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John J. Hauser is the Principal Engineer and President of PROSAF Inc. In that role he has successfully helped clients for over 29 years in the fields of Emergency Relief System Design, process safety and safety instrumented systems.

He earned a BSChE degree from Carnegie-Mellon University in 1975. He is a registered professional engineer in PA, TX and IL. He has been involved with DIERS since 1986, currently serves as the interim Outreach chair on the DIERS Operating Committee, served on the SuperChems technical evaluation committee and is contributed to the book writing committee for the CCPS: Guidelines for Pressure Relief and Effluent Handling, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Ed.

He is a life member of AIChE, Fellow. He has presented several papers at DIERS Users Group meetings as well as published two fire case ERS design articles: Jan. 1995 in Process Safety Progress and Sept. 2001 in Journal of Loss Prevention in the Process Industries.

#### Teaching Experience.

ERS Design Methods courses; developed and presented these courses at 5 major chemical companies

PHA methodology; developed and presented these courses at 4 international locations for multiple clients

Safety Instrumented Systems; taught compliance courses more than 10 times in the US and Canada

ERS Design using DIERS Technology. Presented 3 times in the US.

#### Previous professional positions

ERS design specialist at Bayer Corp. 1986 to 1990

Process design engineer at Exxon Research and Engineering Co. 1975 to 1986

## **Outreach Chair**

In my current position of interim Outreach Chair, my primary duties are to organize and manage the two DIERS technical courses. We have made significant progress this year in switching to virtual presentation of both courses. In this role, I plan to continue progressing these courses as well as other tasks that may arise in the area of Outreach.