

Web Seminar

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Cristobalite in novel occupational settings

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The contribution will focus on the health effects of the silica polymorphs, paying a special attention to cristobalite. This mineral species, almost rare in nature, is present in important industrial production, and it is associated to serious concerns for the health of workers. Recent studies have pointed out the presence, and an active role, of cristobalite in occupational settings not considered before. A revision of the current studies is provided.