



EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

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Q. How did you become employed at ATL?

A. I found a job opening online for the Syracuse office location in an environmental field that I was looking to pursue after graduating from SUNY Potsdam, and took advantage of the opportunity.

Q. Who were your mentors at ATL when you started out?

A. Bob Read and Andy Amell were both my mentors when I first started out, and continue to provide mentorship for me. Both are extremely knowledgeable in their profession and to this day are a great outlet for any questions that I may have.

Q. What technical skills did you acquire that helped make you an expert in your position?

A. Communication skills are a key factor when discussing project details and resolving issues with contractors and clients on the project. As well as being assertive when providing project monitoring services to make sure the project scope is followed and is performed in accordance with regulations. Knowledge on hazardous materials and experience on what to look for is also helpful.

Q. Did you make decisions that helped you move forward in your ATL career?

A. I made decisions to continue learning in my field and continue to grow as a leader in my field to my peers.

Q. What project that you worked on is the most memorable, and why?

A. A few projects stand out, but a significant one is the Syracuse Hancock International Airport Hangar Project. We had to perform 14 hazardous materials surveys for airport hangar buildings in a very short amount of time. We performed the work in a timely and professional manner.

Q. Do you have a memorable experience at ATL you would like to share?

A. I always enjoy the happy hours that we would have on Fridays after work and the get togethers for lunch.

Q. What do you like the most about the path your ATL career has taken?

A. My technical leadership within the company at the Syracuse Division for the various environmental services.

Q. What area of knowledge or experience are you looking to expand?

A. I am looking to expand my knowledge in environmental soils sampling as they relate to the NYSDEC regulations, and gaining a greater understanding of the results as the hazardous soils pertain to the project.

Q. Is there anything else you would like to add that would help others at ATL to get to the next level?

A. Continue to work on your knowledge in the field/service area that you are working. And continue to strive to learn more about other fields at Atlantic Testing Laboratories.

Q. What do you like to do outside of ATL?

A. Big fan of craft breweries, enjoy trying new and different beers. I enjoy camping with my family and friends. Love to walk and hike with my dog. My husband's family lives in Myrtle Beach. In the summer, we play rounds of golf with my husband and head to Buffalo for a few Bills Games in the fall and winter.

