An international OSH network for OIC countries: OIC-OSHNET

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Introduction of DGOHS

• To adapt and to ensure the implementation of legislation in the field of OHS,

• To determine the national policies and prepare programmes,

• To plan, program and ensure the implementation of study and research activities on occupational health and safety and prevention of occupational accidents and diseases,

• To establish collaboration with national and international organizations and coordinating the national and international activities regarding OSH.
Introduction of Institute of OHS (ISGUM)
ISGUM LABORATORIES
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Collaboration with Turkish Standardization Institution
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METAL SEKTÖRÜ
Collaboration with Ministry of Health
Collaboration with Ministry of Food Agriculture and Livestock
Training Activities

In 2008, in the scope of Occupational Health and Safety Protocol in shipbuilding yards 1057 engineer and 16841 employees

Between 2009-2010, in the scope of Occupational Health and Safety Protocol with Ministry of National Educational (MEB) 741 school manager and 88 teacher

In the scope of Occupational Health and Safety Protocol with Ministry of Public Works in 2010 5400, at the end of 2011 14000 Building Inspector and Controller

In the scope of ISGIP Project in 2011 2090 OSH Professional are trained
International Collaboration

- Contact Point of European Union Occupational Health and Safety Agency (EU-OSHA)
- Member of World Health Organization Collaborating Centre (WHO-CC)
- Collaboration Protocol with Germany-Dresden Occupational Health and Safety Academy
- International Labour Organization Occupational Health and Safety Information Centre (ILO-CIS)
- Collaboration with Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC)
Collaboration with SESRIC

- First meeting with SESRIC was on January 2010
- Expert Exchange Project
- Transfer of Innovation Project
- Training of Capacity Building Project
- OIC Network for Occupational Health and Safety Project (OIC-OSHNET)
8 people from 7 OIC-member countries (Azerbaijan, Jordan, Libya, Malaysia, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, representatives of OSH foundations in Syria and representative of ALO in Syria) came to ISGUM for study visit and were trained about sampling, analyzing and risk assessment for a week. (24 - 28 May 2010)
Capacity Building Project

A trainer from Malaysia National Occupational Health and Safety Institute trained related DGOSH staff about

- International Occupational Health and Safety Regulation
- Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems
- Risk Assessment Methods

(13-15 December 2010, Ankara)
A trainer from DGOSH gave a training to the personnel from Sultanate of Oman Ministry of Health Environmental and Occupational Health department about

- Chemical Factors
- Chemical Exposure

(25-27 April 2011, Oman)
A trainer from DGOSH was in Malaysia to train 22 personnel from Malaysia Ministry of Health on

- Chemical Exposure
- Chemicals in Hospitals
- Methods of Protection from Chemicals
- Social Marketing and Project Development for changing Workers’ Behavior

(5-9 March 2012, Malaysia)
OIC Network for Occupational Health and Safety

A kick-off meeting was arranged for creating awareness about OSH in OIC countries and establish a common network between member countries. (16-17 May 2011, Ankara)

Participants from 15 different countries (Turkey, Albania, Bangladesh, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Pakistan, United Arab Emirates, Senegal)
OIC-OSHNET
A Transnational Network Project Under OIC-VET

What is OIC-OSHNET?

OIC Network for Occupational Safety and Health (OIC-OSHNET) is a transnational network project under the framework of Vocational Education and Training Programme for Islamic Countries (OIC-VET). It was proposed by the Statistical Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC) in order to establish closer cooperation for sharing knowledge, experience and new technologies, conduct joint research and training, exchange of good practices and to organise new initiatives, projects and programmes in the field of Occupational Safety and Health among similar local, national and regional institutions, OSH researchers and practitioners, national authorities, policy makers, social security institutions and employers’ and workers’ organisations active in the field in the OIC Member Countries.

The vision of the project is to establish an international network for systematic sharing of information and experiences in occupational safety and health issues among professionals, to build public awareness of occupational safety and health in OIC Member Countries, as well as to improve the quality of the service in this area.

With the OIC-OSHNET, it is expected that all the stakeholders involved, including members of the civil society and the private sector, enhance their knowledge in the situation at the country and region level.

OIC-OSHNET ACTIVITIES

NATIONAL FOCAL POINTS

National Focal Points are national offices that have been designated and set up by national authorities in charge of occupational safety and health affairs in each OIC Member Country. There are currently 8 National Focal Points in the OIC-OSHNET Project.

http://www.oicvet.org
OIC Network for Occupational Health and Safety

Expectations:

- Increase of awareness
- Increase in Institutional capacity
- Showing the best practice examples
- Exchange of information-communication between member countries
- Bilateral or multilateral projects between long-term member countries
Turkey’s Role

Turkey plays a key role as a continental bridge, also has similar mission to carry knowledge and experience on OSH to the OIC member countries. Thus, Turkey supports promoting safety culture worldwide.
Thank you for your attention!

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