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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Texas A&M University	College Station, TX	Applied Mathematical Sciences	B.S., 2004
Colorado State University	Fort Collins, CO	Radiological Health Sciences	M.S., 2011
Colorado State University	Fort Collins, CO	Radiological Health Sciences	Ph.D., 2014

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2019- **Joint Faculty**, *Center for Radiation Protection Knowledge, Oak Ridge National Lab* provide technical support for development and reporting of new radiation dose and risk models and radiation protection guidelines.

2020- **Associate Professor**, *Environmental Engineering & Earth Sciences, Clemson Univ*

2014-2020 **Assistant Professor**, *Environmental Engineering & Earth Sciences, Clemson Univ* oversee a research program in radioecology and health physics, teach courses related to issues associated with radioactivity, mentor and advise students

2013-2014 **Consultant**, *Risk Assessment Corporation*: reviewed and recommended river pathway bioconcentration factors for the Hanford site.

2008-2011 **Power Plant Performance Specialist**, *Energy Services, General Physics Corporation*: designed and implemented power plant performance improvement programs using GP technologies and practices.

2007-2008 **Radiation Health Officer**, *Naval Medical Center Portsmouth, U.S. Navy*: managed personnel, equipment, and administrative matters for the Radiation Health Division.

2005-2007 **Nuclear Power Instructor**, *Naval Nuclear Power Training Command, U.S. Navy*: trained over 350 enlisted students in the fundamentals of the design, operation, and maintenance of naval nuclear propulsion plants.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS (ORCID: <https://orcid.org/0000-0002-7184-3043>)

Martinez, N.E., F. Zölzer (2024) "Review of ethical values across the ICRP system of radiological protection," *J Radiol Prot* 44: 031002

Donaher, S.E., S.L. Estes, R.P. Dunn, A.K. Gonzales, B.A. Powell, **N.E. Martinez** (2024) "Site- and species-specific metal concentrations, mobility, and bioavailability in sediment, flora, and fauna of a southeastern United States salt marsh," *Sci Total Environ* 922:171262

Gonzales, A.K., S.E. Donaher, B.D. Wattier, **N.E. Martinez** (2023) "Exposure of Lemna minor (common duckweed) to mixtures of uranium and perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)," *Environ Toxicol Chem* 42:2412-21

Montgomery, D, N. Edayilam, H. Page, S.A. Sheriff, N. Tharayil, B.A. Powell, **N.E. Martinez** (2023) "Comparative uptake, translocation, and plant mediated transport of Tc-99, Cs-133, Np-237, and U-238 in Savannah River Site soil columns for the grass species *Andropogon virginicus*," *Sci Total Environ* 857-159400

Wieder, J., T. Schneider, **N.E. Martinez** (2022) "The three R's of reasonableness in radiological protection: Relationships, rationale, and resources," *J Radiol Protect* 42:021513

Martinez, N.E., D.W. Jokisch, L.T. Dauer, K.F. Eckerman, J.D. Brockman, S.Y. Tolmachev, R. Goans, M. Avtandilashvili, M. Mumma, Boice, J.D., R.W. Leggett (2022) “Radium dial workers: back to the future” Int J Radiat Biol 98:750-68

ICRP (2022) Radiological Protection for Veterinary Practice. Ann ICRP 51(4):1-95

Root, C., R.R. Sinclair, T.A. DeVol, and **N.E. Martinez** (2020) “A mixed methods approach to improving radiation safety culture in a university setting,” Health Phys 118:427-437

Willey, A.H., T.A. DeVol, and **N.E. Martinez** (2019) “Thermal neutron flux characterization and dose modeling of a PuBe source,” Health Phys 117:669-679

ICRP (2018) Ethical Foundations of the System of Radiological Protection. ICRP Publication 138. Ann ICRP 47(1):1-65

Martinez, N.E. (2017) “Contributions from women to the radiation sciences: a brief history,” Health Phys 112:376-83

COURSES TAUGHT

EES 4100/6100, Env Radiation Protection	EES 8830, Advanced Topics in Radioecology
EES 4140/6140, Radioecology	EES 8180, Nuclear Culture
EES 4800, Environmental Risk Assessment	LS 2380, Vinyasa Yoga
EES 8150, Radiobiology	LS 2350, Basic Yoga
EES 4900, Creative Inquiry	

HONORS AND AWARDS

Murray Stokley Award for Excellence in Teaching, CU College of Engineering, Computing & Applied Sciences (2020)

First Place, Science as Art, CU College of Engineering, Computing & Applied Sciences (Spring 2020)

Elda E. Anderson Award, Health Physics Society (2019)

Bo Lindell Medal, International Commission on Radiological Protection (2018)

Young Investigator’s Award, 3rd International Conference on Radioecology & Environmental Radioactivity, International Union of Radioecology (2014)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

American Academy of Health Physics: member (2015 -); panelist (2021-25) and vice-chair (2024), Panel of Examiners for Part 1 of the Certified Health Physics Exam.

International Commission on Radiological Protection: Committee 4 member (2017 -), vice-chair (2021 -); task groups 94 (ethics), 110 (veterinary practice, co-chair), 114 (reasonableness/tolerability), 125 (ecosystem services, chair)

National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements: member (2022 -); vice-chair, Scientific Committee 6-13 (2021-)

Session planner and lead, Clemson PEER/WISE Girl Scout Day (2018,2019), Project WISE (2019, 2021), and STEM Day (2020)

Clemson University Commission on Women (2020-25), chair (2023-25)

EEES Representative, SCEES Tenure, Promotion and Reappointment Committee (2024-25)

Member, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine (NASEM) Consensus Committee on Feasibility of Assessing Veteran Health Effects of Manhattan Project (1942-1947) Related Waste (2023 - Present)