



Professor Andrew Hopkins

Professor Hopkins is a world renowned expert in the analysis of the causes of major industrial accidents and has assisted many organisations in improving and developing systems of prevention.

Companies that have commissioned an independent Safety Culture Review include BHP Billiton, Xstrata, Woodside Petroleum and the Abu Dhabi National Oil Company.

Presentations delivered by Professor Hopkins include the BP Texas City Refinery Incident, Mindful Leadership, Lessons from Longford (Esso Gas Plant Explosion) and Safe Behaviour Programs.

Conference presentations outside Australia

- 2000 New Technologies and Work study group, Bad Homburg, Germany
- 2000 European Safety Reliability and Data Association, Karlstad, Sweden
- 2003 Industrial Safety, Aberdeen, Scotland
- 2004 Occupational Risk Prevention, Santiago, Spain
- 2005 International Offshore Regulators Safety Forum, London
- 2006 Occupational Risk Prevention Seville, Spain
- 2006 OHS conference in St Johns Newfoundland, Canada
- 2006 Working on Safety, Holland
- 2007 Oil and Gas Industry conference, Manchester, UK

Recent Consultancies

- 2001 Member of RAAF F111 Deseal Reseal Board of Inquiry, 2001
- 2003 Safety culture assessment for BHPBilliton, Griffin Venture, WA
- 2004 Safety culture assessment for BHPBilliton, Boodarie Iron, WA
- 2004 Review of implementation of F111 BOI recommendations, for Australian Defence Forces
- 2004 Preparation of paper for the Waterfall Rail Crash Inquiry
- 2004 Safety culture assessment for Xstrata Coal, Queensland
- 2005 Advice to the WA Minister for State Development on regulatory change for the mining industry.
- 2005 Accident investigation at Karratha Gas Plant, Woodside Petroleum
- 2006 Review of safety management initiatives at SKM (international firm of engineers)
- 2007 Review of Woodside Petroleum safety management systems
- 2007 Advice to SKM management group
- 2007 Advice to BP executives in London
- 2007 Advice to US Chemical Safety Board, Washington
- 2007 Safety review for Transfield-Worley
- 2008 Safety review for Abu Dhabi National Oil Company

Presentations to companies outside Australia

- BHP Billiton, London
- BHP Billiton, Houston, US
- Conoco Phillips, UK
- Oil Search, PNG
- Shell, Malaysia
- Shell, Singapore
- Shell, Houston
- Shell, New Zealand
- British Gas, Reading, UK
- Trident, Calgary, Canada
- DNV, Aberdeen, Scotland,
- BP, Azerbaijan
- BP, London
- BP, Aberdeen
- Innovene, Grangemouth
- Shell, Sarawak
- Emirates Airlines, Dubai



Presentations within Australia

Over 50 presentations to companies such as BHP Billiton, BP, Hatch, Holden, Orlando, Origin Energy, Stanwell Power Station, Leightons. Numerous presentations to government, union and industry conferences.

Publications

Professor Hopkins is featured in the US Chemical Safety Board 2008 video on the Texas City accident.

Professor Hopkins has written numerous articles and books. Recent books on safety-related topics are:

Lessons from Longford: The Esso Gas Plant Explosion (2000, Sydney: CCH)

Changing Regulation: Controlling Risks in Society, edited, with Kirwan & Hale (2000, Oxford: Pergamon)

Lessons from Longford: The Trial (2002, Sydney: CCH)

Safety, Culture and Risk (2005, Sydney: CCH)

Lessons from Gretley: Mindful Leadership and the Law (2007, Sydney: CCH)



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