

# 2016 Application, Examination and Certification Statistics

January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016



## Most CIHs by Country

- USA and Territories
- Canada
- China
- Australia
- Singapore
- South Korea
- Malaysia
- India
- Saudi Arabia
- UK and Territories



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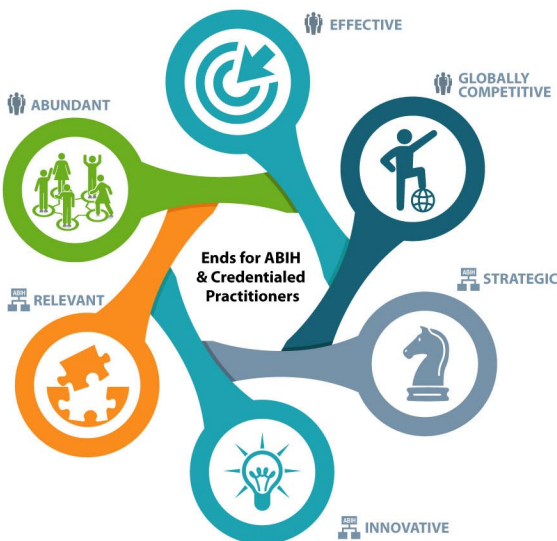
## MISSION

As the premier credentialing organization for Industrial Hygiene<sup>1</sup>, the American Board of Industrial Hygiene<sup>®</sup> serves its credentialed practitioners by establishing and administering a valid, reliable, and rigorous credentialing process to protect the public and meet the needs of employers.



## VISION

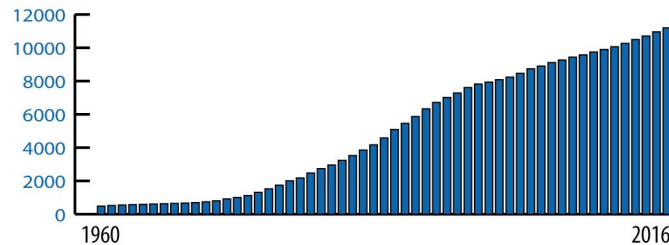
ABIH<sup>®</sup>-credentialed practitioners will be globally recognized as the epitome of professional competence and ethics in Industrial Hygiene<sup>1</sup>.



## CIHs<sup>2</sup> and CAIHs<sup>3</sup> Are in 34 Countries Worldwide

- 6935 Total Diplomates (CIHs and CAIHs)
- 6844 CIHs in Active Status
- 6689 CIHs in Comprehensive Practice
- 114 CIHs in Chemical Practice
- 55 CIHs in Other Aspects (Acoustics, Air Pollution, Engineering, Radiation and Toxicology). Some Diplomates are certified in more than one aspect.
- 12 CAIHs
- 53 Diplomates holding Indoor Environmental Quality Sub-Specialty Certificates

## Cumulative Total of CIH Certificates Issued



## Exam Applications

New Applications	328
Re-Applications	469
<b>Total Applications</b>	<b>797</b>

Re-applicants include those retaking the exam and anyone previously approved who has postponed taking the exam.

## Comprehensive Practice Examination Results

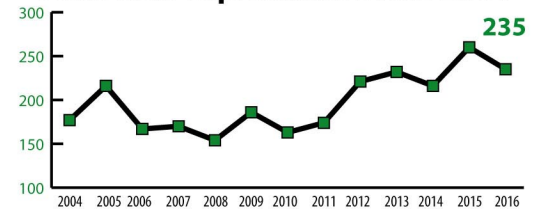
Total Examinees	Number Passing	Percent Passing
Spring 252	124	49.2%
Fall 270	117	43.3%
<b>Total 522</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>46.2%</b>

## Growth in the ABIH Diplomate Pool

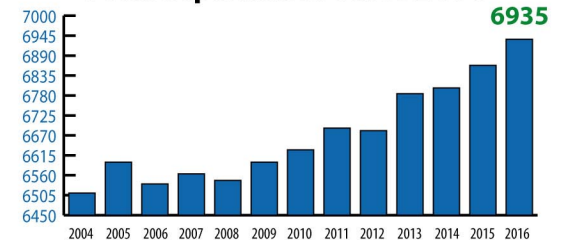
Individuals who passed the exam	+241
Current Diplomates retaking the exam to renew their credential	-6
<b>Total New Diplomates</b>	<b>+235</b>
Credential Not Renewed (CM)	-27
Deceased	-14
Voluntary Surrender	-159
<b>Total Reduction in Diplomates</b>	<b>-200</b>

Growth in Diplomate Pool +35

## Total New Diplomates Since 2004



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<sup>1</sup>Occupational- and Environmental-Health and Safety

<sup>2</sup>Certified Industrial Hygienist

<sup>3</sup>Certified Associate Industrial Hygienist