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Resume

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Education

- **Ph.D.** in Cartography and Geographical Information System, Institute of Remote Sensing Applications, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China, 1996-1998
- **M.S.** in Cartography and Remote Sensing, Xinjiang Institute of Ecology and Geography, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China, 1990-1993
- **B.S.** in Natural Geography, Department of Geography, Shandong Normal University, China, 1985-1989

Research Interests

- Applications of remote sensing and geographical information system
- Eco-model designed and application
- Coupling of UVB data and satellite data(TOMS , GOME, MODIS)
- Land use / Land cover
- Retrieved land surface flux parameters from Remote Sensing data (MODIS/ETM/TM)

Employment

- 2002-present: Institute of Remote Sensing Applications, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China, Associate Research Professor. Short term scholar research of UVB Programs of CSU
- 2000-2002: Natural Resource Ecology Laboratory, Colorado State University, Colorado, USA, Post Doc. Researcher
- 1998-2000: State Key Lab of Resource and Environment Information System, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China, Post Doc. Researcher

Experience

- I have studied and worked in the Chinese Academy of Science for 19 years. My research field includes applications of remote sensing, geographical information systems, land use/land cover cartography, ecosystem modeling, impacts of UV-B on crops using an eco-model, and applications for coupling of field (in-situ) UV-B data and TOMS satellite data.
- As a visiting short-term scholar/researcher, my work includes UV-B data in the eco-model, and I have written several papers about NPP and UV-B. For several months each year I have processed UV-B data, studied impacts of UV-B on crops and ecosystems, and improved the coupling of in-situ UV-B data and TOMS satellite data.

- I continue to process the data for various parameters of CWRP (a regional Climate-Weather Research and Forecasting model) for the USA to simulate the impacts of UV-B and climate on crops.
- I have refined the GeoPro model (eco-model) code to simulate the impact of UV-B on ecosystems and used remote sensing models to retrieve land surface flux to validate the GeoPro model. I have downloaded and processed TOMS satellite data from 1978 to 2006 for analyzing the relationship between UV-B ground data and satellite data.
- My future research will include applications using the coupling of TOMS and in-situ UV-B data, simulation modeling for impacts of UVB on crops, and coupling of remote sensing data with the eco-model to study ecosystems under impacts of UV-B.

Publications

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