

**Emerging Markets and Industry Trends
Breakout Sessions
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Train the Trainer for Safety

A must attend for safety directors, learn about excellent safety training tools designed to help better deliver safety training to employees.

Gary Batykefer is head of the Sheet Metal Occupational Health Institute Trust (SMOHIT), a joint labor-management health and safety organization serving the sheet metal industry. For the past six years, he has led the design and development of health and safety training products and services that promote the reduction of occupational illness and injury. As SMOHIT Administrator, he has directed the development and distribution of more than 35 health and safety products and has met the industry's demand for enhanced medical screening programs.

Gary began his career as a mechanical engineering student at Gannon University and graduated with honors from the Dean Institute of Technology with a specialty in mechanical and tool and die design. For more than 30 years, Gary has served the sheet metal industry by addressing issues of mutual concern between labor and management. His background covers extensive work in designing and initiating journeyman training classes, serving as an active member of Sheet Metal Local 12 Pittsburgh, PA, and serving as a Trustee prior to being appointment SMOHIT Administrator.

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