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Bio

Treasurer of the SWANA BC & Yukon Pacific Chapter since 2005, with 20 years of experience working in the field of civil and environmental engineering - most of that dealing with garbage, recycling and pollution prevention, as a professional engineer registered in British Columbia and Ontario. Probably like you I have an odd interest in everything to do with solid waste, and can't understand why the rest of the world doesn't share that same passion. My solid waste management experience is varied. It ranges from administering a municipal Solid Waste Utility, managing large capital landfill projects and leading the development of waste diversion plans, to teaching at colleges, developing public sanitation strategies, and working long hours as a swamper and loader operator during two protracted municipal labour disputes. Recent accomplishments include overseeing the development of a street cleaning and litter collection plan for the 2010 Winter Olympic Games, and leading the planning and design of a curbside food scraps collection program. .

Education

Simon Fraser University

British Columbia, Canada
Urban Design
2002 To 2005

McMaster University

Ontario, Canada
B.Eng, Civil & Engineering Mechanics
1987 To 1991