



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF
SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

Permian Basin Chapter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

April Permian Basin Virtual Meeting

Topic: National Safe Digging

Wednesday, April 21, 2021 from 12 pm - 1 pm (CST)

Speaker: Ruben D' Mendez

Please join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

<https://www.gotomeet.me/KethaMolina/permian-basin-general-meeting>

You can also dial in using your phone.

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Speaker Bio:

Born In Michoacan, Mexico

Grew up and lived in the Projects of East Los Angeles in 1988 – 1999

His passion was to play soccer growing up and always dreamed of being a soccer player.

Moved to Houston, TX in 1999 when his father lost his job in Pomona, California.

Married at the young age of 18, had two kids by the time he was 21 years old.
He is now a father of 3 beautiful children

With only a High School Diploma and a family to feed he began working in construction. With the Larry the Cable guy mentality “Git-R-done” all the focus in production and no room for safety. Remodeling houses and building new homes he learned to do plumbing, electrical, framing, tile and even a little welding..

With the change in the economy and the housing market in 2008 he switched “careers” and began building scaffolds for multiple companies in Refinery Shut-Downs and building scaffolds inside Boilers in Power Plants.

This is where he learned how important safety is and that many people interpreted the OSHA Standards to how it best benefits them. Also that there is many people that only have “On The Job Training” and this leads to many accidents and even death.

While working 12-16 hour shifts he found the time to take his OSHA 30 hour class on line. Plus the mentorship from Francisco Nuñez Safety Manager from KBR. Little by little he began to get more and more training and certifications.

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More info on our guest speaker can be found on the [ASSP Permian Basin Chapter website](#) under Events

Missed a meeting? Our virtual meetings are recorded and posted on the [ASSP Permian Basin Chapter website](#) under Files

SEEKING NOMINEES FOR A NEW CHAPTER YEAR

The Chapter Nominations & Elections Committee has begun our search for Nominees for elected office for the upcoming chapter year. Becoming a chapter leader will enhance your personal and professional leadership skills, and could prepare you for broader ASSP leadership roles.

Submit the [Self Nomination Form](#) by **Tuesday, April 13th** and send a short bio, photo and a supervisor's support letter to **secretary@permianbasin.assp.org** no later than **Friday, April 16, 2021**.

NEWS & RESOURCES

Society News

[ASSP Shifts Safety 2021 to Austin in September](#)

Prioritizing the safety and health of all attendees, ASSP moved its signature event to a new date and location while making it a hybrid experience. The

Safety 2021 Professional Development Conference and Exposition takes place Sept. 13-15 both online and in-person in Austin, Texas.

Educational Events

[Live Virtual Classroom: ASP Exam Prep](#)

4/28/2021 - 4/30/2021

[Live Virtual Classroom: CSP Exam Prep](#)

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