

Larry Schmaltz (CE 79)

Mr. Lawrence G. Schmaltz has more than thirty-seven years of experience in engineering and construction management with the past thirty years devoted to the hazardous materials industry. During his career he has been responsible for more than \$250 million of assessment and remediation projects for commercial, industrial, and governmental clients.

Mr. Schmaltz has held positions as project engineer and project manager with contracting and engineering consulting firms involved in hazardous waste management and remediation, underground tank removal, asbestos abatement, and geotechnical consulting. He spent three years with the US Air Force on the B-1 Bomber program, where he received two letters of commendation.

Mr. Schmaltz was involved in the general construction industry in a family-owned construction business and was a project engineer designing and inspecting mid- and high-rise buildings for an international engineering/architectural firm. Later, Mr. Schmaltz was named the general manager of southwest regional operations for a Florida statewide environmental engineering company and president of an east coast environmental consulting firm. He served as the vice president of an environmental contracting and consulting company and was responsible for the overall management of the company's operations and business development. Mr. Schmaltz was also responsible for several million dollars of hazardous material remediation.

In 1992, Mr. Schmaltz became the president, CEO, and founder of A2L Technologies, Inc., and environmental engineering and consulting practice. His general management duties included maintaining proper business licensing, business and strategic planning, financial planning and management, proposal development and review, marketing, and personnel management. He was also the chief engineer and special projects engineer.

In 2006, Inc. Magazine nominated A2L Technologies as one of the fastest growing companies in America, and the company was named as one of the "Top 25 Environmental Consulting Companies" in the Tampa Bay Area in 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012. In 2001, A2L Technologies was asked to provide on-site consulting services at the World Trade Center's ground zero site in New York City. In December 2012, Schmaltz sold A2L Technologies to Apex Companies LLC, where he is currently National Program Manager.

Schmaltz was born and raised in Belle Fourche, South Dakota and earned his bachelor's degree in civil engineering from the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology.

Schmaltz is a Trustee of the SDSM&T Foundation, a speaker at the SDSM&T Engineers Make

Great Entrepreneurs sessions, the Chairman of the Professional Advisory Board of the Civil & Environmental Engineering Department at the SDSM&T, and on the board of several nonprofits. He is a Registered Professional Engineer in South Dakota, North Dakota, Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi and a Licensed General Contractor in Florida. He is the author of numerous technical publications and is a voting member on two ASTM Standards Committees.