Randall A. Locke II, P.G. Curriculum Vitae, November 2024

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Education

University of Iowa, 1994, M.S. in Geology Iowa State University, Summer 1993, Field Methods in Hydrogeology Illinois State University, 1991, B.S. in Geology with honors

Research Interests and Experiences

- □ Research Interests: Geological, hydrological, and geochemical investigations including subsurface characterization methods, geological carbon storage, environmental monitoring, natural system dynamics, aqueous geochemistry, geochemical sampling methods; groundwater resource evaluations; and land use impact assessments.
- □ Key Experiences: More than 30 years of applied research including program development, management, leadership, and review; technical expert review; proposal and publication review; facilitation of multi-disciplinary research projects; coordination of extensive field-based efforts; development and review of measurement, monitoring, and verification programs, state and federal regulatory permit development and compliance; international standards development for carbon storage; and management of large, long-term data sets.

Career History

6/2024 to propert	Illinois State Geological Survey, Champaign, Illinois
6/2024 to present	Chief Scientist for Research and Development
1/2019 to present	Principal Research Scientist
9/2011 to 6/2024	Head, Geochemistry Section
8/2010 to 4/2021	Monitoring Program Coordinator,
	Midwest Geological Sequestration Consortium (MGSC),
1/2009 to 1/2019	Environmental Geochemist
1/2009 to 8/2010	Monitoring Program Assistant Coordinator, MGSC
9/1999 to 1/2009 1/1994 to 9/1999	Illinois State Water Survey, Champaign, Illinois Associate Hydrogeologist Assistant Hydrogeologist
8/1991 to 12/1993	University of Iowa, Department of Geology, Iowa City, Iowa Teaching Assistant
5/1992 to 8/1992	Illinois State Geological Survey, Champaign, Illinois Quaternary Geology Mapping Intern

Professional Activities and Committee Responsibilities

International Technical Expert for the American National Standards Institute appointed
to the International Standards Organization Technical Committee 265
(Carbon dioxide capture, transportation, and geological storage):

Working Group 3 (Storage), 2014 to 2017; Technical Panel and clause lead; Clause 9 (Monitoring and Verification). Outcome: Published International Standard - ISO27914: 2017(E).

Working Group 3 (Storage), 2018 to present; Technical Panel member; 2017 standard review (active) and "Carbon dioxide capture, transportation and geological storage - Injection operations, infrastructure and monitoring" Chapter 8 (Monitoring) and Chapter 9 (Decommissioning). Outcome: Published Technical Report ISO/TR 27923: 2021 (E).

Working Group 4 (Quantification and Verification), 2017 to 2020 Technical Panel co-lead; Clause 7 (Measurement and Monitoring). Outcome: Draft International Standard developed, but not published. Working group disbanded.

Working Group 6 (CO_2 -EOR), 2016 to 2019; Technical Panel member; Clause 6 (Containment assurance and monitoring within the EOR complex). Outcome: Published International Standard - ISO27916:2019 (E).

■ U.S. Department of Energy

- Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnership: Monitoring, Verification, and Accounting Working Group (2009-2012) and Water Working Group (2009 to 2015)
- National Énergy Technology Laboratory, CarbonSAFE Phase III: Regulatory Working Group (2024-present), Community Engagement Working Group (2024-present)

☐ Midwest Geological Sequestration Consortium:

Monitoring, Verification, and Accounting Program Coordinator (2010 to 2021)

- Coordinated extensive air, soil, and groundwater monitoring for research and regulatory compliance
- \$9.0M across four research projects

Principal Investigator

- Environmental Monitoring for the Illinois Industrial CCS Project, Decatur, Illinois, 2021 to present
- Illinois Coal Ash Impoundment Assessment, U.S. EPA Agreement 84074301, 2024-2027
- ISGS Scientific Support Program for Illinois Nature Preserves and Other Areas, 1998 to present

☐ University of Illinois, Prairie Research Institute

- CCUS Coordinating Committee, Member, 2024 to present
- Coal Ash Response Team (CART), Chair, 2019 to present
- Mahomet Aquifer Response Team, ad hoc liaison, 2018 to 2020
- Natural Gas Working Group (NGWG), Chair, 2017 to 2020

Professional Societies

- Illinois Groundwater Association, member, 1994 to present (2004 Chair)
- National Ground Water Association member, 2003 to present
- Association of American State Geologists, associate member, 2023 to present
- International Energy Agency Greenhouse Gas R&D Monitoring Network, 2012 to present

Licenses and Certifications

Illinois Licensed Professional Geologist #196-000933 (active)
Previously certified for Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response
(HAZWOPER) pursuant to 29 CFR 1910.120 (1997-2007)

Honors and Recognition

2019 - Outstanding Collaboration by a Team, Members of the Mahomet Aquifer
Response Team and Natural Gas Working Group, Prairie Research Institute
2013 - Scientific Achievement Award, Illinois Groundwater Association
2012 - Outstanding New Staff Member, Illinois State Geological Survey
2006 - Award of Recognition, Illinois Groundwater Association
1993 - Teaching Excellence Award, University of Iowa, College of Liberal Arts,
1992 - Cooperative Summer Internship Scholarship, United States Geological
Survey/National Association of Geology Teachers
1991 - John Wesley Powell Field Camp Scholarship, Illinois State University,
Department of Geology

Technical and Peer-Reviewed Publications (excluding abstracts)

2023

Iranmanesh, Abbas, **Randall Locke**, Damon Garner, and Bracken Wimmer. Illinois Basin – Decatur Project: Deep Fluid Monitoring Program, Illinois State Geological Survey, Circular 611, 53 p. (in final review)

Shao, H., **R.A. Locke II**, E.T. Plankell, J.L. Monson, L.A. Schafer, A. Iranmanesh, and B.T. Wimmer, 2023, Summary of Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring at Lake in the Hills Fen Nature Preserve, McHenry County, Illinois: Champaign, Illinois State Geological Survey, Circular 609, 90 p. https://www.ideals.illinois.edu/items/126241

<u>2022</u>

International Standards Organization (contributor to Chapters 10 and 11). 2022. Carbon dioxide capture, transportation and geological storage — Injection operations, infrastructure and monitoring. Published International Technical Report, ISO/TR 27923:2022. 122p. https://www.iso.org/standard/67275.html

2021

- Doughty, CA; Oldenburg, CM; and **Locke, RA**. 2021. Shallow Groundwater Modeling Using the TOUGH Codes at the IBDP Site: Phase I Final Report. Project report submitted to the U.S. Department of Energy for the Illinois Basin Decatur Project. 29p and supplementary material (2 excel spreadsheets)
- Yiran Dong, Robert A. Sanford, Lynn Connor, Joanne Chee-Sanford, Bracken T. Wimmer, Abbas Iranmanesh, Liang Shi, Ivan G. Krapac, **Randall A. Locke**, Hongbo Shao. Differential structure and functional gene response to geochemistry associated with the suspended and attached shallow aquifer microbiomes from the Illinois Basin, IL, Water Research, Volume 202, 2021, 117431, ISSN 0043-1354, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.watres.2021.117431
- Locke, Randy, Abbas Iranmanesh, Eric Plankell, and Jessica Monson. 2021. Monitoring Report: Bluff Spring Fen Nature Preserve (for data through December 2020). Program Report submitted to the Illinois Nature Preserves Commission. Illinois State Geological Survey, Champaign, Illinois. 55p.
- Shao, Hongbo, Randall A. Locke II, Eric T. Plankell, Jessica L. Monson, Lindsey A. Schafer, Abbas Iranmanesh, Bracken T. Wimmer. 2021. Summary of Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring at Lake in the Hills Fen Nature Preserve, McHenry County, Illinois. Program Report. Illinois State Geological Survey, Champaign, Illinois. 85p

2020

- Locke, R., Keefer, L., Barker, T., Elrick, S., Hemrich, V., Huber, A., Kelly, W., Rajagopalan, K., Stodola, A., Winkel, R., & Yacucci, M. (2020). Coal Ash Response Team final report. (PRI Response Team Report). Prairie Research Institute. 61p. https://www.ideals.illinois.edu/handle/2142/108384
- Shao, Hongbo, Jared T Freiburg, Peter M Berger, Alexander H Taylor, Hanna F Cohen, **Randall A Locke II**. Mobilization of Trace Metals from Caprock and Formation Rocks at The Illinois Basin Decatur Project Demonstration Site under Geological Carbon Dioxide Sequestration Conditions,

 Chemical Geology 2020, 550. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chemgeo.2020.119758

2019

Carman, C.H., C.S. Blakley, C.P. Korose, and **R.A. Locke II**, 2019, Illinois Basin – Decatur Project: Soil carbon dioxide flux monitoring: Illinois State Geological Survey, Circular 599, 27 p. http://library.isgs.illinois.edu/Pubs/pdfs/circulars/c599.pdf

- Shao, Hongbo, David A.N. Ussiri, Christopher G. Patterson, **Randall A. Locke**, Hong Wang, Alexander H. Taylor, Hanna F. Cohen. Soil gas monitoring at the Illinois Basin Decatur Project carbon sequestration site, International Journal of Greenhouse Gas Control, Volume 86, 2019, Pages 112-124, ISSN 1750-5836, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijggc.2019.04.012
- Prairie Research Institute Coal Ash Response Team, Internal Interim Report; Authored by response team members: **Randy Locke (chair)**, Laura Keefer (vice chair), Trish Barker, Scott Elrick, Veronica Hemrich, Anne Huber, Walt Kelly, Kishore Rajagopalan, Alison Stodola, Rick Winkel, Mark Yacucci. December 20, 2019. 51 p.

2018

- Locke, R.A., A. Iranmanesh, B. Wimmer, J. Kirksey, N. Malkewicz, and S. Greenberg. Verification Well #1: How a deep monitoring well was used and adapted to meet the evolving monitoring needs and challenges at the Illinois Basin Decatur Project, 14th Greenhouse Gas Control Technologies Conference, Melbourne, 21-26 October 2018 (GHGT-14). https://ssrn.com/abstract=3366031
- Mito, S., Z. Xue, B. Wimmer, A. Iranmanesh, H. Shao, **R. Locke**, and S. Greenberg. Gas-tight pH measurements to assess an effect of CO₂ on groundwater. 14th Greenhouse Gas Control Technologies Conference, Melbourne, 21-26 October 2018 (GHGT-14). https://ssrn.com/abstract=3366313
- Duguid, A., J. Kirksey, D. Riestenberg, G. Koperna, C. Holley, M. Loizzo, **R. Locke**. CO₂ well construction: Lessons learned from United States Department of Energy sponsored projects. 14th Greenhouse Gas Control Technologies Conference Melbourne, 21-26 October 2018 (GHGT-14). https://ssrn.com/abstract=3365869
- Locke, R., Roadcap, G., Stumpf, A., Leetaru, H., Kelly, W., & Winkel, R. (2018). An Introductory Guide to the Mahomet Aquifer and Natural Gas Storage in East-Central Illinois. Prairie Research Institute, Champaign, IL, 18 p. (https://www.ideals.illinois.edu/handle/2142/99145)
- Mahomet Aquifer Protection Task Force: Findings and Recommendations; Authored by Task Force members Carol Ammons, Eric Ballenger, Teresa Barnett, Scott Bennett, Alec Davis, Deborah Frank-Feinen (chair), Keith Gleason, Donovan Griffith, Charles Hostetler, Lynn Karner, Chris Koos, Claudia Lennhoff, Diane Marlin, Alec Messina, Bill Mitchell, Julie Moore-Wolfe, Andrew Rehn, Jim Risley, George Roadcap, Chapin Rose, Charles Smith, Larry Stoner, Steve Turner, Todd Zalucha, and David Zimmerman with additional support from Rick Cobb, Illinois EPA; Randy Locke, Illinois State Geological Survey; and Walt Kelly, Illinois State Water Survey. December 21, 2018. (https://epa.illinois.gov/topics/community-relations/sites/mahomet-aquifer-task-force.html)

2017

Bacon, D. H., **Locke II, R. A.**, Keating, E., Carroll, S., Iranmanesh, A., Mansoor, K., Wimmer, B., Zheng, L., Shao, H. and Greenberg, S. E. (2017), Application of the Aquifer Impact Model to support decisions at a CO₂ sequestration site. *Greenhouse Gas Sci Technol*, 7: 1020–1034. (http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/ghg.1730)

- Giunta, T., Devauchelle, O., Ader, M., **Locke, R.**, Louvat, P., Bonifacie, M., Métivier, F., Agrinier, P. (2017) The *gravitas* of gravitational isotope fractionation revealed in an isolated aquifer. *Geochem. Persp. Let.* 4, 53-58. (http://dx.doi.org/10.7185/geochemlet.1736)
- Greenberg, Sallie, Robert Bauer, Robert Will, **Randall Locke II**, Michael Carney, Hannes Leetaru, John Medler, Geologic Carbon Storage at a One Million Tonne Demonstration Project: Lessons Learned from the Illinois Basin Decatur Project, *Energy Procedia*, Volume 114, 2017, Pages 5529-5539, ISSN 1876-6102, (http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.egypro.2017.03.1913)
- **Locke**, **R.A.**, S.E. Greenberg, P. Jagucki, I.G. Krapac, H. Shao, Regulatory Uncertainty and its Effects on Monitoring Activities of a Major Demonstration Project: The Illinois Basin Decatur Project Case, *Energy Procedia*, Volume 114, 2017, Pages 5570-5579, ISSN 1876-6102, (http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.egypro.2017.03.1697)
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2012

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Selected Presentations and Abstracts

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- **Locke, R.A.** 2023. Managing CCS to Minimize Risk: Experiences from Decatur, Illinois. Lecture for the Stanford University CCS Course, September 20, 2023.
- **Locke, R.A.** and Plankell E. 2022. Groundwater Monitoring and Technical Assessments at Nature Preserves and Other Areas. Illinois DNR Division of Natural Heritage and Illinois Nature Preserve Commission all staff meeting. Presentation on December 7, 2022, Toddhall Retreat Center, Columbia, Illinois.
- **Locke, R.A.** and the MGSC Monitoring Team. 2021. Environmental Monitoring for Industrial CCS: Experiences from the Decatur Projects. Presentation on February 10, 2021 for the SECURe International Platform for Environmental Monitoring Workshop (Virtual).
- **Locke, R.A.** and the MGSC Monitoring Team. 2019. Environmental Monitoring for Industrial CCS: Experiences from the Decatur Projects. Presentation in Decatur, Illinois on September 19, 2019 to CCS experts from the SECURe international fact-finding team.
- **Locke, R.A.** and the MGSC Project Team. 2019. Scaling Up CCS Testing and Deployment in the Illinois Basin. 14th CO₂ GeoNet Open Forum Workshop, Venice, Italy, May 8, 2019, Presentation without abstract.
- Bauer, R.A., Jaques, P., (authors) and **Locke, R.A.** (presenter) Seismicity: Lessons Learned from Decatur, Illinois, USA. 14th CO₂ GeoNet Pre-Open Forum Workshop, Venice, Italy, May 6, 2019, Presentation without abstract.
- **Locke, R. A.** and the MGSC Monitoring Team. 2018. Lessons learned from monitoring a one million tonne demonstration project in Decatur, Illinois, USA. Presentations to CCS technical experts associated with the European Union's Enhancing Onshore Storage (ENOS) ENOS) Project, including the project coordinator, Marie Gastine, at the French Geolgical Survey (BRGM) in Orleans, France and task leader, Ceri Vincent, at the British Geological Survey in Nottingham, England.
- **Locke, R. A.** and the MGSC Monitoring Team. 2018. Optimization of Onshore Monitoring for Industrial CCS: Experience from the Decatur Projects. 13th CO₂ GeoNet Open Forum, Venice, Italy, April 26, 2018, Presentation without abstract.
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