



FW: FY17 PCP Courses to Conference Management

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Good news!

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Subject: RE: FY17 PCP Courses to Conference Management

Hello Mr. Shuler,

Thank you for approaching us regarding the FY2017 courses offered as part of the DOE Packaging Certification Program given by the DOE contractors at their respective sites. We concur that the events are exempt formal training and therefore no additional information is required.

If you prefer, these events can be recorded in DOE's Conference Management Tool (CMT) as "exempt events" with minimal information to describe the event. If you need any assistance with their entry in the CMT please send an email to conferencequestions@hq.doe.gov and we would be happy to assist.

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Dear Ilir,

Last September, I submitted a request by email for concurrence that the training courses offered in FY2016 by the DOE Packaging Certification Program were not subject to conference management approval and reporting process, based on the Updated Guidance on Conference-Related Activities and Spending memorandum, August 17, 2015 from Elizabeth Sherwood-Randall (i.e., all formal classroom training is no longer subject to the conference management). You responded by email that the Conference Management Program reviewed the descriptive information provided with your question and concur with your evaluation – the event is an exempt training event, and therefore it is not subject to the conference management approval and reporting process.

This email is my request for concurrence that the FY2017 courses are likewise not subject to the conference management approval and reporting process. These courses are essential to retain and qualify new radioactive material packaging professionals in accordance with the general and function specific requirements of the US hazardous materials (HAZMAT) regulations in 49 CFR, 10 CFR Part 71 and DOE O 460.1C. The courses (12 total) planned for FY2017 are as follows:

ME 691 - ASME Pressure Vessel Code for Nuclear Transport and Storage, 1 credit (credits are towards a Graduate Certificate in Nuclear Packaging from University of Nevada, Reno)

ME 692 - QA for Radioactive Material Packaging, 1 credit

ME 694 - Nuclear and Other Radioactive Materials Transport Security, 2 credits

ME 695 - SARP Review and Confirmatory Analysis, 2 credits

ME 696 - Management of SARP Preparation, 1 credit

ME 697 - Radioactive Material Package Operations and Leak Testing, 1 credit

- ARG-US RFID System for Management of Nuclear and Radioactive Materials
- Structural Analysis and Acceptance Criteria
- Welding Criteria for Shipping Containers
- Generalist Training - Radiation Shielding and Nuclear Criticality Safety
- Specialist Training - Radiation Shielding and Nuclear Criticality Safety
- Thermal Modeling and Testing of RAM Packages

All of the above courses are given by my DOE contractors at their respective sites, i.e., ANL, LLNL, SRNL, ORNL, and SNL.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated response.

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