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Education

Ph.D., Civil/Environmental Engineering, Stanford University, 1/1997.
Ph.D. minor, Chemistry, Stanford University, 1/1997.
M.S., Civil/Environmental Engineering, Stanford University, 6/1992.
B.S., Mechanical Engineering, Texas A&M University, 12/1988.

Professional Experience

Full Professor, University of Texas at Austin, 8/1/2014-Present
Associate Chair, University of Texas at Austin, 8/1/2017-Present
Visiting Professor and High-End Foreign Expert, Tongji University, Shanghai, 1/1/14-12/31/16
Associate Head, Director of Graduate Studies and Director of Research, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC), 2012-2014.
Chair, Environmental Engineering and Science Program, UIUC, 2008-2011.
Affiliate Professor, Institute for Genomic Biology, UIUC, April 2013-2014.
Affiliate Professor, Micro and Nanotechnology Laboratory, UIUC, Jan 2011-2014.
Affiliate Professor, Geology Department, UIUC, Dec 2009-2014.
Full Professor, UIUC, August of 2008-2014.
Visiting Professor, Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany, 2004-2005.
Associate Professor, UIUC, August 2003-August 2008.
Assistant Professor, UIUC, January 1997-August 2003.
Post Doctoral Researcher, Stanford University, 1996.
Research Assistant, Stanford University, 1992-1996.
Systems Analyst, Anderson Consulting (now Accenture), Houston, TX, 1989-1991.

Professional Affiliations

Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors, member since 1999.
American Geophysical Union, member since 1997, Groundwater committee member 1999-2008.
American Society of Civil Engineers, member since 2007.
American Chemical Society, member since 1994.

Awards, Honors, and Selected Service

Editors Choice Award, *Environmental Science and Technology*, Best Papers of 2017, 2nd Runner-up in the category of Science, (8 awards among 1500 paper) Michelson et al., *ES&T*, 2017.
Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of Contaminant Hydrology*, January 2014-Present.
High-End Foreign Expert Award, Chinese Government, Host: Tongji University, Shanghai, 2014-2016, 2018-2020.
USEPA Scientific Advisory Board (SAB), 12/14-12/17
Chair, USEPA Scientific Advisory Board (SAB) Regulatory Review Working Group, 12/15-12/17
Bettie Margaret Smith Chair of Environmental Health Engineering, UT Austin, 8/14-Present.

USEPA Working Group to Develop New Leaching Standards for Organic Chemicals, 11/16-11/17.

US EPA Science Advisory Board Environmental Engineering Committee Member, 1/14-10/18

Wiley Research Fellow, DOE's Environmental Molecular Science Laboratory, 2011-2014.

One of the top ten most read articles in Environ. Sci. Technol., January – March, 2013, Impacts of Geochemical Reactions on Geologic Carbon Sequestration (Authors: Jun, Giammar, Werth).

External Advisory Board, Center for Frontiers of Subsurface Energy Security, DOE Energy Frontiers Research Center, University of Texas, 2011-2013.

Excellence in Reviewing Award, Environmental Science and Technology, 2012.

User Advisory Committee, DOE's Environmental Molecular Science Laboratory, 2011.

Science Theme Advisory Panel on Biochemistry/Biogeochemistry and Subsurface Science, DOE's Pacific Northwest Laboratory, Environmental Molecular Science Laboratory, 2009-2011.

One of the ten most cited article since 2008, Journal of Contaminant Hydrology, Werth et al., A review of non-invasive imaging methods and applications in contaminant hydrogeology research, 2010.

Editors Choice Award, *Environmental Science and Technology*, Best Papers of 2010, 2nd Runner-up in the category of Technology, (Zhang et al., *ES&T*, 2010).

Arthur and Virginia Nauman Faculty Scholar, 2006-Present.

Invited presentation, Gordon Research Conference, 2008.

Humboldt Research Fellowship Award, 2004-2005.

Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors (AEESP), Board of Directors (2005-2008), Secretary (2006-2008), AEESP Foundation BOD (2006-2009).

Distinguished Service Award, Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors, 2005, 2008.

Associate Editor, Journal of Contaminant Hydrology, 2004-2014.

Associate Editor, ASCE, Journal of Environmental Engineering, 2004-2007.

ASCE Journal of Environmental Engineering Editor's Award for Service, 2004.

Environmental Engineering and Science Faculty Scholar, 2001-2006.

National Science Foundation CAREER Award, 1998-2002.

Graduate Student Awards

Top poster award for one of my graduate students (Jinyong Liu) at the Gordon Conference on Environmental Sciences: Water, Summer 2014.

Certificate of Merit Award for one of my graduate students (Allison Bergquist) for her presentation at the 2013 Spring American Chemical Society Meeting, Indianapolis, IN.

Top poster award for one of my graduate students (Jinyong Liu) at the Gordon Conference on Environmental Nanotechnology, Summer 2013.

American Water Works Association Thomas R. Camp Scholarship for my graduate student, Jong Kwon Choe, 2011.

NANO conference, Student Platform Presentation Award for my graduate student, Danmeng Shuai, 2010.

Grand Challenge Student Paper Award for my graduate student, Danmeng Shuai, Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors, 2009.

Teaching Recognition

National Academy of Engineering's Frontiers of Engineering Education Symposium, Fall 2009.

BP Award for Innovation in Undergraduate Instruction, 2008.

Collins teaching fellow, 2000, 2001.

General Electric teaching fellow, 1999.

General Electric teaching scholar, 1998.

List of teachers ranked as excellent by their students at UIUC for CEE540 (Remediation Design):
Fall 2001, 2003, 2008; CEE330 (Intro to Env. Eng.): Fall 2012; CEE440 (Pollutant Fate and Cleanup), Spring 1997, 2000- 2002, 2004, 2006-2012, Fall 2012.

Consulting / Expert Experience

- Providing guidance for a oil-field Salt Water Disposal (SWD) company in the Permian Basin, 2017-Present.
- Providing expert report for a Houston law firm regarding the source, extent, and risk of chemicals at a former surfactant processing facility, 9/16-Present.
- Provided guidance to the USEPA on issues related to organics leaching from soil and waste material, USEPA Organic Leaching Workshop, 9/15
- Reviewed and provided feedback on the DePue Superfund Site Preliminary Phase II Remedial Investigation Report, and associated documents, for DePue, Illinois, 2012-Present.
- Provided expert opinion and a deposition for a St. Louis law firm regarding the source, extent, and risk of a hydrocarbon spill in West Alton, Missouri, 2007 & 2008 (West Alton Saale Road Pipeline Release, Missouri Dept of Natural Resources Incident Number 0209261415RDS)
- Provided design guidance on a bioremediation project at a hazardous waste site in Indiana, 2007-2009.
- Served as a consultant to a Korean government research project, 2006, 2007.
- Provided design guidance on a bioremediation pilot project at a hazardous waste site in Chicago (Lockformer Manufacturing), 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008.
- Served as a consultant to a Korean geotechnical/environmental company (BEC) during 2004 and 2005.
- Provided expert opinion, an expert report, and trial testimony for a Chicago law firm on the source of vapor phase organic pollutants in residential homes above a contaminated drinking water aquifer in suburban Chicago, 2002 (LeClercq vs. The Lockformer Company).
- Reviewed report for The Consortium for Risk Evaluation with Stakeholder Participation, 1999.

Publications

Articles in Peer-Reviewed Journals (#indicates work by my graduate student or post-doc)

- 111) Gong, Y, C.J. Werth, Y. He, Y. Su, Y. Zhang, X. Zhou, Intracellular versus extracellular accumulation of Hexavalent chromium reduction products by *Geobacter sulfurreducens* PCA, *Environ. Poll.*, 240, 485-492, 2018.
- 110) #Lin, W., A.M. Bergquist, K. Mohanty, C.J. Werth, Environmental impacts of replacing slickwater with low-no-water fracturing fluids for shale gas recovery, *ACS Sustainable Chemistry & Engineering*, 6(6), 7515-7524, 2018.
- 109) #Michelson, K., R.A. Sanford, A.J. Valocchi, C.J. Werth, Nanowires of *Geobacter sulfurreducens* require redox cofactors to reduce metals in pore spaces too small for cell passage, *Environ. Sci. Technol.*, 51(20), 11660-11668, 2017.
- 108) #Schaefer, C.E., P. Ho, C. Gurr, E. Berns, C. Werth, Abiotic dechlorination of chlorinated ethenes in natural clayey soils: Impacts of mineralogy and temperature. *J. Contam. Hydrol.*, 206, 10-17, 2017
- 107) #Singh, R., M. Sivaguru, G.A. Fried, B.W. Fouke, R.A. Sanford, M. Carrera, C.J. Werth, Real Rock-Microfluidic Flow Cell: A Test Bed for Real-Time In Situ Analysis of Flow, Transport, and Reaction in a Subsurface Reactive Transport Environment, *J. Contaminant Hydrology*, 204, 28-39, 2017.
- 106) #Tudek, J.K., D. Crandall, S.J. Fuchs, C.J. Werth, A.J. Valocchi, Y. Chen, A. Goodman, In situ contact angle measurements of liquid CO₂, brine, and Mount Simon sandstone core using Micro X-ray CT imaging, Sessile Drop, and Lattice Boltzmann Modeling, *J. Petroleum Sci. Eng.*, 155, 3-10, 2017.

- 105) [#]Botto, J., S.J. Fuchs, B.W. Fouke, A.F. Clarens, J.T. Freiburg, P.M. Berger, C.J. Werth, Effects of mineral surface properties on supercritical CO₂ wettability in a siliciclastic reservoir, *Energy & Fuels*, 31(5), 5275-5285, 2017.
- 104) [#]Seraj, S., P. Kunai, H. Lao, G. Henkelman, S.M. Humphrey, C.J. Werth, PdAu alloy nanoparticle catalysts: effective candidates for nitrite reduction in water, *ACS Catal.*, 7(5), 3268-3276, 2017.
- 103) [#]Bertoch, M., A.M. Bergquist, G. Gildert, T.J. Strathmann, C.J. Werth, Catalytic nitrate removal in a trickle bed reactor: direct 1 drinking water treatment, *J. AWWA*, 109(5), E144-E157, 2017.
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- 100) [#]Chen, X., X. Huo, J. Liu, Y. Wang, C.J. Werth, T.J. Strathmann, Exploring beyond palladium: Catalytic reduction of aqueous oxyanion pollutants with alternative platinum group metals and new mechanistic implications, *Chem. Eng. J.*, 313, 745-752, 2017.
- 99) Lee, J., H. Yoon, P.K. Kitanidis, C.J. Werth, A.J. Valocchi, Scalable subsurface inverse modeling of huge data sets with an application to tracer concentration breakthrough data from magnetic resonance imaging, *Water Resour. Res.*, 52 (7), 5213-5231, 2016.
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- 5) Werth, C.J. and M. Reinhard, Characterization of slow desorbing sites via isotope exchange column studies, Proceedings of the American Chemical Society Meeting, Division of Environmental Chemistry, Las Vegas, NV, 1997 Fall Meeting.
- 4) Hollenbeck, K.J., C.F. Harvey, R. Haggerty, C.J. Werth, Mass-transfer for continuous rate distributions: Modeling and estimation, EOS Transactions, The American Geophysical Union, Hydrology Division, San Francisco, CA, 1997 Fall Meeting.
- 3) McMillan, S. and C.J. Werth, A diffusion model of volatile organic isotope exchange in the slow sorption domain, EOS Transactions, The American Geophysical Union, Hydrology Division, San Francisco, CA, 1997 Fall Meeting.
- 2) Werth, C.J. and M. Reinhard, Mechanistic investigation of trichloroethylene desorption from model and natural solids at 100% relative humidity, The American Chemical Society, 70th Colloid and Surface Science Symposium, Potsdam, NY, June of 1996.
- 1) Werth, C.J., J. Farrell and M. Reinhard, The effects of temperature on the slow desorption of trichloroethylene from Livermore sand, clay and bulk fractions: isotherms and kinetics,

Proceedings of the American Chemical Society Meeting, Division of Environmental Chemistry, San Diego, CA, 1994 Spring Meeting.

Major Research Grants

- 34) Werth (PI), \$345,000, National Science Foundation, Novel Materials and Reactor Design for Coupled Electrolytic Hydrogen and Production Nitrate Removal with Resource Recovery from Drinking Water, 8/30-2017-8/30/2020
- 33) Werth (co-PI), \$330,000, Dow Chemical, Controlling Hydrocarbon Formation Damage to Enhance Souring Control and Energy Production, 6/30/2017-6/30/2020
- 32) Werth (PI), \$659,198, Department of Energy, Basic Energy Sciences, Geosciences Program, Mineral Alteration of Shales by CO₂ and Brine Containing Surfactants, 3/30/2017-3/30/2020
- 31) Werth (PI), \$50,000, Tailoring the Structure of Hydrogenation Catalysts to Transform the Economic and Environmental Sustainability of Nitrate Removal from Drinking Water, Texas Hazardous Waste Research Center, 8/30/15-8/31/17.
- 30) Werth (PI), Valocchi (co-PI), Strathmann (co-PI), Sanford (co-PI), Schaefer (co-PI), Elsner (co-PI), Shouakar-Stash (co-PI), DOD SERDP, \$1,069,000, Biogeochemical Processes that Control Natural Attenuation of Trichloroethylene in Low Permeability Zones, 8/15-8/18.
- 29) Werth (co-PI), Frailey (PI), DOE EFRC, \$10,000,000, Center for Geological Storage of CO₂, 8/14-8/18.
- 28) Werth (co-PI), Zilles (PI), NSF, \$324k, Novel biomimetic materials for water purification: perchlorate treatment, 8/13-8/16.
- 27) Werth (co-PI), Fouke (PI), British Petroleum, Energy Bioscience Institute, \$550,000, GeoBioCell experimentation of microbial sulfur cycling during oil reservoir souring, 1/1/13-6/31/15.
- 26) Werth (PI), Strathmann (co-PI), USEPA, \$500k, Research and demonstration of innovative drinking water treatment technologies in small systems, 1/12-1/15.
- 25) Werth (co-PI), Goldenfeld (PI), NASA, \$8,044,935, Towards universal biology: Constraints from early and continuing evolutionary dynamics of life on earth, 1/1/13-1/1/18.
- 24) Werth (PI), USGS-WRR, \$250k, Determining the fate and toxicity of PAHs associated with coal-tar and other carbonaceous material particles in urban lakes, 9/11-9/14.
- 23) Werth (PI), USEPA P3 (People, Prosperity, Plant) Award, Phase II, \$75,000, Use of bone char for the removal of arsenic and uranium from groundwater at the Pine Ridge Reservation, 2011-2013.
- 22) Werth (co-PI), Valocchi (PI), DOE, \$1.3 million, Microbial enhanced mixing across scales during in-situ bioreduction of metals and radionuclides at DOE sites, 8/11-8/14.
- 21) Werth (PI), Marinas (co-PI), King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST), \$3.8 million, Collaborative research on sustainable water development and engineering, 1/10-1/15.
- 20) Werth (co-PI), Boppart (PI), NSF Major Research Instrumentation Grant, \$1,800,000, Acquisition of a molecular imaging instrument for dynamic material and biological systems, 9/2009-9/2012
- 19) Werth (co-PI), Valocchi (PI), DOE LDRD subcontract, \$600k, Integrated experimentation and hybrid modeling for prediction and control of multi phase flow and reaction in CO₂ injection and storage, 1/10-1/13.
- 18) Werth (PI), USEPA P3 (People, Prosperity, Plant) Award, Phase I, \$10,000, Use of bone char for the removal of arsenic and uranium from groundwater at the Pine Ridge Reservation, 2010-2011.
- 17) Werth (PI), UIUC Student Sustainability Council, \$13,000, Integration of green roof monitoring into classroom instruction, 2009.
- 16) Werth (co-PI), Dastgheib (PI), DOE, \$1,183k, Reuse of produced water from CO₂ enhanced oil recovery, coal-bed methane, and mine pool water by coal-based power plants, 6/09-6/12.

- 15) Werth (co-PI), Finneran (PI), DOE ERSP, \$488k, Characterizing the combined roles of iron and transverse mixing on uranium bioremediation in groundwater using micromodels, 8/09-8/12.
- 14) Werth (co-PI), Strathmann (PI), NSF, \$350k, Development of a sustainable catalytic treatment process for perchlorate, 5/8-5/11.
- 13) Werth (PI), Zilles (co-PI), NRI / USDA, \$460k, Evolution of gene expression and herbicide degradation in a model dynamic soil system, 1/07-1/10.
- 12) Werth (PI), Zilles (co-PI), GAANN / US Dept. Educ., \$540k, enhancing quality and diversity of environmental engineering at UIUC. 5/06-5/10.
- 11) Werth (PI), Valocchi (co-PI), ESPR / DOE, \$920k, Influence of wetting and mass transfer properties of organic chemicals in the vadose zone on groundwater contamination, 3/06-3/10.
- 10) Werth (PI), NSF Project within Science and Technology Center (Shannon, PI), \$800k, Nitrate reduction using bimetallic catalysts, 7/02-7/12.
- 9) Werth (PI), NIWR-USGS, \$170k, Carbonaceous material fractions in sediment and their effect on the sorption and persistence of organic pollutants in small urban watersheds, 5/2005-5/2008.
- 8) Werth (co-PI), Valocchi (PI), NSF, \$400k, Effects of pore-scale mixing on reactive transport, 5/2002-5/2006.
- 7) Werth (co-PI), Valocchi (PI), EMSP-DOE, \$600k, Investigation of pore-scale processes that affect soil vapor extraction, Completed, 8/2001-8/2004.
- 6) Werth (co-PI), Valocchi (co-PI), Provosts Initiative on Teaching and Advancement, \$8,977, Pollutant transport and fate in groundwater: web-based interactive simulation and instruction, 2000-2001.
- 5) Werth (co-PI), Sanford (PI), NSF, \$400k, Effects of redox conditions on the bioavailability and biodegradation of nonaqueous phase chlorinated ethenes at the pore scale, 5/1998-5/2002.
- 4) Werth (co-PI), Daniel (PI), NSF, \$250k, Contaminant transport through a field-scale earthen liner, Completed, 5/1999-5/2002.
- 3) Werth (PI), NSF, \$270k, Competitive sorption of volatile organic chemicals in model and natural solids, 5/1998-5/2001.
- 2) Werth (PI), UIUC Educational Technology Board, \$2,200, Development of web-based applications to integrate research and teaching, 1998-1999.
- 1) Werth (PI), NSF-CAREER, \$250k, Spatial and temporal characterization of dense non-aqueous phase liquids in porous media, 5/1998-5/2002.

Invited Lecturers

Universities/Institutions

- 32) Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany, August 2018, Role of extracellular electron transfer for contaminant metal reduction.
- 31) University of California Irvine, Irvine, CA January 2016, Role of extracellular electron transfer for contaminant metal reduction in sediment nanopores, and implications for hazardous waste site cleanup.
- 30) Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, October 2015, Role of extracellular electron transfer for contaminant metal reduction in sediment nanopores, and implications for hazardous waste site cleanup.
- 29) University of Houston, Houston, TX, February 2015, Mechanisms of calcium carbonate biomineralization in subsurface reservoirs.
- 28) Manhattan College, Bronx, New York, November 2014, Development of sustainable catalytic treatment process for nitrate removal from drinking water.
- 28) University of Texas at Austin, TX, November 2013, Development of sustainable catalytic materials and treatment process for oxyanion removal from drinking water.

- 27) University of Texas at Austin, TX, Summer 2013, Mechanisms that control CaCO₃ biomineralization during reactive transport and the implications for pore space alteration, fluid flow, and mixing.
- 26) University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, Spring 2012, New Pd-based catalyst materials for sustainable treatment of oxyanions in drinking water.
- 25) Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany, Summer 2012, Pore-scale study of mixing induced mineral precipitation of relevance to geological carbon sequestration.
- 24) King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Fall 2012, Sustainable treatment of oxyanions in drinking water using pd-based catalytic treatment.
- 23) Tufts University, Spring 2011, Pore-scale study of mixing induced mineral precipitation of relevance to geological carbon sequestration.
- 22) Notre Dame, Winter 2011, New Pd-based catalyst materials for sustainable treatment of oxyanions in drinking water.
- 21) King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Fall 2010, Microfluidic-based sensors for detecting organic pollutants in drinking water resources.
- 20) Montana State Biofilm Research Center, Fall 2010, Pore-scale evaluation of mass-transfer limited reaction and biomass growth in model groundwater pore systems, and implications for in-situ bioremediation.
- 19) Sandia National Laboratory, Summer 2010, Experimental and modeling studies of pore-scale reactive transport.
- 18) Northeastern University, Fall 2009, Effects of pore geometry and biomass growth and activity and implications for bioremediation.
- 17) University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Spring 2009, Environmental microfluidics and applications in environmental engineering and science.
- 16) Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Spring 2007, A pore-scale study of transverse mixing limited reactions and biomass growth, and implications for groundwater remediation.
- 15) Asian Institute of Technology, Spring 2006, Effects of heterogeneous permeability fields on DNAPL dissolution and cleanup.
- 14) Washington University, Spring 2006, Effects of transverse dispersion on bioremediation of chlorinated solvents.
- 13) University of Delaware, Fall 2005, The contribution of black carbon to hydrophobic organic chemical sorption in central Illinois aquifer sediments.
- 12) Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany, Fall 2004, Determining the contribution of different carbonaceous material fractions to organic pollutant fate in soils and sediments.
- 11) Hohenheim University, Hohenheim, Germany, Fall 2004, Determining the contribution of different carbonaceous material fractions in soils and sediments to organic pollutant sorption.
- 10) UFZ, Leipzig, Germany, Fall 2004, A pore-scale study of biomass growth effects on transverse mixing limited reactions in groundwater during bioremediation.
- 9) Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, Spring 2002, Pore-scale analysis of dense nonaqueous phase liquid dissolution.
- 8) Technical University of Munich, Munich, Germany, Spring 2002, Evaluation of a halorespiration enhancing redox transition zone.
- 7) University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, Fall 2001, Investigation of pore-scale mechanisms controlling nonaqueous phase liquid dissolution.
- 6) Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, Fall 2001, Investigation of pore-scale mechanisms controlling nonaqueous phase liquid dissolution.
- 5) Stanford University, Stanford, CA, Fall 2001, Investigation of pore-scale mechanisms controlling nonaqueous phase liquid dissolution.
- 4) University of Illinois at Chicago, Spring 2000, Structural evaluation of slow desorbing sites in model and natural sediments.

- 3) Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany, Spring 2000, Investigation of pore-scale mechanisms controlling DNAPL dissolution: New techniques and initial results.
- 2) Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, Spring 1999, Structural evaluation of slow desorbing sites via temperature stepped desorption profiles.
- 1) Northwestern University, Evansville, IL, Spring 1998, Sterically hindered counter-diffusion of trichloroethylene isotopes in silica gel and geosorbent micropores.

Conferences/Workshops

- 27) American Chemical Society Meeting, New Orleans, LA, Spring 2018, Sustainable catalytic reduction of nitrate.
- 26) American Geophysical Union Meeting, New Orleans, LA, Fall 2017, A Novel Nano/Micro-Fluidic Reactor for Evaluation of Pore-Scale Reactive Transport.
- 25) DOE Basic Research Needs Workshop. Plenary Lecture: Challenges at the water-energy nexus in subsurface energy recovery and storage, DOE Office of Science, Bethesda, Maryland, January, 2017.
- 24) American Geophysical Union Meeting, San Francisco, Fall 2016, Role of extracellular electron transfer for dissimilatory metal reduction in sediment nanopores, and implications for hazardous waste site cleanup.
- 23) American Chemical Society Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, Fall 2016, Novel hybrid ion exchange (ix)-catalyst treatment system for nitrate to reduce economic and environmental life cycle costs.
- 22) American Chemical National Meeting, San Diego, CA, Spring 2016, Metabolically induced calcium carbonate precipitation during reactive transport in porous media.
- 21) Gordon Research Conference on Environmental Sciences: Water, Holderness, NH, June 2014, Design of novel nanomaterial catalysts for oxyanion reduction in drinking water.
- 20) American Chemical Society National Meeting, Indianapolis IN, Fall 2013, Mechanisms that control CaCO₃ biomineralization during reactive transport and their implications for pore space occlusion.
- 19) American Chemical Society National Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, Fall 2013, Development of sustainable catalytic materials for removal of oxyanions from drinking water, September 2013.
- 18) Soil Science Society of American, Orlando, FL, Fall 2013, Mechanisms that control biomineralization of carbonates in porous media.
- 17) InterPore Conference, Purdue University, May 2012, Precipitation of carbonate minerals along a transverse mixing zone in a microfluidic pore network.
- 16) Illinois Groundwater Association Spring Meeting, Champaign, IL, April 2012, A pore scale evaluation of mixing limitations in groundwater that hinder mineral sequestration of uranium.
- 15) DOE EMSL, Richland, WA, 2011, Pore-scale modeling challenge and workshop, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory.
- 14) American Chemical Society Pacific Rim Regional Conference, Hawaii, December 2010, Catalytic treatment of oxyanions in dinking water.
- 13) GeoDarmstadt 2010, Germany, 2011, The role of coal-tar-based parking lot sealcoat on polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon loadings in urban lake sediments in the United States.
- 12) NSF workshop on contaminated groundwater plumes, Univ. Kansas, 2008.
- 11) American Chemical Society National Meeting, April 2008, Effects of black carbon on polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon fate in an urban watershed.
- 10) Gordon Research Conference, Flow and Transport in Porous Media, Summer 2008, Transverse mixing-limited reaction in groundwater; does pore-scale morphology matter.
- 9) Aquaterra Biogeochemical Workshop, Tuebingen University, Teubingen, Germany, Spring, 2007, Watershed-scale processes that affect pollutant partitioning, transport, and fate.
- 8) US-Israeli Workshop on Nanotechnology for Water Purification, March 2006, Impact of natural water solutes on nitrate reduction by alumina-supported Pd-Cu catalysts.

- 7) American Geophysical Union National Meeting, San Francisco, Fall 2006, Impact of source zone architecture on dense nonaqueous phase liquid dissolution.
- 6) National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) Superfund Basic Research Program, February 24-25, 2005, DNAPL Source Zone Workshop, NAPL Dissolution – Pore Scale Experimentation, Tucson, AZ.
- 5) German – American workshop on Biogeochemical Gradients, Sponsored by the German National Science Foundation, Spring 2005, Effects of solute mixing at the pore scale on reactions in groundwater.
- 4) 1st International Workshop on Groundwater Risk Assessment at Contaminated Sites, Tuebingen, Germany, Spring 2002, Analysis of pore-scale mass transfer processes that control nonaqueous phase liquid dissolution and the implications for risk assessment.
- 3) American Geophysical Union National Meeting, San Francisco, Fall 2001, Pore-scale evaluation of dense nonaqueous-phase liquid dissolution using silicon-based micromodels.
- 2) European Geophysical Society Meeting, Nice, France, Spring 2000, Structural evaluation of slow desorbing site via isotope exchange column studies.
- 1) American Chemical Society National Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, Fall 1997, Characterization of slow desorbing sites via isotope exchange column studies.

Classroom Instructional Activities

- 2018, Fall, CE385J-Hazardous Waste Management, , EVE101-Environmental Engineering Freshman Seminar
- 2018, Spring, CE364-Wastewater Design
- 2017, Fall, CE385J-Hazardous Waste Management, EVE101-Environmental Engineering Freshman Seminar
- 2017, Spring, CE385J-Hazardous Waste Management
- 2016, Fall, CE364-Wastewater Design
- 2016, Spring, CE385J-Hazardous Waste Management
- 2015, Fall, CE364-Wastewater Design
- 2015, Spring, CE377k/397-Energy and Water
- 2014, Fall, CE385J-Hazardous Waste Management
- 2014, Spring: CEE540-Remediation Design
- 2013, Fall: CEE440-Fate and Cleanup of Environmental Pollutants
- 2013, Spring: CEE540-Remediation Design
- 2012, Fall: CEE440-Fate and Cleanup of Environmental Pollutants
- 2012, Spring: CEE440-Fate and Cleanup of Environmental Pollutants
- 2012, Spring: CEE498SIS-Sustainable Infrastructure Systems
- 2011, Fall: CEE330-Introduction to Environmental Engineering
- 2011, Spring: CEE440-Fate and Cleanup of Environmental Pollutants
- 2010, Fall: CEE330-Introduction to Environmental Engineering
- 2010, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
- 2009, Fall: CEE498SUE-Sustainable Urban Engineering
- 2009, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
- 2008, Fall: CEE540-Remediation Design
- 2008, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
- 2007, Fall: CEE498SUE-Sustainable Urban Engineering
- 2007, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
- 2006, Fall: CEE498SUE-Sustainable Urban Engineering
- 2006, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
- 2006, Spring: Short course on Environmental Mass Transfer Processes, Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany.
- 2005, Fall: CEE540-Remediation Design

2004-2005: Guest lectures in MS courses at Tuebingen University, Tuebingen, Germany
 2003, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
 2002, Fall: CEE540-Remediation Design
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 2000, Fall: CEE540-Remediation Design
 2000, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
 1999, Fall: CEE537-Water Quality Processes I
 1999, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
 1998, Fall: CEE442-Physical Principles of Environmental Engineering
 1998, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management
 1997, Fall: CEE540-Remediation Design
 1997, Spring: CEE440-Hazardous and Solid Waste Management

Graduate Students Advised, Theses Titles, and (for PhD students) Current Position

M.S. Students

- 32) Fuchs, Samantha, M.S. thesis, UT Austin, 2017, The Effects of Geochemical Reaction On Geomechanical properties of Reservoir Rock During Geological Carbon Sequestration.
- 31) Bertoch, Madison, M.S. thesis, UT Austin, 2016, Catalytic Nitrate Reduction in Drinking Water Using a Trickle Bed Reactor.
- 30) Seraj, Sarah, M.S. thesis, UT Austin, 2016, Synthesis of Palladium-Gold Alloy Nanoparticle Catalysts for the Reduction of Nitrite in Water.
- 29) Botto, Juien, M.S. thesis, UT Austin, 2016, CO₂ Wettability Of The Mount Simon Sandstone And Implications For Predicting CO₂ Pore Scale Transport And Storage Capacity.
- 28) Berns, Erin, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2015, Manganese Dioxide Reduction Kinetics By *Geobacter Sulfurreducens* And Associated Biofilm Morphology In A Flow-Through Reactor.
- 27) Laleian, Artin, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2014, Approximating Three-Dimensional Fluid Flow In A Microfluidic Device With A Two-Dimensional, Depth-Averaged Lattice Boltzmann Method.
- 26) Spurti Akki, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2012, Selection and Characterization of DNA Aptamers for 17 β -Estradiol.
- 25) Tory Boyd, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2012, The Effect Of Calcium And Magnesium On Carbonate Mineral Precipitation During Reactive Transport In A Model Subsurface Pore Structure.
- 24) Michael Fanizza, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2011, Precipitation And Dissolution Of Uranyl Phosphates In A Microfluidic Pore Structure.
- 23) Cole Duckworth, M.S. Thesis, UIUC, 2011, Sulfate Removal From Water Produced During CO₂ Enhanced Oil Recovery, Coal-Bed Methane Recovery, And Mining Operations Using Anion Exchange Resins.
- 22) Rui Zhang, M.S. Thesis, UIUC, 2011, Elucidation of Nitrate Reduction Mechanisms on a Pd/In Bimetallic Catalyst using Isotope Labeled Nitrogen Species.
- 21) Ken Ng, M.S. Thesis, UIUC, 2011, Construction Of Green Fluorescent Protein Plasmids For Labeling Of Herbicide-Degrading Delftia Acidovorans MC1071.
- 20) Karl DeHoff, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2010, Pore-Scale Characterization Of Transverse Mixing-Induced Calcium Carbonate Precipitation Of Relevance To Geological Carbon Sequestration.
- 19) Amanda Marruffo, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2010, Modeling The Impact Of Petroleum Mixtures Released From Railroad Tank Car Accidents On Groundwater Contamination And Cleanup Times.
- 18) Jong Kwon Choe, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2009, Influence Of Rhenium Speciation On The Stability And Activity Of Palladium/Rhenium Bimetal Catalysts Used For Perchlorate Reduction.

- 17) Scott Nellis, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2008, Effect Of Mixture Properties And Aging On Soil Wettability At The Department Of Energy's Hanford Site.
- 16) Garvin Prescod, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2008, Methods for Fabrication of Microfluidic Systems to Evaluate Multi-Phase Fluid Behavior in Porous Media.
- 15) Neha Hridaya, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2008, Development Of An Environmental Consequence Model For Assessing The Impact Of Hazardous Chemical Spills From Railroad Tank Cars On Groundwater Cleanup Times And Cost.
- 14) Sheldon Adrian Gale, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2005, Development Of Methods For Characterization Of Biomass Growth In Porous Media Along A Transverse Mixing Zone.
- 13) Rene Suarez-Soto, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2005, Biological Degradation Of Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) At The Pore Scale.
- 12) Eric Roundy, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2005, The Effects of Natural Water Ions and Humic Acid on Nitrate Reduction Using an Alumina Supported Pd-Cu Catalyst.
- 11) Julia Stamerjohn, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2002, Effects of Moisture on Trichloroethene Sorption to Model and Natural Solids.
- 10) Thomas Willingham, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2001, Long Term Evaluation of Transport Through a Field-Scale Compacted Earthen Liner.
- 9) Changyong Zhang, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2001, A Magnetic Resonance Imaging Study of Dense Nonaqueous Phase Liquid Dissolution from Angular Porous Media.
- 8) Karen Hansen, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2000, Effects of Concentration and Incubation Time on the Slow Desorption of TCE From a Soil.
- 7) Alicia Aragon, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2000, Characterization of Non-Aqueous Phase Liquid Dissolution in Porous Media Using Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Imaging.
- 6) Sinziana Vera, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2000, Evaluation of Different Polymeric Organic Materials (POMs) to Stimulate Reductive Dechlorination.
- 5) Andrew Fuller, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2000, Development and Testing of a Protocol for Determining the Photochemical Generation of Hydroxyl Radical, Singlet Oxygen, and Peroxyl Radicals in Natural Waters.
- 4) Chad Knutson, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 2000, Pore-Scale Modeling of Dissolution from Variably Distributed NAPL Blobs.
- 3) Bradley Grens, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 1999, Durability of Wood-Based Versus Coal-Based Granular Activated Carbon.
- 2) Humberto Castilla, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 1998, Effects of Temperature on the Slow Desorption of VOCs in Soils and Sediments.
- 1) Scott McMillan, M.S. thesis, UIUC, 1998, A Sterically-Hindered Counter-Diffusion Model of Trichloroethylene Isotope Exchange in Silica Gel and Geosorbent Micropores.

Ph.D. Students

- 18) Spurti Akki, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC 2018, Selection And Characterization Of Dna Aptamers For Estradiol And Ethynylestradiol For Aptasensor Development.
- 17) Victoria Boyd, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC 2017, Fate Of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons Associated With Coal Tar, Asphalt, Charcoal, And Soot In Urban Lake Sediments. *Current Position: Environmental Engineer at GSI Environmental Inc.*
- 16) Allison Bergquist, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC 2016, Development Of A Hybrid Ion Exchange-Catalyst System To Denitrify Ion Exchange Waste Brine. *Current Position: Environmental Scientist in the Water Treatment Group at Exxon-Mobil.*
- 15) Najwa Obeid, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC 2015, Low Impact Development In Urban Areas For Integrated Watershed Management Across Scales. *Current Position: Water Resources Engineer at Louis Berger.*

- 14) Jinyong Liu, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2014, Development of Oxorhenium Complexes and Bimetallic Re-Pd/C Catalysts for Perchlorate Reduction in Water. Current Position: Assistant Professor at University of California Riverside.
- 13) Jong Kwon Choe, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2013, Development Of A Sustainable Water Treatment Technology For Oxyanions Using Palladium-Based Catalysts: Catalyst Design, Reaction Mechanisms, And Life Cycle Assessment. Current Position: Assistant Professor at Seoul National University.
- 12) Danmeng Shuai, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2012, Development Of Sustainable Pd-Based Catalysts For Emerging Contaminant Removal From Drinking Water. Current Position: Assistant Professor at George Washington University.
- 11) Yaning Yang, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2009, The Role Of Carbonaceous Materials In Pavement Dust, Soils, And Lake Sediments On The Fate Of Organic Pollutants In Small Urban Watersheds. Current Position: Environmental Scientist at Bayer.
- 10) Gayathri Gopalakrishnan, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2008, Nature's Sensors: Using Plants As An Alternative Monitoring Approach for Subsurface Contamination. Current Position: Research Scientist at The Space Science Institute.
- 9) Brian Chaplin, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2007, Mechanistic Study of Fouling and Regeneration of Palladium-Based Bimetallic Catalysts Used for the Removal of Pollutants from Drinking Water. Current Position: Assistant Professor at University of Illinois, Chicago.
- 8) Thomas Willingham, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2006, Analysis Of Solute Mixing At The Pore-Scale Using Micromodels And Lattice-Boltzmann Finite Volume Modeling. Current Position: Senior Scientist at Exxon-Mobil.
- 7) Changyong Zhang, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2005, Impacts Of Source Zone Architecture On Nonaqueous Phase Liquid Dissolution And Cleanup: A Magnetic Resonance Imaging Study. Current Position: Scientist at Exxon-Mobil.
- 6) Hongkyu Yoon, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC 2005, Influence of Soil Moisture Dynamics on DNAPL Spill-Zone Architecture and Its Impact on Mass Removal Mechanisms During Soil Vapor Extraction in Heterogeneous Porous Media. Current Position: Research Scientist at Sandia National Laboratory.
- 5) Chad Knutson, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2004, A Pore Scale Study of Substrate Mixing and Biological Degradation in Porous Media. Current Position: Quality Assurance Engineer, Wolfram Research.
- 4) Sangjo Jeong, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2004, The Contribution of Different Carbonaceous Material Fractions to the Sorption of Hydrophobic Organic Contaminants to Subsurface Sediments. Current Position: Associate Professor at Korean Military Academy.
- 3) Rachel Brennan, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2003, Evaluation of Chitin-Enhanced Bioremediation of Chlorinated Solvents. Current Position: Associate Professor at Penn State.
- 2) Cheema Chomsurin, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2003, Pore-Scale Analysis of Dense Nonaqueous Phase Liquid Dissolution Using Silicon-Based Micromodels. Current Position: Associate Professor at Kasetsart University, Thailand.
- 1) Jun Li, Ph.D. thesis, UIUC, 2002, Evaluating Competitive Sorption Mechanisms of Volatile Organic Chemical Mixtures in Soils and Sediments Using Polymers and Zeolites. Current Position: Environmental Engineer at Sandia National Laboratory.

Current Graduate Students

MS. Thesis Students:

- 1) Jacob Troutman (Expected Graduation: May 2019)

Ph.D. Thesis Students:

- 7) Somayeh Ghazvini (Expected Graduation: May 2020)
- 6) Chenxu Yan (Expected Graduation: May 2020)
- 5) Samantha Fuchs (Expected Graduation: May 2019)

- 4) Reinaldo Alcalde (Expected Graduation: May 2019)
- 3) Artin Laleian (co-advise with Valocchi, Expected Graduation: May 2019)
- 2) Erin Berns (Expected Graduation: May 2019)
- 1) Lang Zhou (Expected Graduation: Spring 2020)

Post-doctoral Associates and Visiting Scientists

Post-doc, Jinyong Liu, 8/2014-12/2015, University of Illinois Ph.D. (co-advise with Strathmann)
 Post-doc, Yin Wang, 2/2013-8/2014, Washington University Ph.D. (co-advise with Strathmann)
 Visiting Scientist, Xuefei Zhou, 1/1/2013-7/31/2014, Professor at Tongji University, China.
 Post-doc, Youneng Tang, 8/2012-12/2014, Arizona State Ph.D. (co-advise with Valocchi, then Fouke)
 Post-doc, Rajveer Singh, 11/2011-12/2014, Drexel Ph.D. (co-advise with Fouke).
 Visiting Scientist, Sangjo Jeong, 8/2011-8/2012, Professor at Korean Military Academy.
 Visiting Scientist, Zeynep Erin, 8/2011-12/2011, Professor at Istanbul Technical University.
 Post-doc, Changyong Zhang, 2007-2009, UIUC Ph.D. (co-advise with Zilles and Valocchi)
 Post-doc, Hongkyu Yoon, 2006-2010, UIUC Ph.D., (co-advise with Valocchi).
 Post-doc, Hongkyu Yoon, 2005-2006, UIUC Ph.D., (co-advise with Barkan).
 Post-doc, Ram Achayra, 2005-Present, Nepal, Netherlands Ph.D.), (co-advise with Valocchi).
 Post-doc, Yanjie Chu, 2000-2003, U. of Delaware Ph.D. (co-advise with Valocchi).
 Post-doc, Indumathi Nambi, 2000-2002, Clarkson University Ph.D. (co-advise with Sanford).
 Visiting Scientist, Thomas Baumann, 2001, Researcher, Technical University of Munich.

Selected University Service

Associate Chair of Environmental Engineering in Civil, Architecture, and Environmental Engineering, 2017-2018.
 Chair, Cockrell School of Engineering Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2017-2018.
 Cockrell School of Engineering Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2016-2018.
 Chair, Faculty Search Committee, CAEE, UT Austin, 2016-2017.
 Chair, Awards Committee, CAEE, UT Austin, 2015-2016.
 EWRE Graduate Advisor, UT Austin, 2015-2016.
 Associate Head, Director of Graduate Studies and Research, UIUC, 2012-8/2014.
 Faculty Supervisor for Admissions Administrative Assistant, and for Graduate Studies Administrative Assistant, UIUC, 2012-8/2014.
 Coordinator, CEE PhD Student Professional Development Program, UIUC, 2012-8/2014.
 Management Committee, Department of Civil & Environ. Eng., UIUC, 2012-8/2014.
 Chair, Environmental Engineering and Science Program, UIUC, 2008-2011.
 Faculty Supervisor for the EES Administrative Assistant, UIUC, 2008-2011.
 CEE Promotion and Tenure Committee, UIUC, 2009-Present.
 Co-Leader of Interdisciplinary Research Team (one of three teams) that comprise the NSF Science and Technology Center of Advanced Materials for the Purification of Water with Systems (CAMPWS), UIUC, 2005-2010.
 UIUC GAANN Program Manager, UIUC, 2006-2011.
 Director, Environmental Engineering and Science Laboratories, UIUC, 2005-2008.
 Faculty Supervisor for the EES Laboratory Manager, UIUC, 2005-2008.
 CEE Department Advisory Committee, UIUC, 2002-2004, 2005-2007.
 Chair, Faculty Search Committee for Environmental Microbiology Position, UIUC, 2005.
 Chair, CEE Department Advisory Committee, UIUC, 2004, 2007.
 Faculty Search Committee for Biotechnology Position, UIUC, 2003.
 Faculty Search Committee for Environmental Chemistry Position, UIUC, 2002.
 Graduate Admissions Committee, UIUC, 2000-2002.

Selected National Service/Activities Not Covered Above

- DOE BER proposal review panel, Spring 2017.
- NSF review panel, Environmental Engineering, Spring 2017.
- Ecological and Environmental Engineering Program Review Committee for Purdue University in West Lafayette, IN, Fall 2013.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Reactive Transport' for the 2013 Conference of the Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors.
- Civil and Environmental Engineering Program Review Committee for University of Utah in Salt Lake City, Utah, Spring 2013.
- Organizing Committee, Gordon Research Conference on Flow and Transport in Permeable Media, 2010-2012.
- Co-Organized a special session in honor of the retirement of Professor Martin Reinhard, Spring 2012 meeting of the American Chemical Society.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Carbon Capture and Storage' for the 2011 Conference of the Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors.
- Reviewer for DOE EMSL user proposals, 2009-Present.
- NSF proposal review panel, Fall 2009.
- DOE proposal review panel, Fall 2009.
- Environmental Engineering Program Review Committee for the Air Force Institute of Technology in Dayton, OH, Spring 2009.
- Groundwater Committee Member (Hydrology Division), American Geophysical Union, 1999-2008.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Abiotic Transformation Processes for Micropollutants in Drinking Water and Drinking Water Resources' for the Spring 2008 meeting of the American Chemical Society.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Sustainability in Water Supply – Catalytic Control of Emerging Micropollutants' for the Spring 2007 meeting of the American Chemical Society.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Modeling Reactive Transport in Porous Media' for the Fall 2007 meeting of the American Geophysical Union.
- DOE proposal review panel, Fall 2006.
- Instructor, Short course on Environmental Mass Transfer Processes at Tuebingen University in Tuebingen, Germany, Spring 2006.
- Chair, Web Site Committee, Association of Environmental Engineering and Science Professors, 2003-2005.
- Instructor, Multiple lectures in three courses that are part of the M.S. program at Tuebingen University in Tuebingen, Germany, 2004-2005.
- USDA proposal review panel, Winter 2003.
- USEPA proposal review panel, Summer 2003.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Reconciling Sorption Theories of Organic Compounds in Soils and Sediments' for the Spring 2003 Joint meeting of the American Geophysical Union and the European Geophysical Society.
- USEPA proposal review panel, Fall 2002.
- Co-Organized a special session on 'Diffusion in Porous Materials' for the 2002 Fall meeting of the American Geophysical Union.
- Co-Organized and co-chaired a special session on 'Pore-scale characterization of subsurface transport and fate processes' for the 2001 Spring meeting of the American Geophysical Union.
- NSF proposal review panel, Summer 2000.
- Co-Organized a symposium on the 'Sequestration of organic solutes in natural organic matter and mineral aggregates' at the 2000 Fall meeting of the American Chemical Society.
- Contributed (by invitation) a chapter to the National Environmental Policy Institute's document on 'The bioavailability of organic compounds in soil,' 1999.

Session co-chair, Hydrology Division, American Geophysical Union, Boston, MA, 1998 Spring Meeting.

Journal and Proposal Reviewing Activities

Reviewing multiple manuscripts each and every year from 1997-Present for *Environmental Science and Technology*, *Journal of Contaminant Hydrology*, *Water Resources Research*, *Advances in Water Research*.

Periodically reviewing manuscripts since 1997 for *Water Research*, *Environmental Engineering Science*, *Langmuir*, *Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry*, *Journal of Hydrology*, *Soil and Sediment Contamination: An International Journal*, *Advances in Water Research*, *ASCE Journal of Environmental Engineering*, *Journal of Environmental Quality*.

Reviewing proposals in most years since 1997 for the *National Science Foundation*

Reviewing proposals in most years since 1997 for the *Department of Energy*.

Reviewed one or more proposals since 1997 for the *USDA*, *Petroleum Research Fund*, *Illinois Groundwater Consortium*, *UIUC Research Board*, *European Union*, *Vanderbilt University*.