



**NHCA 2010 Conference Attendee Evaluation
February 26 & 27, 2010
Orlando, FL**

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*******Friday, February 26, 2010*******

“Current Moves in Australian based Noise Exposure Research”

Warwick Williams – National Acoustics Laboratories - Australia

Relevance and Content	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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“Noise-induced hearing loss in Asia”

Adrian Fuente - University of Chile, Medical Faculty - School of Speech and Hearing Sciences - Chile

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“Occupational hearing loss in Brazil: State of art”

Ana Claudia Fiorini, Pontificia Universidade Catolica de Sao Paulo- Brazil

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“Research on noise-induced hearing loss in Sweden”

Ann-Christin Johnson - Unit of Audiology, Karolinska Institutet - Sweden

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Keynote Lecture

“Noise and cardiovascular disease: can hearing conservation programs prevent heart attacks too?”

Keynote Speaker: *Hugh Davies - UBS School of Environmental Health - Canada*

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Luncheon Speaker

“Effective slides: Design, construction, and use”

Luncheon Speaker: *Jean-Luc Doumont, Principiae - Belgium*

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Breakouts – Hearing Loss Prevention in the Military

“Hearing changes among military conscripts in the Swedish Army”

Per Muhr - Karolinska Institute and the Dept of Audiology Karolinska University Hospital - Sweden

Ulf Rosenhall, The Swedish Armed Forces - Sweden

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“Hearing loss among soldiers exposed to impulses”

William Ahroon - U.S. Army Aeromedical Research Laboratory - USA

Melinda Hill - U.S. Army Aeromedical Research Laboratory - USA

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“Improved hearing protection regulations and the prevention of military NIHL and tinnitus”

Roderik Mrena - University of Helsinki - Finland

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“The Army Hearing Program: Supporting the soldier from training to combat”

Jillyn Curry-Mathis, Army Hearing Program Manager - USA

Vickie Tuten - Office of the Surgeon General - USA

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“Development of a computer-based hearing loss prevention education program for veterans and military personnel”
Robert Folmer - National Center for Rehabilitative Auditory Research Portland VA Medical Center - USA

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Breakouts - Music & Hearing Loss

“TTS subsequent to music player use”
Colleen Le Prell - Department of Communicative Disorders, University of Florida - USA

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“Portable music players - Preferred sound levels and listening habits”
Kim Kähäri - School of Health and Medical Sciences & Institute for Medical Disability Research, Örebro University - Sweden

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“The use of MP3 players as a possible cause of noise-induced hearing loss”
Wouter Dreschler - Clinical and Experimental Audiology, Academic Medical Centre (AMC) – Netherlands
Jan A.P.M. de Laat – Clinical Audiology, Leiden University Medical Centre (LUMC) - Netherlands

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“Do Negative Attitudes Toward loud Music Prevent Music-Induced Hearing Loss”
Stephen Widen - Dept of Psychology and Organizational Studies, Institution of Social and Behavioral Studies - Sweden

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"It takes two: How partnerships help extend the reach of a national NIHL campaign for tweens"

Patricia Blessing - National Institutes of Health - USA

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Breakouts - Protection & Communication

"Influence of headset, hearing sensitivity, flight workload, and communication signal quality on flight performance and communications: An Army Black Hawk helicopter simulator experiment"

Kristen Casto - U.S. Army Aeromedical Research Laboratory - USA

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"How well do hearing protectors work? Compiled field fit testing results"

Lee Hager - 3M/Aero Technologies - USA

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"Comfort and Fit of Hearing Protection Products in the Industrial Environment"

Martha Tate - Kimberly-Clark Corporation - USA

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"Interventions to increase use of hearing protectors in construction"

Noah Seixas - University of Washington Dept of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences - USA

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"Influence of hearing aid use in the workplace on noise exposure estimates"

Marshall Chasin - Musician's Clinic of Canada - Canada

Brian Fligor - Children's Hospital Boston - USA

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Breakouts - Ototoxicity & Otoprotection

“Occupational exposure to chemicals and hearing impairment”

Ann-Christin Johnson - Unit of Audiology, Karolinska Institutet - Sweden

Thais Morata - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

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“The Weight of Evidence Approach in the Case of Ototoxic Chemicals”

Tony Leroux - Ecole d'orthophonie et d'audiologie; Universite de Montreal - Canada

Adolf Vyskocil - Groupe de recherche interdisciplinaire en sante; Universite de Montreal - Canada

Claude Viau - Groupe de recherche interdisciplinaire en sante; Universite de Montreal - Canada

Ginette Truchon - Institute de recherche Robert-Sauve en sante et en securite de travail - Canada

Sophie Lim - Groupe de recherche interdisciplinaire en sante; Universite de Montreal - Canada

Francois Lemay - Institute de recherche Robert-Sauve en sante et en securite de travail - Canada

Martine Gendron - Centre de recherche interdisciplinaire en readaptation - Site Institut Raymond – Dewar - Canada

France Gagnon - Groupe de recherche interdisciplinaire en sante; Universite de Montreal - Canada

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“Pharmacologic otoprotective and rescue agents for noise-induced hearing loss: Current research”

Kathleen Campbell - Southern Illinois University School of Medicine - USA

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“From bench to bedside and back again: Translating otoprotective agents from animal to man”

Colleen Le Prell - Department of Communicative Disorders, University of Florida - USA

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“Misadventures of a hair cell”

Theresa Schulz - Sperian Hearing Protection - USA

Kathy Campbell – Southern Illinois University School of Medicine - USA

Renee Bessette – Sperian Hearing Protection - USA

Laura Kauth – Audiology Consultants - USA

Dick Danielson – NSBRI - USA

Mary McDaniel – Pacific Hearing Conservation - USA

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Afternoon Sessions

"An overview of the NORA National Manufacturing Agenda with an Emphasis on Hearing Loss and Prevention"

Captain W. Gregory Lotz - Division of Applied Research and Technology (DART), National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

Lee Hager - E-A-Rfit/E-A-RCustom - USA

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"Life cycle analysis of noise and hearing in Finland"

Esko Toppila - Finnish Institute of Occupational Health - Finland

Ilmari Pyykko - University of Tampere - Finland

Rauno Paakkonen - Finnish Institute of Occupational Health - Finland

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"Introducing NIOSH surveillance program for occupational hearing loss"

SangWoo Tak - NIOSH, DSHEFS, Surveillance Branch - USA

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"The threshold for hearing problems: Results from NHANES (1999-2004)"

Greg Flamme - Western Michigan University - USA

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"Hearing loss prevention training, noise measurements and audiological exams improves work conditions among industrial fishermen in the south of Brazil"

Evelyn Albizu - Fundacentro/Ministry of Labor - Brazil

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“Daily noise exposure monitoring to reduce risk of occupational hearing loss”

Peter Rabinowitz - Yale University - USA

Sharon Kirsche – Yale Occupational and Environmental Medicine Program - USA

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“2010 Safe-in-Sound Excellence and Innovation in Hearing Loss Prevention Awards™”

Thais Morata - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

Deanna Meinke – University of Northern Colorado at Greeley - USA

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*******Saturday, February 27, 2010*******

“Evaluation of the increased accident risk from workplace noise”

Esko Toppila - Finnish Institute of Occupational Health - Finland

Ilmari Pyykko – University of Tampere - Finland

Rauno Paakkonen - Finnish Institute of Occupational Health - Finland

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“Tools for optimizing the installation of warning sounds in noisy places”

Chantal LaRoche - Hearing Research Laboratory, University of Ottawa - Canada

Christian Giguere – Hearing Research Laboratory, University of Ottawa - Canada

Rida Al Osman – Hearing Research Laboratory, University of Ottawa - Canada

Yun Zheng - Hearing Research Laboratory, University of Ottawa - Canada

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“Hearing loss in construction industry: comparisons to ISO-1999 predictions”

Monique Leensen – M.C.J. Leensen, Msc Clinical and Experimental Audiology, Academic Medical Centre (AMC) - Netherlands

J.C. van Duivenbooden, Clinical and Experimental Audiology, ENT department Academic Medical Centre (AMC) - Netherlands

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“Otoacoustic emissions in a hearing conservation program: General applicability in longitudinal monitoring and the relation to changes in pure-tone thresholds”

Hiske Helleman - Clinical and Experimental Audiology, Academic Medical Centre (AMC) – Netherlands

Wouter Dreschler – Clinical and Experimental Audiology, Academic Medical Centre (AMC) - Netherlands

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“Classroom noise and acoustics: Rekindling the fight for standards”

Neil Snyder - American Speech-Language-Hearing-Association - USA

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“Hearing protector labeling: EPA rulemaking and an updated ANSI S12.42”

Elliott Berger - 3M Occupational Health & Environmental Safety Division - USA

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“Exposure of law enforcement officers to gunfire”

Chuck Kardous - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

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“Better Protection from Blasts without Sacrificing Situational Awareness”

Mead Killion – Etymotic Research, Inc. – USA

G. Richard Price – U.S. Army Research Labs – USA

Tim Monroe – Etymotic Research, Inc. – USA

James Smith – Etymotic Research, Inc. - USA

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Gasaway Lecture

“Have hardhat, will travel: Hearing conservation in the Great White (?) North”

Christine Harrison - Occupational Audiologist, WorkSafeBC - Canada

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“Evaluating the effectiveness of hearing conservation by program components”

Nicholas Heyer – Battelle Centers for Public Health Research and Evaluation - USA

Thais Morata – National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

L. Pinkerton - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

S. Brueck - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

D. Stanescu - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

M. Prince - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

H. Kim - Battelle Centers for Public Health Research and Evaluation - USA

B. Sinclair – California State University at Northridge - USA

M. Waters - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

C. Estill - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

J. Franks - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - USA

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“Mass Transit Noise Levels and Rider Characteristics in New York City”

Rick Neitzel – University of Washington - USA

Robyn Gershon – Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - USA

Julie Pearson – Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - USA

Lori Magda - Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - USA

Marina Zeltser - Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - USA

Allison Canton - Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - USA

Muhammad Akram - Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health - USA

Jaclyn Spitzer – Columbia University Medical Center - USA

Peter Rabinowitz – Yale University School of Medicine - USA

Martin Sherman – Loyola College in Maryland - USA

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“Noise Exposure Profiles”

Warwick Williams - National Acoustics Laboratories - Australia

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“Noise Exposure of Musicians at the National Ballet Orchestra”

Alberto Behar - University of Toronto - Canada

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“DNA and other Layman Terms Related to Audiology”

Judith Blumsack – Auburn University - USA

Curtis Smith - Professor Emeritus – Auburn University - USA

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“Speech-in-noise screening tests by internet; improving test sensitivity for noise-induced hearing loss”

Monique Leensen - Clinical and Experimental Audiology, Academic Medical Centre (AMC) - Netherlands

Koenraad Rhebergen – Clinical and Experimental Audiology (AMC) - Amsterdam

Ad Snik – Department of Audiology, Radboud University Medical Centre Nijmegen – Netherlands

Jan A.P.M. de Laat – Audiological Cere, Leiden University Medical Centre Leiden – Netherlands

Wouter Dreschler – Clinical and Experimental Audiology (AMC) – Amsterdam

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*******We'd like your opinions and feedback*******

Which topics or speakers would you like to hear in the future?

Do you like the concurrent session format? yes no

Comments: _____

Were the Breakfast Chat Session topics of interest to you? yes no

Suggestions for future topics:

Comments: _____

What are your suggestions for improving the Annual Conference, including ideas for special events?

What recommendations do you have for future conference sites?

Would you consider doing a presentation, workshop, platform or poster, at future NHCA Conferences? yes no

If yes, please provide your name and contact information below.

Are you a member of NHCA? yes no

Was this your first NHCA conference? yes no

Annually, NHCA awards the Michael Beall Threadgill Award and the Outstanding Hearing Conservationist Award. Do you have a recommendation(s) that can be considered by the Executive Council for these awards? Please provide your contact information if a recommendation is made.

Michael Beall Threadgill _____

This award recognizing outstanding leadership and service to NHCA, was renamed in 1990 in memory of Michael B. Threadgill. Any NHCA member is eligible.

Outstanding Hearing Conservationist _____

Established to recognize outstanding contributions to, or achievement within, the field of hearing conservation, the *Outstanding Hearing Conservationist Award*. Nominees are not required to be NHCA members.

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