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GAP WIDENS BETWEEN WORKER FATALITIES AT SMALL VS. LARGE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS

Small construction establishments with fewer than 20 employees incur higher rates of workplace fatalities than their larger counterparts, according to the CPWR's new third-quarter data report.

While fatality rates between 2008 and 2016 decreased about 30% for establishments with more than 20 employees, the rate rose 57% for small construction employers.

More alarmingly, approximately two-thirds (67.2%) of all worker fatalities in 2016 occurred in smaller establishments.

Download the full report and charts [here](#).

Click [here](#) to access the CPWR's free online Safety Climate Assessment Tool for Small Contractors (S-CAT^{SC}) and download the workbook plus other resources.

BECOME MORE CREATIVE IN JUST 8 STEPS

Think creativity is only for artists? Think again. With practice, anyone can become more creative in how they think and act – which in turn can lead to better problem solving skills and positive outcomes in the workplace.



MOODY'S FORECASTING STRONG GLOBAL CONSTRUCTION ECONOMY FOR 2019

Moody's Investors Service, one of the top three credit-rating agencies, is forecasting a strong and stable outlook for the global construction industry in 2019 and beyond.

Citing robust economic conditions, elevated confidence levels, and lower interest rates, [Moody's](#) predicts revenues to jump by 5% in the coming year. Download the full report [here](#).

SCAFFOLD & ACCESS MAGAZINE 2019 MEDIA KIT AVAILABLE!

The *Scaffold & Access Magazine Media Kit* for 2019 is now available. For questions or to reserve your ad

How?

This [Inc. Magazine article](#) outlines eight incremental steps to achieving greater creativity. The catch? The path is less linear and more zig-zag, back-and-forth than one would normally expect.



SAIA LAUNCHES NEW ATI TRAINING PORTAL

The SAIA recently launched its new training portal for ATIs. The infographic above, which can be downloaded [here](#), provides an overview of all the new features available. Contact [Jackie Brown](#) at 816.595.4843 for more information on how to become a part of the SAIA training community.



space in the 2019 January/February "World of Concrete" issue, contact Kelly Coleman at

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Call Brandi now at 816.595.4833!



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