TRI Program Update Wednesday, 4:00-5:00 p.m. Grand Ballroom

Diana J. Saenz

Diana Saenz is the Acting Associate Director of the Waste and Chemical Enforcement Division (WCED) in the Office of Civil Enforcement which is in the Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Ms. Saenz previously served as the Chief of the Waste Enforcement Branch in WCED and as an attorney-advisor on RCRA and CERCLA enforcement cases. Ms. Saenz also worked as a special attorney at the Department of Justice, Environmental Enforcement Section. Prior to joining EPA, Ms. Saenz was an attorney in the litigation group at a Washington, D.C. law firm. Ms. Saenz received her Juris Doctor (J.D.) from Boston University School of Law. Ms. Saenz received Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in International Relations and Economics from Boston University **Steve Devito**

Steve is the Chief of the TRI Program's Data Quality and Analysis Branch. Steve's Branch is responsible for publication of the annual TRI National Analysis and optimizing the quality of TRI data. In addition, Steve and his staff are exploring the utility of TRI data in assessing the progress made by different industry sectors or specific facilities therein in implementing green chemistry practices, and defining the role of the TRI in sustainable development. Steve also coordinates all of the TRI Program's international activities. Steve was born and raised on Long Island, New York, is married and has two children. He holds a Ph.D. degree and an M.S. degree in Medicinal Chemistry, a B.S. degree in Pharmacy (St. John's University, New York City), and is licensed to practice pharmacy in New York and Virginia. He is the recipient of many EPA awards and honors, has written two technical books, and has authored many scientific articles and book chapters.

Dave Turk

Dave Turk has been with the TRI Program for 6 years and has served as Branch Chief for the Regulatory Development Branch since April. His work for the Program has included participation in rulemakings, developing improvements to IT systems, defining policy responses, and handling legal/policy questions. Prior to joining the EPA, Dave studied law, English literature, and information management systems and worked a wide range of jobs including docketing at a law firm and coding for a telecommunications company.

<u>Guy Tomassoni</u>

Guy Tomassoni has been with the EPA since 1992. Since February of 2016, Guy has been serving as Chief of the Communications and Outreach Branch with the Toxics

Release Inventory Division within the Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, within the Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention. Prior to this position, Guy served since 2008 as a Branch Chief in the Office Environmental Information. In his Branch Chief roles, Guy has supported staff in a range of projects helping people find, understand and use environmental information, including for example: developing an Environmental Information Access Strategy, overseeing the Apps for the Environment Challenge, surveys of America's environmental attitudes and behaviors, and a variety of efforts related to the Toxics Release inventory such as national conferences and community engagement. Prior to joining OEI in 2008, Guy worked in EPA's Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response (OSWER but now OLEM) serving as the Land Chapter Lead on EPA's Report of the Environment, developing better performance measures for land cleanup and revitalization, co-authoring a variety of ground water protection and cleanup policies, and leading a national training effort on RCRA Corrective Action Results Based Project Management. Along with Guy's supervisory and project related responsibilities, Guy helps facilitate several EPA Leadership Development Institute trainings, including Stepping Up to Supervision, and Franklin Covey's 5 Choices to Extraordinary Productivity and Leading at the Speed of Trust. Prior to joining EPA, Guy was involved with hazardous site cleanups as an environmental consultant and as an employee of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection. Guy received his B.S. in Geology from University of Maryland and his M.S. in Engineering Geology (focus on hydrogeology) from Drexel University in Philadelphia.

Larry Reisman

Larry Reisman is the Acting Director of the TRI Program Division in the Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT) in the Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention (OCSPP). Prior to becoming Acting Director, Larry served as the Associate Director for approximately 2 years and before that, as a Branch Chief for approximately 3 years. Before taking on management duties Larry led a variety of TRI projects ranging for rule writing to guidance development to electronic reporting through the Program's TRI Made Easy reporting software. Larry has been with EPA for 18 years. He holds a masters in environmental policy from Yale University, a J.D. degree from Rutgers Law School-Newark, and a B.S. in marketing from Rutgers College.