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Research Interests

Numerical methods and parallel algorithms for climate modeling. Fluid dynamics modeling and the numerical approximation of conservation laws.

Education

Ph.D.	Applied Mathematics	University of Tennessee	1991
M.S.	Applied Mathematics	Purdue University	1979
B.S.	Mathematics	University of Kentucky	1977

Experience

1984 - *Computer Science and Mathematics Division*, Oak Ridge National Laboratory

1979-1984, *Engineering Mechanics Section*, Oak Ridge National Laboratory

Selected Publications

- “A Standard Test Set for Numerical Approximations to the Shallow Water Equations on the Sphere”, D.L. Williamson, J.B. Drake, J.J. Hack, R. Jakob and P.N. Swarztrauber, *J. Comp. Phys.* Vol. 102 (1992), pp. 211-224
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