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ROCKVILLE, MD (March 6, 2014) – IHMM would like to congratulate the inaugural class of Certified Dangerous Goods Professionals (CDGPs):

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## **About the Institute of Hazardous Materials Management**

For over 25 years the Institute of Hazardous Materials Management, a not-for-profit organization founded in 1984, has been protecting the environment and the public's health, safety, and security through the administration of credentials recognizing professionals who have demonstrated proficiency, expertise, and excellence in the management of hazardous materials and transportation of dangerous goods.

Over 16,000 homeland security, environmental protection, engineering, health sciences, transportation, and public safety professionals have earned IHMM's accredited Certified Hazardous Materials Manager credential. IHMM also administers the Certified Hazardous Materials Practitioner credential, the Certified Dangerous Goods Professional credential, and the Hazardous Materials Manager-in-Training program.

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