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Tony Sadar, co-author of [*Environmental Risk Communication: Principles and Practices for Industry \(second edition, 2021\)*](#), has more than 40 years of experience in government, private consulting, and academia. He has advised on numerous high-profile and controversial projects involving communications on air quality and emergency release planning.

Recently retired from his position as an Air Pollution Administrator and meteorologist for the Allegheny County Health Department, Mr. Sadar remains an Adjunct Associate Professor at Geneva College and continues consulting in air quality issues and environmental communication.



Mr. Sadar holds a B.S. in meteorology from Penn State, an M. S. in environmental science from the University of Cincinnati, and an M.Ed. in science education from the University of Pittsburgh. He is a member of the Local Emergency Planning Committee of Allegheny County, the American Meteorological Society, and the Air & Waste Management Association. In addition, Mr. Sadar was awarded "Outstanding Service to MARAMA" for 2014.

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Susan Forney, co-author of [*Environmental Risk Communication: Principles and Practices for Industry \(second edition, 2021\)*](#), has more than 30 years of experience in communications and compliance in the environmental arena. Her consulting practice offers expert communications counsel, quality training, and multimedia communication products to clients dealing with environmental, health and safety concerns.

Ms. Forney has provided risk communication and community relations support for programs under the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Department of Defense and for a broad range of industries that include electric utilities, chemical manufacturers, and waste management companies.



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