am CCDEH Emergency Response & Preparedness Committee (Boardroom 3)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thur 8:00-9:45 | Th-A1 OVERVIEW OF RMP AND CALARP CHEMICAL SAFETY REGULATIONS (Rick Sakow, US EPA Region 9; Brennan Ko-Madden, CalEPA) Video 1 hr | Th-B1 Advanced Hazardous Waste Identification (Ross Kellogg - Lions Technology) | Th-C1 UST RED TAG AUTHORITY: BE EQUIPPED! (Melissa McCormick & John Cogly, Kern County EH) ICC Video | Th-D1 MANAGERS WORKSHOP (Fred Chun, San Clara City Fire Dept.; John Paine, CalEPA) | Th-E1 ACCESS, ENTRY AND WARRANTS (Lisa Brown, Sacramento County DA Office) Regulators Only | Th-F1 SITE-SPECIFIC HEALTH RISK ASSESSMENT AT PETROLEUM RELEASE SITES (Emily Wen, Trinity Consultants) | Th-G1 APSA UNCOVERED: THE INSPECTION PLAYBOOK (Ryan Yanda, San Diego DEHQ) | Th-H1 A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO WASTE DETERMINATIONS (Sydney Kwan & Colleen Grainger, Trinity Consultants) | Th-I1 IMPROVISED NUCLEAR DETONATION RESPONSE CONSIDERATIONS (Charles Tobias, Cal OES) 4 hr | Th-J1 WITNESS CREDIBILITY (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | Th-J3 OVERVIEW OF HAZARDOUS WASTE GENERATOR REQUIREMENTS (Scott Lyons) | Th-L1 "RCRAINFO: GENERATOR REQUIREMENTS WITH COMMON MANIFEST MISTAKES" (Paul Nelson, Republic Services) | Th-M1 BEYOND THE BINDER: BUILDING AN INTEGRATED HMBP, SPCC/APSA PROGRAM (Jonathan Meronek, SCS Engineers) |
| Thur 10:00-11:45 | Th-I2 CASE STUDY: MARTINEZ REFINING COMPANY FEBRUARY 2025 FIRE (Nicole Heath, Contra Costa County FPD) | | Th-C2 UST REMOVAL/INSTALL SESSION - TBA ICC Video | | Th-E2 INTERVIEWING AND CASE REFERRALS (Lisa Brown, Sacramento County DA Office) Regulators Only | Th-F2 DECODING CHAPTER 16: WHAT THE 2026 UST UPDATES MEAN FOR YOU (Dayna Cordano, State Water Board) | **Th-G2** 27 YEARS OF THE MOST CHALLENGING CASE STUDIES & LESSONS LEARNED **(1 hr.)** (Mark Howard, Ounce of Prevention Consulting) 10:00am - 11:00am **Th-G3** SPCC TRIVIA **(1 hour)** (Jack Becker, Condor Earth) 11:00 am - 11:50am | Th-H2 SELF-AUDIT YOUR HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM FOR SUCCESS (Colleen Grainger & Sydney Kwan, Trinity Consultants) | | | | Th-L2 "CERS NEXTGEN EXPERIENCE" **1 hr** (Erika Niewlotti, CalEPA) Limited to 30 attendees | Th-M2 |
| **12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch provided in the Grand Ballroom with Exhibitors & upstairs Atrium** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-3pm Exhibitor Tear down and pack up | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Th-O2 2:00pm- 3pm Refinery Symposium By Invitation only (Boardroom 3)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thur 1:00-2:45 | Th-A3 No Session | Th-B2 ONE SITE, TWO RULEBOOKS: CALIFORNIA'S COMPLICATED WASTE RULES (Adam Estes, Encamp) 1 hour | Th-C3 DESIGNATED OPERATOR - UST INSPECTOR TRAINING - TBA ICC Video | Th-D2 UPDATING YOUR LEADERSHIP PLAYBOOK (Kirk Ford, Stone Creek Environmental) | Th-E3 DTSC & SWRCB PENALTY ASSESSMENT PROCESS AND CUPA SUPPORT (Ryan Miya, DTSC and Jenna Hartman, State Water Board) Regulators Only | Th-F3 | Th-G4 | Th-H3 ARE YOU CUPA READY... OR JUST LUCKY? (Deepa Kundadka & Andrew Wilson, DKK Safety & Environmental) | Th-I3 WILDFIRES TO WAREHOUSE FIRES: NEW RESPONSES, CLEANUP, AND HEALTH (Karen Riveles, Office of Env Health Hazard) | Th-J2 NEW- STRESS MANAGEMENT (John Wilson, CBL Training & Consulting) | Th-J2 BASICS OF HAZARDOUS WASTE (Steve Reichow, NES) 1 - 5pm 4 hour session Pool Pavillion | | Th-L3 "CASCADING CONSEQUENCE ANALYSIS FOR MULTI-SYSTEM FAILURES" 1.5 hrs (Carl Southwell, PublicRisk.ai) | Th-M3 |
| Thur 3:00-4:45 | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | NO CLASS | | | |

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