

## James L. Smith



### **RECENT ASSIGNMENT: PACIFIC NORTHWEST NATIONAL LABORATORY**

#### **Project Quality Officer, Capability Replacement Laboratory**

Responsible for providing the necessary coordination and direction to ensure that project and laboratory quality objectives are achieved.

### **PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

More than 30 years of experience in nuclear quality assurance, including construction, operations, startup, decommissioning and waste management.

**Bechtel:** 10 years, including the past 4 years associated with design and construction of the Hanford Vitrification Project.

**DOE Headquarters (EM-30):** Seven years in support of the DOE Office of Waste Management (OWM) in the Office of Environmental Management (EM). Included QA oversight during design and construction of the Savannah River Defense Waste Processing Facility (DWPF) and the West Valley Demonstration Project (WVDP).

**Northern States Power (NSP):** Four years supporting the Nuclear Engineering and Construction Department in development and implementation of its QA program and procedures for managing major plant modification projects at Prairie Island and Monticello Nuclear Plants. Also developed QA procedures for decommissioning of the Pathfinder Demonstration Reactor.

### **MEMBERSHIP/AFFILIATIONS**

Mr. Smith is a member of the American Society for Quality (past Chair and Vice Chair of the local ASQ Section) and of the American Nuclear Society. He has been previously certified by the Registrar Accreditation Board (RAB) as an ISO 9000 Quality Management Systems Auditor (10 years) and an ISO 14000 Environmental Management Systems Lead Assessor (6 years).

### **EDUCATION**

B.S., Management and Technology, University of Maryland, 1981  
A.S., Nondestructive Testing, Contra Costa College, 1976