

Bob DeHart has contributed to the EHS profession throughout his career. He feels it is most important to give back to the EHS profession, as the profession basically evolved in the first half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century for protecting people's lives, environment and property -- to a more mature profession, requiring mandatory ethical and sustainable solutions to today's and tomorrow's world for protection of people and the environment.

Bob was a Director on the Board of Certified Safety Professionals (1982-1988), serving as President in 1986. He was also a Risk Assessment Subcommittee member to the American Institute of Chemical Engineers' "Center for Chemical Process Safety" (CCPS, 1986-1993), working on CCPS books that have become de-facto industry/government standards for process safety.

Most recently, Bob served from 2017-2020 as a Director to the Board of Global Credentialing or BGC (formerly American Board of Industrial Hygiene), which provides credentialing examination requirements for persons aspiring to attain the credentials: CIH, QEP, CPPS, CPEA and CPSA. While a Director on BGC, he served as Chair of the Financial Oversight and Auditing Committee (FOC). His leadership as FOC Chair resulted in significant "continuous improvements" for BGC financial matters and earned future FOC Chairs a position on the BGC Leadership Team.

His service as Directors to BCSP in the 1980's and recently to BGC (ABIH) gives him keen insights as to the importance of credentialing for the EHS professional, and his/her role in society. It is most important that Director's bring the necessary skills and experience to effectively analyze the state of the organization (e.g., IHMM) and make the appropriate decisions. Bob's desire as an IHMM Director is to bring both his knowledge, and management and technical savvy to the IHMM board for the furtherance of IHMM credentialed professionals and for the overall benefit to society.