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### **ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH & RISK MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT'S REENGINEERING ARTICLE PUBLISHED IN BUSINESS OFFICER JOURNAL**

An article co-written by Robert Schneller and Otu Inyang on how to reengineer the laboratory safety process was published in the January 2009 edition of the National Association of College and University Business Officers (NACUBO) Business Officer's journal. Schneller, director of Environmental Health and Risk Management Department (EHRM), stated that it is rare for a safety article to appear in the journal, and he is excited about the attention EHRM and the University of Houston has received regarding its successful revamping of the laboratory safety program. Inyang, a laboratory safety officer, developed a presentation on the topic last year and presented it to the Campus Safety Health & Environmental Management Association Conference in St. Louis, MO.

Schneller noted that the University of Houston attracted approximately \$86 million in sponsored research in 2007 which necessitated the need to create a more efficient and effective way to conduct laboratory safety audits.

To read the complete article, please visit this link:

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