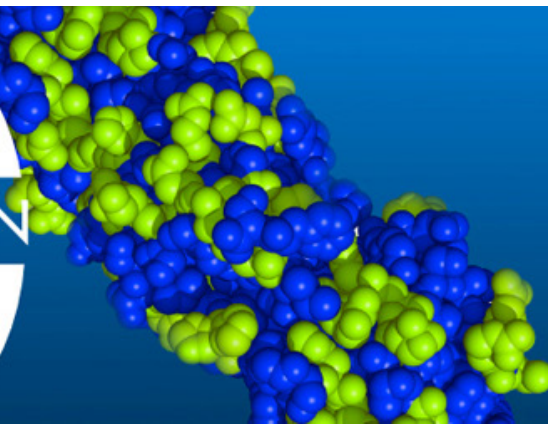


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Danielle M. Mauz '06 focuses her work around safety and proper processes in the chemical industry. Currently employed at the Dow Chemical Company, she has held several positions within the company maintaining and enhancing plant operations.

Working as a Manage Production Work Process leader for five sites in Houston, TX, she sets goals for employees and clarifies expectations for more reliable and safe operations. Due to her efforts, her group has implemented the operate plant work process to above 93 percent in two years and two sites have reached stage 1 empowerment.

Outside of her primary duties, Danielle has been fundamental in implementing two employee networks on site, the New Professionals Network and the Women's Innovation Network. She also has taken on other responsibilities including creating a budget and facilitating the Emergency Operations Planning Committee.

Prior to her current position, Danielle worked for two years at the Deer Park, TX, site as Methacrylates Improvement Engineer where she led the most successful and engaged improvement team. She also led the process safety focal group in reporting of near misses and enforcing root cause investigations.

Danielle has also taken leadership roles within the Houston area, including the local chapter of Society of Women Engineers as Vice President of Outreach, and has been a mentor to several local grade school and college students.