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I have been an environmental attorney for over 30 years. I taught environmental law at the University of Washington Tacoma for ten years. I wrote the *Massachusetts Environmental Law Handbook*, the *Washington Environmental Law Handbook*, the *Maryland Environmental Law Handbook*, the *California Environmental Law and Natural Resources Handbook*, *Wetlands: An Introduction*, and *Wetlands Regulation: Case Law, Interpretation & Commentary*, all published by Bernan Press.

I am admitted to practice before state and federal courts in California, Maryland, Massachusetts, and Washington as well as admitted to practice before the United States Court of Federal Claims and the United States Supreme Court. I attended the Great Books Program at St. Johns College in Annapolis, Maryland, and received my B.A. in medieval European history from Mills College in Oakland, California. I received her Juris Doctor from Golden Gate University in San Francisco, California. I was an Officer In Charge for the Command, Seamanship, and Navigation Training Squadron at the U Naval Academy where I taught sailing. Perhaps most importantly, I am a certified offshore skipper according to the US Naval Sailing Association.



Amy H. Davidsen '80

After serving 12 years as Executive Director, North America of the Climate Group, an international nonprofit whose mission is to drive climate action fast, Amy Davidsen is currently on a “sabbatical”. She worked closely with leading businesses and state and regional governments on collaborative programs to shift markets and policies toward a sustainable and clean energy future, such as, commitments to 100% renewable electricity (RE100); doubling energy productivity (EP100); and transitioning transportation fleets to zero emissions (EV100). She also oversaw the Climate Group's flagship annual summit, Climate Week NYC, held each September during the week of

the U.N. General Assembly to highlight the need for urgent climate action and solutions. Amy has over 20 years of banking experience and was the founder and first Director of the Office of Environmental Affairs at JPMorganChase, responsible for creating and implementing the firm’s global environmental and social risk management policies. Before that, she held various positions at JPMorgan Chase, including advising high net worth clients on their philanthropy and creating the bank’s first donor-advised fund. Earlier in her career, she worked in Sarajevo, Bosnia on a USAID job-creation loan program, and prior to that, was the Finance Manager of Women's World Banking, an international microfinance nonprofit dedicated to providing women in emerging markets access to credit.

Amy speaks frequently on the opportunities for a healthier, safer, and more prosperous world for all and spoke at TEDx in Michigan. She is a knight of the French National Order of Merit granted by the French Government to recognize her active contribution to climate change and the environment. Amy holds a B.A. in Mathematics from Brown University and lives in New York City with her husband and son.



Dr. Sophie J. McCoy '04

is an Assistant Professor in the Biology Department at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. In addition to teaching courses in Environmental Microbiology and Marine Ecology, she conducts research on climate change in marine and aquatic ecosystems. Specifically, research in her lab leverages traditional ecological experiments, genomics, and environmental chemistry to study ecosystem resilience and feedbacks between biology and environmental quality.



R. Jisung Park '04 is an Assistant Professor of Public Policy at the University of California, Los Angeles. He is an environmental economist by training, specializing in the economics of climate change. His work has been published in leading academic journals including the *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy* and *Nature Human Behavior*, and has been featured in such media outlets as *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Washington Post*, *BBC*, and *NPR*, as well as in [Congressional Testimony](#) in the U.S. House of Representatives. A Rhodes Scholar, Dr. Park holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Harvard University, Master's degrees in Development Economics (M.Sc.) and Environmental Management (M.Sc.) from Oxford, and a B.A. in Economics and Political Science from Columbia University.