Scientist with the City and County of Denver. He is responsible for providing technical support to the City on environmental issues ranging from regulatory permitting to Brownfields redevelopment. Bill is currently pursuing his Masters of Science in Environmental Policy and Management from the University of Denver.



Joyce A. Kristiansson

Joyce A. Kristiansson received her bachelor's degree in biological sciences and a minor in chemistry from Southern Illinois University in 1984. Her education includes graduate studies in environmental management at the University of Houston - Clear Lake, and two years of law school at IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law.

She currently holds the position of advising environmental scientist in Unocal's Corporate Health, Environment, and Safety department in Sugar Land, Texas, where she provides domestic regulatory and international environmental assessment support to Unocal operations and new ventures. Prior to that, she was the Environmental Supervisor at Unocal-Beaumont Terminal. She has held positions in environmental consulting and hazardous waste management services firms, and in university pollution control operations.

In addition to the Certified Environmental Professional accreditation, Joyce is also a Certified Hazardous Materials Manager (CHMM), and Qualified Environmental Professional (QEP), a Class I Registered Environmental Assessor (REA), and is registered with the Texas Registry for Environmental Professionals. Joyce is a member of the National Association of Environmental Professionals, and the Air and Waste Management Association.



Michael P. Poulos

Having spent a combined time of 14 years in various professions ranging from draftsman to community planner, from Block Grants writer to public administrative intern, and from program report writer to construction scheduler, I finally found my niche in the consulting environmental field. The year was 1988 and though I had earlier involvement on transportation EA's and EIS's for the Illinois Department of Transportation, this was my kick-off year. I was employed by Envirodyne Engineers, Inc. (now merged with Consoer Townsend) and by virtue of having earned Master's Degrees in Urban Studies and Public Administration, I was assigned writing and research duties to large scale environmental studies for a variety of governmental agencies. By 1989 and 1990, 1 was either in charge of many sections of several EA's and EIS's, or was delegating assignments to a small staff of professionals. Along with wetlands restoration assignments and planning studies, I quickly realized this would be my professional vocation. Since 1988, 1 have devoted 100% of my professional life to the environmental sciences and currently hold the title of Certified Environmental Professional and Quality Assurance Manager for Eckland Consultants, Inc., a nationally known architecturalenvironmental consulting firm.

I have lived in the Chicago area all my life and currently reside in the western residential community of LaGrange Park. My wife of 23 years, Bonnie, and I have two strapping boys, Jason 15 and Derek 12. Though I have never published any material directly related to my professional background, I have enjoyed "moonlighting" as a free-lance writer and have been writing movie reviews for a weekly suburban newspaper

in the Chicago area since 1981. I am an avid collector of movie posters as well. I have enjoyed years of Chicago-style 16" softball, though I don't play anymore, and for about 7 months of the year I jog 15–20 miles a week. Sorry, no marathons under my belt. Life is good in La Grange Park and I look forward to staying there for the remainder of my professional career.

Announcements

Upcoming NAEP Board Meetings

June 20–24, 1999, Kansas City, Missouri Sept. 24–25, 1999, Washington, DC

1999 NAEP Conference in Kansas City

"Environment in the 21st Century" is the theme for NAEP's 1999 Conference and Annual Meeting to be held in Kansas City, Missouri, June 20–24. In addition to contributed papers, the conference will include short courses, tours, hot topics discussion groups, and networking and mentoring opportunities. To register and for more information, see the full-page announcement elsewhere in this issue.

Environmental Perks Silent Auction

The National Association of Environmental Professionals will again be holding a Silent Auction at our 1999 Annual Conference in Kansas City, Missouri. Besides being a 501(c)3 donation, all the proceeds directly benefit you, the member of NAEP, in promoting your ideas, through surveys and further membership recruitment.

Last year's auction was a great success and we would love to see this year's be another rousing bidding war. Any item is greatly appreciated, large or small. Last year we noticed many donors brought items from their local chapter/residence which was in turn of great interest to other attendees. Ideas for everyone to check are the State Game and/or Fish Departments, local conservation clubs, or even as I noted before



At the December NAEP Board Meeting, the Board of Directors got a preview of Kansas City, the site of NAEP's upcoming conference. Left to right, standing: Fred Pinkney, Michael Herbaugh, Norm Arnold, John Daugherty, John Perkins, Robert Anderson, Jack Mulrooney, Helene Merkel, Jim Spangler, Andy McCusker, Bruce Hasbrouck, Cynthia Fridgen. Seated: John Schultheis, Cathy French, Donna Carter, Gary Kelman, Kara Downey, Karen Frye. Photo by Chip Carter.

something as simple as an item your home is famous for, example last years Five Pound Hershev Chocolate Bar.

Please take a little time to do some local research or shopping and make a contribution to your organization this year. All contributions can be brought directly to conference or sent to:

Craig Stanley NAEP Treasurer 434 Big Sky Dr. Etters, PA 17319-9785 717-932-2003 cwstanley@worldnet.att.net

If you plan on bringing them directly to the conference please contact Craig Stanley and let him know what the item is and how you plan to bring or deliver the item. Thanks for your support and be sure to plan to pack one or two extra items in your suitcase when coming to Kansas City.

Contributions to NAEP

Thanks to the following NAEP members for their recent financial contributions to NAEP: Norm Arnold, Ellen Pulaski, and Lee Ann Gardner. Contributions to NAEP are tax-deductible and, along with membership fees, support the following: NAEP's new journal, Enviornmental Practice; NAEP's annual conference and meeting; the work of committees and working groups; our efforts to support regional and student chapters; our efforts to inform and improve environmental laws, regulations, policies and processes; certification of environmental professionals; and the Charles F. Zirzow Memorial Scholarship Fund. Contributions, payable to NAEP, can be sent to Donna Carter, NAEP National Office, 6524 Ramoth Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32226-3202.

NAEP Board Member Recognized for Contributions to **EPA Common Sense Initiative**

NAEP Board Member Dennis Poulsen was recently recognized by EPA Administrator Carol M. Browner for his contributions to the Common Sense Initiative. Late last year, the Common Sense Initiative (CSI) was given the Hammer Award by the National Partnership for Reinventing Government on behalf of Vice President Al Gore. in recognition of "the contributions made by CSI in finding innovative sector-based solutions to environmental problems." Dennis received a Hammer pin and certificate signed by Vice President Gore for his contributions as a member of the Iron and Steel Subcommittee of the Common Sense Initiative Council.

Dennis is Environmental Manager at California Steel Industries in Fontana, California. In addition to being a NAEP board member, he also serves on the NAEP Publications Committee and Permanent Conference Committee, the Academy of Board Certified Environmental Professionals (ABCEP) Certification Review Board (and is a Certified Environmental Professional), and the board of the California chapter of the NAEP and its Publications Committee. Previously, Dennis served as NAEP Managing Director and Vice President, served on the International Committee and NAEP President's Council for Sustainable Development, co-chaired the Special Development Committee for NAEP-ABCEP, co-chaired the 1998 Conference Committee, and served as Editor-in-Chief of NAEP News.

California Steel Receives Plant **Award**

California Steel Industries of Fontana California recently received the 1998 Large Industrial Plant of the Year Award for Southern California from the California Water Environment Association (the California Chapter of the Water Environment Federation). The company was recognized for its committed environmental staff, waste minimization efforts, and consistent compliance record. The California Water Environment Association was especially impressed with the how "a joint commitment by management and employees to effective waste management yields results."

New Online M.S. in **Environmental Management**

University of Maryland University College's Graduate School is offering a new online Master of Science in Environmental Management beginning in the spring 1999 semester. The accredited 36 semester hour program is designed for working professionals and it consists of eight environmental core courses and four electives. The online courses via the World Wide Web maintain the same quality and academic standards of traditional face-to face, on-site courses. If you are interested, visit the Web site at www.umuc.edu/gsmt for more indepth information or contact Dr. Robert Beauchamp at 301-985-7875 or send e-mail to rbeaucha@nova.umuc.edu.

Conferences & Courses

June 1999

The Third National Workshop on Constructed Wetlands/BMPs for Nutrient Reduction and Coastal Water Protection
June 9–12, 1999, New Orleans, Louisiana.
Contact Dr. Frank Humenik, PO Box 7927,
North Carolina State University, Raleigh,
NC 27695–7927. Phone: (919) 515-6767. Fax: (919) 513-1023. E-mail:
FRANK_HUMENIK@NCSU.EDU.

Second National Mitigation Banking Conference

June 13-15, 1999, Atlanta, Georgia. Contact the Terrene Institute, 4 Hebert Street, Alexandria, VA 22305. Phone: (800) 726-4853 or (703) 548-5473. E-mail: terrinst@aol.com.

SOLAR 99: Growing the Market
June 12–16, 1999, Portland, Maine.
Presented by the American Solar Energy
Society and the American Institute of Architects Committee on the Environment.
Hosted by the Northeast Sustainable Energy Association. For information contact
the American Solar Energy Society, 2400
Central Ave., Suite G-1, Boulder, Colorado 80301. Phone: (303)443-3130. FAX:
(303)443-3212. Web: www.ases.org/solar
Email: ases@ases.org

NAEP Conference and Annual Meeting
Theme: Environment in the 21st Century
June 20–24, 1999, Kansas City, Missouri
See page xx for more information and a registration form.

July 1999

1999 International Symposium on Technology and Society (ISTAS'99)

Theme: Women and Technology: Historical, Societal and Professional Perspectives July 29–31, 1999, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Co-Sponsors: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Society for the Social

Implications of Technology, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers History Center, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Committee on Women in Engineering.

August 1999

Ecological Society of America, 84th Annual Meeting

Theme: Landscapes, Legacies and Limits: Bridging Borders

August 8–12, 1999, Spokane, Washington. For information, contact the Ecological Society of America, 2010 Mass. Ave. N.W. Suite 400, Washington, D.C. 20036 - (202) 833-8773 or esahq@esa.org. Web: http://esa.sdsc.edu. Potential exhibitors are asked to contact ellen@esa.org directly.

6th Conference on Environmental Science and Technology

August 30-September 2, 1999, Pythagorion, Samos, Greece.

Languages: Greek and English. For more information, contact Mrs. Aspasia Liati 30, Voulgaroktonou str., GR114 72 Athens, Greece, Tel.: +30 1 6400194-5-6 Fax: +30 1 6468316 Email: cest@gnest.org; Web http://www.cest.gnest.org.

September 1999

Mining and the Environment II September 12–16, 1999, Sudbury, Ontario, Canada.

Ground and surface water remediation, environmental data management systems, ecosystems, new technology-old problems, mining and society. Contact: Sudbury '99 Centre in Mining and Mineral Exploration Research (CIMMER), Laurentian University, Sudbury, Ontario, P3E 2C6, Canada. Tel: +705-673-6572; Fax: +705-673-6508; Email: cmosher@nickel.laurentian.ca.

Sampling for Environmental Activities
September 15–17, 1999, Colorado School of Mines.

Course covering correct sampling principles and how to apply them to an assessment. Price: \$995. Credit: 1.8 Continuing Education Units. For information contact the Office of Special Programs and Continuing Education, Colorado School of Mines, Golden, Colorado. Phone: (303) 273-3321. Fax: (303) 273-3314. Email: space@mines. edu.

International Conference on Radioactive Waste Management and Environmental Remediation

September 26–30, 1999, Nagoya, Japan.
Language: English. Contact: Radovan Kohout, R. Kohout & Associates, Ltd. 395 Keewatin Ave. Toronto, Ontario, Canada M42A4. Tel: +1-416-488-9466; Fax: +1-416-488-2007; Email: kohout@ibm.net; OR Prof. Klaus Kuhn c/o Technical University Clausthal, Erzstr.20, D-38678 Clausthal-Zellerfeld, Germany. Tel/Fax: +49-5323-72-3173; Email: k.kuehn@tu-clausthal.de.

June 2000

NAEP Conference and Annual Meeting Portland, Maine.

June 2001

NAEP Conference and Annual Meeting Washington, D.C.

June 2002

NAEP Conference and Annual Meeting Reno, Nevada.

Books, etc.

Architecture and the Environment: Bioclimatic Building Design, David Lloyd Jones, Overlook Press, 256pp., \$55.00 hardcover.

Environmental Law and Policy, 1998, Stephen R. Chapman, Prentice Hall, 450pp., \$49.33 hardcover.

Fish Ecotoxicology, 1998, T. Braunbeck, D. E. Hinton, B. Streit (Eds.), Springer-Verlag, 300pp., \$99.50 hardcover.

Green Chemistry: Theory and Practice, 1998, Paul T. Anastas, John Charles Warner, Oxford University Press, \$75 hardcover.

Habitat Creation and Repair, 1998, P. Anderson & O. L. Gilbert, Oxford University Press, \$35.00 softcover.

The Implementation and Effectiveness of International Environmental Commitments: Theory and Practice, 1998, David G. Victor, Kal Raustiala, & Eugene B. Skolnikoff (Eds.), MIT Press, 460pp., \$27.50 paperback.