

Doug Tonkay

For the past 19 years, Douglas Tonkay has been employed by the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Environmental Management in waste management program capacities.

Currently, he is the team leader for low-level and mixed low-level radioactive waste in the Office of Disposal Operations. He provides expertise on various waste disposition planning activities, including annual collection of waste volume information. He conducts analysis and monitors waste disposition activities at several Environmental Management sites and commercial disposal facilities. He is also administrator of the Manifest Information Management System, which provides commercial low-level radioactive waste disposal information that is primarily used by states and disposal compacts.

He leads an interagency working group responsible for implementation and reporting U.S. activities for the Joint Convention on the Safety of Spent Fuel Management and on the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management.

He is the U.S. country coordinator for radioactive waste management information collection via the International Atomic Energy Agency's Net-Enabled Waste Management Data Base.

He co-leads a subteam of the Radiation Source Protection and Security Task Force on storage of radioactive sources.

Prior to his current assignment he was involved in activities supporting the transuranic waste program and the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant.

Prior to joining the Department of Energy, he was employed by Roy F. Weston, Inc., and NUS Corporation. He earned Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees in nuclear engineering from Penn State.