



# ASSP-KC MONTHLY E-NEWSLETTER **AUGUST 2023**



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ASSP Kuwait Chapter is delighted to have been awarded ISO 9001:2015 certification, an internationally recognized standard that ensures their products and services meet the needs of customers through an effective quality management system.

ASSP Kuwait Chapter decision to work towards ISO 9001:2015 accreditation demonstrates their commitment to continually improving their services. To become ISO 9001:2015 compliant, the ASSP Kuwait Chapter team who are based in the state of Kuwait, underwent an extensive audit that measures key performance indicators like Quality management system development, a management system documentation review, pre-audit, initial assessment, and clearance of non-conformances.

ISO is one of the most rigorous and well-regarded standards in the world. American Society of Safety Professionals, (ASSP) Kuwait Chapter were audited by TUV Nord and were presented with their certificate in September 2019.



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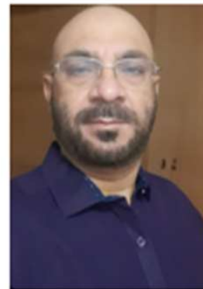
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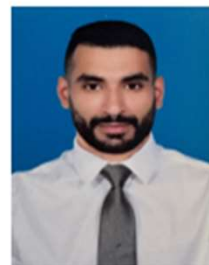
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### TEAM



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### TEAM



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# CHAPTER AWARD



**ASSP KUWAIT CHAPTER RECOGNIZED 8<sup>th</sup> TIME IN A ROW WITH THE  
PRESTIGIOUS PLATINUM LEVEL AWARD FOR TERM 2022-2023**



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## **CHAPTER RECOGNITION AWARD PLATINUM LEVEL 2022-2023**

THIS CERTIFICATE IS PROUDLY PRESENTED TO:

**KUWAIT CHAPTER**

For meeting rigorous standards of excellence in providing outstanding service to ASSP members.

June 30, 2023

Date

*Christine M. Sullivan*

Signature





## ASSP KUWAIT CHAPTER HIGHLIGHTS FOR JULY 2023

- ❖ General Body Meeting for Term 2022-2023
- ❖ Committee Orientation Meeting
- ❖ Executive Committee Meeting – No.214
- ❖ Launching of ASSP-KC GCC HSE Excellence Awards
- ❖ Miscellaneous ASSP-KC Events
- ❖ Rock the Walk Challenge
- ❖ Upcoming ASSP-KC Trainings
- ❖ PSM Technical Meet
- ❖ ASSP-KC Safety Alert
- ❖ Knowledge Check
- ❖ Member Achievements
- ❖ ASSP Toastmasters Club
- ❖ Membership Update





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# ASSP-KC GCC EXCELLENCE AWARDS



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Brochure can be accessed here [GCC HSE Excellence Award Brochure](#)

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The American Society of Safety Professionals, Kuwait Chapter (ASSP-KC), a non-profit organization certified under ISO 9001, is dedicated to advancing Health, Safety, and Environment (HSE) practices in the Industrial sectors and social groups in Kuwait.

The 23<sup>rd</sup> General Body Meeting took place on July 6th, 2023, at Al Wataniya Club, Fintas, Kuwait. The core committee had a well-executed plan to hold a hybrid meeting, ensuring seamless facilitation for members who were unable to attend due to various reasons, such as being on vacation or on duty. During the meeting, Mr. Abul Efham, the Secretary, presented the annual report for 2022-2023, and Syed Kashif Vali presented the financial report. The event also introduced the newly elected officers, as well as the executive and advisory committee members. Over 100 esteemed members attended the ceremony.

Eng. Fadhel Al-Ali, Chairman of the ASSP Kuwait Chapter, delivered a welcoming speech, praising the accomplishments of the office bearers in 2022-23. He expressed sincere gratitude to KNPC for providing the venue for the event.

Mr. Mazharuddin R Shaikh, the President of the ASSP Kuwait Chapter, addressed the Annual General Body Meeting, expressing his honor to lead such a dedicated group of safety (HSE) professionals committed to promoting excellence in occupational safety and health. He proudly stated that the chapter has been actively advocating for improved safety regulations and standards in Kuwait. The chapter has engaged with government bodies, industry stakeholders, and the public to emphasize the importance of occupational safety and health and organized highly professional development conferences, contributing to a positive impact on the HSE landscape of the nation. He extended his thanks to all chapter members for their dedication and support, encouraging everyone to continue working together to create a safer and healthier Kuwait.

The event included a recognition ceremony to appreciate all advisory committee members, Strategy & Implementation Advisory Committee, ASSP Region IX (Global) Leaders, Technical Committee, Mentors, committee heads, deputies, Sub-committee members & Special Contributors. In the closing ceremony, Mr. Safdar Ali Khan, the incoming president, emphasized the importance of staying updated with new technologies, emerging risks, and changing regulatory landscapes. He encouraged active participation in events, workshops, and committee activities, fostering a culture of lifelong learning to elevate safety (HSE) standards across Kuwait.

The program was hosted and sponsored by Falconplus, with prizes distributed to winners of the HSEChamp Quiz and a display of the HSE brochure. The venue was sponsored by KNPC Wataniya Club, and feedback and suggestions were shared by ASSP members and the advisory body.

The meeting concluded with gifts, goodies for children, coupons, certificates, and mementos presented to all members, followed by a dinner.





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# GENERAL BODY MEETING (2022-2023)



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American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP), Kuwait Chapter conducted Orientation meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at Kohinoor Party Hall, Souk Sabah, Fahaheel, Kuwait for the newly nominated Heads, Deputies of the committees for the term 2023-2024. Chapter Secretary Mr. Mohammed Yusuf kick started the meeting with the opening remarks wherein he briefed the objective of the orientation meeting. He thanked all the Committee Heads & Deputies for accepting the volunteer positions to serve the Chapter voluntarily.

Mr. Safdar Khan, President welcomed the participants and briefed on the history of the chapter in brief and the organization structure of the Chapter. He emphasized on the important role on hands that included the major targets to be achieved during the term 2023-2024.

Presentation featured the roles and responsibilities of each Committee, expectations & Chapter protocols.

The meeting concluded with closing remarks by Chapter Vice President Mr Abul Efham , and other senior members of the chapter, who wished all the committees for a successful year ahead. Around 25 members participated in the meet that included Elected Members, Committee Heads, Deputy Heads the Chapter Term 2023-2024 and Chapter Administration Executives.

As per the chapter procedures and protocols Voluntary honorary appointment letters were handed over to the heads / Deputies / Advisory Members / Mentors by the core committee of ASSP Kuwait Chapter.

The meet concluded with dinner.





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# COMMITTEE ORIENTATION MEETING







The first Executive Committee Meeting for the term 2023-2024 was held on 3rd August 2023 at Hotel Safir, Fintas to discuss the chapter activities. Chapter's Secretary Mr. Mohamed Yusuff welcomed the gathering and highlighted the activities to be conducted in the month of August by all the committee as per their plan. In the absence of Treasurer, he took the lead to present the financial statement.

President Mr. Safdar Khan thanked all committees for putting efforts and welcomed the two new committees to the term 2023-2024 (ISO Implementation & Management Committee & Mega Events Committee). He requested all committees to continue with the same spirit till the end of the term. He welcomed all members to the first EC meeting and thanked everyone for their continuous support and commitment to organizing chapter activities.

Chairman Eng. Mr. Fadhel Al Ali congratulated the team 2023-24 for taking lead to support the chapter. Chapter executive Mr. Ramana introduced all the committees and described their plans to the meeting attendees. Meeting was used as an opportunity to launch the ASSP-KC GCC HSE Excellence Awards. The executive committee discussed the yearlong plans to serve the HSE professionals and the community which is the ultimate goal of the organization.





Eng. Fadhel Al Ali, Chairman, the ASSP Kuwait chapter, welcomed all the members to the launch program. Thanked KPC for patronizing the Upcoming GCC HSE Awards 2023. He appreciated the efforts for The previous GCC award ceremony and congratulated on the big success of the previous year's awards and gave warm wishes for the upcoming awards ceremony scheduled on 18<sup>th</sup> December 2023

Mr. Faris Al Mansouri, Director, ASSP GCC HSE Excellence Award 2023, Inaugurated the ASSP GCC HSE Excellence Awards 2023 Launch Program and the Awards Ceremony Brochure.

President Mr. Safdar Ali Khan, Secretary Mr. Mohamed Yusuff A., Honorary Secretary Mr. Ahmed Al-Shatti, Honorary Vice President Mr. Bader Al Hadrami, and Vice President Mr. Abul Efham welcomed the gathering and invited the whole group for the launch of ASSP GCC HSE Excellence Award 2023. Mr. Mustakbeg Akbarbeg Mirza, Dy. Director, briefed them on the upcoming activities by presenting the description of the awards to all the attendees. The KC chairman, director ASSP GCC HSE Excellence Award, President and Core- Committee thanked the gathering and the contractor HSE Managers for their feedback, suggestions and participation. The meeting concluded with dinner.



KTV Talk Show featuring Eng. Hanan Almahmoud, Head of WISE Committee.

Eng. Hanan had the chance to discuss the activities of the ASSP Kuwait Chapter and WISE Committee on KTV1.

Congratulations to Eng. Hanan for her exceptional contributions to the ASSP Kuwait Chapter!





ASSP Kuwait Chapter takes this opportunity to extend its gratitude to Mr. Shakeel Rawoot Drilling HSE Field Supervisor, Kuwait Oil Company Founding Member of ASSP Kuwait Chapter.

For his voluntary support provided towards the establishment of ASSP Kuwait Chapter.

ASSP Kuwait Chapter wishes Mr. Shakeel Rawoot all the very best for future endeavors.








1. Distribution of Appointment Letters to new committee members
2. Submission of annual planners by new committees
3. Release of New Year Islamic Flyer on ASSP-KC Social Media Channels
4. Conducted internal audit and Management Review Meeting before external ISO audit
5. External Surveillance Audit conducted by TUV Nord
6. Release of training needs assessment by Training Committee
7. SPY Award Evaluation
8. Letter Received from KPC supporting ASSP-KC GCC HSE Excellence Awards
9. Global Operations Practice Specialty Receives the Platinum Award for 2022-2023







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EVENTS COMMITTEE

## Rules of **ROCK THE WALK** "STEPS CHALLENGE"

- Any ASSP kuwait active member can participate in this challenge.
- Criteria to Participate- Daily Minimum 6000 Steps to be completed to be eligible for this challenge
- Minimum step to walk is 6000 and maximum is as per the participants Plan
- The health conditions of each persons is individual responsibility

**Week is considered from Friday to Wednesday- Thursday is a rest day, if anyone misses any of the days walks they can use rest day to cover the same, the committee will consider only 6 days to calculate the weeks steps**

- Screen shot of the Health application or smart watch to be shared to the **EVENT COMMITTEE** WhatsApp number on weekly basis. To be shared by Thursday 20:00 HRS, Entries after Thursday 20:00 Hrs won't be considered for the event
- Weekly winners \*(Friday-Wednesday)
- First 3 Winners of the week will be awarded with exciting prizes

**Overall winners ~ at the end of the month the First 3 persons with highest number of steps will be announced as the Winners and will be awarded with exciting rewards**

**Send your Steps Screenshots to - 65093375.**

**The Events committee has the right to review the rules and participants criteria on time to time.**



## 12 Benefits of Walking

**Lose Weight**

**Improves Mood**

**Healthy Heart**

**Increased Energy**

**Increase  
Self-Esteem**

**Decrease chance  
of injuries**

**Tones Muscles**

**Low Impact**

**Increases  
Metabolism**

**Reduce risk of High  
Blood Pressure**

**Reduces Stress**

**Strengthens  
Bones/Joints**

**ROCK  
THE WALK**

**"STEPS CHALLENGE"**

ORGANIZED BY ASSP KUWAIT, HSE EVENTS COMMITTEE  
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**Certified PHA-HAZOP Leader Course**

Dear Members,

Please be informed that the featured training program "Certified PHA-HAZOP Leader Course" get postponed for a week due to the requests received from the registered participants.

We have three more seats that can be filled-in. Interested members can register before 22nd August 2023 to get joining instructions on time.

The course is confirmed and will be organised on the below new dates.

**PROGRAM DETAILS**

Title :	Certified PHA-HAZOP Leader Course - Training program	
Dates :	01 <sup>st</sup> , 02 <sup>nd</sup> and 08 <sup>th</sup> , 09 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 (Fridays & Saturdays)	
Timings :	8:00 am to 1:00 pm (Fridays) & 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm (Saturdays)	
Mode of training:	Virtual Platform (ZOOM or MS Teams)	
Fees:	KD 100 (ASSP Member fee) KD 140 (Non-ASSP Member fee)	

**COURSE OBJECTIVES**

The main objective of PHA-HAZOP Leadership training program is to create a global network of PHA-HAZOP Leaders and specialists with a shared understanding of PHA and HAZOP concepts in accordance with IEC 61882.

By the end of this training course, participants will be capable:

- To develop a grasp of Process Hazards Analysis (PHA) ideas and their function in managing health, safety, and the environment.
- To give a fundamental understanding of all the MAH identification methods and the appropriate times to utilize them.
- To help people comprehend the duties associated with PHA leadership.
- To teach fundamental abilities and practice using the What-If and HAZOP procedures.

**TRAINER PROFILE**

**Chukwuebuka (Ebuka)** has extensive experience in performing successful PHA Workshops, managing and performing Technical Safety Studies for mega projects in UAE, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Nigeria, Brazil, France and South Korea. He is a TUV Certified Functional Safety Engineer and an associate member of the Institute of Chemical Engineers (IChemE), UK. Ebuka has Over 14 years experience in performing HAZOPs, LOPA/SIL, HAZID, Bow-Tie workshops, SIMOPs etc. for FEED, EPC and Operations Phase. He is fully aware of the dynamic project life cycles and has strong records in ensuring that projects are completed in compliance with HSE Standards and within the project time frame.

In addition, Ebuka has chaired more than 100 HAZOP and SIL workshops for all leading NOCs and IOCs worldwide, including Saudi Aramco, ADNOC, British Petroleum, Shell, PDO, LUKOIL, QatarEnergy, QatarGas, Petrobras etc. He has good understanding of the Oil & Gas value chain all the way, from upstream onshore and offshore (fixed, floating and artificial islands), midstream and downstream (refineries, petrochemicals, fertilizers, LNG and GTLs). Ebuka has managed various large projects involving Technical Safety Studies and works in the capacity of a Senior Lead for Quantitative Risk Assessments, Fire & Explosion Risk Assessments, CFD based Probabilistic Explosion Studies, Escape Evacuation & Rescue Analysis.

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND**

For people working in management, engineering (design, process, chemical, facilities, instrumentation and controls), operations, and process safety, this course offers a review of the major PHA and HAZOP Study issues and elements. The practical methodology taught in this course will be helpful to engineers, safety/environment staff, plant operators, area managers, and maintenance staff.

**PRE-REQUISITES**

- Experience in process operation
- Ability to read and understand engineering drawings
- Basic computer skills
- Ability to communicate in English (both oral and written)
- Effective writing skills
- Strong interpersonal and leadership skills

**TRAINING METHODOLOGY**

- Group Exercises (2 or more)
- Project work
- Role Play
- Simulation (if any)
- Case Studies
- Individual Exercises

**IMPORTANT NOTES**

- Course Assessment by daily course exercises & Final exam.
- Virtual exam can be finalized based on the participants opinion.
- Bureau Veritas certified Certificates will be issued to all the attendees.

**REGISTRATION**

Interested members can register by paying the fee by **22<sup>nd</sup> August 2023**

REGISTER NOW

Thanks & regards,



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## PROGRAM DETAILS

Title : PSM Technical Meet on "Process Safety Competency"  
Date : 29<sup>th</sup> August 2023 (Tuesday)  
Timing : 6:45 PM to 8 PM - Kuwait Time (GMT+3:00)



## PROGRAM AGENDA

Time	Program	Managed by
18:30 to 18:45	Entry to ZOOM meeting	Moderator
18:46	Wecome Address	Mr. Safdar Ali Khan, President, ASSP Kuwait Chapter
	Briefing of Chapter Activities	Mr. Mohamed Yusuff, Secretary, ASSP Kuwait Chapter
	Speaker's introduction	Mr. Arshad Ayub, Head of PSM Committee, ASSP Kuwait Chapter
	Technical Meet on "Process Safety Competency"	Presenter: <b>Joy M. Shah</b> Former Vice President, Technical Head at Reliance Industries Ltd.
	Question & Answer Session	Mr. Abul Efham, Vice President, ASSP Kuwait Chapter
	Self Introduction of New Members to the forum	Mr. Arshad Ayub, Head of PSM Committee, ASSP Kuwait Chapter
20:00	Announcements and Concluding Remarks	Mr. Abul Efham, Vice President, ASSP Kuwait Chapter

## PRESENTER



**Joy M. Shah**  
Founder and Chief  
Consultant,  
Innov8 ProTech  
Solution

- Consultant for sustainable manufacturing and Operational Excellence of Refinery, Petrochemical. Energy and Chemical sectors.
- Advisory services, Audit and Capability development in area of safety and risk management, Energy and water conservation.
- Former Sr. Vice President – Head of Technical, Energy cell and QA/QC at Reliance Industries Ltd.
- IISC team member to review CCPS 3rd edition Guideline Investigating Process Safety Incidents in 2019 published by AIChE.
- Lead PSM and VFL implementation at Large site for Incident investigation, Process Hazards analysis, Management of Change and emergency Response plan and Behaviour based safety.
- Published 14 no's of articles in various journals and publications in the last 48 months.

## REGISTRATION

Interested members can register in advance, add the event to your calendar and participate. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

<<Event can be added to your calendar with the **Registration confirmation mail**>>

**REGISTER NOW**

## CERTIFICATE

A **CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION** will be provided to the attendees who participate in the Quiz and provides feedback on the event.



Register Here [Meeting Registration - Zoom](#)





## LINE OF FIRE !!! PROTECT YOURSELF

### Am I in the Line of Fire?

Being in the line of fire indicates that you or someone else is placed in the path of something that could cause injury or something more severe. Here are a few questions to ask yourself:

- Do I recognize if others are in my work area?
- Do I take the time before every task to check my surroundings and my equipment to determine what the safest position is?
- Do I consider myself when I think about what could go wrong with my task?
- Have I eliminated every hazard that I could?
- How many times a day do I realize I am in the line of fire?
- Did I use my Human Performance Tools?



**Line of fire** is when we place ourselves in danger from heavy equipment, machinery, hand and power tools, material handling, mobile equipment brought about by internal and external distractions (frustrated, tired, in rush), complacency, or lack of hazard understanding. Line of Fire is the path an object will travel and create a risk of injury.

**'You are in the line of fire when you are at risk of coming into contact with a force that will, or may hurt you'**

## WHAT IS THE LINE OF FIRE?

Line of Fire- Being in harm's way. Line of fire injuries occur when the path of a moving object and an individual's body intersect.

### Five Examples of Being in the Line of Fire





According to “Joseph Baldwin a consultant at Baldwin EHS Consultants” **Line of fire hazards are one of the most deadliest hazards found in Manufacturing and Construction, second only to Slip, Trips and Fall.** Each year hundreds of workers are injured by Line of Fire accidents. Deaths from Line of Fire injuries number into the hundreds. Approximately 27% of work place deaths are related to Line of Fire accidents



Work activities and equipment involving line of fire

- Lifting/hoisting
- Moving vehicles/heavy equipment
- Hand and power tools
- Moving parts
- Electrical equipment
- Objects with roll potential
- Objects with fall potential
- Tensioned lines and equipment



### THE BASIC PROCESS IS:

1. **STOP** – Engage brain before you act
2. **LOOK** – Identify any hazards
3. **ASSESS** – What damage could those hazards causes
4. **MANAGE** – Implement controls, tell others
5. **SAFELY** – Complete the task





Exciting Prizes to be won!!!



HSE Champ application can be downloaded from the Apple Store and playstore.

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.hsechamp.app>

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**Sign up with your Name ASSP ID - "ABCEDE 3520293"**



To play the QUIZ

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Open HSE Quiz Event



ASSP Kuwait Monthly Quiz - Aug 23

All the best for all the Participants ☒

## Quiz Rules

- Only ASSP Members are permitted to participate
- Ex-Com and publication committee members are exempted
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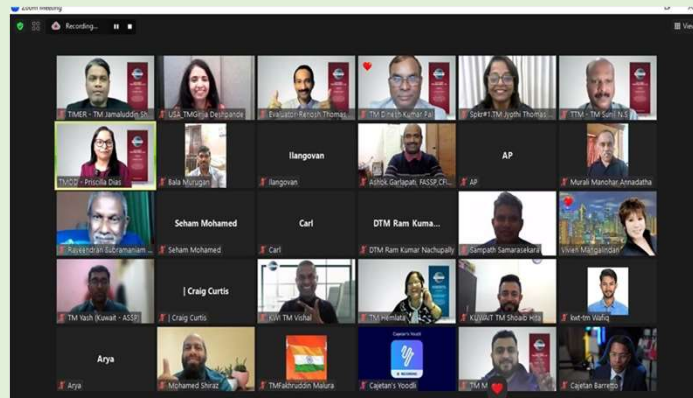
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"Four years ago, I attended my very first Toastmasters meeting at ASSP Kuwait Toastmasters club. At the time I had no idea what a profound effect Toastmasters would have upon my life and career! Now, as I look back over my time as a member it's easy to see the amazing impact it has had."

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## Benefit of joining ASSP-KC toastmasters 🙌🙌

We have witnessed many of our peers lacking confidence to utilize English in their conversations or having debilitating fear of public speaking. But for succeeding in our HSE career, improving our English-speaking skills has become a necessity.

To overcome this fear, we can pay thousands of dollars for training from a tutor which is necessarily not effective and can be a hit or miss. Or you can join Toastmasters for fraction the amount and upgrade your speaking skills. If this is what you have in mind look no further than the ASSP- KC Toastmasters club. Our members have improved their speaking skills leaps and bounds since joining the club which in turn has given a platform to improve safety at the workplace.

Toastmasters club is a nonprofit educational organization that helps you in communicating effectively in English. You can join the ASSP-KC TM Club to improve your confidence , relationships and make the case for improving safety at your workplace. TM also plays a vital role in developing your communication skills and for enhancing your self-esteem.

By joining a group of people who are like-minded you are always pushing yourself to improve and have a platform to practice speaking in front of others in a supportive environment where feedback is prioritized over criticism. Don't wait anymore – Call VP – Membership Najaz at 66610538 to be a part of this glorious journey.





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### Key facts:

- 38000+ member in 80 countries
- 153 chapters (143 United States, 10 global)
- 39 sections (37 United States, 2 global)
- 9 regions



### About ASSP Kuwait chapter

ASSP Kuwait Chapter was founded in 2000 is the Kuwait's premier voluntary, non-profit making Health, Safety and Environmental organization that strives to provide professional guidance, training, consultancy and resources to the industrial and social sectors in the region. In pursuance to its lofty goals and objectives the society has been organizing international Conferences, Technical meets, Training programs and Outreach activities on way to become one of the most active professional bodies in the Middle East especially at valuable land of Kuwait.

### Membership

ASSP membership benefits OSH professionals across the full career continuum, whether you're a student, young professional, seasoned manager or corporate leader.

Two member types apply for most safety professionals and those who work in related fields and occupations: member and professional member. Which category is right for you will be determined based on the information you provide on your application

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Following are the benefits for referring your friends or colleagues to ASSP. The more of your friends who join, the more you get rewarded:

	REFER 3	REFER 5	REFER 10
FREE On-Demand Webinar	X	X	X
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FREE Polo Shirt & FREE ASSP Course			X

Grand Prize Drawing : For every new paid member you sponsor from January to December, you will receive an entry in our grand prize drawing for a trip to ASSP's annual professional development conference. This reward includes:

- Full conference registration
- 3 nights hotel accommodations at an ASSP conference hotel
- \$250 AMEX card to use for expenses

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- Add the Membership card and certificate from the World's largest and oldest safety organisation to your career profile.
- Free technical meets by experts from HSE field.
- Free webinars by specialist in respective areas.
- Free monthly professional safety magazine
- Subsidized HSE training programs
- CEUs for the training programs
- Networking with other professionals.
- Career and professional development guidance.
- Can join the ASSP toastmasters Club for developing leadership and communication skills.
- Participation in member programs during biannual professional development and conference.
- Opportunity to represent ASSP Kuwait chapter in various international conferences
- Volunteering opportunity and recognition in the society activities.
- Group study learning guidance for the various HSE certifications.
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