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The National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL) has selected John DiMascio as an attorney in the Office of Chief Counsel, assisting with general legal issues. Previously, he worked as an associate in the Pittsburgh office of an international law firm.

DiMascio grew up in southern West Virginia and earned his J.D. from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law (Pittsburgh, Pa.) and his B.S. in finance and management from West Virginia University (Morgantown, W.Va.). He lives in Pittsburgh.

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