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Welcome to the 4Q 2008 Edition of the Tri-State HFES Newsletter.

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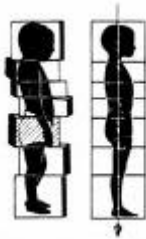
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Postural Sway Meeting, December (date tbd)



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World Usability Day, November 13



World Usability Day
Making life easy!

World Usability Day (WUD) is a day of recognition for usability worldwide. Celebrate this year's theme, "Usability in Transportation". Go to www.worldusabilityday.org to find out how!

LexisNexis and Elsevier Science will be hosting an event at their Miamisburg, OH building.

Live Well Collaborative, TriState Chapter Meeting, October 29



Live Well Collaborative leads cutting edge translational research projects focusing on the needs and issues of age 50+ citizens and consumers. Participants engaged in the “six aspects of aging game,” moderated by Evelyn Fitzwater. A summary of the event will be provided in the next edition.

Cincinnati Children’s Hospital: Ergonomic Makeover of a Hospital Pharmacy, August 27



Dave Levine, Project Manager for Healthcare Solutions at the consulting firm TechSolve Inc., presented the “before” and “after” ergonomic condition of the Children’s Hospital pharmacy. John Hingl, Pharmacy Manager, led a tour through the pharmacy to spotlight recent ergonomic improvements, which improved worker efficiency, quality, and comfort. This event was made possible via collaboration with Josh Harney, Children's Hospital Safety Manager and member of the local AIHA chapter, an organization that Tri-State HFES has partnered with in the past.

Farewell to Marv and Marilyn Dainoff, July 29



One of the most distinguished members of the TriState Chapter, Dr. Marv Dainoff, recently accepted a new position as the Director at the Center for Behavioral Sciences in the Liberty Mutual Research Institute for Safety in Hopkinton, MA.

On short notice, a group of 12 gathered for a farewell dinner celebration at the Grand Finale Restaurant in honor of Marv and his wife Marilyn. During the evening, the Dainoffs were

presented with an engraved frame from the Chapter, thanking them for their years of dedicated service to the Tristate Chapter.

Their friendship and wisdom will be missed. We wish Marv and Marilyn all the best in their new posts and hope to cross-paths with them at annual HFES Conferences.

USAF Museum Heritage Tour, June 28



Interested participants were invited to convene at a USAF Heritage tour of the Wright Patterson Air Force base Museum in Dayton OH. The museum offers [free tours daily](http://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/visit/tours/index.asp) from knowledgeable guides. Go to <http://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/visit/tours/index.asp> for more information.

Firefighter Event, May 14



A Chapter meeting was held at the Sycamore Township Fire Department. Several presentations were given, including topics such as the relationship between soot exposure and skin cancer and how obesity may impact the posture balance of firefighters. The meeting was attended by about 10 people.

Toyota Event, April 30



About 30 HFES members attended an event held at the Toyota North American Engineering & Manufacturing Headquarters located in Erlanger, KY. Marisol Barrero, current Chapter President and Safety Specialist at Toyota, presented information regarding proactive ergonomics at Toyota, a process that is implemented and checked throughout the development of any major model manufactured in North America. Troy Uahinui, Safety

Assistant Manager, discussed digital engineering and its applications to ergonomics during the early design phase, when vehicle parts and equipment only exist in the digital world. John Whitaker, a Safety Specialist from Toyota Motor Manufacturing of Kentucky, the plant that produces the Camry and Avalon, discussed injury prevention programs at the local plant level.

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