### IEA: The Scope is Broad

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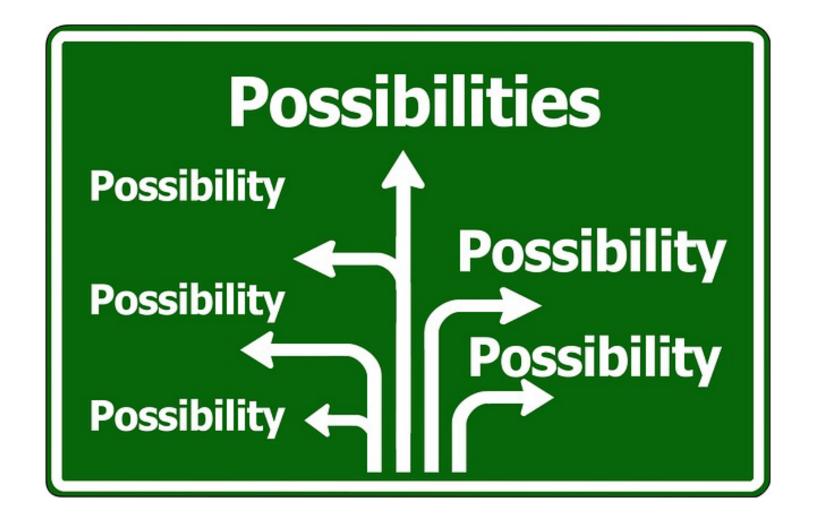


### Radon Mitigation

- Active Soil Depressurization (ASD) Systems
  - Considered the best available technology for radon mitigation
  - Reduces the entry of soil gases into buildings
- Types of Soil Gases Reduced by ASD Systems
  - Radon
  - Moisture (water vapor)
  - Chemical vapors

# Rebranding and Business Opportunities

- Expand Business
   Opportunities
  - Leverage our expertise to reach new markets
- ASD Originators
  - Creators of ASD for vapor intrusion mitigation
- VI Expertise
  - Long-time members with extensive knowledge



## Standards and Credentials

# ANSI/AARST Standards to fit all soil gas concerns

Future add on professional credentials

#### Sustainability and Mission Expansion





**Expanded Mission** 

Includes VI

**Support for Members and Stakeholders** 

Engaged in VI part of the industry

AARST is a nonprofit, professional organization of members who are dedicated to the highest standard of excellence and ethical performance of hazard identification and abatement of radon, chemical vapor intrusion, and other contaminants of concern in the built environment. The organization primarily strives to advance the interests of its members through developing industry standards, certifying technical proficiency, enabling advancement of public policy, and communicating health risks to the public.



# Radon as an Environmental Threat

- Radon as a Major Indoor Threat
  - Still Ranked as the number one indoor environmental threat!
- IEA's Role
  - IEA is the Radon Professionals Association
- Strategic Planning
  - Focuses heavily on radon initiatives

### Radon Presentations

- Expert presentations
- Expand knowledge
- Network with peers
- Visit with exhibitors



#### A Brief History of (Chemical) Vapor Intrusion

- > 1980s Radon intrusion
- > 1990s VOC vapor intrusion from releases/spills?
- More studies (e.g., Redfield, CO), guidance Federal (draft), ITRC, States
- > 2008-2013 ASTM E2600 (Vapor Encroachment) & ASTM E1527 (Phase I)
- > 2011-2014 Petroleum vs. non-petroleum VI
- ) 2015 USEPA finalizes VI guidance
- More changes, principally recognition of sewer/conduit
  - preferential pathways





**KEY POINT** 

VI practice is an outgrowth of radon. VI regulations, guidance, and the science have been evolving, with many recent changes... creating opportunities.

#### Symposium VI Track

- Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, 10:45am 5pm
- Presentations cover current issues in VI
  - Site characterization is VI a problem at my site?
  - Sampling and testing case studies and strategies
  - Similarities and differences from radon
  - Mitigation design
  - Regulatory frameworks