

HMS BOARD – Chris Bartku Biography



Chris has been a CHMM since 2009 having spent most of his early career focused on CERCLA and RCRA in the US Southeast, US Midwest, Europe, and the Bahamas. He has been an RPM on NPL sites primarily related to clean up of military industrial reserve and ordnance plants that supported WWII efforts. Chris has conducted Phase 1&2 ESAs, EIS's, multi-media facility auditing, and was the PRP lead for the military in forty Southeast states.

Chris managed an Environmental Job Order Contract in the Chicago Area for five years across fifteen Midwest states performing a wide variety of environmental related projects from harbor dredging to hospital hvac system cleaning, sewer relining, asbestos and lead abatement, mercury spill clean ups, large scale demolition, UST removals, and range remediation. He has been responsible for day-to-day management of hazardous materials and wastes at a variety of military and commercial facilities.

He also managed large scale military material and waste management during Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2003-2004. Currently Chris has expanded his career into the EHS field for a top five consulting organization directly managing a large staff of CHMM's, CIH's, CSPs and other environment, health, safety and sustainability-focused professionals as a Senior Vice President and EHS Director. He has lived and worked internationally, is a volunteer consultant for non-profit organizations, and has several global awards for pollution prevention, EHS core values, and innovation.

Besides being a CHMM, Chris is licensed professional environmental engineer (PE), Certified Safety Professional (CSP), and currently resides in the Tampa Florida area.