
Education:

Ph.D. (Civil and Environmental Engineering)	University of Maine	1998
M.S. (Civil Engineering)	University of Maine	1993
B.E. (Civil Engineering)	Osmania University	1991

Salient Administrative & Leadership Experience

Professional Experience:

07/2022 - Present: William B. and Mary G. Mitchell Endowed Chair in Engineering, Lamar University
07/2002 - Present: Professor and Chair, Civil and Environmental Engineering, Lamar University
09/2021 – 07/2022: Co-Director, Texas Produced Water Reuse Consortium
09/2018 –

2021 – Present: Associate Editor (Water Resources Management); *Frontiers of Water*; *Frontiers*, UK
2010 – 2017: Associate Editor, *Journal of American Water Resources Association*; Wiley Interscience Inc.
2004 – 2013: Editorial Board – *Clean Technologies and Environmental Policy*; Springer Verlag Inc.
2007: Guest Editor – *System Analysis Techniques for Aquifer Management in South Texas*; *Environmental Geology*; Springer Verlag Inc.
2014: Guest Co-Editor– *Aquifer Management in Semi-Arid South Texas – Advanced Decision Support Systems (AMISTADss)*; *Environmental Earth Sciences*; Springer-Verlag Inc

Memberships (Professional Societies):

- American Water Resources Association (AWRA)
- National Groundwater Association (NGWA)
- University Council on Water Resources (UCOWR) – Lead Delegate
- American Society of Engineering Education (ASEE)

Recent Reviewer Activities

- Review Panel – National Science Foundation, Washington,DC
- Reviewer – Site Visit Committee – Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council, Canada
- Reviewer for all major journals in Hydrology, Water Resources and Environmental Engineering

Regional, State and National Service and Committees (Recent):

2017 – 2019: Chair Organizing Committee, American Water Resources Association, 2019 Summer Specialty Conference –Minimizing Water Risks through Resilient Adaptation
2017 – 2020: Co-Chair, Future Risks (Climate Change, Natural Disasters) Committee, American Water Resources Association
2015 – 2020: Member, Groundwater Modeling Advisory Panel, National Groundwater Association
2012 – Present: Lead Delegate of Texas

University Raider Press; Open Education Resource (OER) Textbook (Forthcoming Fall 2022)

A. Gupta, V. Uddameri, et al., (2023); **Sustainable Wastewater Management– Principles and Practices**; CRC Press (Forthcoming)

Publications (Journal Articles – Current Submissions):

V. Uddameri, A. Ghaseminejad, E. A. Hernandez (2021); Crop Yield Reliability under Water Availability Risks; Agricultural Water Management (submitted, revisions being completed)

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V. Uddameri, S. Singaraju, A. Karim, P. Gowda, R. Bailey and M. Schipanski (2017); Understanding Climate-Hydrologic-Human Interactions to Guide Groundwater Model Development for Southern High Plains; **Journal of Contemporary Water Research and Education**; vol (162); 77-99

E. A. Hernandez and V. Uddameri (2016); Heard it through the Grapevine - Using Social Network Analysis to Understand Informal Pathways of Learning in an Engineering Hydrology Class; **Journal of Contemporary Water Research and Education**; 158(1), 85-97

Menkiti, M. C., Ndaji, C. R., Ezemagu, I. G., & Uddameri, V. (2016); Application of Periwinkle Shell Coagulant (PSC) for the Remediation of Petroleum Produced Water (PPW) by Coag-Flocculation; **Journal of Dispersion Science and Technology**; 37(6), 760-774

Imteaz, Monzur A., Venkatesh Uddameri, and Amimul Ahsan (2016); Numerical model for the transport and degradation of pollutants through wetlands; **International Journal of Water**; 10(1); 1-12

Menkiti, M. C., M. I. Ejimofor, I. G. Ezemagu, and V. Uddameri (2016); Turbid-Metric Approach on the Study of Adsorptive Component of Paint Effluent Coagulation Using Snail Shell Extract; **Arabian Journal for Science and Engineering**; 1-17

- Hernandez, E. A., & Uddameri, V. (2015); Simulation of Groundwater Flow and Contaminant Transport in a Heterogeneous Aquifer; **Journal of Hydrologic Engineering**; 20(10), 1040-1050

Uddameri, V., Singaraju, S., & Hernandez, E. A. (2014); Identifying influencing wells for gradient estimation in the confined portion of the Gulf Coast aquifer near Kingsville, TX. **Environmental Earth Sciences**, 71(6), 2629-2640

Uddameri, V., Singaraju, S., & Hernandez, E. A. (2014); Impacts of sea-level rise and urbanization on groundwater availability and sustainability of coastal communities in semi-arid South Texas; **Environmental Earth Sciences**, 71(6), 2503-2515

Uddameri, V., & Andruss, T. (2014); A GIS-based multi-criteria decision-making approach for establishing a regional-scale groundwater monitoring; **Environmental Earth Sciences**; 71(6), 2617-2628.

Uddameri, V., & Andruss, T. (2014); A statistical power analysis for a two-sample t-test comparing groundwater levels in two regions; **Environmental Earth Sciences**, 71(6), 2617-2628.

Review; **Water Environment Research**; 78 (10): 1802 - 1808

V. Uddameri and S. Mohan (2006); An Optimal Control Approach to Assess Baseflow Externalities; **Clean Technologies and Environmental Policy**; 8 (4): 261-272

V. Uddameri (2005); Groundwater and Sustainability; **Clean Technology & Environmental Policy**; 7: 1 -2
S. Jones and V. Uddameri (2005); Hazardous Waste Assessment Management and Minimization-A Review; **Water Environment Research**; 77: 2310-2143

S. Jones and V. Uddameri (2004); Hazardous Waste Assessment Management and Minimization – A Review; **Water Environment Research**; 76(6); 1857-1871

V. Uddameri (2004); Relationships of Longitudinal Dispersivity and Scale Developed from Fuzzy Least square Regression; **Environmental Geology**; Vol 45(8); 1172-11178

8 V. Uddameri and M. Kuchanur (2004); F4.8 (4)11 (5(0) 6 Developoe17o6eg.9 (r)-3 (nc 0.011e)4.8 (2 r(

P. Roberts, A. Sharma, V. Uddameri, L. Steck (2001); Enhanced DNAPL Transport in a Sand Core during a Dynamic Stress Stimulation; **Environmental Engineering and Science**; Vol 18(2); 67-80

V. Uddameri, S. Norton, J. Kahn, J. Scofield; (1995); Randomized Intervention Analysis of the Response of West Bear Brook Watershed in Maine; **Water Air and Soil Pollution**; 79(1/4); 131-140

Publications (Book Chapters – Peer or Technical Editorial Team Reviewed):

B. Guerrero, Jourdan Bell, Dana Porter, John Tracy, Chuck West, and Venki Uddameri (2021); The Importance of Best Management Practices, Policy Analysis, and Modeling Future Projections for the Ogallala Aquifer in

Uddameri, V. (2018); Times They Are a Changin'—The Altered Landscape of Technical Publishing; **Journal of the American Water Resources Association**; 54(1), 1-4.

Uddameri, V. (2018); Publishing in the Journal of the American Water Resources Association; **Journal of the American Water Resources Association**; 54(3), 583-585.

Uddameri, V. Big Data, Computing, and Water ResouUC.TJ0 f.reföW V.C.TJ2.8 (V.C.TJ2.J2.8 (in)2.3 (g)2.6 (,)-1 (a

American Broadcasting Corporation (ABC), KCBD Lubbock, <http://www.kcbd.com/story/30601070/kcbd-investigates-whats-in-your-water> (part 1)

V. Uddameri (2015); Television Interview - What's in your Water - Interview; American Broadcasting Corporation (ABC), KCBD Lubbock, TX; <http://www.kcbd.com/story/30601070/kcbd-investigates-whats-in-your-water> (part 2)

V. Uddameri (2014); News Feature Interview - Texas Perspective – Water; **Public Broadcasting System (PBS)** <http://video.klru.tv/video/2365345995/>
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Resources Management in the 21st Century; Arab Academy of Sciences Annual Meeting, Dec. 2015, Amman Jordan. **(Invited Plenary Presentation)**

V. Uddameri (2014); Importance of Groundwater for Sustainability of Arid and Semi-Arid Regions of the World; Plenary Presentation; Arab Academy of Sciences; Beirut, Lebanon, Dec 2014 **(Invited Keynote Presentation)**

E. A. Hernandez, S. Singaraju, V.Uddameri (2013); An Integrated Optimization Model for Wind-Driven Desalination of Brackish Groundwater Resources. 2013 - AWRA Annual Water Resources Conferences, American Water Resources Association, Portland, Oregon

V. Uddameri, M. A. Arreola, E. A. Hernandez (2013); A Multi-

Climate Conference; Anchorage AK; May 4 - 6

V. Uddameri and E. A. Hernandez (2009); Management of Agricultural Water Resources under uncertainty; American Water Resources Association – Managing Water Resources in a Changing Climate Conference; Anchorage AK; May 4 - 6

M. Kuchanur, V. Uddameri and N. Blandford (2008); A Fuzzy Goal Programming Approach for Groundwater Management in Refugio County, TX; Geological Society of America Annual Meeting; Houston, TX Oct. 4 – 6.

V. Uddameri (2008); A Simulation-Optimization Model for Transport of Hazardous Wastes from Maquiladora's along US-Mexico Border; International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, 5(12): 2500-2512
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Categorization of Watersheds Along the Texas Gulf Coast for State and Regional Flood Planning Activities; (J. Benavides (UTRGV) and V. Uddameri (TTU)); \$100,000 (TTU share: 50K); Aug 2020 – Aug 2022; **Texas Water Development Board** (status: Active)

Evaluation of the Edwards-Trinity (High Plains) Aquifer as an alternative Source of Water in the Southern High Plains Region of Texas; V. Uddameri, PI; \$51,000; **High Plains Underground Water District, Research Grant Program**; \$51,000 (Oct. 2021 – Oct 2022); (status: Active)

Data and Informatics in Civil Engineering (DICE) – Online Graduate Certificate Program Development; **TTU Worldwide E-Learning Grant Program** \$30,000 Feb 2020 –

Texas Water Project Supporting the Future Economic Needs of the State; **Tx Department of Agriculture**; D. Reible (PI), V. Uddameri (co-PI); \$52,000 ; Sep 2015 – Aug., 2016; Status - Completed

Water for Food, Energy and Resources Sustainability (WAFERS) Cluster; **Texas Tech University Office of Vice-President for Research Competitive Grant**; \$210,000; V. Uddameri (PI); Glenn Cummins, Tom Arsuffi, C. West, D. Reible (Co-PIs); March 2014 – Sep. 2017; Status – Completed

Characterization of Brackish and Produced Waters and their Suitability for use in Unconventional Oil and Gas Production; **Apache Corporation**; \$100,000 D. Reible (PI); V. Uddameri, C. Chen, M. Watson (co-PIs); Jan 2014 – Aug 2015; Status - Completed

Phase-I Assessment of Groundwater Resources in Irion and Sterling County Texas; **Irion and Sterling County Groundwater Conservation Districts**; \$30,000; K. Rainwater (PI); V. Uddameri, T. Cleveland, E. A. Hernandez (co-PIs); March 2013 – Sept. 2013. Status – Completed.

Research on Environmental Sustainability of Semi-Arid Coastal Areas (CREST-RESSACA); **National Science Foundation**; V. Uddameri, PI; K. Jones; J. Ren and D. Ramirez (Co-PIs); \$ 5,000,000.00; Sep. 2007 – Aug 2012; Served as the project director 2009 - 2012 (status: completed)

Characterizing Non-Point Source Contributions from Agricultural Field Runoff in Arroyo Colorado River Watershed, TX; **Texas Soil Water Conservation Board/USEPA**; TAMUK is Sub-contract to Texas Water Resources Institute; \$400,000; Dec. 2008 – Feb. 2012; PI; (Status: Completed)

Water Quality Modeling and Characterization in the Capri Baribe River Watershed, Pernambuco, Brazil; **National Science Foundation**; V. Uddameri (TAMUK); E. A. Hernandez and A. C. Correa (TTU); \$100,000; October 2009 – August, 2011; PI (Status: Completed)

Water Balance and Groundwater Flow Studies in Mission River Watershed; **Refugio Groundwater Conservation District**; \$39000; Dec. 2007 – June 2009; PI; (Status: Completed)

Groundwater Modeling to Estimate Water Availability in Victoria County, TX; **Victoria County Groundwater Conservation District**; \$40,000; Oct. 2006 – Sep. 2007; PI; (Status - Completed)

Hydrologic Investigations in Support of Aquifer Management in Kenedy County Groundwater Conservation District; **Kenedy County Commissioners Office**; \$25, 000.00; Jan 2006 – Jan 2007; PI; (Status - Completed)

An Assessment of Urbanized Induced Stresses in Coastal Bays and Estuaries of South Texas; **National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**; \$300,000.00; Sep 2003 –

/ **United States Geological Survey**; \$5000 + \$10,000 Match; Feb 2005 – Feb 2006; PI; (Status – completed)

Hydrologic and Hydrogeologic Data Compilation for Groundwater Availability studies for Kenedy Groundwater Conservation District, **Kenedy County Commissioners Office**; \$6,000; Jun 2005 – Oct 2005; PI; (Status – completed)

A Fuzzy Sets Approach for Calculating Sustainable Groundwater Yields; **Texas Water Resources Institute / United States Geological Survey**; \$5000+ \$10,000 Match; Feb 2004 – Feb 2005; PI; (Status – completed)

Investigation of Groundwater Resources and Availability in Refugio County, TX; **Refugio Groundwater Conservation District**; \$30,936; Jun 2002 – Jun 2003; PI; (Status: completed)

Development and Application of a Multimedia Model for Persistent Organic Pollutants in South Texas; **University Research Council – Texas Excellence Funds**; \$6770.00; March 2003 – Sep. 2003; PI (Status – completed)

Assessment of Hydrologic and Hydrogeologic Characteristics for Groundwater Availability and Management in Refugio County, TX; **Refugio Groundwater Conservation District**; \$31658.74; Oct 2003 – Jan 2005; PI; (Status – completed)

Enhancing Instrumentation Capabilities at TAMUK to Perform Advanced Environmental Research; **Department of Defense**; \$399,897.00; Oct 2003 – Oct 2004; PI; (Status - completed)

A Multicounty Groundwater Availability Model in Central Gulf Coast Aquifer Texas;
DC-384-904 (pa 09 (e) 6, (l) 0.017 (l) 05 0 T4.413 (T) (N-7.)2 (ns) DC

Dr. Partha Majumdar; Integrating SWAT-

Dr. Vivekanand Honnugar: Structural and Application enhancements to aquifer vulnerability characterization; Currently Associate Fellow TERI, India

Dr. Shankar Parvathinathan: Surfacewater-Groundwater interactions in the Mission River Watershed, TX; Currently with MWH Americas, Sacramento, CA

Dr. Annette Hernandez: Risk-Based Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) allocation schemes; Currently Associate Professor Texas Tech University

Dr. Brian Dyson: Mathematical modeling for sizing constructed wetlands subject to intermittent loadings; Dec 2006; Currently with USEPA, Cincinnati

Dr. Muthu Kuchanur: Simulation-Optimization modeling for sustainable groundwater management; Aug 2006; Currently with Wyoming Department of Environmental Protection

M.S. Students (Current)

Jawwad Siddique: Characterizing Watersheds along the Texas Gulf Coast for Regional Flood Mapping and Planning; Expected Completion Date Summer 2022.

M.S. Students (Graduated)

Ms. Eva Schexnider: Comparison of Stationary and Non-Stationary Models for Assessing Flood R(a)4.8 ne7d -

Joseph Amaya; 2nd Prize at the Environmental Sustainability Conference; Houston, TX, April 2012

Joseph Amaya; Provost Award for Best Presentation at the Fall Javelina Research Symposium; Texas A&M University-Kingsville, TX, October 2011

Muthu Kuchanur; 1st Place Poster Competition (Water Policy); Texas Water 2004 – Towards

Tech University, Lubbock, TX, Fall 2014 – Summer 2016

Chair, Research Active Faculty Definition Committee, Department of Civil, Environmental and Construction Engineering, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, Spring 2014 – Fall 2014

Member, Curriculum Committee, Department of Civil, Environmental and Construction Engineering, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, Fall 2012 – Present

Chair, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering Chairman Search Committee; Fall 2013 – Summer 2014.

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Data Driven Modeling using R; Short-Course/Workshop presented at Jimma Institute of Technology, Jimma, Ethiopia; June 12 – 15, 2018

Advanced in Groundwater Contaminant Transport; Indian Institute of Technology-Kharagpur; Global Initiative of Academic Networks (GIAN) Program – Ministry of Higher Education, Government of India;

in Texas (collaboration with Tommy Dang, Asst. Professor in Computer Science, TTU); Fall 2016

Traveled to Oman as part of TTU delegation to establish research collaborations on water resources issues related to food-water nexus in arid and semi-arid regions; January 5 – 12, 2017

Developed Video modules on Brackish Groundwater Resources and Water Conveyance Infrastructure to assist with Regional Workforce Development; Spring 2017

WaterR – Using R for Water Resources – Open Source Tutorials to teach the use of R programming Language Techniques for use in Hydrology and Water Resources.

<https://www.researchgate.net/project/WateR-R-for-Water-Resources>