Conference on Applied Environmental Assessment:
Site Characterization and Risk Assessment

31 October - 3 November 1994 - Orlando, FL
Coordinated by:
The Health Sciences Research Division of the
Oak Ridge National Laboratory

Registration Fees:
$400 before 10 October • $450 after 10 October
Checks should be made payable to: "Environmental Conference"
Hotel Information: Sheraton Plaza Hotel, Orlando, Florida
407-859-1500

Preliminary Program
Sunday Evening • 30 October • Registration and Reception
Monday • 31 October
• Short Course on Site Characterization and Risk Assessment
  • R.E. Swaja: Introduction and Overview
  • C.F. Baez: Regulatory History and Perspective
  • T.L. Hatmaker: Structuring a Site
• Characterization: Data Quality Objectives
  • N.E. Korte: Site Characterization Methods and Procedures
  • R.K. White: Introduction to Risk Assessment
  • D.B. Miller: Human Health Risk Analysis
  • R.C. Kramel: Ecological Risk Analysis
Tuesday • 1 November
• Session I: Overview of Environmental Assessment
  • Chairperson: R.K. White
• Session II: Issues Affecting Environmental Assessment
  • Chairmen: J. Reyes and A. Wallo
Wednesday • 2 November
• Session III: Site Characterization
  • Chairmen: P. Beam and L. Zaragoza
• Session IV: Risk Assessment
  • Chairmen: C.C. Travis and C.W. McGinn
• Conference Dinner
  • Speaker: Russell Jim (Yakima Indian Nation)
Thursday • 3 November
• Session V: Environmental Assessment Experience
  • Chairmen: C.A. Little and T.L. Hatmaker
• Session VI: Needs and Directions
  • Chairman: N.E. Korte
• Closing Remarks
  • Chairmen: D.B. Miller and R.E. Swaja

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Part I Passing Point Workshop

Morgan Cox, CHP
Chair, ABHP Part I Panel

The American Academy of Health Physics, the American Board of Health Physics and the ABHP Part I Panel would like to thank the following Certified Health Physicists for participating in the recent Part I Passing Point Workshop. The Workshop was conducted by Jerry Hiatt, CHP, at the annual Health Physics Meeting in San Francisco.

The Passing Point Workshop is an important activity conducted by procedure every three years to establish the passing (percentage) point and passing score for the ABHP Part I exam. In this particular workshop the participating CHPs were asked to grade the questions and answers on the actual 1994 ABHP Part I exam. Input was received from 19 CHPs with a wide variety of backgrounds and experience. A passing point of 62.2% was established, pending ABHP approval, for the Part I exam through 1996. At that time another Passing Point Workshop will be convened to establish a passing point for the next three years. The participants in this year’s workshop will receive four Continuing Education Credits for their four hours of time and effort. Participants included:

Ed Bradley
Michael Brooks
Roger Brown
Mike Davidson
Wes Dunn
Robert Emery
Jerry Hiatt, Conductor
Kimberlee Kearfott
Jay Kunze
Gary Lautenschlager

David Lee
Stan Mao
Larry McKay
Matt Moeller
Kevin Nelson
Lance Phillips
Roger Sit
Jim Tumer
Winston Ward
Edwin Wright