Environment, Health, and Safety

https://ehs.mit.edu/site/
Am I working with or very near hazards?

- Chemical, biological, radiation agents
- Electrical Shock Potential (equipment/high voltage)
- Moving Machinery Parts
- Animals, insects, poisonous plants, remote areas
Am I working in potentially challenging environments?

- Extreme heat (sunburn – heat stroke)
- Extreme cold (frostbite to ????)
- Falls from heights
- Entry into confined spaces (Oxygen deficiency or asphyxiates)
Why?

- Identify activities, potential hazards
- Identify proper clothing, equipment, first aid material needed
- Report accidents or incidents back to EHS for follow-up and sharing
How do I do this?

- EHS Field Safety Manual – [link]
- EHS Field Health and Safety Plan Template – [link]
- EHS SOPs – [link]
- Host Institution EHS Office
- Ethicspoint (Anonymous Third Party Reporting) – [link]
- Email Environment@MIT.EDU