



IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Chapter
Eastern North Carolina Section – R30171, GRS29
Minutes for February 19, 2008



Present Chair: Dr. Linda Hayden

In attendance:

Lavard McWilliams	Jeff Wood	Chelsea Goins	Trent Bevins	Brittnei Teasley
Marcus Morgan	Darren Bell	Jonathan Person	Dasimen Gaston	Shannon Horton
Tiwana Walton	Darnell Johnson	Brittany Herring	Marquita Clemonts	Bryce Carmichael
Kenyon Tutch	MyAsia Reid	Tyrone Whitehurst	Gregory Mavis	Chelsea Vick
Harold Tucker	Ebony Addison	Wanda-Marie Carey	Ke'Swana Barwes	Benson Wiggins
Marcus Walton	V.P. Manglik	Michael Jefferson Jr.	Raymond Thrower	Curtis Poulson
Rikita Eason	Melinda Kennon	Stanley Grimmett II	Celenda Brown Thomas	Krystal Selcolfull
Haywood Mull	Christopher Jones	Tony Adaele	Derrick E. Pitts	Je'aime Powell
Eric Akers	Johnny L. Houston	Sharonda Walton	Gary Lane	
Sharna White	Brodrick Sessoms	Davon Wilkins	LaQuetta Leary	
Emery Hudson	Fartria Alman	Jessica Riddick	Alexander Nwara	
Nicholas Tyler	Romeo R. Reese	Tiffany Brown	Anthony Wright	
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1. The last IEEE meeting was held on February 19th, 2008.
2. The meeting was called to order by the chapter President, Dr. Linda Hayden.
3. A welcome was given by Dr. Darnell Johnson, Chair of the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science.
4. The minutes were read by Ms. Unquiea Wade, ECSU Student GRSS Branch Secretary. The minutes were accepted as read.
5. A vote was held to replace the vacant secretary position. Mr. Jeff Wood, Education Program Manager was elected to that position.
6. The guest speaker was introduced by Dr. Malcolm LeCompte, Research Fellow at CERSER.
7. Our speaker was Dr. Richard Moore, Professor Emeritus of Computer and Electrical Engineering at the University of Kansas. His talk was entitled "Microwave Remote Sensing from its Beginning to its Current State of the Art." Dr. Moore's talk centered around the developments that took place in remote sensing both in the United States and other countries. He is credited with many of the terms used today in remote sensing and delivered intriguing insight into the everyday innovations of scientists and engineers during the growth of the field.
8. The IEEE Eastern North Carolina Executive Committee Update was given by Dr. William Porter, GRSS chapter vice president. Topics covered included:
 - a. Cyberinfrastructure Days @ ECSU, January 3-4, 2008
 - b. ECSU School of Math, Science & Technology Research Week, February 4-8, 2008
 - c. IEEE ECSU Student Branch #66221 Meeting, February 12, 2008
 - d. IEEE- Eastern North Carolina Section Award Luncheon, March 15, 2008
9. Dr. Hayden spoke on plans for the upcoming 2008 IGARSS scheduled for Boston, Massachusetts (<http://www.igarss08.org>).
10. Mr. Charles Luther, IEEE-GRSS Past President, closed the meeting out as he spoke on the accomplishments of Dr. Moore and Dr. Hayden and encouraged the students in their endeavors.
11. The meeting was adjourned and followed by a reception and research poster session.