



Education

BA, San Francisco State
University

MS, University of California at
Berkeley

Memberships and citations

Senior Fellow, John F.
Kennedy School of
Government at Harvard
University

Governor's Appointee, Chair
and Vice Chair, California
Water Commission (2003 –
2005)

Department of the Army,
Superior Civilian Service Award

Board of Directors, Water
Education Foundation (2001 –
Present)

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Walter Yep

Senior Advisor

Walter's expertise in engineering stems from nearly 15 years service in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Sacramento District).

During his tenure as Chief, Planning Division, Walter oversaw a dramatic expansion that resulted in his division becoming the largest worldwide. He directed the Corps civil and military planning in California and five other Western states, supervising more than 100 engineers, scientists, economists and other professionals.

During this time, Walter also administered the agency's largest Continuing Authorities Program, which included flood control, water supply and environmental restoration projects.

Walter's division received the Chief of Engineers Environmental Design Award for work at the Hamilton Army Air Force Base. This is the only time this award has been achieved in the 60-year history of the Sacramento District.

Other Experience

- More than 30 years of civil and military planning experience with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- Principal Corps of Engineers Representative to CALFED, the Federal-State board in charge of mitigating California's water problems
- Chief, Economics Branch for the South Pacific Division (San Francisco)
- Senior Advisor for the Pacific, United Nations, Suva, Fiji