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## Chapter Executive Committee

The election results are in and the new AK-ASSE Chapter Executive Committee Members (CEC) are listed below. The in-coming CEC assumed responsibility on July 1, 2014. The new Treasurer, Phillip Galloway, is highlighted in the "Meet One of Our Members" section!

- **President:** Jeff Kolean
- **President Elect:** Joireen Cohen
- **Vice President:** Tim Bogowith
- **Treasurer:** Phillip Galloway, CSP, CHST, CET, ARM
- **Secretary:** Jill Gaylard, MS, CIH, CSP
- **Delegate:** David Leonard, CSP
- **Delegate:** Lynne Seville, CSP

## Featured Event: September 30 – October 1, 2014



**"The Power of Zero"** is the theme for this year's Summit. The Summit will feature informative topics on incident prevention, regulatory compliance, safety and health management, and other professional development sessions geared to Safety, Health and Risk Managers.

**Who Should Attend?** Professional Safety Directors; Safety Consultants & Professionals; Human Resource Professionals; Risk Managers; Collateral Duty Safety Managers; Project Safety Professionals; Frontline Supervisors; Business Owners & General Managers.

**NEW This Year:** Based on the positive response from last year's conference we have moved the location to the Egan Convention Center to accommodate additional attendees.

**Like to support this great event?** Sponsorship Makes Your Company Part of the Safety Summit. The Safety Summit continues to attract the best speakers from across the country to present fresh ideas on occupational safety and health. Your financial support allows our volunteer organization to present the Summit and keep registration fees low. The Safety Summit is excellent value for the money, offering continuing education credits without out-of-state travel expenses. <http://alaska.asse.org/contacts.php>

**Remember-** One Day Registrations will be available!

*For more information or to volunteer please contact Leischen Bauke at [leischen.bauke@alaska-pipeline.com](mailto:leischen.bauke@alaska-pipeline.com).*



## Chapter Meetings

The Alaska Chapter Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the month from 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Credit cards or cash are accepted at the door. Meetings are not held during the summer (June – August) except by special announcement. RSVPs are sent via email to the Chapter Secretary, Jill Gaylard at [jill.gaylard@gmail.com](mailto:jill.gaylard@gmail.com).

*The next Chapter Meeting is being held:*

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**September 16, 2014**  
 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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**Coast International Inn**  
 3450 Aviation Ave  
 Anchorage, AK 99502

## Chapter Recognition



For the 2012 – 2013 year, the Alaska Chapter achieved the highest level of recognition by achieving Gold-Level status. Every ASSE chapter completes an annual report of chapter performance that indicates how well the chapter meets basic standards of excellence. Gold-Level Chapters generally exceed the basic standards of excellence. The Alaska Chapter was honored at the Chapter Recognition Lunch at Safety 2014.

## Extra Member Benefits



**Alaska Chapter funds a Visionary Scholarship for Students:** In June of 2013, the Alaska Chapter fully funded a Visionary Scholarship (\$1,000 to be awarded annually.) Preference will be given to Alaska Chapter Student Section members enrolled in the Occupational

Safety and Health Program at UAA's KPC extension. Submitting the application enters the candidate for consideration in all awards. **Deadline for applicants is December 1, 2014** with Award Recipients announced in April 2015.

## Volunteer Opportunities

We Need You! Please support your Chapter!

- **Public Relations Chairperson**
- **Council on Practices & Standards (CoPS) Chairperson**
- **Awards and Honors Chairperson**

## Member Recognition

**Newest Members:** The following individuals joined the Alaska Chapter in July 2014. On behalf of our Membership, Welcome!

- **Richard Chiolero**
- **Ron Kohler**
- **Michael Davidson**

**Milestones:** The following Members are being recognized for their continued dedication and service to the Profession and our Chapter. On behalf of our Membership, Thank You!

- **Jeffrey Burson: 10 Years**
- **Ken Linderman: 5 Years**
- **Joshuah Gilleland: 5 Years**
- **Kirk Foster: 5 Years**

## Meet One of Our Members!



**Member Profile: Phillip Galloway** has been a full-time safety professional in Alaska for the past fifteen years. Previous positions he has held include Environmental Safety and Health Safety Consultant and Trainer, Risk Manager, and Safety Administrator. He especially enjoys safety training and teaches classes part-time as adjunct faculty for Kenai Peninsula College's Occupational Safety and Health Program. He is currently the Director of Loss Control for ARECA. Phillip Galloway volunteered and was elected as the AK-ASSE Treasurer. Thank you Phillip for supporting your Chapter!

*If you would like your member profile listed, please contact the Newsletter Editor, Jill Gaylard, at [jill.gaylard@gmail.com](mailto:jill.gaylard@gmail.com).*

## Updating Your Membership Profile

Members are encouraged to periodically check the status of their profile to ensure their contact information is current. Members who wish to receive Chapter emails must have selected "Yes" to that option in the ASSE Profile. Please contact ASSE Customer Service or a CEC Officer for any assistance updating your membership profile.

## Career Opportunities

All Chapter members who have current e-mail addresses on file with ASSE and have elected to receive Chapter emails will receive job announcements via email.

If you would like the Chapter to send out your job announcement, please contact the Chapter Secretary, Jill Gaylard at [jill.gaylard@gmail.com](mailto:jill.gaylard@gmail.com)

