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Open Letter to those Not Yet Fatally Injured Workers

by Alan D Quilley CRSP

This is a reprint of one of Alan's most popular articles.

It's again that time of year when most Workers' Compensation Boards release their annual injury and fatality statistical reports for the previous year. This year is no different and again we're seeing yet another batch of annual reports telling us that nothing significantly different has happened to our injury and illness numbers. The worst part of reading these reports is to knowing that while we read them we're again replicating the carnage. Again this year many of our fellow workers will die because of their work. Rather than just sigh and ask rhetorically "oh well...what can I do about it?" I'd like to try something different.

I'm personally doing a great deal to change this annual fatality number. Over the past year I've spoken to many groups both large and small trying to develop as much dissatisfaction with the current state of safety management as I can. The numbers of folks that are joining my uneasiness with the lack of results for our efforts is growing. It's going to take a great number of us all getting dissatisfied with these results to move us collectively into a different action.

On behalf of those of us who really care that this number of fatally injured workers hasn't changed a great deal over the last two decades, I'm writing an open letter to those who are going to die this year. Although at first, I must admit, I found the idea a bit morbid, I think perhaps it may just shake someone off of their "I can't do anything" spot. If we all were to increase our diligence to help our fellow workers become safer and healthier, then perhaps we'll collectively make a difference. Feel free to share this letter with the people you work with. Perhaps it will make them think about what they can do to change this terrible outcome.

I thought I'd start by offering an apology to the not yet fatally injured workers who are going to die this year unless we do something differently. This is only one of the things I'm going to do differently over this next year...how about YOU?

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Dear “Not Yet Fatally Injured Worker”

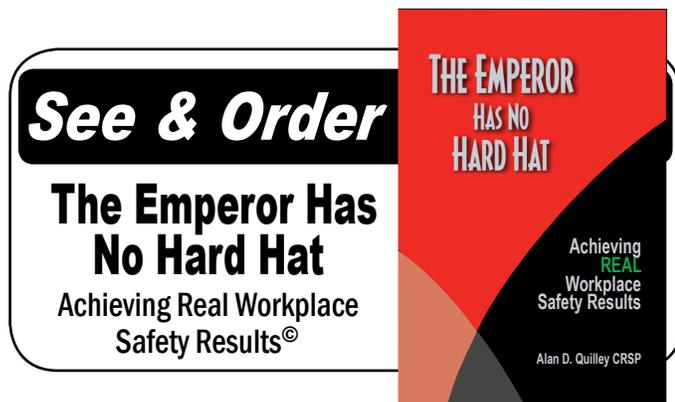
I'd like to sincerely say to you that I'm very sorry that you are going to die this year. Although we don't know exactly which of you reading this will die, we do know that some of you will die in a work related traffic accident. We know that some will die of an industrial disease and that some of you will be fatally injured in a dramatic workplace incident like a fall or explosion. Here's what your co-workers would say to you after you're gone, so I thought you should hear it now. Hopefully reading this letter may get you and the people you work with to prevent your future fatal injury.

I want to tell you that we're sorry that:

- we didn't see that the deadly energy you were exposed to wasn't properly controlled
- we didn't take the time to make sure that you understood the safe behaviours you needed to follow so you would go home every night to your family
- we didn't get the right tools to do your job safely
- we assumed because you were a seasoned veteran at your job we didn't have to remind you to take those important precautions of wearing your personal protective equipment
- we rushed through the last safety meeting so we could get back to work sooner
- we forgot to look where you were before we backed up the vehicle
- we didn't have a more experienced worker with you to guide you through the safe procedures
- we didn't put up the guardrails
- we didn't think that you would fall asleep

behind the wheel because we scheduled long work shifts and worked you overtime to the point of your exhaustion

- we talked to you on your cell phone when we knew you were driving
- we didn't provide a lockout process for you to follow
- we didn't check to see that you knew how to do what you were doing your job safely
- we showed you a shortcut to follow that killed you
- we followed a different level of safety during the week than on the weekend when no one else is around
- we didn't recognize sooner in your career that the chemicals and substances that we had you working with were hazardous to your long term health
- we didn't learn from the last time this happened to someone
- we didn't make sure that someone was held accountable to fix the thing that fatally injured you
- we made fun of you because you usually took the time to be extra careful
- we let you work without the fall arrest equipment
- we let you enter that confined space without following the procedures
- we didn't ensure that the safety rules we have here actually are the way it is around here
- we didn't check to make sure the equipment you were working with was properly maintained
- we gave you work that exposed you to uncontrolled hazards
- we didn't think about your safety when we asked you to rush that last job
- we sent you down into that trench without shoring
- we ignored the fact that you usually don't wear your seatbelt
- we didn't remember that the overhead power line we touched with the crane was there
- I had to write this letter



Most importantly we're sorry that your mother & father lost their child. We're so very sorry that your brothers & sisters have lost their sibling; that your sons and daughters will grow up without you and that your spouse will never hold you again...

For these things we're truly sorry and wish we had done something differently.

Regretfully

Alan D. Quilley CRSP

NEW! CRST Examination Preparation Workshops and Material

Safety Results does it again!

We are very excited to announce that our first CRST Examination Preparation Workshop is now available for booking! The Workshop will be held May 1 - 3, 2019 in Sherwood Park.

Our CRST Examination Preparation Manual and Workbook are currently being professionally printed and will be available for purchase on our website by February 15. Stay tuned to [this](#) page!

For more information and to register for our CRST Workshop, please visit this [page](#).

Canada-Alberta Job Grant - Using towards our CRSP Workshops

A recent participant of one of our recent CRSP Examination Preparation Workshops was able to, via their employer, obtain funds from the Alberta-Canada Job Grant to use towards the registration fee for our Workshop! In this case, the employer paid 1/3 and the Grant picked up the balance. The Applicant Guide, Application Form and more information is located at the following site:

<https://www.alberta.ca/canada-alberta-job-grant.aspx>

Our involvement was quite limited, other than providing a letter to the employer confirming details of our Workshop. This may be a viable option for employees that fit within the grant's criteria.

CSSE Member Discount!

We are pleased to offer a 10% discount on our CRSP and CRST Workshops as well as study material to current members in good standing of the CSSE. Please contact [Marie](#) for more details.

Compliments for our CRSP Examination Preparation Workshops

"Alan taught me "how" to study - I was doing the typical "read everything", and found myself gravitating to the stuff I knew because it was comfortable. Learning to NOT do that, and concentrate on what I identified through his gap analysis method, was instrumental in my success. He straight-up teaching style - he tells it as it is without all the sugar coating - is awesome. The material from the course, especially the cards, is amazing. If one could bottle the positive energy you get from Alan the minute you meet him, they'd make a fortune!"

"I took the test in February after taking your course in January. It was my first write and I was successful. Your material definitely helped".

"I am happy to say that I was successful in passing the exam. I do think that your book provided me with much of the information required to be successful in the exam; I did very well and I do attribute much of it to the course you provided".

On The Net

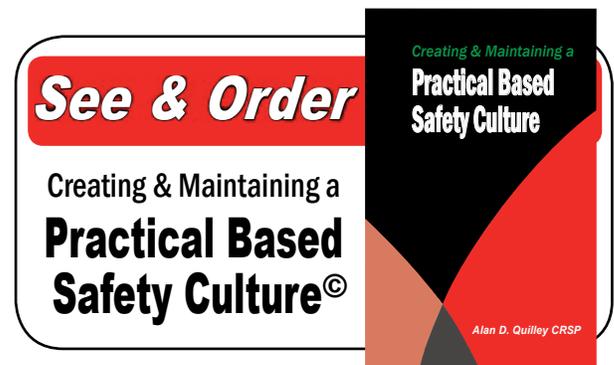
From our good friend, Carsten Busch:

[Mind the Risk](#)

From our friends at EWI Works:

[Give Your Eyes a Rest with our Break Reminder](#)

From the Gov't of Canada Dept of Justice
[Impaired Driving Laws](#)



CRSP EXAMINATION PREPARATION WORKSHOPS

Sherwood Park	March 27 - 29, 2019
Calgary	April 10 - 12, 2019 (minimum registration requirement)
Sherwood Park	July 19 - 21, 2019
Sherwood Park	September 20 - 22, 2019

Our intense 3 day CRSP Examination Preparation Workshop fee is \$999.00 + GST. Here's why we know we can help and why you should thoroughly investigate before choosing your CRSP Examination Preparation Workshop and product provider.

Our Workshop price includes the following:

- Material updated to the current 2015 BCRSP Blueprint
- Our Manual, Workbook, Series 1 & 2 Multiple Choice and Long Answer FlashCards (\$910.00 value)
- Our Handbook that contains more practice questions and answers (Handbook is available *only* to participants at the workshop)
- Material is enclosed in a coveted Safety Results canvas attaché bag which includes pen, highlighter, calculator, notebook for notes and Post-its.
- Lunches and refreshment breaks
- Special offer – We are the only workshop provider that has a special offer for participants of our Workshop: If you challenge the CRSP exam and are unsuccessful, you may attend another sponsored Safety Results Ltd. CRSP Examination Preparation Workshop for a nominal fee. (Workshop must be based on the 2015 BCRSP Blueprint and further conditions apply- please check with us for more details.

When broken down, the value added features of our Workshops cannot be beat.

What makes us different?

- If you learn better by sitting and listening to a lecturer drone on and on, this is not the Workshop for you.
- If you learn better by sifting through mountains of paper presented in a random and an illogical manner, this is not the Workshop for you.
- If you learn better by sitting and answering hundreds of practice exam questions without direction, this is not the Workshop for you.
- If you learn better by reviewing regurgitated copies of the BCRSP's Study Guides (that you've already paid for!), this is not the Workshop for you.

How do we know all this? Students who have taken other providers' Workshops have told us. Ours always wins, hands down, every time.

Why not learn from Alan Quilley CRSP, our dynamic instructor who engages participants, and teaches you how to study, truly demonstrating that you can enjoy learning? He's a proven industry leader who actually works with companies, helping them create their Health and Safety programs worldwide. He's a working CRSP who consults and also trains internationally.

We don't just teach it, we live it.

Our course format is often imitated but never surpassed. Don't be fooled by cheap imitations of our process, format and content. Safety Results Workshops are the gold standard of preparation workshops.

For more details and to register, please visit our [CRSP Workshops](#) page.

And remember that if you are unable to attend one of our Workshops, you can purchase the very same Manual, Workbook, Multiple Choice/Quick Answer and Long Answer FlashCards that our students receive in our Workshops. Visit our [CRSP Exam Prep Materials](#) page for more details!