



## **OS+H Asia 2010**

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## **OS+H Asia 2010 offers insights into advanced workplace safety and health solutions**

- **Global and regional leaders to show latest trends and tools**
- **Show continues to set regional benchmark for increasingly relevant health and safety issues**

An estimated 5,000 trade visitors and buyers from the region are expected to visit OS+H Asia 2010 over its three-day duration this September and they will be treated to an impressive and wide-ranging array of equipment, devices, tool and solutions that collectively contribute to a safer and healthier workplace. Since its inception in 1998, OS+H Asia 2010 has continued to set the benchmark in its field and its status has grown in parallel with heightened industry awareness of the benefits of incorporating appropriate OS+H strategies into standard business practices as well as development of national regulatory frameworks that further enhance worker safety and health.

### **PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS**

OS+H Asia 2010 promises to offer up an unprecedented and enticing array of occupational safety and health-related products to various industries of relevance throughout the region.

Tailoring products to suite the unique nature of the Asian market is high on the agenda at many vendors of workplace safety equipment. **WORKSafe** prides itself in delivering high quality personal protective equipment (PPE) compliant to the local safety standard (Singapore Standard) and surpassing most international safety standards such as ANSI, EN, NIOSH, and NFPA. Understanding that there is a gap between the requirements of users and suppliers of

PPE, WORKSafe's business strategy is to specially cater to the Asia market by offering maximum protection with comfort and fitting for Asians.

Protection against extreme environments is the forte of **Taiwan K.K. Corp.** It specialises in flame-retardant textiles with its Kanox and Mazic brands having the advantages of being manufactured in a vertically integrated manner from spinning yarns, through weaving fabrics, to ready-made garments. Kanox garments are available for structural and wildland fire fighting applications, industrial work wear and customized work environments such as emergency services, and search & rescue.

With construction booming across Asia, fall protection is a major concern. Fall protection products from **Sperian Protection** are on this account a highly relevant exhibit at **OS+H Asia 2010**. New product innovations and industry firsts include the Miller Scorpion™ personal fall limiter – an affordable alternative to shock-absorbing lanyards, the Miller Falcon™ self-retracting lifeline designed to be the lightest, most rugged line of composite cable retractable on the market, and the Miller BackBiter® tie-back lanyard with a Miller 5K snap hook providing an all-in-one anchorage connector and shock-absorbing lanyard.

Sperian group company **Howard Leight** adds to the PPE equation with its hearing protection products for the prevention of occupational noise-induced hearing loss. Leading solutions include the highest attenuating Max single-use earplug; Air Flow Control technology for optimal earmuff attenuation; QuietDose personal in-ear dosimetry; and the VeriPRO earplug fit testing system. Noise protection systems from **Alpha1** will also be on show at **OS+H Asia 2010**.

Safety footwear is another area enjoying a higher profile in Asia of late. **Liberty Shoes** manufactures a range of shoes and boots incorporating safety aspects such as steel toe caps and anti static & anti slip polyurethane soles. The products conform to ISO9001, EN 345, and EN ISO 20344/20345: 2007 standards. Other safety footwear providers with a presence at **OS+H Asia 2010** include **Cortina China**, **Best Serve Trading** and **Bata Industrials**.

As is the case with PPE, industry has become increasingly aware of the importance of skin safety products, while the cost of implementing good skin safety regimes has also been reduced with high quality products available at affordable prices. Studies have shown that having a good skin safety regime will prevent occupational dermatitis by more than 98% especially in the marine, ship building, oil & gas and manufacturing sectors. This is something that **Deb Group** would like to share with visitors at OS+H Asia. Brands include Swarfega, Deb and Cutan.

Eliminating leaks, drips and spills is the mission of **New Pig Corporation**, which claims to offer the largest selection of contained absorbents for material handling, spill response, maintenance and workplace safety globally, including absorbent mats, socks, booms, pillows

and pans. The company's products can help you comply with ISO 14001 and other regulations, which help improve the environment. A recent addition to its product line is the 100% polypropylene PIG Traffic Mat rug to keep extreme-traffic walkways dry and safe. The heat-fused and needle-punched mat can withstand even heavy forklift traffic without balling or fraying.

More product highlights are available at [http://www.osha-singapore.com/show\\_preview.html](http://www.osha-singapore.com/show_preview.html)

## **CONCURRENT EVENTS**

- **The Singapore WSH Conference on 15 & 16 September 2010.**  
Jointly organized by the Workplace Safety and Health Council and Ministry of Manpower.  
More info at [www.singaporewshconference.sg](http://www.singaporewshconference.sg)
- **Forum on Safety & Health: "Raising WSH Standards" on 17 September 2010.**  
Jointly organized by Singapore Institution of Safety Officers and Messe Düsseldorf Asia  
More info at [www.siso.org.sg](http://www.siso.org.sg)
- **MEDICAL FAIR ASIA from 15 to 17 September 2010.**  
8<sup>th</sup> International Exhibition on Hospital, Diagnostic, Pharmaceutical, Medical & Rehabilitation Equipment & Supplies (Organized by Messe Düsseldorf Asia)  
More info at [www.medicalfair-asia.com](http://www.medicalfair-asia.com)

## **About OS+H Asia 2010**

OS+H Asia 2010 is held for the seventh time in Singapore and is organized by Messe Düsseldorf Asia. The exhibition which champions work safety and health is supported by Singapore's Ministry of Manpower, Work Safety and Health (WSH) Council, Occupational and Environmental Health Society, National Safety Council of Singapore, Singapore Institution of Safety Officers, Singapore Exhibition & Convention Bureau and Messe Düsseldorf GmbH – organizer of A+A, the world's largest trade fair for safety, security and health at work. More than 100 international and regional exhibitors from 20 countries and over 5,000 visitors are expected to be at OS+H Asia 2010.

For more information on OS+H Asia 2010, please visit [www.osha-singapore.com](http://www.osha-singapore.com) or contact:

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