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**EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Environmental Health and Epidemiology University of Minnesota (1978)  
M.P.H. Public Health, University of Minnesota (1974)  
B.S.A. Agriculture, University of Georgia (1964)  
A.A.S. Agricultural Production, State University of New York, Cobleskill, NY (1962)  
Certificate Wildlife, Fisheries and Forest Conservation, North American School of Conservation (1965)  
Regents Diploma Stuyvesant High School, New York, NY (1960)

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

Principal Forensic Sanitarian, R. W. Powitz & Associates, P.C., Old Saybrook, CT  
Environmental & Biological Safety Officer, USDA/Plum Island Animal Disease Center, NY  
Director: Environmental Health and Safety; Biosafety Officer, Adjunct Associate Professor  
Wayne State University, Detroit, MI  
Hospital Epidemiologist, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Detroit, MI  
Vice President and Director of Operations, Health Care Risk Management, Inc., Ann Arbor, MI  
Health Officer, Borough of Ringwood, NJ  
Senior Sanitarian, New Jersey State Department of Institutions and Agencies, Ancora, NJ  
Sanitarian, New Jersey State Department of Health, Newark, NJ

**OTHER EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

Health Director (Part-time), Towns of Lebanon, Salem, Franklin, Sprague and Westbrook, CT  
Member/Manager, Terry Plum's, LLC, Old Saybrook, CT  
President, Biosafety Systems, Inc., Detroit, MI

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Chairman and Member: American Academy of Sanitarians  
Chairman and Member: Water Pollution Control Authority, Old Saybrook, CT  
Adjunct Associate Professor: Ferris State University, MI; St. Clair College, ONT  
Chairman and Member: NSF International, Council of Public Health Consultants; Six Standards Committees,  
Member: Underwriters Laboratories, Corporate Council, Consumer Advisory Council, Standards Committees,  
Member: National Environmental Health Association, American Jail Association, International Executive Housekeepers Association,  
Cleaning Industry Research Institute, American Biological Safety Association and Connecticut Environmental Health Association.

**ACCREDITATIONS**

Diplomate: Professional Sanitarian - AAS  
American Board of Forensic Engineering and Technology – ACFE  
Licenses: Sanitarian - CT  
Registrations: Sanitarian - NEHA  
Food Safety and HACCP Trainer – NEHA, NSF, NRFSP  
Biosafety Professional - ABSA  
Certifications: Food Safety Professional (CP-FS) – NEHA; Notary Public - CT

**PUBLICATION ACTIVITIES**

Editor, One newsletter and one trade publication  
Contributing Author: Journal of Environmental Health, Correction Manager's Report, Food Safety Magazine and American Jails  
179 published papers in trade journals; 23 refereed papers and 23 published tutorials

**HONORS**

Diplomate Laureate #001; Diplomate #336: American Academy of Sanitarians  
Snyder Award – NSF/NEHA; Wagner Award – AAS; President's Award – ACHMM; Nicholas Award - NJEHA  
Phi Theta Kappa