









**RESEARCH*****Areas of Research Expertise***

- Mass Timber stakeholder and influencers
- Biofuels, Bioprocessing, Bioenergy
- Social values and opinions on the wood pellet industry
- Innovation in the forest sector
- Domestic and international wood products marketing and business development
- eBusiness, eCommerce
- Environmental certification and marketing
- Marketing applications to economic development

***Research Funding Organizations (109)***

1. ADAGE: An AREVA/Duke Energy Advanced Biopower Company
2. American Sugar Cane League
3. APA-The Engineered Wood Product Association
4. ArchWood Protection Corporation
5. Aventis Corporation/Bayer Environmental Science
6. Bayou Land Region, Louisiana Resource Conservation and Development Council
7. Blairstown Plantation
8. Boise Cascade Corporation
9. BRANZ Building Materials Association of New Zealand
10. Builder Marts of America, Inc.
11. Capital Region, Louisiana Resource Conservation and Development Council
12. Carolina Builders Corporation
13. Champion International Corporation
14. Chemical Specialties, Inc.
15. CITEMM: Centro de Innovación y Tecnología en Madera y Muebles (Honduras)
16. Clark Sustainable Resources Development, LLC
17. Clorox Company
18. Colfax Treating Company, LLC
19. Computer Science Corporation
20. Contact Lumber Company
21. Coordinating and Development Corporation
22. Cox Industries, Inc.
23. Crosby Land & Resources, LLC
24. DEMCO Utilities
25. Dixon Correctional Institute
26. Drax Biomass, LLC.
27. Education Development Center, Inc.
28. Elder Wood Preserving Company
29. Fairfield Residential LLC
30. FIDE – Honduras Government Foreign Investment and Export Development Division
31. Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)
32. FORECON, Inc.
33. Forest City Trading Group
34. ForestExpress, Inc.
35. ForestOne.Com
36. Forest Landowners Association Foundation
37. Forintek Canada Corporation
38. Georgia-Pacific Corporation-Building Materials
39. Georgia-Pacific Corporation-Information Systems
40. Georgia-Pacific Corporation-Building Materials Distribution Division
41. Georgia-Pacific Corporation-Environmental and Governmental Affairs
42. Georgia-Pacific Corporation-Gypsum Division
43. Hancock Forest Management
44. Hampton Affiliates
45. Harvey Family Trust
46. Hexion Corp.
47. Hickson Corporation
48. Huber, Inc.
49. ICON Technologies
50. Inc.jet Digital Imaging
51. Institute for the Study of Business Markets (ISBM), the Pennsylvania State University
52. International Beams
53. Kop-Coat, Inc.
54. LeMoyen Mill & Timber
55. Limestone Bluffs RC&D, Inc.
56. Louisiana Board of Regents (Competitive Grants Program)
57. Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry
58. Louisiana Department of Economic Development
59. Louisiana Forestry Association
60. Louisiana Forestry Foundation
61. Louisiana Governor's Office of Rural Development
62. Louisiana Logging Council
63. Louisiana Department of Labor
64. Louisiana Workforce Commission
65. Louisiana-Pacific Corporation
66. Lowe's Companies, Inc.
67. Lumbermen's Merchandising Corporation
68. Lumetrics, Inc.
69. John D. and Katherine T. MacArthur Foundation
70. Macon Ridge Economic Development Council, Inc.
71. Metafore
72. Microban (Americas)
73. Norbord, Inc.











- Proposal Title:** **A Strategic Analysis of the U.S. Treated Wood Industry: 2007**  
Source of Support: Southern Forest Products Association  
Award Amount: \$17,000 Period Covered: 2/15/08-9/15/08
- Proposal Title:** **“Louisiana Forest Products Community” Website Development**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Economic Development  
Award Amount: \$9,000 Period Covered: 1/1/08-12/31/08
- Proposal Title:** **Advanced Profile Extrusion Facility for Fiber-Reinforced Thermoplastic Composite Research and Development**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Board of Regents-Enhancement Program  
Award Amount: \$170,000 Period Covered: 7/1/07-6/30/09  
Co-Investigator(s): Qinglin Wu
- Proposal Title:** **“Louisiana Forest Products Community” Website Development**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Economic Development  
Award Amount: \$9,000 Period Covered: 1/1/07-12/31/07
- Proposal Title:** **Market Demand for Treated Structural Panels in New Home Construction in the U.S. South**  
Source of Support: Industry Support  
Award Amount: \$14,000 Period Covered: 12/15/06-4/30/07  
Co-Investigator(s): Qinglin Wu
- Proposal Title:** **Hurricane Emergency Preparedness Plan for the Forest Sector in Louisiana**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry  
Award Amount: \$55,000 Period Covered: 24 months 2006-2007
- Proposal Title:** **“Louisiana Forest Products Community” Website Development**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Economic Development  
Award Amount: \$9,000 Period Covered: 1/1/06-12/31/06
- Proposal Title:** **Spatial Mapping and Analysis of Louisiana Secondary Forest Products Manufacturers**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Department of Economic Development  
Award Amount: \$6,000 Period Covered: 15 months 2006-2007; Co-Investigator(s): Todd Shupe
- Proposal Title:** **Spatial Mapping and Analysis of Louisiana Primary Forest Products Manufacturers**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry  
Award Amount: \$12,000 Period Covered: 1 year-2005-2006  
Co-Investigator(s): Todd Shupe
- Proposal Title:** **Enhancing Louisiana Forest Products Industry Development and Competitiveness**  
Source of Support: Louisiana Board of Regents-Enhancement Program  
Award Amount: \$148,733 (requested) \$83,700 (funded) Period Covered: 2 years  
Co-Investigator(s): Ramesh Kolluru, Mark Smith (ULL)
- Proposal Title:** **Certified Forests: Preparing Private Landowners for the Future**  
Source of Support: SARE: Sustainable Agriculture Research & Education  
Award Amount: \$113,398 Period Covered: 2 years—2005-2006  
Co-Investigator(s): Glenn Hughes (lead), Michael Dunn
- Proposal Title:** **A Strategic Analysis of the U.S. Treated Wood Industry**  
Source of Support: Southern Forest Products Association  
Award Amount: \$23,287 Period Covered: 2/15/05-8/15/05  
Co-Investigator(s): James M. Fannin, Todd F. Shupe







































































































































- 2019 Member-Conference Scientific Board. 12<sup>th</sup> Annual WoodEMA Wood Products Association Conference. Digitalisation And Circular Economy: forestry and forestry based industry implications
- 2019 Planning Committee. WoodEMA Wood Products Association 2020 Conference
- 2017 Reviewer. First 10 Years of WoodEMA, i.a. Denis Jelacic. ISBN 978-953-57822-5-4
- 2017 Member-Conference Scientific Board. WoodEMA Wood Products Association Conference: More Wood, Better Management, Increasing Effectiveness: Starting Points and Perspectives.
- 2017 Member. Appointed to represent Louisiana State University on the Sustainable Biomass Program (SBP) Working Group. SBP, based out of the United Kingdom, is a unique certification system designed for woody biomass, mostly in the form of wood pellets and wood chips, used in industrial, large-scale energy production.
- 2016 Member-Conference Scientific Board. WoodEMA Wood Products Association Conference: The Future of the Wood Products Industry: A Global Perspective.
- 2016 Outside Examiner/Referee-Ritva Toivonen for promotion to Doцент/Associate Professor. University of Helsinki, Finland.
- 2016 Doctoral Dissertation Outside Examiner. Mehdi Piltan. University of British Columbia. Vancouver, BC Canada.
- 2016 Committee Member. Amin Arian, PhD candidate of forest products marketing and management in University of Tehran, Iran
- 2016-**present** Member. Wood Energy Publication Taskforce. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO). Geneva,
- 2015 Elected President. WoodEMA, Association of Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing. Zagreb, Croatia.
- 2015 Conference Chair. Wood Energy Goes Global. Dubrovnik, Croatia. October 7. Sponsored by the Forest Products Society.
- 2015 Chair. Adriatic Wood Days. Dubrovnik, Croatia. October 3-19.
- 2015 Reviewer. Canadian Journal of Forest Research. (Canada)
- 2015 Reviewer. Wood Energy Chapter. UNECE/FAO Forest Products Annual Market Review: 2014-2015. Geneva.
- 2015 Reviewer. International Forestry Review. (Canada)
- 2014-**present** Appointed-Outside Expert United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Team of Specialists in Wood Bioenergy of the Committee on Forests and Forest Industry. Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2014 Appointed. Advisory Board for the Center for Sustainability in the University of Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka,
- 2014 Elected. Scientific Board Member for the annual Marketing Identity Conference sponsored by the University of Saints Cyril and Methodius in Trnava, Slovak Republic.
- 2013 Reviewer. International Wood Products Journal (UK)
- 2013 Reviewer. Book Chapter "Overview of Wood Product Markets, Distribution, and Market Research in North America: Implications for Value Chain Optimization". Challenges in Optimizing the Canadian Forest Value Chains. Eds C. Gaston & F Robichaud. NSERC Strategic Research Network.
- 2013 Elected President-Elect. WoodEMA, Association of Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing. Zagreb, Croatia.
- 2013 Elected to Executive Board. WoodEMA, Association of Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing. Zagreb, Croatia.
- 2013 Member-Conference Scientific Board. WoodEMA Wood Products Association Conference: Innovation as the Source of Value in Forestry, Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing
- 2003-2012 Team Leader. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Team of Specialists in Forest Products Markets and Marketing of the Timber Committee. Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2012 Reviewer. Journal of Tropical Forestry and the Environment
- 2012 Appointed-Advisory Board. Centre of Forest Ecosystems, Dendroenergy Consortium at the University of Münster in Germany.
- 2011-**present** Appointed-Editorial Board of the Journal of Business published by the KNUST School of Business, Kwame Nkrumah University, in Kumasi, Ghana.
- 2010-**present** Appointed as Editor of the Journal of Tropical Forestry and the Environment. The journal is published by the Department of Forestry and Environmental Science, University of Sri Jayewardenepura in Sri Lanka. The journal publishes original research and review articles on forestry, environmental issues and natural resources relevant to Sri Lanka and other tropical regions.
- 2010 Reviewer. Journal of Tropical Forest Science. Forest Research Institute, Malaysia. Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Kepong, Malaysia.

- 2010 Member. Conference Planning Committee. 5.10.00 Forest Products Marketing and Business Development Research Group Pre-IUFRO XXIII World Congress Meeting. Hosted by UNECE/FAO and IUFRO. Hokkaido, Japan. August 14-17.
- 2010-2019 Appointed as Member of Editorial Board of the scientific journal *Acta Facultatis Zvolen*. The journal is published by the Faculty of Wood Sciences and Technology, Technical University in Zvolen, Slovakia.
- 2010 Session Chair & Moderator (2 sessions). Green Forest Products and Business Development. Hosted by Research Group 5.10.00, IUFRO XXIII World Congress. Seoul, Republic of Korea. August 23-28.
- 2009 Reviewer. Doctoral Dissertation. Wellington Spectic. University of British Columbia. Vancouver, BC Canada.
- 2009 Associate Editor-Marketing & Editorial Board. WoodEMA Journal. Association of Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing. Zagreb, Croatia.
- 2009 Elected to Executive Board. WoodEMA, Association of Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing. Zagreb, Croatia.
- 2009 Conference Chair & Moderator. Green Building and Climate Change. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Team of Specialists in Forest Products Markets and Marketing of the Timber Committee. Geneva, Switzerland. October 12.
- 2009 Reviewer. Review Board for Promotion to Full Professor. Dr. Branko Glavonjic. University of Belgrade, Faculty of Forestry. Belgrade, Serbia.
- 2009 Member. Conference Scientific Board. Competitiveness of wood processing and furniture manufacturing. Sponsored by the Faculty of Forestry, University of Zagreb and the International Association for Economics and Management in Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing. Sibenik, Croatia. October 7-9, 2009.
- 2008 Member. Editorial Board. Woody Biomass-the Fuel of Choice for Serbia. Conference Proceedings. December 2-3. Belgrade, Serbia.
- 2008-2018 Adjunct Professor. Faculty of Forestry, College of Agricultural Sciences, University of Timisoara. Timisoara, Romania.
- 2008 Reviewer. Forestry Chronicle (Canada)
- 2008 Reviewer. International Journal of Management Reviews. (UK)
- 2007 Invited Speaker. Remarks about LSU Chapter. Gamma Sigma Delta, Zamorano University, Honduras.
- 2007 Co-Developer. Timber Committee Strategic Review Survey Instrument. UN Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO).
- 2007 Reviewer. Journal of Environmental Management (UK).
- 2007 Reviewer. Guidelines for the procurement, use and logistics of timber in humanitarian emergencies. Humanitarian Timber. Sweden.
- 2007 Meeting Coordinator and Chair. International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) Forest Products Marketing and Business Development Working Group 5.10.00. Division 5 Conference. Taipei, Taiwan. October 29<sup>th</sup>-November 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- 2007 Reviewer. Collaborative Research and Development grant proposal. National Sciences and Research Council of Canada (NSERC), Montreal, Canada.
- 2007 Reviewer. Industrial Research Chair grant proposal. National Sciences and Research Council of Canada (NSERC), Montreal, Canada.
- 2007 Reviewer. Research Development grant proposal. National Sciences and Research Council of Canada (NSERC), Montreal, Canada.
- 2006 Meeting Coordinator and Chair. Joint meeting of United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Team of Specialists in Forest Products Markets and Marketing of the Timber Committee and International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) Forest Products Marketing and Business Development Working Group 5.10.00. Newport Beach, California. June 26<sup>th</sup>.
- 2006 Member-Workshop Planning Committee. Capacity Building for Croatia & Neighboring Countries. Sponsored by UN Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Timber Committee.
- 2006 Member-Workshop Planning Committee. Capacity Building for Eastern Europe Countries. Sponsored by UN Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Timber Committee.
- 2006 Member-Workshop Planning Committee. Capacity Building for the Balkan Countries. Sponsored by UN Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Timber Committee.
- 2005 Referee. University of British Columbia's Charles A. McDowell Award for Excellence in Research
- 2005 Professorial Candidate External Assessor. Universiti Putra Malaysia, Faculty of Forestry.



- 2005 Advisor. Sarvodaya, Sri Lanka. Studied the feasibility of having a commercial forestry program developed for Sarvodaya, the largest NGO in the country; Critiqued and helped improve post tsunami environmental management program of Sarvodaya
- 2005 Session Chair. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Forest Products Marketing Specialists subgroup of the Timber Committee Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2005 Delegate. Representative from the United States at the UN Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Timber Committee World Meeting. Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2005 International Student Association at Louisiana State University Representative. Sri Lanka Tsunami Disaster Relief. Pre-school rebuilding in Matara District.
- 2005 Project Manager. Web-based market-related outputs use and satisfaction survey. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Timber Committee Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2005 Session Coordinator. Division 5 (Forest Products) Forest Products Marketing and Business Management 5.10.00. International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO). World Congress. Brisbane Australia.
- 2003 Intranet Website Development Project Leader and Webmaster. United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (UNECE/FAO) Forest Products Marketing Specialists subgroup of the Timber Committee Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2003-2010 Chair. International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) Forest Products Marketing Working Group 5.10.00.
- 2002-present Representative. Division 5 (Forest Products) representative for the International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) All-Division Information Technology Forest Sector Task Force.
- 2002 Delegate. Representative from the United States at the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (ECE/FAO) Timber Committee Meeting of Forest Products Markets and Marketing Specialists and Timber Committee Session Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2002 Associate Director, Communications. Sarvodaya USA.
- 2001-2004 Vice-President. Wood Logistics Club, a non-profit, worldwide society of researchers based in Helsinki, Finland.
- 2001 Chair. International Special Interest Committee on Logistics in the Pulp, Paper, Wood pulp, Carton and Paperboard Industries. Based in Helsinki, Finland.
- 2000 North America Liaison. Wood Logistics Club, a non-profit, worldwide society of researchers based in Helsinki, Finland.
- 2000-2003 Appointed Deputy Leader. International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) Forest Products Logistics Working Group 5.13.00.
- 2001-2002 Executive Director and Member of the Board of Directors. Sarvodaya USA.
- 2000 Member. Joint FAO-ECE Team of Public Relations Specialists in the Forest and Forest Industries Sector.
- 2000-2003 Appointed Deputy Leader. International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) Forest Products Marketing Working Group 5.10.00.
- 1998 Delegate. Representative from the United States at the Economic Commission for Europe/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (ECE/FAO) Timber Committee World Meeting. Geneva, Switzerland.
- 1995-2014 Associate Editor-Forestry Chronicle (Canada). Wood Products and Marketing.
- 1989 Member. U.S. Department of Commerce Japanese Trade Sector Project Team

## TEACHING AND GRADUATE STUDENT ADVISING ACTIVITIES

*Ph.D.s Graduated: 12*

*Masters Graduated: 14*

*Committee Member: 18*

- Spring 2023 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 7071-Forestry Seminar. Structuring and Delivering Scientific Presentations. Instructor: Qinglin Wu
- Spring 2022 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. An Overview of Wood-based Bioenergy in the United States. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- Spring 2021 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student**. Gilbert Osoro Ototo. **Dissertation Title: INNOVATION AND COMPETITIVENESS OF THE WOOD FURNITURE INDUSTRY IN KENYA**

- Spring 2021 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. An Overview of Wood-based Bioenergy in the United States. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- Spring 2020 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. An Overview of Wood-based Bioenergy in the United States. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- Fall 2019 \* **Graduated Masters student. Mason LeBlanc. Thesis Title: *THE WOOD PELLET INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES SOUTH: AN EXPLORATORY STUDY OF RESIDENT ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND ECONOMIC PERCEPTIONS***
- Fall 2019 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Gilbert Ototo) and one Masters Student (Mason LeBlanc)
- Spring 2019 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. An Overview of Wood-based Bioenergy in the United States. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- Spring 2019 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Gilbert Ototo) and one Masters Student (Mason LeBlanc)
- Fall 2018 \* Taught RNR 7029. Forest Products Marketing. Graduate course.
- Fall 2018 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Gilbert Ototo) and one Masters Student (Mason LeBlanc)
- Fall 2018 \* Committee and advisor for 1 new Masters student (Mason LeBlanc).
- Summer 2018 \* Outside Committee Member. (Olivia Jacobs). Masters student. College of Environmental Sciences and Forestry. University of Washington. Seattle, Washington.
- Fall 2017 \* Committee and advisor for 1 new Masters student (Jay Curole).
- Spring 2017 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. An Overview of Wood-based Bioenergy in the United States. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new Ph.D. student (Gilbert Ototo).
- Spring 2016 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Anand Mishra. Dissertation Title: *BIOMASS GASIFICATION FOR ELECTRICITY GENERATION: AN INTEGRATED APPROACH FOR DEVELOPMENT OF FOREST RESIDUE-BASED PROJECTS IN RURAL INDIA.***
- Spring 2016 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. An Overview of Wood-based Bioenergy in North America. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- Summer 2015 \* **Graduated Masters student. Joy Das. Thesis Title: *A REGULATORY QUALITY ANALYSIS OF FOREST PRODUCTS TRADE IN INDIA***
- Spring 2015 \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. Instructor: Niels de Hoop
- Fall 2014 \* Guest Lecture. (RNR 2043) Forest Products and Wood Technology
- Summer 2014 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Joy Das) (6 Credits)
- Spring 2014 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new Ph.D. student (Joy Das).
- \* Guest Lecture. RNR 4061-Energy from Green Sources. Instructor: Niels de Hoop.
- \* Non-Departmental Thesis Committee Member. Harry Gao-Electrical Engineering.
- \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Anand Mishra)
- Fall 2013 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Anand Mishra)
- Spring 2013 \* Taught RNR 7029. Forest Products Marketing. Graduate course.
- Fall 2012 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Anand Mishra)
- Summer 2012 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Anand Mishra)
- Spring 2012 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new Ph.D. student (Anand Mishra).
- \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Anand Mishra)
- \* Ph.D. Committee Member. Amin Arian. Department of Forestry, University of Tehran. Iran.
- Fall 2011 \* **Graduated Masters student. Roger Smithhart. Thesis Title: *NEW BIO-BASED PATHS TO PROSPERITY FOR SMALL AND MEDIUM AGRICULTURAL AND FOREST LANDOWNERS: A PILOT STUDY IN LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI***
- \* **Graduated Masters student. Ryan Olson. Thesis Title: *GREEN JOBS IN THE LOUISIANA FOREST SECTOR.***
- Spring 2011 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Priyan Perera. Dissertation Title: *MARKETING FOREST-BASED ECOTOURISM IN SRI LANKA: PREDICTING THE ECOTOURISM BEHAVIOR AND DEFINING THE MARKET SEGMENT THROUGH A BEHAVIORAL APPROACH.***
- \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Rangika Perera. Dissertation Title: *EFFECTS OF ECOTOURIST PRE-TRIP AND EXTERNAL INFORMATION SEARCH BEHAVIORS AND STRATEGIES ON FOREST-BASED ECOTOURISM TRAVEL DECISIONS IN SRI LANKA.***
- \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for two Masters students (Ryan Olson and Roger Smithhart)
- \* Taught RNR 7029. Forest Products Marketing. Graduate course.
- Fall 2010 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for two Masters students (Ryan Olson and Roger Smithhart)
- Summer 2010 \* Committee Chair and Advisor for 2 new MS students (Ryan Olson and Roger Smithhart).
- Fall 2009 \* **Graduated Masters student. Abraham Baffoe. Thesis Title: *CERTIFICATION: IMPLICATIONS FOR SUSTAINABLE FOREST MANAGEMENT AND TIMBER EXPORT TRADE IN GHANA***

- Spring 2009 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Abraham Baffoe)
- Fall 2008 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Abraham Baffoe)  
 \* Committee member for Priyan Perera, MS in Environmental Sciences.  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Abraham Baffoe) and one Ph.D. student (Rangika Perera)
- Summer 2008 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new MS student (Abraham Baffoe).  
 \* Committee chair and advisor for 2 new Ph.D. students (Priyan Perera and Rangika Perera).  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Abraham Baffoe) and two PhD students (Priyan Perera and Rangika Perera).
- Spring 2008 \* **Graduated Masters student. Priyan Perera. Thesis Title: *NON-INDUSTRIAL PRIVATE FOREST LANDOWNERS AND US HOME CENTER RETAILERS ATTITUDES AND PERCEPTIONS OF FOREST CERTIFICATION***  
 \* **Graduated Masters student. Rangika Perera. Thesis Title: *AN OVERVIEW OF THE WOOD PRODUCT IMPORT SECTOR IN THE UNITED STATES WITH AN EMPHASIS ON OPPORTUNITIES FOR SRI LANKAN EXPORTERS.***  
 \* **Graduated Masters student. Odoom Domson. Thesis Title: *STRATEGIC POSITIONING ANALYSIS OF GHANA'S WOOD EXPORT SECTOR***
- Fall 2007 \* Committee member for one new Ph.D. student (Fei Yao)  
 \* Dean's Representative-Tina Wilson. PhD Candidate. AgEcon & Agribusiness
- Summer 2007 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Odoom Domson)
- Spring 2007 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Francisco X. Aguilar. Dissertation title: *CLUSTER OCCURRENCE AND FACTORS INFLUENCING SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION OF NATURAL RESOURCE-BASED INDUSTRIES***  
 \* Taught RNR 7029. Forest Products Marketing. Graduate course. 4 students.
- Fall 2006 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Carrie Castille Mendoza. Dissertation title: *FACTORS INFLUENCING PARTICIPATION IN ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP PROGRAMS: A CASE STUDY OF THE AGRICULTURAL AND FORESTRY SECTORS IN LOUISIANA***  
 \* Committee chair and advisor for 2 new MS students (Rangika Perera and Odoom Domson).  
 \* Committee Member for 3 students.  
 \* Guest Lecturer. RNR 2043. An Overview of Forest Products Marketing
- Summer 2006 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Sanna Kallioranta. Dissertation title: *EFFECTIVE INTER-ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY ADOPTION IN THE BUSINESS-TO-BUSINESS CUSTOMER INTERFACE***
- Spring 2006 \* **Graduated Masters student. Shadia Duery. Thesis Title: *U.S. DEMAND FOR CERTIFIED TROPICAL HARDWOOD PRODUCTS***
- Fall 2005 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Priyan Perera)  
 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new MS student (Priyan Perera).  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Francisco Aguilar) and one Masters student (Priyan Perera)
- Summer 2005 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for two Ph.D. students (Sanna Kallioranta, Francisco Aguilar) and one Masters student (Shadia Duery)  
 \* Outside thesis reviewer for Lyndall Bull, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia.  
 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Indah Kusuma. Dissertation title: *ECONOMIC VALUATION OF FOREST RESOURCE MANAGEMENT: A CASE STUDY OF THE DAYAK TRIBE IN KALIMANTAN, INDONESIA***
- Spring 2005 \* Taught RNR 7029. Forest Products Marketing. Graduate course. 6 students.  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Francisco Aguilar)
- Fall 2004 \* Committee member for 1 new Masters Student (Raul Rivera)
- Summer 2004 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Shadia Duery)  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for three students (Sanna Kallioranta, Francisco Aguilar, Shadia Duery)  
 \* Committee member for 1 new Ph.D. student (Sang Yeob Lee)
- Spring 2004 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new MS student (Shadia Duery).  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one MS student (Shadia Duery)
- Fall 2003 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Ben N. Donkor. Dissertation title: *EVALUATION OF GOVERNMENT INTERVENTIONS IN GHANA'S FOREST PRODUCT TRADE: A POST-INTERVENTION IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND PERCEPTIONS OF MARKETING IMPLICATIONS***  
 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new Ph.D. student (Sanna Kallioranta).  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for two Ph.D. students (Sanna Kallioranta and Francisco Aguilar)
- Summer 2003 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Kofi Poku. Dissertation title: *"THE IMPACT OF CORPORATE CULTURE ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ADOPTION WITHIN THE UNITED STATES FOREST PRODUCTS INDUSTRY"***

- Spring 2003 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Carrie Castille)  
**\* Graduated Ph.D. student. Stacy Crevello. Dissertation Title: "LOCAL LAND USE ON BORNEO: APPLICATIONS OF INDIGENOUS KNOWLEDGE SYSTEMS AND NATURAL RESOURCE UTILIZATION AMONG THE DAYAKS OF KALIMANTAN, INDONESIA"**  
**\* Graduated Masters student. Sanna Kallioranta. Thesis Title: "ROLE OF eINTERMEDIARIES IN THE UNITED STATES PAPER SUPPLY CHAIN"**
- Fall 2002 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new Ph.D. student (Francisco Aguilar).  
 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Francisco Aguilar)  
 \* Committee member to 1 new Ph.D. student (Hui Pan).  
 \* Dean's Representative. Jose Andino doctoral general and final examinations.
- Summer 2002 \* Committee chair and advisor for 1 new Ph.D. student (Carrie Castille).  
 \* Guest Lecturer. (RNR 7001 Research Methods). Market Research and Survey Based Research Methods.  
 \* Committee member to 1 new Ph.D. student (Brian Via).
- Spring 2002 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Masters student (Sanna Kallioranta)  
 \* Developed and taught new graduate-level course FOR 7029, Marketing of Forest Products.  
 \* Committee member to 2 new Masters students (Doleswar Bhandari, Liu Yaojian)
- Fall 2001 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one Ph.D. student (Ben Donkor)  
 \* Committee member to 1 new Ph.D. student (Carrie Mendoza)  
 \* Committee chair and advisor to 1 new Masters student (Sanna Kallioranta)
- Summer 2001 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for one masters student (Sanna Kallioranta)
- Spring 2001 \* Directed study (FOR 8900) for two doctoral students (Kofi Poku, Ben Donkor)  
 \* Committee chair and advisor to 3 new Ph.D. students (Ben Donkor, Stacy Crevello, Indah Kusuma).  
 \* Committee member for 1 new Ph.D. student (Wei Li).
- Spring 2000 \* Committee chair and advisor to 1 new Ph.D. student (Brian Stewart).
- Fall 1999 \* **Graduated Masters student. Kofi Poku. Thesis Title: "WOOD PROPERTIES AND MARKET POTENTIAL OF THREE LESSER-USED TROPICAL HARDWOOD SPECIES FROM GHANA"**
- Summer 1999 \* **Graduated Masters student. Olivian Pitis. Thesis title: "FOREST PRODUCTS EXPORTING AND THE INFORMATION SUPERHIGHWAY".**  
 \* Graduate directed study (FOR 8900) for one student (Olivian Pitis). "An Overview of Intranet Technologies."
- Spring 1999 \* **Graduated Masters student. Christopher Dupuy. Thesis Title: "ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE IN THE WOOD PRODUCT MANUFACTURERS INDUSTRY: CURRENT STATUS AND PROJECTED TRENDS".**  
 \* Undergraduate directed study for one student. "A Study of wood products industry Advertising."
- Fall 1998 \* Taught FOR 4042, Forest Products Marketing.  
 \* Committee chair and advisor to two new Masters students (Olivian Pitis and Kofi Poku).  
 \* Committee member for two Ph.D. students (Yukun Ren and Ziqiang Lu)  
 \* Committee member for two international Masters students (Eduardo Sandoval and Saul Carrillo) at the Center for International Tropical Agriculture Research and Teaching (CATIE) in Turrialba, Costa Rica.
- Summer 1998 \* Committee chair and advisor to one new Masters student (Christopher Dupuy).
- Spring 1998 \* **Graduated Ph.D. student. Nicolas Koudou. Dissertation Title: "SUSTAINABLE FOREST RESOURCES UTILIZATION AND IMPLICATIONS FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA: A CASE STUDY OF COTE D'IVOIRE".**
- 1997-1998 \* Masters Thesis Outside Examiner for a student in the Department of Economics and Marketing, Lincoln University, Canterbury, New Zealand. Paveena Angsuvat. Thesis Title: **"INTERORGANISATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN CLIENT AND ADVERTISING AGENCY: THE EFFECT OF THE EXTERNAL ENVIRONMENT."**
- Spring 1997 \* Taught two directed study courses for one graduate and one undergraduate student.  
 \* Committee member for Masters student in Forestry Policy (Heather Barnhart).
- Spring 1996 \* Developed and taught new course "Forest Products Marketing" FOR 4042-graduate and undergraduate  
 \* Taught Graduate Seminar FOR 7071-13 students  
 \* Committee member for two doctoral students (Han Roliadi and Eva Haviorova).
- Spring 1995 \* Committee chair and advisor for two new doctoral students in Forest Products Marketing (Nicolas Koudou and Paul Chance)  
 \* Directed study for one doctoral student and one honors undergraduate in economic development policies research directed at the secondary wood products industry (Anne Burrel-Smith).

## AFFILIATIONS

- Consortium for Research on Renewable Industrial Materials (CORRIM).
- International Society of Tropical Foresters
- Center for Natural Resources Economics and Policy
- Louisiana Forestry Association
- Forest Products Society
- Society of Wood Science and Technology
- International Union of Forest Research Organizations
- International Association for Economics and Management in Wood Processing and Furniture Manufacturing-WoodEMA
- Society of American Foresters

## HONORS AND AWARDS

- Recipient of the Forest Products Society 2019 Gottshalk Award for lifetime contributions to the Society.
- Named Crosby Land & Resources, LLC. Endowed Professor in Forest Sector Business Development. 2009
- Recipient of 2008-2009 Southern Regional Extension Forestry Silver Award in the Computer Software and/or Website category for building and maintaining the United Nations "Current Issues in Forestry and Forest Products Markets Website"
- Recipient of 2008-2009 Southern Regional Extension Forestry Silver Award in the Journal Publication category for "A Regional View of Extension Employee Perceptions of Scholarship in the Workplace" published in the Journal of Extension.
- Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service's Partnership Award for Innovative Program Models. 2008. Member of a team of faculty members and administrators from the LSU AgCenter. Presented by the U.S. Department of Agriculture for innovative efforts after the devastation of hurricanes Katrina and Rita in 2005. Oct. 21 in Washington, D.C.
- Award of Excellence. Outstanding Chapter-2007. Membership Chair. Mid-South Section. Forest Products Society.
- LSU Kiwanis Club 2008 Outstanding Leadership Award.
- Silver Award for Excellence. 2007-2008 Southern Regional Extension Forestry. Area of Multi-State or Regional Project. Certified Forests: Preparing Private Landowners for the Future. Co-PIs: Michael Dunn and Glenn Hughes. 2008.
- Silver Award for Excellence. 2007-2008 Southern Regional Extension Forestry. Area of Computer Software & Web Sites for work on developing the Louisiana Forest Industries Web Site ([www.lsuagcenter.com/forestindustries](http://www.lsuagcenter.com/forestindustries)). February 6, 2008
- Silver Award for Excellence. 2007-2008 Southern Regional Extension Forestry. Area of Journal Publications for his article in the Journal of Extension titled "Web-based Communities as a Tool for Extension and Outreach." The article was co-authored by Dr. Sanna M. Kallioranta, Consultant with Pöyry Forest Industry Consulting in New York, and Scott Leavengood, Wood Products Extension Agent, Dept. of Wood Science & Engineering, Oregon State University. 2008.
- Society of Wood Science & Technology, 2006 Poster Competition-3<sup>rd</sup> Place. First author: Emmanuel Kodzi, Second author: Rado Gazo. Newport Beach, California.
- Member. Alpha Alpha Chapter (LSU) of Epsilon Sigma Phi ( $\text{E}\Sigma\Phi$ ). Professional organization for excellence in Extension programming.
- Elected Fellow, Institute of Wood Science 2005
- Louisiana State University 2004 Student Association Advisor of the Year (International Student Association)
- 2004 LSU AgCenter Diversity in the Workplace Award.
- Member, Phi Kappa Phi ( $\Phi\text{K}\Phi$ ), The Honor Society for Academic Excellence, Louisiana State University Chapter 43, Inducted April 2002.
- Gamma Sigma Delta ( $\Gamma\Sigma\Delta$ ), Louisiana State University Chapter 2002 Outstanding Researcher Award.
- Society of Wood Science and Technology 2000 Visiting Scientist Award (Virginia Polytechnic and State University, Blacksburg, Virginia). February 26-March 1.
- Member, Gamma Sigma Delta ( $\Gamma\Sigma\Delta$ ), The Honor Society of Agriculture. Inducted November 1999.
- Society of Wood Science and Technology 2000 Visiting Scientist Award (Virginia Polytechnic Institute and University.) February 27-March 1.
- Peter A. Soderbergh Award. Outstanding Presentation. 1999. "Computer Technology in the College of Agriculture Classroom". The Higher Education (THE) Forum: Keeping the Touch in Technology. Louisiana State University Agricultural Center Student Union Ballroom. Baton Rouge, Louisiana. April 19, 1999. With Dr. Teresa Summers.
- ANBAR Citation of Excellence. Highest Quality Rating for the publication: Wilson, Elizabeth J. and R.P. Vlosky. 1997. "Partnering Relationship Activities: Building Theory From Case Study Research." J. Business Research. 39(1): 59-70.
- Member, Xi Sigma Pi ( $\Xi\Sigma\Pi$ ), Forestry National Honor Society. Inducted 1976.

**OTHER**

- 2016. Hosted visiting scholars, Renata Stasiak-Betlejewska & Robert Ulewicz. Częstochowa University of Technology, Poland.
- 2013. Hosted visiting scholar, Minli Wan, University of Helsinki.
- 2010. Hosted visiting scholar, Dr. Toshiaki Owari, from the University of Tokyo, Hokkaido Campus.
- 2009. Hosted visiting scholar, Andreja Pirc, from the University of Zagreb, Croatia. Research examined innovation in the US furniture industry.
- 1995-1996. Hosted a visiting scholar from South Korea. Research examined global implications of environmental marketing and international trade opportunities between the United States and South Korea.
- International Experience in the following countries: Australia (2), Austria (2), Belgium, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Brazil (2), Canada (7), Costa Rica (4), Croatia (4), Czech Republic (3), Finland, France (2), Germany, Ghana (2), Honduras (15), India, Italy (2), Japan (2), Kenya, Malaysia, Mexico (3), Montenegro, New Zealand, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania (3), Russia (2), Scotland, Serbia (4), Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Korea (2), Spain, Sri Lanka (5), Sweden (2), Switzerland (8), Turkey, and Venezuela.