# Exploring the Dangerous Trades: The Autobiography of Alice Hamilton



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Alice Hamilton was a pioneer of occupational medicine. She was the first woman to be appointed to the Harvard Medical School faculty, and she spent her career studying the effects of industrial toxins on workers.

Her autobiography, Exploring the Dangerous Trades, is a fascinating and inspiring account of her life and work. Hamilton writes with great clarity and passion about the dangers that workers faced in the early 20th century, and

she describes the groundbreaking research that she conducted to help protect them.

Hamilton's work was instrumental in the development of occupational health and safety regulations. She helped to establish the International Labour Organization, and she served as a consultant to the U.S. Department of Labor. Her work has saved countless lives, and her legacy continues to inspire new generations of occupational health professionals.

Exploring the Dangerous Trades is a must-read for anyone who is interested in the history of occupational medicine, labor history, or public health. It is also a powerful reminder of the importance of protecting workers from the dangers of their jobs.

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"Alice Hamilton was a remarkable woman who dedicated her life to protecting workers from the dangers of their jobs. Her autobiography is a must-read for anyone who is interested in the history of occupational medicine, labor history, or public health." - Journal of the American Medical Association

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