



Training Opportunity! Reducing Chemical Hazards: The First Move

Using GreenScreen® List Translator Automated Tool

Save the Dates!

Reducing Chemical Hazards: The First Move

March 15, 2017

King County/Hazardous Waste
Management Office

130 Nickerson Street #100

Seattle WA 98109

Register: <http://bit.ly/2jRnYwZ>

Cost: \$49.00 by February 15 (*earlybird*)

\$69.00 after February 15

Or

June 6, 2017

Portland State Office Building

800 NE Oregon Street, #1B

Portland OR 97232

Register: <http://bit.ly/2i4GKnD>

Cost: \$49.00 by May 6 (*earlybird*)

\$69.00 after May 6

*Lunch will be provided. See other side for
driving directions.*

*All courses are subject to change and/or
cancellation.*

Why is this training important?

It is crucial to make informed decisions when choosing chemicals in products, processes, and supply chains. Though it seems like an obvious step, identifying and knowing the potential hazards of chemicals is often overlooked or perceived as too complicated or costly to address. Yet companies face brand and financial risk if they are not making informed decisions about the chemicals they use. The List Translator provides a first line of defense against regrettable chemical choices while the in-person training provides you with hands-on practice and ensures you can effectively use the tool in your organization.

What is the tool and how is it used?

Companies striving to reduce their chemical footprint can now make a first move using the GreenScreen® List Translator. This automated tool is an abbreviated version of the GreenScreen® for Safer Chemicals, a globally recognized chemical hazard assessment method used to identify chemicals of high concern and safer alternatives. The GreenScreen® List Translator helps you understand known impacts of chemicals on human health and the environment and categorize which chemicals to avoid when purchasing and designing. The tool is easy for anyone to use regardless of experience or knowledge related to chemical hazards and can be applied to chemicals you currently use or may use in the future.

As a precursor to the training, we invite you to attend our free introductory webinar where you will learn the basic principles of chemical hazard assessments, why they are of interest, and basic tools to identify and screen out hazardous chemicals. (see p. 2)

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Who should attend:

This training is geared toward small to medium size businesses that make chemical management decisions and state and local government staff that provide chemical management assistance to businesses. This training can benefit all levels of professionals from bench staff to top leadership who work in areas related to Quality, Health, Safety and Environment; Sustainability; Risk Management; Hazardous Waste; Product Design and Stewardship; Material and Chemical Purchasing; and Chemistry, Laboratory and Research.

In-person Training Objectives

Upon completing the in-person course, participants will be able to:

- Understand the value of chemical hazard assessments and related tools and resources.
- Define *GreenScreen® List Translator* origins, methods, strengths, and limitations.
- Obtain *GreenScreen® List Translator* results for chemicals of interest using automated databases.
- Use this tool to inform chemicals management and sustainability decisions and prioritize action.

Join us for a FREE webinar

List Translator: Introducing a Tool to Screen for Chemical Hazards

February 8, 2017

10-11:30 a.m. Pacific time

Register at

<http://bit.ly/2hMg2Mk>

This webinar will be recorded and posted the [Green Chemistry Events web page](#).

Driving Directions

King County

Hazardous Waste Management Office

From I-5 North or South

Take the 50th Street Exit. Turn west on 50th Street. Turn left on Stone Way (about 2 miles). Turn right on 34th Street (about 2 miles). Turn left on Fremont Avenue. Cross the Fremont Bridge (stay in the right lane). Turn right onto Nickerson Street (at bicycle crossing sign and Bleitz Funeral Home). 130 Nickerson Building is about 1/8 mile west of the bridge. Turn right at the stop light onto Cremona Street. Brick building with tinted windows on the north side (canal side) of Nickerson Street.

Portland State Office

From I-5, south-bound:

Take the Coliseum Exit (302B), (first exit after the I-5/I-405 fork). After exiting, stay in the left lane. Go through intersection at NE Broadway and turn left onto NE Weidler. Turn right on Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Get into the far left lane. Go about 9 blocks and turn left on NE Oregon. The State Office Building is two blocks east on the corner of NE Oregon and NE 7th.

From I-5, north-bound:

Take the Broadway/Coliseum Exit (302A), right onto NE Weidler. Turn right on Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Get into the far left lane. Go about 9 blocks and turn left on NE Oregon. The State Office Building is two blocks east on the corner of NE Oregon and NE 7th.

Parking information (rates subject to change):

Liberty Centre - 650 NE Oregon Street,
\$5.00/day

Lloyd Center Tower - Lloyd Center Tower,
\$5.00/day

500 NE Multnomah - \$1 each additional hour

For additional parking, please visit:

http://en.parkopedia.com/parking/garage/liberty_centre/97232/portland/