



Brian is a Certified Safety Professional® (CSP) with more than 25 years of construction and manufacturing safety experience. In addition to his 16 years of safety consulting experience, Brian worked in manufacturing as a Health, Safety and Environmental (HSE) leader and performed various safety roles supporting construction.

For the last 10 years, Brian has been developing equipment-specific lockout/tagout procedures for various industries including food processing facilities, hospital campus, auto parts manufacturing, and even electrical power generation. Brian has developed and led teams of personnel to assess equipment and develop written lockout/tagout procedures. He has trained hundreds of employees and supervisors to implement the LOTO process and conducts facility audits of the LOTO program for clients. He also provides coaching and training for program managers who oversee and build their company's LOTO program.

Brian also has extensive experience supporting clients with confined space entry. We have documented more than a thousand confined space assessments. Brian has provided training for employees entering permit required confined spaces including the permit system, roles of attendants and entry supervisors, and hands-on experience with various mechanical rescue systems. Brian presents annual program manager workshops, hosted by Safex, to identify equipment resource planning and guidance to develop a complete confined space safety program.

Since 1997, Brian has followed his passion for working with employees to identify hazards in their work environment and processes, and evaluate and identify control measures to eliminate or reduce risk to workers. He takes pride in explaining how hazards may impact an employee and why controls, training, procedures, and behaviors are critical to making the workplace safe.

Brian is an OSHA-authorized instructor for 10-Hour and 30-Hour Construction Safety and Health training. As a Senior Consultant at Safex, Brian is the lead instructor for several safety courses presented monthly at Safex.

Brian has presented various topics for local trade associations, Safety Councils, and at the Ohio Safety Congress. He is a member of the American Society of Safety Professionals and has a B.S. in Safety Sciences from the Indiana University of Pennsylvania.