
Notice of Membership Meeting

Thursday, March 22nd, 2018

Art Gallery of Burlington

1333 Lakeshore Road, Burlington
(See Map & Directions Below)

7:00 pm Registration - Social – Networking
Coffee/ Tea

7:30 pm Welcome and Presentation

Fee: Free to members in good standing who pre-register
Students are FREE

Non-member Guests are Welcome (\$10 Fee)



Driving Directions

From Niagara or Hamilton East - Take the first exit (North Shore Blvd) at the north end of the Skyway Bridge. Keep to the right, pass the Joseph Brant Hospital and Maple Ave. Turn left at Brock Ave and make an immediate right into the driveway of the Art Gallery of Burlington. If you miss the driveway, continue to the corner of Brock and Elgin and make a right - enter the parking lot on your right.

From Toronto or Hamilton West - Take QEW Niagara and exit at North Shore Blvd. Turn left at the end of the ramp and continue under the QEW. You will pass the Joseph Brant Hospital and Maple Ave. Turn left at Brock Ave and make an immediate right into the driveway of the Art Gallery of Burlington. If you miss the driveway, continue to the corner of Brock and Elgin and make a right - enter the parking lot on your right.

Members planning to attend this meeting please email BV Alexander at balexander11@cogeco.ca by 19th March. Please include name(s) of any guests so we can plan refreshments accordingly.

Topic: Demistifying Risk

**Speaker: Raimund Laqua, PMP, PEng
Chief Compliance Officer, Lean Compliance Consulting, Inc.**

Abstract

Risk is not new. Dealing with uncertainty and its effects is something we all do every day from the moment we wake up until the day ends. However, we all approach risk differently and this applies not only to individuals but also to businesses. How we think about risk will affect how well we achieve both our personal and business goals.

In this presentation, we will unpack what is meant by risk, how it has changed, and approaches you can take to adopt risk-based thinking to better achieve objectives. Topics will cover:

- Human Perspective: how we perceive risk
- Standards Perspective: how risk is defined
- Process Perspective: how to apply risk-based thinking

About the Speaker

Raimund Laqua is founder and Chief Compliance Architect at Lean Compliance Consulting, Inc. His focus over the last 25 years has been in helping companies in highly-regulated industries advance the maturity of their compliance processes.

Ray specializes in leading cross-functional teams in process improvement and system deployments at the enterprise and plant level. He is an expert in compliance best practices applied to: pipeline and process safety, quality and risk management, along with enterprise systems and technologies.

Ray has extensive experience working across pipeline, oil and gas, energy, chemical, and pharma sectors. Clients past and present include: Enbridge, Explorer Pipeline, Johnson and Johnson, Abbott Laboratories, Argonne National Labs, Medrad, Possis Medical, Genmab, Siemens, PQ Corp., Paxonix, Arcelor Mittal / Dofasco, and DOE Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

Message from the Chair,

Dear Friends

Thirty people attended our first section event in February.

ASQ Hamilton Section is looking into adding additional members for various section leadership committees, to help to serve our members better. There is also an opportunity to attend one of our executive committee meetings. By volunteering you can earn re-certification unit (RU) credits. If interested please contact BV Alexander by email: balexander11@cogeco.ca

Looking forward to see you all at our March 22nd section event.

Sincerely,

BV Alexander
Chair, ASQ Hamilton Section



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