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## **NETL** REPORTS:

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The National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL) has selected Brian W. Dressel as a physical scientist in its Sequestration Division. He previously worked as an environmental consultant for a variety of consulting firms for nearly 20 years.

Dressel earned a B.S. in geology from Michigan State University and an M.S. in geology and Hydrogeology from The Ohio University.

Originally from Grass Lake, Mich., Dressel resides in Canonsburg, Pa., with his wife, LeNore, and daughters Brenda, 13, and Heather, 7.

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