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PRESENT POSITION

2009 – Present Division Director, Biosciences Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL),
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PREVIOUS POSITIONS

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| 2007-2009 | Deputy Division Director, Biosciences Division |
| 2001-2007 | Distinguished Scientist and Group Leader, ESD |
| 2000-2001 | Section Head for Earth and Microbial Science Section, ESD |
| 1999-2000 | Science Team Leader for Biogeochemistry for ESD |
| 1997-1999 | Senior Staff and Member of the Research Council |
| 1993-1996 | Group Leader - Microbial Interactions Group, ESD, ORNL, Oak Ridge, TN. |
| 1987-1997 | Staff Member, Environmental Sciences Division |
| 1983-1986 | Research Associate, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN. |
| 1981-1983 | Research Associate, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. |
| 1979-1981 | Postdoctoral Associate, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass. |
| 1977-1979 | Biologist, National Marine Fisheries Service, Beaufort, NC. |

EDUCATION

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| Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute | Biology | B. S. 1973 |
| North Carolina State University | Marine Science | M. S. 1976; Ph.D. 1980 |

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Integration of physical, chemical, and biological remediation technologies; Microbial ecology in contaminated and pristine ecosystems; application of molecular techniques to microbial ecology.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION AND AFFILIATIONS

Fellow of the American Academy for Microbiology.

Member of: American Society for Microbiology; American Society of Limnology and Oceanography; American Geophysical Union

Patent No. 5,807,697. Strong-Gunderson, J. M. and A. V. Palumbo. Biological Tracer Method.

Patent No. 629,146. Cochran, J., T. J. Phelps, J. M. McCarthy, and A. V. Palumbo. Position sensitive radioactivity detector for gas and liquid chromatography.

Patent No. 7,569,737. T. J. Phelps, C. Tsouris, A. V Palumbo, D. E. Riestenberg, and S. D. McCallum. Method for excluding salt and other soluble materials from produced water.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS (TOTAL = 147)

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Mosher, J. J., T. A. Vishnivetskaya, D. A. Elias, M. Podar, S. C. Brooks, S. D. Brown, C. C. Brandt and A. V. Palumbo. 2012. Characterization of the Deltaproteobacteria in contaminated and uncontaminated surface stream sediments and identification of potential mercury methylators. Aquatic Microbial Ecology. 66:271-282.

Akob, D. M., S. H. Lee, M. Sheth, K. Küsel, D. B. Watson, A. V. Palumbo, J. E. Kostka, and Kuk-Jeong Chin. 2012. Gene expression correlates with process rates quantified for sulfate- and Fe(III)-reducing bacteria in U(VI)-contaminated sediments. Frontiers in Terrestrial Microbiology. 3:280.

Layton, A. C., A. E. Smartt, A. Chauhan, S. Ripp, D. E. Williams, W. Burton, S. Moser, J. Phillips, A. V. Palumbo, and G. S. Sayler. 2012. Ameliorating risk: Culturable and metagenomic monitoring of the 14 year decline of a genetically engineered microorganism at a bioremediation field site. J. Bioremed. Biodegrad. S1:1:009 doi: 10.4172/2155-6199.S1-009. <http://dx.doi.org/10.4172/2155-6199.S1-009>.

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