

**Agenda**  
**June 23, 2021**  
**1:00 - 4:30 p.m. (ET)**

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Lauren Burton EPA/IED – meeting moderator

**I. Welcome, Introductions and Announcements**

**II. Updates on IAQ & IEQ activities from Federal CIAQ Member Agencies**

1. CDC – Center for Disease Control - *Ginger Chew* (NCEH) and *Ju-Hyeong Park* (NIOSH)
2. DOE-Department of Energy - *Chris Early*
3. HUD- Department of Housing and Urban Development – *Peter Ashley*

**Q&A (CDC, DOE and HUD updates)**

4. NIST – National Institute of Science and Technology – *Dustin Poppendieck*
5. EPA-Environmental Protection Agency – *David Rowson*

**Q&A (NIST and EPA updates)**

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### **III. IAQ Area of Interest Presentation**

#### **Topic: Protecting Indoor Air Quality During Smoke Events**

In recent years we have seen an increase in the incidence and severity of wildfire smoke events. The standard ventilation set up for buildings is to provide fresh air from outdoors to replace indoor air which provide appropriate indoor air quality for building occupants. During a prolonged wildfire events the outdoor air can be heavily polluted and therefore the standard ventilation practices need to be modified to protect indoor air quality. The ASHRAE framework is an early start to a full guideline to assist building operators to take the necessary steps to reduce smoke in the indoor environment during these prolonged smoke events.

#### **Presenter(s):**



**Gregory Nilsson**, Indoor Air Quality Team, Construction Research Center,  
National Research Council Canada

Greg is a lead technical officer and project manager for the Indoor Air Quality group of the Construction Research Center at the National Research Center, locational in Ottawa Ontario Canada. Greg's primary research interests are protecting indoor air quality during wildfire smoke events along with developing methods and strategies for the evaluation of technologies performance to improve IAQ. Greg is the current vice Chair of ASHRAE GPC 44, Chair of CSA No 22.2 187 and has participated on several committees CSA, ISO and AHAM. Greg's expertise is in the area of measuring airborne contaminants, experimental and equipment design. His educational background is in Chemistry, Occupational Health and Safety and Industrial Hygiene.

### **IV. Announcements and Adjournment** [Note: the meeting may end earlier than 4:30p.m.]

Next meeting scheduled for October 2021.

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