



Elizabeth Hoffman

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EDUCATION

*Drexel University
PhD, Materials Science and Engineering*

POSITION

Dr. Liz Hoffman serves as Director of SRNL's Office of Innovation and University Engagement. She is responsible for the management and integration of programs designed to further scientific innovation within the laboratory. Programs include the Laboratory Directed Research and Development (LDRD) Program, Postdoctoral Researcher Program, and University Engagement Program. All three innovative programs advance the state of science through collaboration and partnership.

EXPERIENCE

With a background in carbide and carbon materials, Dr. Hoffman joined SRNL as a researcher working on degradation of materials in extreme environments. Her research spanned a range of material systems and processes, with projects including investigations into metallic whisker growth, nuclear waste corrosion control programs, accelerated aging of elastomeric seals and alternative materials for accident tolerant nuclear fuel applications. Her experience also includes managing the SRNL LDRD program and serving as an R&D group manager.

Dr. Hoffman has been recognized as a Fellow of ASM International. In addition to ASM International, Dr. Hoffman is active in the American Ceramics Society (ACerS).