## Biography for Jennifer Wigal

Jennifer Wigal is the Water Quality Program Manager at the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality where she is responsible for the oversight and direction of DEQ's water quality programs. She previously managed Oregon's Water Quality Standards program, the Water Quality Assessments program and the development and implementation of a program addressing priority persistent pollutants (also known as Senate Bill 737). Prior to coming to DEQ in 2008 (and back to her native Pacific Northwest), Jennifer built her expertise in water quality programs through various positions at U.S. EPA Headquarters during her 10 years there. Jennifer received her Masters in Environmental Engineering from Johns Hopkins University and a B.S. in Civil Engineering from Washington State University.