



ISHCCO Standards

ISHCCO proposes a qualification framework (based on knowledge, skills and attitudes for health and safety construction coordinators. This qualification framework intends to favor mobility and mutual recognition by the ISHCCO members. This qualification framework has requirements for levels 5, 6 and 7 of the European Qualification Framework.

ISHCCO's intent, in cooperation with international associations, universities and training institutes is to offer a comprehensive and practical support to assist the coordinators in their daily professional activities. ISHCCO members are encouraged to use the qualification framework as standards for construction safety coordinators.

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ISHCCO - International Safety and Health Construction Coordinators Organization

Reference for Safer Construction Sites

ISHCCO is a partner for safety and health construction coordinators in Europe

Throughout Europe prevention and coordination of safety measures have been regulated by EU directives and most EU countries have transposed these directives into their national legislation, regulations and guidelines. A substantial part of these legal texts deal with the coordination of safety and health measures in construction sites.

ISHCCO's know-how, its qualification framework, standards and information material on the practical application of the legal texts is of great assistance to national associations of health and safety construction coordinators, civil engineers, architects, workers, construction companies and construction stakeholders.

Ever since the introduction of EU directive 92/57, ISHCCO has been constantly aligning its work to the latest standards, in particular with regards to legislation and experience gathered in other member countries.

ISHCCO members are dedicated to the implementation and continuing improvement of safety at the construction workplaces, as stated in Directive 92/57/EC, to improve and promote the wellbeing of workers and all those that may be affected by working in a construction based activity at a temporary or mobile construction site.

Objective

Founding members saw the objective of the association as a forum to cooperate at European level in construction safety. This objective is done with the adoption of qualification framework of health and safety construction coordinators that will ensure adequate and minimum competencies. This framework may be used in any member country by the ISHCCO representative or by official agencies. National member associations may offer training programs and career development opportunities to reinforce the quality of the construction safety context. This cooperation facilitated by ISHCCO will make its members stronger while maintaining diversity.

Services

In cooperation with the representatives of the various member countries ISHCCO provides recommendations to improve a better qualification and improved performance of the health and safety construction coordinators given the national and European legal frameworks. ISHCCO also endorses the introduction of new processes and tools based on the digital transformation occurring in the society and in construction. It is a relentless effort envisaging the continuing improvement of the coordination of the construction safety and health.

Members

ISHCCO is composed of different associations and national organizations of health and safety construction coordinators and, indirectly, of their respective members. Latest figures show ISHCCO as representing the interests of more than 60,000 safety and health construction coordinators (SHCC) in 14 European countries.