

LEO J. DeBOBES, MA, CSP, CHCM
CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

M.A. – OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH - June 1985
New York University, New York, NY

B.S. – BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION - January 1982
New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, NY

**RECIPIENT OF NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF OCCUPATIONAL
SAFETY AND HEALTH (NIOSH) SCHOLARSHIP**

EXPERIENCE

September 2001-
Present **ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR, SAFETY AND PLANT OPERATIONS**
University Hospital and Medical Center/ State University of New York at Stony Brook
Stony Brook, NY

April 1999-
August 2001 **SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE VICE PRESIDENT**
MANAGER OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE AND AUDIT
State University of New York at Stony Brook
Stony Brook, NY

April 1993-
April 1999
(*leave of absence*
4/98-3/99) **DIRECTOR**
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH & SAFETY
State University of New York at Stony Brook
Stony Brook, NY

March 1998-
March 1999 **DIVISION HEAD**
ENVIRONMENT, SAFETY & HEALTH SERVICES
Brookhaven National Laboratory/Brookhaven Science Associates
Upton, NY

Fall 1992 **INTERIM DIRECTOR**
WEST CAMPUS PHYSICAL PLANT
State University of New York at Stony Brook

Feb 1990-
April 1993 **ASSISTANT DIRECTOR**
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH & SAFETY
State University of New York at Stony Brook

Oct 1988-
Feb 1990 **PROJECT ENGINEER**
SAFETY & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
Brookhaven National Laboratory/Associated Universities Inc.
Upton, NY

June 1988-
Oct 1988 **MANAGER**
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH ENGINEERING
United Technologies Corporation/Norden Systems Inc.
Norwalk, CT

May 1987- June 1988	SUPERVISOR OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH MARINE AND GROUND SYSTEMS United Technologies Corporation/Norden Systems Inc. Melville, NY
May 1986- May 1987	SUPERVISOR SAFETY, HEALTH & PHYSICAL SECURITY
June 1985- May 1986	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ENGINEER
June 1983- June 1985	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATOR
July 1981- June 1983	SAFETY ADMINISTRATOR Estee Lauder Incorporated Melville, NY
Nov 1980- July 1981	SENIOR SAFETY INSPECTOR Stone & Webster Engineering Corporation Wading River, NY
April 1977- Nov 1980	SAFETY INSPECTOR

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Jan 1989- Present	FIREFIGHTER/EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN Setauket (NY) Fire Department Member and Chief Liaison - Safety Committee
Jan 2002- Present	CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT Setauket (NY) Fire Department
Jan 2000- Dec 2001	FIRST ASSISTANT CHIEF Setauket (NY) Fire Department
Jan 1999- Dec 2000	SECOND ASSISTANT CHIEF Setauket (NY) Fire Department
Jan 1997- Dec 1998	THIRD ASSISTANT CHIEF Setauket (NY) Fire Department
Jan 1996- Dec 1996	CAPTAIN, HOOK & LADDER CO. I Setauket (NY) Fire Department
Jan 1994- Dec 1995	FIRST LIEUTENANT, HOOK & LADDER CO. I Setauket (NY) Fire Department
Aug 1991- Dec 1993	SECOND LIEUTENANT, HOOK & LADDER CO. I Setauket (NY) Fire Department

Sept 1979- March 1988	FIREFIGHTER EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN Ridge (NY) Fire Department
Jan 1982- Jan 1985	RESCUE SQUAD PRESIDENT Ridge (NY) Fire Department
June 1977- Nov 1977	FIREFIGHTER/EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN West Babylon (NY) Fire Department
Oct 1974- Mar 1977	FIREFIGHTER/EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN Bethpage (NY) Fire Department

CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

Qualified as an expert witness in Safety in Nassau County, Suffolk County, New York City and New Jersey courts.

On-air Fire Safety Expert for ABC- TV/Channel 7

On-air Hazardous Materials Expert for Cablevision News 12

2002	Provided consultative assistance on NYC fire academy training for FDNY and the New York State Department of Education.
2002	Provided consultative assistance and training on Hazardous Materials for Brookhaven Town Fire Marshals' Benevolent Association
1999	Consultative assistance to Avcon Inc., Hackensack NJ, on OSHA construction safety violations.
July 1997	Developed and presented Sixteen Hour Training Course on <i>"Compliance in Occupational Safety and Health" for Long Island Lighting Company.</i>
Jan 1997	Provided consultative assistance on Environmental Health and Safety program management for Columbia University, New York, NY.
May 1994	Provided consultative assistance on occupational health and safety to Rose Spice, Bohemia, NY.
Apr 1994	Provided consultative assistance to Wildflower Pharmacal, Westbury, NY on OSHA safety and health management.
Sept 1993	Provided consultative assistance on Environmental Health and Safety program management for Yale University, New Haven, CT
1993- 1997	Consultative assistance to Tishcon Corp., Westbury, New York on OSHA safety and health violations.
Jan 1993	Consultative assistance to Marangos Construction Corporation, Miller Place, New York on OSHA construction safety violations.

Mar 1992- June 1992	Developed and presented Hazard Communication Program for Colin Service Systems, White Plains, NY
Feb 1991	Conducted seminars on Hazard Communication for Tiffin Manufacturing, Hauppauge, NY
April 1988- June 1988	Conducted numerous seminars on Hazard Communication for New York University Medical Center
Dec 1986 & April 1987	Developed and presented Eight Hour Training Course on " <i>Introduction to Industrial Hygiene Sampling</i> " for Long Island Lighting Company's Fire/Safety Department

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Sept 1993- Present	<p>ASSISTANT PROFESSOR FIRE PROTECTION TECHNOLOGY Suffolk Community College, Selden, New York Develop and present undergraduate courses in Industrial Safety Engineering I and II, Hazardous Materials I and II, and Building Construction for the Fire Service within the College's Fire Protection Technology degree program</p>
May 1997 - Present	<p>CLINICAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR HEALTH SCIENCES SUNY at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY School of Health Technology and Management and Department of Preventive Medicine Develop and present undergraduate courses in occupational and environmental health and safety</p>
Fall 1996	<p>ADJUNCT LECTURER OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH St. Joseph's College, Patchogue, New York Develop and present undergraduate courses in Occupational Safety and Health within the College's Community Health/Health Administration program.</p>
1988- 1998	<p>ADVANCED DRIVER TRAINING New York Safety Training/Safety Training Programs Presented 6 hour Crash Prevention Workshops under the auspices of New York State Department of Motor Vehicles</p>
1990- 1997	<p>GUEST LECTURER – OCCUPATIONAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY Presented lectures on industrial hygiene sampling theory and instrumentation and in occupational safety and health for students in SUNY @ Stony Brook's Graduate Program in Occupational and Environmental Health, and its Schools of Medicine, Nursing, and Health Technology and Management</p>
1987-	<p>INSTRUCTOR ASSE LI CHAPTER CSP STUDY GROUP</p>

1992 Developed and presented lectures on Safety Management and on Environmental Hygiene for aspiring CSPs

Sept 1982- **EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN**
 Dec 1982 **PRACTICAL WORK INSTRUCTOR (PWI)**
 And Suffolk County Department of Health

Sept 1983- Presented theoretical and practical instruction during 120
 Dec 1983 hour certification courses

AWARDS AND HONORS

REGIONAL SAFETY PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR (1993), American Society of Safety Engineers Region XII (NY, NJ, PA, DE)

CHAPTER SAFETY PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR (1992), American Society of Safety Engineers, Long Island Chapter

PROBATIONARY FIREFIGHTER OF THE YEAR (1990), Setauket Fire Dept.

BIOGRAPHEE IN Who's Who in the East

BIOGRAPHEE IN Who's Who in the Safety Profession

BIOGRAPHEE IN Who's Who of Environmental Professionals

AWARD OF HONOR (1997,1993) and **AWARD OF RECOGNITION FOR UNIQUE AND INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS** (1997, 1993) presented by the National Safety Council's Campus Safety Division to the University at Stony Brook for Environmental Health and Safety programs.

PRESIDENT'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION (1997), State University of New York at Stony Brook

LOVELL SAFETY MANAGEMENT AWARD FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE (1998), American Society of Safety Engineers, Long Island Chapter

TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Basic Firefighting (1974-75)
 Advanced Firefighting (1975-76)
 Confined Space Rescue Technician (1995)
 Nassau County Fire Service Academy, Old Bethpage, NY

Basic Firefighting (1989)
 Advanced Firefighting (1979-84)
 Hazardous Materials Operations Training (1990)
 National Fire Academy Incident Command Training (1991)
 Heavy Rescue (1996)
 Suffolk County Fire Training Academy, Yaphank, NY

Hazardous Materials Technician Training (1994)
 New York State Department of State

Emergency Medical Technology
 (1975-76, with Refreshers in 1978, 1981, 1984, 1988, 1991, 1994, 1997), Adelphi University

LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Safety Professional (**CSP**)

Certified Hazard Control Manager (**CHCM**)

Emergency Medical Technician (**EMT-D**)
New York State Department of Health

Certified Pesticide Applicator
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

Certified Workplace Safety and Loss Prevention Consultant
New York State Department of Labor

Certified Professional Environmental Auditor (Health & Safety)
Board of Environmental, Health & Safety Auditor Certifications

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Professional Member - American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE)
Long Island Chapter President (1989-1990 and 1990-1991)
President-Elect (1988-1989)
Vice President (1987-1988)
Treasurer (1986-1987)
National Assembly Delegate (1999, 1985-86, proxied 1987,88,90,91,96)
Member - National Diversity Task Force (1997 -1998)
Chairman - Awards and Honors Committee (2002 – present)
Chairman - Program Committee (1993-1995, 1996-2000)
Chairman - Education Committee (1984-1985, 1985-1986)
Chairman - Technology Committee (1983-1984)
Chairman - Long Range Planning Committee (1988-1990)
Moderator and member of Chapter Professional Development Conference Committee (1990)
Chairman - Public Relations Committee (1991-1992)
Chairman - Nominating Committee (1991-1992)
Regional Operating Committee Representative (1989-1991)
Appointed Regional Vice President - LR Planning (1991-1993)
Appointed Regional Vice President - Awards/Honors (1993-1994)
Member - National Public Relations Committee (1991-1992)
Speaker and Member of Chapter Professional Development Conference Committee (1992)
Assistant Proctor - Board of Certified Safety Professionals exams (1988 - 1992)

Full Member - American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA),
Member - National Public Relations Committee (1993 - 1994)

Member - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (**ACGIH**)

Member - Firemen's Association of the State of New York (**FASNY**)

Member - Long Island Association Energy/Environment Committee (**LIA**)

Member - National Fire Protection Association (**NFPA**)

Member - American Hospital Association/American Society for Healthcare Environmental Services

Member - SUNY Environmental Health and Safety Association (**SEHSA**)
Member - Executive Board

Member - National Safety Council/Campus Safety Association
Member - National Safety Council Technical Review Committee

Member - Fire Department Safety Officers Association (**FDSOA**)

PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS

Co-Author of The Work Environment, Vol. I : Occupational Health Fundamentals, Lewis Publishers, 1991

"Getting Wasted: The Rescuer's Perspective on Drunk Driving", Journal of the Long Island Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers, 1991

"The Incidence of Fall Related Injuries Among Senior Citizens", Journal of The Long Island Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers, 1989

Subject of interview entitled, "Monitoring Machine Shops for Inhalation Dangers" in Bureau of Business Practices' Safety Compliance Letter, July 1987

"The Psychological Factors in Accident Prevention", Personnel Journal, January 1986

"Health Risks in the Machine Shop" - National Safety and Health News, August 1985

"Volunteer Firefighters in Professional Safety", National Safety News, June 1981

"Confined Space Operations", Fire Reporter, September 1982

"Safety in Overhaul Operations", Fire Reporter, October 1982

"Hazardous Waste Emergencies", Fire Reporter, November 1982

"Safety and Female Firefighters", Fire Reporter, January 1983

"The Case for Bunker Pants", Fire Reporter, April 1983

"Stress and the Firefighter", Fire Reporter, July 1983

PRESENTATIONS

"The Biological and Health Implications of Microwave Radiation",
United Technologies Corporation Industrial Hygiene and Safety Conference,
October 1987, Cromwell, CT

"The Measurement and Evaluation of Microwave Radiation"
United Technologies Corporation Industrial Hygiene and Safety Conference, October 1985,
Hartford, CT

"The Health Effects of Video Display Terminals",

United Technologies Corporation Industrial Hygiene and Safety Conference, September 1988,
Cromwell, CT

"Developing A Plant Emergency Organization",
American Society of Safety Engineers, October 1987,
East Meadow, NY

"Safety and Health Considerations of Microwave Radiation",
American Society of Safety Engineers, October 1988,
Melville, NY

"Personal Protective Equipment for Occupational Safety and Health",
Brookhaven National Laboratory Medical Department Seminar, May 1989 Upton,
NY

"Improving Plant Safety",
American Institute of Plant Engineers, October 1991,
Westbury, NY

"Managing Hazardous Waste Programs",
Howard Hughes Medical Institute,
April 1993, Bethesda, MD

"Emergency and Disaster Management",
SUNY Environmental Health and Safety Association Conference, November 1995,
Lake Placid, NY

"Professional Safety Certifications",
SUNY Environmental Health and Safety Association Conference, November 1995,
Lake Placid, NY

"Maximizing Environmental Health and Safety Resources",
SUNY Environmental Health and Safety Association Conference,
October 1996, Utica, NY

"Developing Your Facility Emergency Organization",
American Society of Safety Engineers,
January 1997, Smithtown, NY

"Selling Safety to Upper Management"
American Society of Safety Engineers,
January 1998, Islandia, NY

"Confined, Enclosed and DOT Spaces"
KeySpan Energy Annual Safety Conference
June 1999, Melville, NY

CAMPUS COMMITTEES

Member - University Safety Council (1991 - 1998, 2002 - present)

Member - University Hospital Safety Committee (1993 - present)

Member - University Hospital Disaster Committee (1993 - present)

Member - University at Stony Brook ADA Action Team (1992 - 1995)

Member - President's Advisory Committee for the Disabled
Accessibility Subcommittee of PAC for the Disabled (1991-1992)

Member - Institutional Biosafety Committee (1990 -1998)

Member - University Senate Committee for Environment and Student
Life (1994-1998, 2001 - present)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 1999 **Medical Station Supervisor**
Woodstock 99, Rome, New York
Supervised team of physicians, nurses, paramedics and EMTs
in Secondary Health Care Facility # 9 at the festival's West Stage
- 1999 **Member – Local Organizing Committee**
Empire State Games, Long Island, NY
- 1995 - **Member** - Safety Committee
Present Three Village Central School District
- 1994-1997 **Member** - National Health & Safety Committee
1997- present **Member** - National Health & Safety Advisory Board
Boy Scouts of America
- 1993 Developed and conducted presentation on Public,
Occupational and Environmental Health and Safety
Boy Scouts of America National Conference, Irving, TX
- 1993- **Chair** - Board of Advisors
Present Stony Brook Volunteer Ambulance Corps, Inc.
- 1993,1994 Coordinated Fire Safety component of National Safe Kids
"Safety Street" for attendees of University Hospital Auxiliary Carnival
- 1992 Conducted several presentations on Environmental
Health, Hazardous Materials and Recycling for elementary students
of the Three Village School District's Arrowhead School
- 1991 Conducted seminars on Hazard Communications for the
employees of the Village of Port Jefferson
- 1991 - Conducted several seminars on Hazardous Materials
1997 Awareness and Hazardous Materials Operations for
the members of the Setauket Fire Department
- 1991 Conducted seminar on Hazardous Materials Awareness
for the members of the Stony Brook Fire Department
- 1997- **CHARTERED ORGANIZATION REPRESENTATIVE**
present **POST COMMITTEE CHAIR**
Explorer Post/Setauket Junior Fire Company
Setauket, NY

1992-
1995 **ASSISTANT SCOUTMASTER**
Boy Scout Troop 601, Stony Brook, NY

1991 -
1992 **SCOUTMASTER**
Boy Scout Troop 601, Stony Brook, NY
Completed Leaders Training
Achieved Leadership Training Award

1990-
1991 **ASSISTANT SCOUTMASTER**
Boy Scout Troop 427, Setauket, NY

1988-
1990 **WEBELOS DEN LEADER/PACK COMMITTEE MEMBER**
Cub Scout Pack 70, Setauket, NY

1990,1991 **SEFA/UNITED WAY DEPARTMENT COORDINATOR**
SUNY Stony Brook

1983 -
1988 **UNITED WAY CHAIRMAN FOR LONG ISLAND OPERATIONS**
United Technologies Corporation/Norden Systems
Melville, NY

1983 -
1988 **BLOOD DRIVE CHAIRMAN FOR LONG ISLAND OPERATIONS**
United Technologies Corporation/Norden Systems
Melville, NY