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**Gail Gokey**

Gail Gokey is the Facilities Services full time trainer for the AiM work management software. Gail worked in the Facilities Construction unit when it was still named Alterations for five years and moved to the maintenance side of the house working in the Southwest Maintenance Zone for another six years. She was part of the team that created the training when all of Facilities Services moved from a paper timekeeping system to direct entry into AiM and continued with the training program for purchasing materials through AiM. Gail now works with the Facilities team training and expanding the uses of AiM.

**Kevin Kramer**

Kevin is the Strategic Initiatives Analyst for Facilities Services’ Strategic Planning and Continuous Improvement department and has worked at the University of Washington for more than 3 years. Kevin has a wide variety of experience with analytics, writing, technology, and sciences. Kevin spent two years working (or 3 if you include volunteer work) for Harborview’s Pathology Department creating solutions for many of their employees including developing analytics, marketing materials, and web pages before joining the Facilities Services team. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Psychology degree with a concentration in Pre-Medical Neuroscience and a Minor in Business from Arizona State University. In addition to his interest in data analytics and strategy development he also enjoys strategy games, health sciences, humor writing, traveling, and teaching.

**Anne Marie Marshall**

Anne Marie is the Human Resources Specialist for Facilities Services and has worked at the University of Washington for over 5 years. Anne Marie’s work experience includes employee relations, leave management, and workers’ compensation with a focus on vocational training and return-to-work. She earned a degree in Spanish from Northern Arizona University and spent time studying abroad in Chile and Spain.

**James Morin**

James Morin is a Civil Engineer in UW Facilities, Campus Engineering. James has over 26 years of formal training and experience developing and giving public and private presentations. His experience spans the spectrum of technical presentations, speeches to inform, storytelling to children and seminars for an audience of 300. He has even competed in an international level humorous speech contest. He is a graduate of the UW with a bachelor’s of science in Civil Engineering and he is a Washington State registered Professional Engineer. James is proud to also be a Seattle native having never lived more than 20 miles from Seattle.

**Tracey Mosier**

Tracey is the Safety Manager for Facilities Services and has worked at the University of Washington for over 23 years. She worked for UW Environmental Health & Safety (EH&S) for 13 years, primarily providing support for the asbestos, lead, and indoor air quality programs. While at EH&S she also instructed safety training classes which she thoroughly enjoyed! She earned a Bachelor of
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**Saeid Rastegar**

Saeid is the Regulated Materials Manager and has worked at the University for over ten years. Prior to that he served the UW as an outside consultant with Clayton Group Services who served the Facilities Services Asbestos Office. He then joined Facilities Services full time in 2004 as the Asbestos Coordinator. His extensive experience regarding most types of Hazardous Materials started when he graduated from the University of Washington with a bachelor’s degree in Industrial Hygiene. He began his career at Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center and from there he took his talents to Clayton Group Services where he served as the Senior Project Manager. Saeid is has several certificates including Asbestos Project Designer, Asbestos Supervisor and AHERA Building Inspector. He is also a certified Nutritional Practitioner.

**Katie Savoie**

Katie is the Payroll Manager for Facilities Services and has worked at the University of Washington for over 5 years. In addition to working at the UW, Katie graduated from the University with a degree in Social Work. During her time here at the UW, Katie has provided training on time card entry and approval, leave administration, and payroll processes. You may have met her at Facilities Services new employee orientation as one of the presenters.

**Donna Schmidt**

Donna is the Assistant Director of Facilities Employee Services. She graduated from the University of Washington with a bachelor’s degree in Psychology, with an emphasis in Human Resource Management out of the Business School. Donna has over 25 years of experience in management and human resources here at the UW, starting in Central Human Resources and then moving to Facilities Services. Donna has conducted training on recruiting and hiring, leave administration, disability accommodations, and has facilitated focus groups.

**Reggie Taschereau**

Reggie is a Human Resources Consultant for Campus HR Operations and has worked at UW for the past year. Reggie provides HR consultation for Facilities Services, Capital Projects Office and the Foster School of Business. Reggie has over 25 years of experience in human resources management, including DSHS headquarters and Lowe’s. He received his BA in HR Management from The Evergreen State College and is a certified Senior Professional in Human Resources.