

Pike Profile

Brother Charlie “Snapper” McGlothlin

Professor Charles McGlothlin received his BS and MS in Engineering of Mines from WVU and is currently working on his PhD at Colorado State. He has also completed course work at the Harvard Business School, UCLA, and the University of Pennsylvania. He is an OSHA authorized instructor in Construction and General Industry Standards and holds a Technical Education Credential in Occupational Safety and Health from the Colorado State Board for Community Colleges. In his professional career, Charlie served as the corporate officer responsible for health, safety, and regulatory compliance for mining operations in three states. He also has extensive industrial experience in safety program development and implementation as well as in safety training of management and hourly workers in regulatory compliance and accident prevention. He has considerable experience in accident investigations and has testified as an expert in safety and health compliance and personal injury cases.

Charlie is a Registered Professional Engineer in Pennsylvania, Utah, and Colorado. His many awards include: ASSE Outstanding Service Award, Pikes Peak Chapter; ASSE Certificate of Recognition as a Technical Lecturer and Faculty Advisor; Crawford and Co. Scholarship Award (1995); Program of Excellence Award by the Colorado Commission on Higher Education (1996); Safety Professional of Year (1997), Pikes Peak Chapter, ASSE Outstanding Student Section Scholarship Award (1997), President’s Award, Pikes Peak Chapter (1999); and NIOSH Training Project Grant Awards (1999 and 2000).

Charlie teaches in the Occupational Safety and Health program at Trinidad State Junior College in Trinidad, CO, and is responsible for developing that program for Internet and other means of distance education delivery worldwide. In addition, he continues to work as a safety and health consultant and expert witness for various industries, legal firms, school districts, and government agencies.

Charlie has been married for 32 years to his college sweetheart, Dairdre. She also works at Trinidad State as the Innovative Teaching Techniques Specialist and Institutional Researcher.

Editor’s Note: Charlie tells us he has been offered and is considering a position at Murray State in Kentucky, home of another of our infamous brothers, Frank Julian.