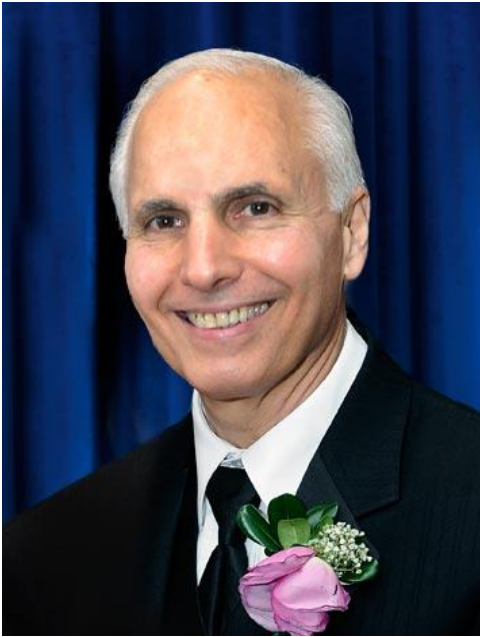


In Memoriam: Gabriel Genoino Jr.



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Gabriel Genoino Jr., a senior auditor in the Internal Audit Office, died on July 9, 2014. He was 63.

Genoino worked in the Lab's Internal Audit Office since January 1998. He was responsible for examining and verifying records for various business systems at the Lab in accordance with International Internal Audit Standards. He specialized in payroll and labor costs, relocations, and travel, among the Internal Audit Office's 12 to 14 audits each year. He also performed audit follow-ups to ensure that corrective actions implemented by Lab management were carried out effectively.

Genoino's supervisor, Internal Audit Director Mark Israel, said, "Gabe was one of the most diligent auditors to ever work in Internal Audit. The people in our group remember Gabe for the integrity, questioning attitude, and persistence he exercised in a friendly, constructive manner, resulting in the strengthening of many internal controls at the Lab.

"Gabe always came to work with a smile on his face. He befriended and took a genuine interest in his fellow employees across the entire Laboratory,"

Israel added. "While we all came to know Gabe 'the auditor' very well over the 17 years he worked in Internal Audit, we also came to know Gabe 'the family man,' who devoted every ounce of himself to his wife, children, and grandchildren."

Three Genoino Girls Among 200 Daughters Taken to Work



(From left) Sisters Lindsay, Lori and Chelsea Genoino spent Thursday, April 22 — the sixth annual national Take Our Daughters to Work Day organized on site by the Human Resources Division (see Brookhaven Bulletin, April 16, 1999) — at BNL with their father, Senior Internal Auditor Gabriel Genoino, learning what their dad does for a living and what careers in science, technology and related fields are out there for them in the future.

As three of the almost 200 daughters and the only set of three sisters brought to work by ENLers that day, the Genoino girls, who attend school in the Sachem School District, spent that morning in the Internal Audit Office, as their dad went about his business writing reports, preparing work sheets and reviewing budget hours on internal audit projects. In the afternoon, after being greeted by Lab Director John Marburger, all the girls on site for that day witnessed the Whiz Bang Science Show and toured the Lab site, in a program arranged by the Museum Programs of the Community Relations Office.

Of the three Genoinos at the Lab that day, 10th grader Lori, age 15, is interested in the field of business and 14-year-old Lindsay, who is in 9th grade, wants to explore her talents in the art world, while Chelsea, an eight-year-old 3rd grader, is considering a career in architecture. And, since she had so much fun that day, Chelsea has decided that she wants to go back to work with her father even when it is not Take Our Daughters to Work Day.

Genoino and three of his daughters featured in a June 1999 article after the sixth annual "Take Our Daughters to Work Day"

Payroll Manager Marge Desmond, who Genoino audited annually, said, "Gabe was a stickler for things and he was extremely helpful in suggesting ways to make processes run as optimally as possible. He'd also never hesitate to talk about the importance of taking care of yourself or your family. He did a good job, kept us on our toes, and still found time to care."

"Gabe would stop by my cubicle just to ask, 'What's shaking?'" said Cindy von Gerichten of the Fiscal Services Division. "He was tough at his job, but he made me smile every day, and he'll be sorely missed by all who knew him."

Many in the Lab community may remember seeing Genoino exercise on site. They may also remember

seeing him with three of his daughters in a feature article in June 1999 after the sixth annual "Take Our Daughters to Work Day."

Genoino is survived by his wife, Sandra, twelve children—including Vanessa Flynn (Thomas), Amanda Rovet (Anthony), Russell, Darrell, Brenda Klieber (Joe), Lora, Lindsay, Drew, Chelsey, Taylor, and Morgan—and twelve grandchildren.