

THE TOPIC: **Beyond Unsafe Behavior**

THE SPEAKER: Ron Gantt

Friday, October 11, 2019 THE DATE:

THE TIME: 11:30 Registration, 12:00 Lunch, 12:30 to 1:30 Presentation Skates on the Bay, 100 Seawall Drive, Berkeley, CA 94710 THE PLACE:

(Near the Berkeley Marina) 510-549-1900

THE COST: Luncheon and Presentation \$55 Members, \$65 Non-Members

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Plated Lunch THE MENU:

Beyond Unsafe Behavior

We all can point to accidents where if someone had only done something different, if they had followed the procedure, if they had not made a mistake, then the accident wouldn't have happened. Humans appear to be the most unreliable part of our systems. So we spend a lot of time in the safety profession dealing with "unsafe behavior" in the form of incentive programs, training, or calls for more accountability. More mature organizations might even push for improving "safety culture" by initiatives designed to get people to care more about safety, or try to eliminate unsafe acts by designing people out as much as possible.

This presentation will look closely at the underlying processes that lead to what we call "unsafe behavior." When

we do this, we see that what we call "unsafe behavior" is just people trying to get work done in an imperfect world. What's more, by calling it "unsafe behavior" we may be stopping ourselves from making things better. Is there a better way to look at human performance that is more accurate and gets us better results?



Ron Gantt is Director of and chemical manufacturing. Ron Reflect Consulting Group, management consulting firm located in San Ramon. He has 18 years experience working with large and small organizations in industries such as construction, utilities, biotech,

Innovation & Operations at has undergraduate degrees in safety and psychology and a graduate degree in safety engineering. He is a Certified Safety Professional and a Certified Environment, Safety and Health Trainer. Ron is also owner and contributor at SafetyDifferently.com.

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