

Timothy S. Franquist

Mr. Franquist was appointed the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality's Air Quality Director in May 2016. He previously served as the Air Quality Division deputy director from November 2014 through May 2016. Since becoming director, Franquist has led Air Quality's effort to become nationally recognized for the agency's work on international transport of ozone, exceptional event demonstrations, permitting, and air quality meteorology.

Franquist has been with ADEQ for more than 14 years, 12 of which he served in air quality. Prior to State service, Franquist worked in a variety of environmental positions, including private sector consulting, county government, and environmental non-government organizations.

Franquist received his bachelor's degree in Environmental Science and Policy from The University of Maryland and his master's in Environmental Management from Arizona State University.