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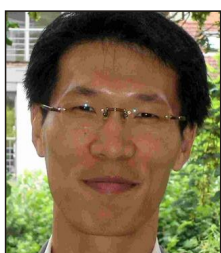




Eva Sandberg
Senior Scientific Officer
European Chemicals Agency (ECHA)



At ECHA Eva Sandberg is responsible for International relations and contacts with countries outside the EU. She has been specialising in legislative studies of chemicals regulation for a long time and is experienced with profound legislative theoretical knowledge and rich practical experience in chemicals management. As an authority figure in the field of chemicals regulations and the officer of ECHA, Ms. Eva Sandberg came to China last year and made a speech at the “EU REACH Workshop, Asia 2009”



DaeYoung PARK
Managing Partner
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DaeYoung PARK advises environmental, health and safety law and regulation of China, Japan, Korea, Hong Kong, Taiwan and EU to global companies and does technical lobbying for global companies in the course of European policy- and law-making process. With knowledge of international, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Taiwanese and EU environmental and health and safety laws, he plays an active role to bridge regulatory dialogue and compliance system for private and public bodies in Asia and Europe.



David J. Dix, Ph.D
Environmental Protection Agency of United States (US EPA)





Michele R. Sullivan, Ph.D.

President
MRS Associates in the U.S.



Michele R. Sullivan, Ph.D. is a recognized expert in domestic and international hazard communication, an author of MSDS and GHS Guidance Manuals and frequent lecturer on Hazard Communication. As a MSDS and GHS expert, Dr. Sullivan testified at the US Senate Employment, Safety and Training Subcommittee hearing on "Hazard Communication in the Workplace". Her experience in the field of Hazard Communication is extensive.

Dr. Sullivan has been involved with GHS activities for almost 20 years. She has been a consultant to industry, APEC, international organizations, overseas governments and USA government agencies on the GHS. She prepared GHS situational analyses for USA regulations and developed GHS training for USA and Asia-Pacific countries. She was an industry member of

- 1 USA delegation to the Earth Summit organizing conferences,
- 1 IOMC Coordinating Group on the Harmonization of Chemical Classification Systems,
- 1 OECD Task Force on the Harmonization of Classification and Labeling, and
- 1 ILO Working Group for the Harmonization of Chemical Hazard Communication.

She is included on the UNITAR GHS Expert Roster. She participated on the NACOSH Hazard Communication Work Group, an advisory group to OSHA on Hazard Communication. In the transportation area her experience includes: participation at the United Nations Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and a rapporteur for the Ottawa meeting on the Harmonization of Physical Hazards. Dr. Sullivan participated in development and training for the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) MSDS and Labeling standards.

She has held leadership roles, as Chairman of the Board of Directors, President and board member, in the Society for Chemical Hazard Communication (SCHC), a professional organization that promotes effective communication of chemical hazards. Michele is the course director and instructor for HazCom 101 and the GHS courses/webinars.



Ir. Leo Heezen

Manager Global Chemicals Policies
European Chemical Industry Council(CEFIC)



Leo has more than 25 years of professional experience in various functions in the chemical, pharmaceutical and food industry in several countries. His last assignment before joining Cefic in 2005 was Site Manager of a food production facility.

As Manager REACH Implementation his main responsibility is the coordination of REACH activities. Within the Cefic REACH cluster there are different working groups and task forces dealing with specific issues of REACH and the translation of legislation and guidance's into practical tools and advice for industry. He participates in many of the Cefic REACH working groups and contributed also to several REACH Implementation Projects.



Mr. Nishimiya Koji
General manager
Overseas Environmental Cooperation Center (OECC)



Koji NISHIMIYA is a Professional Director in the Operational group and Strategic Business Development group of Overseas Environmental Cooperation Centre, Japan.

He was responsible for capacity development of senior geo-chemists and laboratory staff at Geological Survey Department, Ministry of Forestry and Natural Resources in Japan Overseas Cooperation. Through presenting occasional lectures and on the job training with using analytical equipment and lab ware, providing occasional technical advice and short report to senior geologists in the view of chemical analysis. It was achieved that the senior geo-chemists capacity in working with geo-chemical samples, producing high accurate geo-chemical analytical results were dramatically improved through the cooperation.

Koji's research has concerned on the issues of environment and sustainable development in economically shifting countries. During 1998 to 2000, he was responsible for groundwater survey and groundwater development in African and Asian countries.

He is interested in policy dynamics and governance to realize a sound material cycle society from the view point of chemicals management.

He investigates potential functions of a network for strategic response to international chemicals management in which all stakeholders of Japanese chemicals supply chain exchange useful information and communicate actively. Furthermore he aims to find fundamental risk management practices to optimize a relationship between risks and benefits from the LCA point of view.

1988 Assistant, Chemical Engineering Department, Kitakyushu Technical College

1992 Japan Overseas Cooperation Volunteers

1994 NGO activity for UNHCR RWANDA repatriation mission

1996 Manager, Koken Boring Machine Co., Ltd.

2000 Associate Expert, JICA HQs

2001 Aid Coordinator, JICA Vietnam Office

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Mr. Qianfeng

Vice-president of Centre Testing International Corporation (CTI)



Mr Eric Qian is the Vice President of the Centre Testing International Co., Ltd. (CTI), overseeing the business development associated with the Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS). He is also responsible for the operation of the CTI Research and Development Centre focusing on issues on standards and compliance. Mr Qian's rich experience in the field of hazardous substances management leading CTI success in maintaining a considerable market share of RoHS business in China. He is now leading a team of experts to provide assistance for a number of industries in complying with various regulatory requirements. With the recent emergence of industry concerns about the REACH regulation, Mr Qian has established a special team to provide professional services for industries in China to fulfill the associated regulatory requirements. Mr Qian is now a member of the China RoHS Testing Standards Development Working Committee and he is also a council member of the China Electronics Green Manufacturing Alliance.



Yang Yanxiang

China National Petroleum Corporation (CNPC)
Regulatory Compliance Director in REACH



Mr. Yang Yanxiang has professional experience in Petroleum & Chemical industry in China. His recently assignment is coordination of REACH activities in China National Petroleum Corporation (CNPC). With the main responsibilities in the REACH project including consulting, evaluation, and regulatory, Mr. Yang contributes a lot to the regulatory compliance activities in Petroleum & Chemical industry in China, and he has professional experience in the management of supply chain in China as well.



Ms. Linda Lee

Regulatory Affairs Specialist
Hangzhou RUIO Technology Co., Ltd.
REACH24h Group, China



Linda Lee graduated from Zhejiang University of Technology with a master degree, majoring in Environmental engineering and Chemical engineering.

She has many years of experiences in risk assessment of Environmental protection and human health.

She is an expert in areas of chemical regulation affairs. Her practices are mainly focused on risk assessment of chemicals, which include chemical safety assessment (EU/REACH), risk assessment of new chemical substance (China/Measure on the Environmental Management of New Chemical Substances), risk assessment of Cosmetic Raw Materials (China), etc.