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Brian is the Chief of the Environmental Planning Section for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Regional Planning and Environmental Division - St. Louis. He has been with the Corps since 1994. He has worked on environmental planning and environmental programs for most of his career and has spent much of his time working with the District's natural resource partners to develop and implement environmental restoration projects within the region. He and the folks in Environmental Planning office are heavily involved in a number of environmental programs, including the CAP Program, the Upper Mississippi River Restoration Program (EMP), a restoration program with over a 20-year track record of success on the Upper Miss, and several large system mitigation efforts. He also served as the Project Manager on several studies, including the Corps' Navigation & Ecosystem Sustainability Program (NESP), and the Middle Mississippi River Regional Corridor Study, a two-year pilot watershed study effort to improve interagency collaborative planning within the Mississippi River floodplain in Illinois and Missouri, south of St. Louis. Brian is a member of the Corps Environmental Research Area Review Group. He is also heavily involved with the St. Louis District's Leadership Development Program.

He has served as the St. Louis District Ecosystem Restoration Business Line Manager since 2008 and became the MVD Business Line Manager in 2010.