

Professional Development Conference

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When: Next Wednesday May 3rd, 2017

Where: <u>Rutgers Environmental Health and Safety at Rutgers University, 27 Road</u> <u>1, Piscataway Township, NJ 08854</u>

Cost: \$75

Agenda:

- 8:30 Networking Breakfast / Sponsor tables open (see list of and links to our sponsors below)
- 9:00 Welcome: Greg Decker NJ ASSE President
- 9:15 The Industrial Athlete with Strong Arm Technologies Sean Petterson, CEO StrongArm Technologies
- 10:30 Networking Break / Vendor tables
- 11:00 Office Ergonomics with ErgoDynamics Mike Hamilton, Ergonomic Consultant
- 11:30 Lunch: Networking Break / Vendor tables
- 12:30 Effectively Managing an OSHA Inspection Mark Benevenia Executive Director and Managing Counsel EHS, Merck Office of General Counsel
- 1:15 Legal Aspects of the Safety Profession Steve Barnett PE, CIH, MSPH, ESQ., Partner, Connell Foley LLP
- 2:00 Break
- 2:15 OSHA Update Mike Corbett OSHA Avenel Office
- 3:00 Safe Home!



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SEAN PETTERSON: CEO StrongArm Technologies-Brooklyn, New York

Workplace injuries cost the United States \$250 billion dollars per year - and the costs seem to be rising. One of the main culprits of the hefty costs are workplace back injuries, which are estimated to cost \$120 billion dollars a year, averaging more than \$65,000 per incident.

Based on experience with family members working strenuous blue collar jobs, and recognizing that the manufacturing worker - the backbone of the industrial economy - rarely receives the training and support they need to ensure proper lifting mechanics, Sean acted.

Sean began his journey molding carbon fiber braces with a hair dryer in his apartment at RIT, and has devoted every moment since to the science of ergonomics, and building a series of products - ErgoSkeletons - to address on-site issues and mitigate the risk of musculoskeletal injury.

Working with scientists, engineers, ergonomists and software developers, it continues with laser focus on more accurate data collection and real-time safety intervention. Saving workers the pain, and organizations the financial impact, of imperfect industrial environments.

Recognized as a member of the Forbes 2017 30 Under 30 Class, and a leader in the field of Telemetric's, Sean speaks extensively, and continues to lead his team in the development of new technologies to help the Industrial Athlete stay Proud, Protected and Productive.