

**SRA World Congress on Risk
Training Workshop
Risk Management Singapore Style**

Date: 23 July 2015

Time: 09:00 to 13:00

Location: YMCA of Singapore, One Orchard Road, Singapore 238824

Cost: SGD 150/participant

Programme:

9:00-10:45	Overview of workplace safety and risk management – Singapore Workplace Safety and Health Act – Risk Management Regulations – Risk assessment procedure
10:45-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-12.45	Risk controls – Singapore Code of Practice for Risk Management – Applications to various sectors including construction and logistics – Tricks and traps
12:45-13:00	Discussion, Q & A

Description:

This short course is designed for managers, academics, researchers, and practitioners in workplace safety and risk management seeking an insight into practical application of risk assessment and control principles in hazardous industries such as construction, as well as non-hazardous industries such as logistics. Singapore introduced the Workplace Safety and Health Act in 2006, and in the last nine years, it has reduced the workplace fatality rate from about 5 per 100,000 workers to less than 2. The course will provide the background to and benchmarks on this journey, overview the principles of risk assessment and control, and walk the participants through a few practical applications. The presentation will focus on the Singapore experience, and focus on the unique problems that the country had to face in regard to a large immigrant workforce and the solutions that have been applied and are continuing to be developed. The course will address holistic concerns and be presented at a basic level, and will not involve advanced theory or mathematics. The study material will include a slim book and a few papers written by the speaker on the subject.

Speakers:

Dr. N. Krishnamurthy is Workplace Safety and Risk Management Consultant in Singapore with more than five and a half decades of teaching, research, and consultancy experience in allied areas in USA, Singapore, and India. Apart from about eighty publications in Structures and Computer Applications, he has a book and numerous papers and presentations on risk management and related subjects. He conducts research for the Singapore Ministry of Manpower and Workplace Safety and Health Institute on safety-related topics. He has developed certain refinements of the standard procedure for Job Safety Analysis as applied in Singapore, which should be of utility for students and beginners in any certain industry, and has patented an invention on risk management.
