# **Curriculum Vitae, One-Page Summary**

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# Jim Heitholt, Ph.D.

## **Employment**

University of Wyoming (2018-present): Crop Physiologist and Director, Powell Research and Experiment Station. Duties include center administration and stakeholder outreach.

University of Wyoming (2014 – 2018): Crop Physiologist, Professor, and Department Head, Department of Plant Sciences, College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, University of Wyoming, Laramie. Duties include station administration and stakeholder outreach.

**Texas A&M Commerce (2008 – 2014):** Crop Physiologist, Professor and Head, Department of Agricultural Sciences. I coordinated the teaching, service, and research activities of faculty and staff and the University Farm. Academic programs within the department included Agribusiness, Agricultural Education, Agricultural Sciences, Animal Science, and Horticulture. My research was to identify genotypes of soybean that were tolerant to drought and biotic pests.

**Texas AgriLife Research Employment (1999 - 2008):** Crop Physiologist. My work was to identify soybean, wheat, and turfgrass genotypes for stress tolerance. I also developed soybean germplasm for drought and stink bug tolerance tests in north Texas and beyond. My responsibilities included a one-course-per-year teaching assignment at TAMU-Commerce.

**Pre-Texas Employment (1978 - 1999):** I worked as a yield physiologist with soybean, wheat, and cotton at three Midwestern USA universities and two USDA-ARS facilities. Research objectives were to identify whole plant traits associated with yield. Results were published in scientific journals (e.g., *Crop Science*) and presented at scientific meetings.

Education: Ph.D.: Crop Science, University of Kentucky, 1984

**Administrative Philosophy** – Effective communication, foster an environment for a positive workplace, encourage solid science, prioritize unit before all other matters, commitment to diversity, open door policy.

**Publications** – 32 senior-authored refereed papers, co-author on 29 other refereed papers

# **Courses Taught Multiple Times**

Agricultural and Biological Instrumentation Crop Physiology

Botany Introduction to Plant Science

Design and Analysis of Biological Experiments

**Service** Coordinator for Texas Soybean Workers Group, 2000 - 2008

Assoc. Ed. - Crop Science (6 yr), J. Cotton Sci. (2 yr), Crop Management (2 yr)

Div. Chair, Crop Physiol. and Metabolism, Crop Sci. Soc. Amer. 2010

**Grants** Senior author and lead investigator of 52 submitted proposals (31 funded)

#### Curriculum Vitae (full version)

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#### **Education**

1980 - 1984 University of Kentucky, Ph.D. Crop Science, 1984

1978 - 1980 University of Missouri, M.S. Agronomy, 1980

1974 - 1978 Western Illinois University, B.S. Agronomy, 1978

#### **Administrative Experience**

2018 – present, Director, Powell Research and Experiment Station, Univ. Wyoming

2014 – 2018, Dept. Head, Department of Plant Sciences, University of Wyoming

2008 – 2014, Dept. Head, Dept. Agric. Sci., Texas A&M University – Commerce Also served as interim head, Dept. Biol. Environ. Sci. (July 2012 to August 2013)

#### **Research Experience**

- 2014 present, Professor and Crop Physiologist, Univ. of Wyoming, Laramie, WY
- 2008 2014, Professor and Crop Physiologist, Texas A&M-Commerce and Texas A&M AgriLife Research
- 2006 2008, Professor and Crop Physiologist, Texas AgriLife Research, Dallas with 10% Teaching Appointment, TAMU-Commerce, Agric. Sci. Dept.
- 1999 2005, Associate Professor and Soybean Agronomist, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Dallas, TX, with 10% teaching appointment, TAMU-C
- 1988 1999, Plant Physiologist, Crop Genetics and Production Research Unit, USDA-ARS, Stoneville, MS
- 1987 1988, Research Associate, Foreign Disease Weed Science Research Unit, USDA ARS, Frederick, MD
- 1984 1987, Research Associate, Dept. of Agronomy, Okla. State Univ., Stillwater, OK
- 1980 1984, Graduate Research Assistant, Dept. of Agronomy, Univ. of Kentucky, Lexington, KY
- 1978 1980, Graduate Research Assistant, Dept. of Agronomy, Univ. Missouri-Columbia

#### **Refereed Publications (senior authored)**

- 1. Heitholt, J.J. and G.F. Sassenrath-Cole. 2009. Intra-plant competition: Growth responses to row spacing and plant density. p.179-188. In: Stewart, J. McD., D.M. Oosterhuis, J.J. Heitholt, and J. R. Mauney. 2009. Physiology of Cotton. Springer, Inc., Dordrecht, Netherlands. 564 pp.
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- 4. Heitholt, J.J., J.B. Farr, A.E. Knutson, and B. Langston. 2006. Early-season thrips (Thysanoptera: Thripidae) control and soybean yield in north Texas. Southwestern Entomologist. 31:113-120.
- 5. Heitholt, J.J., J.B. Farr, and R. Eason. 2005. Cultivar-by-planting configuration effects on soybean in low-yield environments. Crop Sci. 45:1800-1808.
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  Online. Crop Management. doi:1094/cm-2005-0329-01-RS.
- 7. Heitholt, J.J., D. Kee, J.B. Farr, J. Read, S. Metz, and C.T. MacKown. 2004. Forage from soybean provides an alternative to its poor grain yield in the southern Great Plains. Online. Crop Management. doi: 10.1094/CM-2004-0406-01-RS.
- 8. Heitholt, J.J., J.J. Sloan, C.T. MacKown, and R. Cabrera. 2003. Soybean growth on a calcareous soil as affected by three iron sources. J. Plant Nutr. 26:935-948.
- 9. Heitholt, J.J., J.J. Sloan, and C.T. MacKown. 2002. Copper, manganese, and zinc fertilization effects on growth of soybean on a calcareous soil. J. Plant Nutr. 25:1727-1740.
- 10. Heitholt, J.J., J.H. Schmidt, and J.E. Mulrooney. 2001. Effect of foliar-applied salicylic acid on cotton flowering, boll retention, and yield. J. Miss. Acad. Sci. 46:105-109.
- 11. Heitholt, J.J. 1999. Cotton: Factors associated with assimilation capacity, flower production, boll set, and yield. pp. 235-269. In Smith, D.L. and C. Hamel (eds.). Crop yield: Physiology and Processes. Springer, Berlin, Germany.

## Refereed Publications (senior authored), continued

- 12. Heitholt, J.J., W.R. Meredith, Jr., and S.T. Rayburn. 1999. Leaf area index response of modern and obsolete cotton cultivars at two nitrogen levels. J. Plant Nutr. 21:2319-2328.
- 13. Heitholt, J.J. and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1998. Yield, flowering, and leaf area index of okra-leaf and normal-leaf cotton isolines. Crop Sci. 38:643-648.
- 14. Heitholt, J.J. and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1998. Factors affecting yield of okra-leaf cotton types in the Mississippi Delta. Proceedings World Cotton Res. Conf. 2. Athens, Greece, 6-12 Sept., pp. 502-505.
- 15. Heitholt, J.J. 1997. Floral bud removal from specific fruiting positions in cotton: Yield and fiber quality. Crop Sci. 37:826-832.
- 16. Heitholt, J.J., W.R. Meredith, Jr., and J.R. Williford. 1996. Comparison of cotton genotypes varying in canopy characteristics in 76-cm and 102-cm rows. Crop Sci. 36:955-960.
- 17. Heitholt, J.J. 1995. Cotton flowering and boll retention in different planting configurations and leaf shapes. Agron. J. 87:994-998.
- 18. Heitholt, J.J. 1994. Comparison of adjuvant effects on cotton leaf potassium concentration and lint yield. J. Plant Nutr. 17:2221-2233.
- 19. Heitholt, J.J. 1994. Canopy characteristics associated with deficient and excessive cotton plant densities. Crop Sci. 34:1291-1297.
- 20. Heitholt, J.J. 1994. Effects of foliar urea- and triazone-nitrogen, with and without boron, on cotton. J. Plant Nutr. 17:57-70.
- 21. Heitholt, J.J. 1994. Supplemental boron, boll retention percentage, ovary carbohydrates, and lint yield of modern cotton genotypes. Agron. J. 86:492-497.
- 22. Heitholt, J.J. and J.H. Schmidt. 1994. Receptacle and ovary assimilate concentrations and subsequent boll retention in cotton. Crop Sci. 34:125-131.
- 23. Heitholt, J.J. 1993. Cotton boll retention and its relationship to lint yield. Crop Sci. 33:486-490.
- 24. Heitholt J.J., W.T. Pettigrew, and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1993. Growth, boll opening rate, and fiber properties of narrow row cotton. Agron. J. 85:590-594.
- 25. Heitholt, J.J., W.T. Pettigrew, and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1992. Light interception and lint yield of narrow row cotton. Crop Sci. 32:728-733.

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- 26. Heitholt, J.J., R.C. Johnson, and D.M. Ferris. 1991. Stomatal limitation to carbon dioxide assimilation in nitrogen- and drought-stressed wheat. Crop Sci. 31:135-139.
- 27. Heitholt, J.J., R.H. Hodgson, and T.J. Tworkoski. 1990. Toxicity and uptake of nitroguanidine in plants. Bull. Environ. Contam. Toxicol. 44:751-758.
- 28. Heitholt, J.J., L.I. Croy, N.O. Maness, and H.T. Nguyen. 1990. Nitrogen partitioning in genotypes of winter wheat differing in grain N concentration. Field Crops Res. 23:133-144.
- 29. Heitholt, J.J. 1989. Water use efficiency and dry matter distribution in nitrogen- and water-stressed winter wheat. Agron. J. 81:464-469.
- 30. Heitholt, J.J., D.B. Egli, and J.E. Leggett. 1986. Characteristics of reproductive abortion in soybean. Crop Sci. 26:589-595.
- 31. Heitholt, J.J., D.B. Egli, J.E. Leggett, and C.T. MacKown. 1986. Role of assimilate and carbon-14 photosynthate partitioning in soybean reproductive abortion. Crop Sci. 26:999-1004.
- 32. Heitholt, J.J. and D.B. Egli. 1985. Influence of deflowering on dry matter production of soybeans. Field Crops Res. 12:163-173.

## **Coauthored Refereed Publications Only**

- 1. Sloan, J.J., P. Ampin, Y., T. Boerth, J.J. Heitholt, and Y. Wu. 2016. Improving the physical and chemical properties of a disturbed soil using drying-bed biosolids. Comm. Soil Sci. Plant Anal. DOI:10.1080/00103624.1179751.
- 2. Wherley, B., J. Heitholt, A. Chandra, and P. Skulkaew. 2014. Supplemental irrigation requirements of zoysiagrass and bermudagrass cultivars. Crop Sci. 54:1823-1831.
- 3. Washburn, J.D., D.K. Whitmire, S.C. Murray, B.L. Burson, T.A. Wickersham, J.J. Heitholt, R.W. Jessup. 2013. Estimation of rhizome composition and over-wintering ability in perennial *Sorghum* spp. using near infrared spectroscopy (NIRS). BioEnergy Res. 6:822-829.
- 4. Reinert, J.A., M.C. Engelke, and J.J. Heitholt. 2011. Hunting billbug (Coleoptera:Curculionidae) resistance among zoysiagrass (*Zoysia* spp.) cultivars. Florida Entomologist 94:613-621.

#### **Coauthored Refereed Publications (continued)**

- 5. Campos, M., A. Knutson, J. Heitholt, and C. Campos. 2010. Resistance to seed feeding by southern green stink bug, *Nezara viridula* (Linnaeus), in soybean, *Glycine max* (L.) Merrill. Southwestern Entomol. 35:233-239.
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- 11. Sloan, J.J., M.C. Engelke, and J.J. Heitholt. 2005. Turf response to Superferrite fertilizer in contrasting soil types. Commun. Soil Sci. Plant Anal. 30:2641-2655.
- 12. Colbaugh, P.F., E.A. Williams, J.A. McAfee, and J.J. Heitholt. 2005. Use of Sphagnum peat moss topdressing to control take-all root rot of St. Augustinegrass (*Stenotaphrum secundatum*). Internat. Turf. Soc. Res. J. 10:170-174.
- 13. Davidonis, G.H., O.A. Richard, B.F. Ingber, W.R. Meredith, and J.J. Heitholt. 2005. The influence of cotton seed weight on fibers per seed and fiber property uniformity. J. New Seeds 7(3):1-13 (online doi: 10.1300/J153v07n03\_01).
- 14. Reinert, J.A., J.C. Read, J. McCoy, J.J. Heitholt, and R.J. Bauernfeind. 2005. Susceptibility of *Poa* spp. to bluegrass billbug (*Sphenophorus parvulus*). Int. Turfgrass Soc. Res. J. 10:772-778.
- 15. Egli, D.B., D.M. TeKrony, J.J. Heitholt, and J. Rupe. 2005. Air temperature during seed filling and soybean seed germination and vigor. Crop Sci. 45:1329-1335. doi:10.2135/cropsci2004.0029.
- 16. Abbas, H.K., C.T. Bryson, and J.J. Heitholt. 1999. Edema on tropical soda apple (*Solanum viarum*) and sticky nightshade (*Solanum sisymbriifolium*). J. Miss. Acad. Sci. 44:121-127.

#### **Coauthored Refereed Publications (continued)**

- 17. Meredith, W.R., Jr., J.J. Heitholt, W.T. Pettigrew, and S.T. Rayburn. 1997. Comparison of obsolete and modern cotton cultivars at two nitrogen levels. Crop Sci. 37:1453-1457.
- 18. Meredith, W.R., Jr., W.T. Pettigrew, and J.J. Heitholt. 1996. Sub-okra, semi-smoothness, and nectariless effect on cotton performance. Crop Sci. 36:22-25.
- 19. Pettigrew, W.T., J.J. Heitholt, and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1996. Genotypic interaction with potassium and nitrogen in cotton of varied maturity. Agron. J. 88:89-93.
- 20. van Iersel, M.W., J.J. Heitholt, R. Wells, and D.M. Oosterhuis. 1995. Foliar methanol applications to cotton in the southeastern United States: leaf physiology, growth, and yield components. Agron. J. 87:1157-1160.
- 21. Madsen, K.H., J.J. Heitholt, S.O. Duke, R.J. Smeda, and J.C. Streibig. 1995.

  Photosynthetic parameters in glyphosate-treated sugarbeets (*Beta vulgaris* L.).

  Weed Research 35:81-88.
- 22. Nimbal, C.I., J.J. Heitholt, D.R. Shaw, and S.O. Duke. 1995. Photosynthetic performance of MSMA-resistant and -susceptible Mississippi biotypes of common cocklebur. Pestic. Biochem. Physiol. 53:129-137.
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- 24. Pettigrew, W.T., J.J. Heitholt, and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1993. Early season ethephon application effects on cotton photosynthesis. Agron. J. 85:821-825.
- 25. Pettigrew, W.T., J.J. Heitholt, and K.C. Vaughn. 1993. Gas exchange differences and comparative anatomy among cotton leaf-type isolines. Crop Sci. 33:1295-1299.
- 26. Pettigrew, W.T., J.J. Heitholt, and W.R. Meredith, Jr. 1992. Early season floral bud removal and cotton growth, yield, and fiber quality. Agron. J. 84:209-214.
- 27. Egli, D.B., R.D. Guffy, and J.J. Heitholt. 1987. Factors associated with lower yields of delayed plantings of soybean. Zeitschrift fur Ackerund (Journal of Agronomy and Crop Science) 159:176-185.
- 28. Johnson, R.C., D.W. Mornhinweg, J.J. Heitholt, and D.M. Ferris. 1987. Leaf photosynthesis and conductance of selected *Triticum* species at different water potentials. Plant Physiol. 83:1014-1017.
- 29. Triplett, E.W., J.J. Heitholt, K.B. Evensen, and D.G. Blevins. 1981. Increases in internode length of *Phaseolus lunatus* L. caused by inoculation with a nitrate reductase-deficient strain of *Rhizobium* sp. Plant Physiol. 67:1-4.

#### **Abstracts and other Nonrefereed Publications**

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- A2. Heitholt, J., A. Alhasan, A. Homer, and K. Madden. 2018. 2017 (CDBN) Dry bean performance evaluation (Lingle). Wyo. Agric. Exp. Stn. Bull. p. 98-99.
- A3. Rai, A., J. Heitholt, and V. Sharma. 2018. Dry bean growth dynamics in response to deficit irrigation under surface- and sprinkler-irrigation systems. Wyo. Agric. Exp. Stn. Bull. p. 76-77.
- A4. Norton, J. and J. Heitholt. 2018. Edible dry bean as part of improved crop rotations in Wyoming. Wyo. Agric. Exp. Stn. Bull. p. 72-73.
- A5. Alhasan, A., and J. Heitholt. 2017. Differential response of fifteen pinto bean cultivars to two nitrogen rates. Bean Improv. Coop. Rep. 60:65-66.
- A6. Alhasan, A., and J. Heitholt. 2017. Chlorophyll and vegetative traits of eighteen dry bean (*Phaseolus vulgaris* L.) genotypes grown with zero fertilizer N and 60 pounds N per acre. Wyo. Agric. Exp. Stn. Field Days Bull.
- A7. Heitholt, J., and A. Piccorelli. 2017. Yield and stomatal conductance response of experimental dry bean genotypes to drought under greenhouse conditions. Wyo. Agric. Exp. Stn. Field Days Bull. (in press).
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- 1. Screening and Developing Dry Bean Varieties that Use Less Water and Fertilizer. 2017. Wyoming Dept. Agric. Specialty Crop Block Grant Program (funded for \$24,421).
- 2. Heitholt, J.J., M. Womochil, M. Humphreys, S. Dhekney, A. Erickson, K. Klement, G. Sbatella, D. Perry, and A. Leighton. "Exploring Agriculture" Learning Opportunities for Under-Represented Populations that Focus on Field, Greenhouse, Natural Resources, and Mechanization Experiences. USDA-NIFA. Higher Ed Challenge Grant (funded for \$26,546).
- 3. Heitholt, J.J., S.J. Clough, J. Davis, M.O. Way, and C. Allen. 2012. Screening the USDA Germplasm Collection for tolerance to the redbanded stink bug (*Piezodorus guildinii*) and its Associated Pathogenic Yeast (*Eremothecium coryli*) (Year 1 of 3). United Soybean Board. Allocated \$126,197 with \$20,380 for Heitholt. Funded again for 2013.
- 3. Heitholt, J.J and C. Jones. 2011. Screening and Development of Soybean Genotypes with Tolerance to Stink Bug in the Southern USA Year 2 of 3. United Soybean Board. Awarded \$8,000.
- 4. Heitholt, J.J., B.R. Leonard, P. Chen. 2007-2010. Screening Experimental Soybean Lines and Development of Cultivars with Tolerance to Stink Bugs in the Southern USA. United Soybean Board. \$18,000 to 23,000 per year renewed annually.
- 5. Heitholt, J.J. 2010. Evaluation of Experimental Soybean Lines for Drought Tolerance under Greenhouse Conditions. Texas Soybean Board. \$13,000.
- 6. Heitholt, J.J., M. Engelke, A. Chandra, and B. Wherley. 2008-2010. Screening turfgrass genotypes for drought tolerance in a renovated linear gradient irrigation system. Turfgrass Producers of Texas. \$10,000 annually.

Lead on 23 other funded grants since 1999.

#### **Invited Talks and Other Requests**

- 1. How Drought Impacts Vegetable Crops. Master Gardener Meeting, Sheridan, WY. June 2016.
- 2. Dry Bean Cultivar Performance in Southeast Wyoming and Beyond. Northern Bean Annual Grower Meeting. Torrington, WY. Feb 2016.
- 3. The Texas A&M University-Commerce Farmers Market: Attracting "Traffic" in a Region where Disposable Income is Limited. For USDA Socially-Disadvantaged Producer Grant Project. December 2013.

## **Invited Talks and Other Requests (continued)**

- 4. Lessons-Learned from Operating a Pick-Your-Own Fruit Operation. For USDA Socially-Disadvantaged Producer Grant Project. March 2013.
- 5. Screening for Tolerance to Redbanded Stink Bug within the USDA Soybean Germplasm Collection. Dep. Biology, UT-Arlington. March 2013.
- 6. Impact of Stink Bug in Southern Soybean: Potential for Host Plant Resistance. Keynote Speaker. Texas A&M-Commerce Annual Research Symposium. April 2010.
- 7. Screening Soybean Genotypes for Tolerance to Stink Bugs Using Choice and No-Choice Procedures. Texas Plant Protection Conference. December 2009.
- 8. Invited by Crop Physiology Chair to preside over session on plant stress. American Society of Agronomy, Pittsburgh, PA. November 2009.
- 9. Dealing with Stink Bug in Southern US Soybean. Biology Guest Speaker. Collin County Community College. November 2009.
- 10. Screening Soybean for Tolerance to Stink Bug. Soybean Breeder Workshop. St. Louis, MO. 17 February 2009.
- 11. Math-Sci Fest, Fall 2008. Presented demonstration workshop to high school students on making milk from soybean and presented summary of educational opportunities for Department of Agricultural Sciences.
- 12. Screening Soybean for Tolerance to Biotic and Abiotic Stress in Texas. Texas Soybean Association, El Campo, TX. Feb. 2008.
- 13. Soybean Growth Stages and their Relationship to Asian Soybean Rust Control. Paris, TX. July 2007.
- 14. Soybean Genotype Evaluations in Texas. Texas Soybean Production Conference. El Campo, TX, February 2007.
- 15. Soybean Variety Development and Evaluation in Texas. Texas Soybean Production Conference. Bay City, TX, February 2006.
- 16. Spike and Canopy Traits of Winter Wheat Cultivars: Relationship to Heat Tolerance. Texas Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Lubbock, TX. December 2005.
- 17. Soybean Variety Evaluations in Texas, Texas Soybean Production Conference, Victoria, TX, February 2005.

## **Invited Talks and Other Requests (continued)**

- 18. Invited by Chair of Soybean Breeders Workshop Conference to serve as Agronomy session Chair, St. Louis, MO., February 2005.
- 19. Review of Soybean Research in Texas. Texas Soybean Production Conference, Victoria, TX, February 2004.
- 20. Planting Date-by-Variety Effects of Soybean Yield. Collin County (TX) Field Day. July 2003.
- 21. Agronomic Practices and Soybean Yield. Prosper (TX) Crop Management Field Day. June 2003.
- 22. Organic Amendments in Vegetable Production John Sloan and Jim Heitholt, Turf and Ornamental Field Day. TAMU-Dallas. September 2003.
- 23. Effect of Row Spacing and Seeding Rate on Soybean Yield. Upper Gulf Coast Soybean Seminar, Edna, Texas, 6 February 2002
- 24. Soybean Research Information, Crops Production Seminars, Hunt and Delta Counties, 16 January 2002, Commerce, TX
- 25. Cultivar-by-Planting Configuration Effects on Soybean Yield. Presented to the Soybean Breeders, Agronomist, Physiologists Workshop, 19 February 2002, St. Louis.
- 26. Summary of Soybean Research in Northeast Texas. Presented brief talks at the field days for Collin and Lamar Counties in July and August 2002.
- 27. Presented Seeding Rate and Row Spacing Talk at Paris, Texas for the Texas Soybean Association Annual Meeting in February 2002.
- 28. Invited by Cotton Physiology Program Chair to preside over one session at Cotton Beltwide meeting in San Antonio in January 1998.
- 29. Invited by Dr. D.R. Ort and S.C. Huber to present a talk "Will a different leaf shaped cotton improve production efficiency?" at a conference entitled "ARS Research Frontiers in Photosynthate Production, Partitioning, and Utilization" held in Monticello, IL in March 1996.
- 30. Invited by Cotton Physiology Program Chair to preside over one session at Cotton Beltwide meeting in San Antonio in January 1995.
- 31. Invited by CSSA C-2 program chair to preside over seminar session entitled "Yield development: Crop development and assimilate partitioning" at the 1994 American Society of Agronomy meeting in Seattle in November 1994.

## **Invited Talks and Other Requests (continued)**

- 32. Invited by Mississippi State University Department of Biochemistry in Starkville, MS to present seminar entitled "Physiological differences associated with cotton leaf shape" in May 1994.
- 33. Invited by USDA-ARS Crop Simulation Research Unit in Starkville, MS to present a seminar entitled "Factors affecting fruit retention in cotton" in February 1993.
- 34. Invited by Cotton Physiology Chairman to preside over one session at Cotton Beltwide meeting in New Orleans in January 1993.
- 35. Invited by National Cotton Council and Potash & Phosphate Institute to present a field demonstration entitled "Foliar Potassium Surfactants" in August 1992.
- 36. Invited by Cotton Physiology Chairman to preside over one session at Cotton Beltwide meeting in San Antonio in January 1991.
- 37. Invited by Crop Science Society's C-2 Division (Crop Physiology and Metabolism) Chair to preside over a session entitled "Photosynthesis and carbohydrate partitioning" at the 1990 ASA meetings in San Antonio, TX in October 1990.
- 38. Uptake and apparent volatilization of nitroguanidine in three crop species. USDA-ARS, Stoneville, MS, September 1988.
- 39. Toxicity of nitroguanidine in soybean and tall fescue. Sunflower Army Ammunition Plant, DeSoto, KS in August 1988.

#### Advisory, Consultant, and Other Activities

#### M.S. Graduate Theses Led

Lauren Ramsey. M.S. Thesis. Effects of Including Okara into the Diet of Post-Weanling Crossbred Boer Goats and its Impact on Growth and Performance. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2012.

Niccole Rech. M.S. Thesis. Morphological Characterization and Fungicide Sensitivity of *Phytophthora* species in Texas. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2010.

David K. Colbert. M.S. Thesis. Efficacy of Commercially-Classed Inoculant Groups from Rhizobia and Application Rate on Pigeon Pea (*Cajanus cajan*) for Forage Production. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2010.

A. Daniel Hathcoat. M.S. Thesis. Comparison of Soil-Applied Poultry Litter and Ammonium Nitrate for Optimizing Cotton Yield in North Texas. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2007.

#### Graduate Student Thesis Committee Member

Abdelaziz Nilahyane. Ph.D. Thesis. Effect of irrigation and nitrogen rates on yield, quality, and physiological traits of silage corn. Univ. Wyoming. 2016.

Vijaya Joshi. M.S. Thesis. Irrigation management for confection sunflower production in the Bighorn Basin, Univ. Wyoming. 2015. Co-led with Axel Garcia y Garcia.

Bhargavi Sowmya Chilukuri. M.S. Thesis. Development of Heterogeneous Mesoporous Acid Catalyst for the Esterification of Oleic Acid with Methanol. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2014.

Cheng Chen. M.S. Thesis. Seed Germination in Green Roof Media. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Barton Day. Determination of ACCase Tolerance in Italian Ryegrass (*Lolium multiflorum*) in Northeast Texas. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Nate Hanson. M.S. Thesis. Novel Ultrasound Techniques with Starch Based Heterogeneous Acid Catalysts for Biodiesel Synthesis. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Camilla Pearson, M.S. Thesis. Concerns of Early Career Agricultural Science Teachers and the Perceived Effectiveness of Educator Preparation Programs in Addressing those Concerns. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Mirian J. Ortez Ferrufino. M.S. Thesis. Effect of Late-Season Fertilizer and Herbicide Application on the Recovery of a Bermudagrass (*Cynodon dactylon L.*) Pasture. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Kandy Rojas. M.S. Thesis. An Economic Analysis of Foliar Fungicides Used in Northeast Texas Wheat Production. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Mihira Vasana. M.S. Thesis. Efficient Production of Biodiesel Using Starch as a Heterogenous Catalyst. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2013.

Samantha Durborow. M.S. Thesis. An Analysis of the Potential Economic Impact of Huanglongbing on the California Citrus Industry. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2012.

Chelsea Suttle. M.S. Thesis. Evaluation of Landscape Plants for Green Roof Gardens in Texas. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2009.

Brittney Junell. M.S. Thesis. Novelty Tall Fescue Effects on Goat Performance and Prolactin Levels. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2008.

Erin Wilson. M.S. Thesis. Secondary Agriscience Teachers' Perspectives and Preferences Regarding Agricultural Safety Education and Certifications. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2007.

## Graduate Student Thesis Committee Member (continued)

Nathan Melson. M.S. Thesis. The Value of Overseeding Established Stands of TAM-90 Annual Ryegrass with Additional Rates of TAM-90 Ryegrass in Northeast Texas. Texas A&M-Commerce. 2001.

#### Other Service and Activities:

- 1. Member of:
  - a. American Society of Agronomy (1978 2011)
  - b. Crop Science Society of America (1978 present)
- 2. Search committee member, College of Science, Engineering, and Agriculture Safety Officer 2013
- 3. Committee Member Department Representative, College of Science, Engineering, and Agriculture Institutional Effectiveness. 2013
- 4. Search committee member for Head, Dep. Biology and Environ. Sci., TAMU-C, 2012
- 5. Search committee member, Wildlife Biologist, Dept. Biol. Env. Sci., TAMU-C, 2011
- 6. Served as Co-Coordinator w/ Dr. A. Chourasia, TAMU-C, Annu. Res. Symp, 2011-2013
- 7. Search committee member, Toxicologist, Dept. Biol. Environ. Sci. TAMU-C, 2010
- 8. Represent the Department of Agricultural Sciences (TAMUC) at the Council of Agricultural Administrators (Prairie View A&M, TAMUC, TAMUK, WTAMU, Tarleton) and AASCARR (American Association of State Colleges of Agriculture and Renewable Resources); now NARRU (Non-Land-Grant Agricultural and Renewable Resource Universities), 2011-2014.
- 9. Member, University Scholarship Committee, TAMU-C. 2009
- 10. Member, University Research Committee, TAMU-C, 2010-2012
- 11. Commerce (TX) Community Garden Association, 2009 2012
- 12. Crop Physiology Division (C-2) Chair (2009), Crop Science Society of America
- 13. Chair, United Soybean Board Graduate Fellowship Committee, 2007
- 14. Associate Editor *Journal of Cotton Science* Agronomy & Soils Section 2003 (8 manuscripts) 2004 (13 manuscripts)

#### Other Service and Activities (continued):

- 15. Associate Editor *Crop Management* (2006 2008)
- 16. Cotton Physiology Steering Committee 1996-1998 (Chair for 1998)
- 17. Associate Editor, *Crop Science* (Crop Physiology, C-2 Division), 1995 2001 (approximately six manuscripts per year)
- 18. Coordinator Texas Soybean Work Group (1999 2008, met annually)
- 19. Co-Chair Land Use Committee, Tex. Agric. Exp. Stn. Dallas (2004 2007)
- 20. Reviewed manuscripts for Agronomy Journal, Journal of Production Agriculture, and Field Crops Research and two chapters of "Seed Biology and Yield of Grain Crops," a book written by D.B. Egli (1998, CAB International).
- 21. Served on one USDA-ARS Research Position Evaluation System Panel in April 1998.
- 22. The incumbent reviewed grant applications in 1991, 1992, 1994, and 2004 as part of the USDA's CSRS National Research Initiative Competitive Grants Program.
- 23. Served as the Radiation Safety Officer for the Stoneville location (USDA-ARS) from 1989-1992. This duty required reviewing lab protocols, inspecting laboratories, maintaining records of radioactive inventories, monitoring film badges, and coordinating disposal of radiolabeled waste.

#### **Teaching – As Graduate Student and Post-Doc (before 1999)**

I taught one Introductory Plant Science Laboratory at University of Missouri in 1979, assisted teaching (one lesson) Crop Ecology at University of Kentucky in 1983, and assisted teaching (one lesson) Crop Physiology at Oklahoma State University in 1985.

#### **Teaching – Texas A&M Commerce (1999 – 2014)**

I was assigned as teacher of record and taught one or two three-semester hour classes per year from 1999 to 2007. From 2008 forward, I was assigned a minimum one course per semester as Department Head. On selected semesters, I taught two courses per semester.

#### **Teaching – University of Wyoming (2015 - 2018)**

I typically teach a graduate course in Advanced Crop Physiology and Management and an undergraduate course in Crop Physiology. In spring 2018, I assisted teaching a course entitled Field Crop Production

## **Undergraduate Courses:**

- 1. Introduction to Plant Science (PIS 115). To develop an awareness of the fundamentals of plant science that facilitate plant growth, how plants are cultured, and how they interact with the environment. To teach students the importance of plant growth and agricultural practices and how they affect human and animal nutrition, rural economics, world sociological events. Taught twice.
- 2. Crop Physiology (PIS 381, colisted for graduate credit as PIS 502) or as PLNT 4790. Objective is to convey how crop plants develop and explain factors that govern their yield. Taught four times in Texas and once in Wyoming.
- 3. Genetics of Livestock Improvement (AnS 310). Objective is to learn genetic principles used in biological and agricultural science as related to livestock improvement. Learn concepts such as gene action, crossbreeding, and inbreeding. Learn to apply genetic principles so that students will (1) be able to articulate genetic concepts and (2) apply these principles to real-life situations in livestock genetics. Spring 2010. Substituted the entire semester for the Professor of Animal Science who was on sick leave. Taught once.
- 4. Botany (BSc 1411). Objective is to teach students in Agriculture, Wildlife and Conservation Science, and the Environmental Science about the structure, function, diversity, and ecology of plants. Topics include the plant cell, anatomy, morphology, plant physiology, plant biochemistry, genetics, evolution, and classification. Taught three times.
- 5. Writing for Publication (Ag 300). Objective is to teach student to write effectively and recognize the different formats and approaches for resumes, white papers, proposals, cover letters, citations, references, and scientific papers. Taught one time.
- 6. Seminar (Ag 400). Objective is to foster the development of verbal presentation skills, how to prepare user-friendly slides, the importance of knowing the subject matter, and poise in front of an audience so that student will be able to effectively communicate. Taught one time.

#### Graduate Courses:

- 1. Agricultural and Biological Instrumentation (PIS 501). Objective is to teach the different instruments and methods used to quantify variables in life sciences. Taught three times.
- 2. Design and Analysis of Biological Experiments (Ag 505), three semester hours taught with Ag 506 Analysis Lab (one hour). Taught seven times.
- 3. Research Literature and Techniques (Ag 595). Objective is to teach graduate students how to seek out appropriate citations and to evaluate publication quality. Taught three times.

#### Graduate Courses (continued):

- 4. Scientific Methods in Agricultural Research (Ag 532). Objective is to teach students how to organize and write their theses as well as making sure their research asks the best questions. Taught twice.
- 5. Graduate Seminar (Ag 599). Taught each fall/spring semester from 2008 to 2013.
- 6. Advanced Crop Physiology and Plant Breeding (PIS 597). The course covers physiological processes underlying crop growth and development. The second set of lectures covers principles of breeding self-pollinated, cross-pollinated, and vegetatively (asexually) propagated plants. The effect of crop management practices on physiology is also discussed. Taught twice.
- 7. Advanced Crop Physiology and Management (PLNT 5410). The course covers the basic principles of crop growth and development as well as cultural practices that affect crop yield and cost of production. Taught twice.

#### Other Noteworthy Achievements (past four years)

Established an assessment tool, an exit interview, for graduating seniors receiving their B.S. Agroecology, University of Wyoming. 2015.

Led authorship of program reviews for B.S. Agroecology, M.S. Agronomy, Ph.D. Agronomy, at the University of Wyoming. 2016.

Assembled and led a team of university and community college faculty to carry out a Higher Ed Challenge Grant to recruit under-represent populations into agricultural disciplines.

Assembled a team of breeders and agronomists to submit a specialty crop planning grant proposal to facilitate more efficient use of inputs in dry bean production. Grant was unfunded but team is still together.

From 2015 to 2017, I screened multiple dry bean genotypes for tolerance to drought in two field locations within Wyoming. At multiple locations (Lingle, 2015; Powell, 2016; Powell 2017, Lingle 2017), canopy temperature was negatively correlated to genotype yield for both the well-watered and drought components of the tests.

In 2018, I am in the process of testing  $F_5$  progeny from various dry bean crosses. Parents include public varieties from Colorado and Idaho as well as accessions from the *Phaseolus* Collection. Progeny are intended for use in drought-tolerance screening programs.

In 2014 and 2015, I worked with Univ. Wyoming Plant Sciences faculty to develop position descriptions and provided oversight for faculty searches for an Irrigation Specialist, Cropping Systems Agronomist, and Extension Weed Specialist – Invasive Plants.