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Education

University of Delaware

Ph.D. Physical Ocean Sciences and Engineering

Aug 2004 - Dec 2009

Newark - DE, USA.

University of São Paulo

M.Sc. Physical Oceanography

Mar 1999 - Jun 2001

São Paulo - SP, Brazil.

Federal University of Rio Grande

B.A. Oceanography

Mar 1994 - Dec 1998

Rio Grande - RS, Brazil.

Research Interests

Renewable energy, including offshore wind, tidal energy, hydropower, and wave energy. Coastal physical oceanography, including observational and modeling studies of wind-driven circulation, estuaries, river plumes, tides, and coastal meteorology.

Employment

Federal University of Santa Catarina

Associate Professor

Oct 2013 - present

Florianópolis - SC, Brazil.

Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte

Adjunct Professor

Jun 2011 - Sep 2013

Natal - RN, Brazil.

National Institute for Space Research

Research Associate

Mar 2010 - May 2011

Cachoeira Paulista - SP, Brazil.

University of Delaware

Research Assistant

Mar 2008 - Dec 2009

Lewes - DE, USA.

Federal University of Santa Catarina

Research Assistant

Jul 2001 - Jul 2004

Florianópolis - SC, Brazil.

Technical experience

Operational systems: Experience with Mac OS, Windows, Linux and high-performance computing environments.

Programming Languages: Matlab, Python, Fortran and basic shell scripting.

Numerical models: I have experience with the Princeton Ocean Model (POM), the Modular Ocean Model (MOM4), Delft3D- FLOW, the Finite Volume Community Ocean Model (FVCOM), the Regional Ocean Modeling System (ROMS), the Weather Research & Forecasting Model (WRF), and the Refraction-Diffraction Wave Model (RefDif).

Publications

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