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PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

TerraTherm, Inc.	(April 2004 – present)
SteamTech Environmental Services, CA	(1999 – 2004)
University of California Berkeley, CA	(1998 – 1999)
Rice University, Houston TX	(1997 – 1998)
EPA National Research Lab, Ada OK	(1995 – 1997)
Technical University of Denmark	(1990 – 1995)

EDUCATION

Ph.D. (Environmental Science and Engineering) Technical University of Denmark, 1994
M.S. (Civil Engineering) Technical University of Denmark, 1990

TECHNICAL SPECIALTIES

Dr. Heron has 16 years of experience, with the following special areas of expertise:

- Contaminant plume geochemistry and characterization.
- NAPL migration, fate and transport (LNAPL and DNAPL).
- Design and implementation of in-situ thermal treatment systems for contaminated soil and groundwater.
- Bench-scale thermal treatability study design, implementation, and evaluation.
- Field-scale thermal treatability/pilot study design, implementation, and evaluation.
- Engineering design analysis of remedial alternatives.
- In-situ monitoring techniques for tracking progress during thermal remediation.
- Chemical sampling and analysis for field process documentation.
- DOD site restoration project management and implementation.

SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE: PROJECT DIRECTION AND MANAGEMENT

Dr. Heron was instrumental in designing, construction, operating, and documenting several field scale thermal cleanups:

- Terminal One Site, Richmond, CA. Dr. Heron assisted with the direction of this major ISTD project (reference Gary Hembree, Richmond Redevelopment Agency; 510-307-8140).
- NASA Marshall Space Flight Test Center, Site 13 ISTD Demonstration, Huntsville, AL. Dr. Heron designed, directed and oversaw this ISTD implementation (reference Jason Cole, CH2M HILL, 865-483-9005).
- Confidential Brownfields Site, Syracuse, NY. Dr. Heron designed and directed this major ISTD redevelopment project where more than 300 ISTD wells were used to treat three PCE source zones, paving the way for rapid site development (reference Steve Vinci, C&S Engineers, Syracuse, 315-455-2000).



- Beale Air Force Base, Beale, CA (reference Dr. Arun Gavaskar, Battelle, Columbus, OH. 614-424-6424).
- Edwards Air Force Base, Edwards, CA (reference Scott Palmer, Earth Tech, San Jose CA, 408-232-2826).
- Loring Air Force Base, Limestone, ME (reference Naji Akladiss, Maine Department of Environmental Protection, 207-287-7709).
- Area A at Young-Rainey STAR Center, Largo, FL (reference Randall Juhlin, Stoller, 970-248-6502).
- Alameda Point, Oakland, CA (reference Prof. Kent Udell, UC Berkeley, 510-642-2928). Portsmouth, Ohio (reference Dr. Roger Aines, LLNL, 925-423-7184).
- Northrop-Grumman site, Danville, PA. Dr. Heron directed this major thermal project, where a volume of 68,000 cubic yards of CVOC-contaminated soil was treated using a steam enhanced extraction (reference Kevin Dyson, Panther Technologies, 609-714-2420).
- Dunn Field, Memphis Depot, Memphis, TN. Dr. Heron designed and directed the ISTD remediation of eight separate CVOC source areas with a treatment volume of 48,000 cubic yards (reference Tom Holmes, e²M, 404-237-3982).

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS (THERMAL REMEDIATION RELATED ONLY)

- Heron, G., K. Parker, J. Galligan and T.C. Holmes. 2009. Thermal Treatment of Eight CVOC Source Zones to Near Nondetect Concentrations. *Ground Water Monitoring and Remediation* 29 (3), Summer 2009, 56-65.
- Heron, G., R.S. Baker, J.M. Bierschenk and J. LaChance. 2008. Use of Thermal Conduction Heating for the Remediation of DNAPL in Fractured Bedrock. Paper P-003, in: Bruce M. Sass (Conference Chair), *Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds—2008*. Proceedings of the Sixth International Conference on Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds (Monterey, CA; May 2008). Battelle Press, Columbus, OH.
- Nielsen, S.G., H.E. Steffensen, T. Heron, G. Heron, M. Kuhlman, H. Skou, N. Just and L. Dissing. 2008. First Thermal Remediation Using a Combination of Steam and ISTD. Paper P-015, in: Bruce M. Sass (Conference Chair), *Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds—2008*. Proceedings of the Sixth International Conference on Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds (Monterey, CA; May 2008). Battelle Press, Columbus, OH.
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- LaChance, J., G. Heron and R. Baker. 2006. "Verification of an Improved Approach for Implementing In-Situ Thermal Desorption for the Remediation of Chlorinated Solvents." *Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds: Proceedings of the Fifth International Conference* (May 22-25, 2006). Battelle, Columbus, OH.
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- SteamTech Environmental Services. 2003. *In-situ remediation to remove non-aqueous phase liquids located in the subsurface at the North-East site Area A, Young-Rainey STAR Center, Largo, Florida*. Final Report, August.
- Earth Tech and SteamTech. 2003. *Site 61 Treatability Study Report, Steam Injection. Northwest Main Base, Operable Unit 8*. Final report submitted to US Air Force Flight Test Center, Environmental Restoration Division, Edwards AFB, California.
- Heron, G., D. LaBrecque and H. Sowers. 2000. Steam Stripping/Hydrous Pyrolysis Oxidation for in-situ remediation of a TCE DNAPL Spill. In *Proceedings of the 2000 Battelle Conference on Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds*, Monterey, CA, Volume C2-5 pp. 149-156. Battelle Press, Columbus, OH.
- Udell, K., G. Heron, __. McDonald and S. Mabey. 2000. *Steam Enhanced Extraction Demonstration at Site 5, Alameda Point*. Field Feasibility Demonstration for the US Navy, DO-9. Berkeley Environmental Restoration Center, University of California at Berkeley. Berkeley, CA. Final report.
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