Chris Oates

Training & Inventory Manager - Echologics



Biography

Chris started at Echologio's as a technical specialist in 2004 and worked on hardware development, leak detection training and support for customers, leak detection studies, and condition assessment projects. Chris has over 14 years working with water facilities thoughout North America, Asia and Europe. Now as a dedicated Instructor he mentors and instructs in-house technicians and various utilities through-out North America and Europe. Chris also utilizes his experience in the field with valve/hydrant assessment and Transmission Main leak detection on complex projects.

Chris has also Project Managed contracts within North America including:

CDM Smith, Minneapolis (Transmission Main Leak Detection), 2017

Flint Michigan (Leak Detection), 2015

Bellevue, Washington (Water Main Condition Assessment), 2015-Present

Honolulu, Hawaii (Transmission Main Leak Detection, 2015)

Mission, British Columbia (Condition Assessment and Leak Detection Training), 2013

PRASA, Puerto Rico (Transmission Main Leak Detection), 2013

New Orleans (Leak Detection), 2013

Las Vegas, Nevada (Condition Assessment/Leak Detection), 2006-Present

Accreditation

Approved Walkerton Clean Water Centre Training provider 2008-2012, 2018

Selected Training Experience

2018	Niagara Falls, Walkerton - 2 Days	2016	San Gabriel, CA - 2 Days
2018	Cambridge, ON - 2 Days	2012	San Andreas, CA - 2 Days
2018	Chilliwack, BC - 2 Days	2011	Niagara Falls, Ontario - 2 Days
2018	Timber Cove, CA - 2 Days	2011	Corner Brook, Newfoundland - 2 Days
2018	Anchorage, Alaska - 2 Days	2010	Helix County, California - 1 Week
2018	Weyburn, SK - 2 Days	2010	Malibu, California - 2 Days
2017	Suez, France in Walkerton - 2 Days	2010	Jordan Valley, Utah - 2 Days
2016	Walkerton, Maintenancefest - 2 Days	2009	Taipei, Taiwan - 2 Weeks
2016	La Verne, CA - 2 Days	2008-18	Las Vegas - Ongoing

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2008	American Leak Detection, CA - 2 Days
2007	Lavern, California - 2 Days
2007	Calgary, Alberta - 2 Days
2006	St. John's Newfoundland - 2 Days
2006	Belleville, Ontario - 2 Days
2005	Nappanee, Ontario - 2 Days
2005	Peterborough, Ontario - 2 Days