



IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Chapter
Eastern North Carolina Section – R30171, GRS29
Minutes for November 8, 2007



Present Chair: Dr. Linda Hayden

In attendance:

Raymond Thrower	Anthony Carver	Nick Johnson	Elizabeth Noble	Maya Cole
Brian Campbell	Travis Harvey	Robbin Davis	Tiffany Hayes	Dondrea Parker
Sherry Johnson	Deon Price	Chelsea Vick	Treasia Fields	Derrick Pitts
Terrone Jasper	Amanda Richardson	Phillip Hayes	Deanna Zellars	Tiwana Walton
Eboni Randle	Vickey White	Brittany Herring	Sharron Powell	Keisha Wilkins
Reza Rofus	Alicia McPherson	Jonathan Person	Jamika Baltrop	Derrick Lampkin
Chelsea Goins	Vickea White	Justin Deloatch	Natalia High	Malcolm LeCompte
Darlene Lannon	Quanetra Respass	Lutwan Moore	Paula Harrell	Eric Akers
Janice Baker	Tracie Swine	Edna Arnesen	Bryce Carmichael	Jinchun Yuan
Athedia White	DaNesha Curry	Jamika Vann	Wanda-Marie Carey	Minchun Wang
Myasia Reid	Savannah Lewis	Bonnie Keel	Joshua Askew	Octavia Dotson
Darius Wilson	Jeff Wood	Porsha Watford	Jashaun Pee	Francisco San Juan
Kevin Lee	Brittany Jennings	Krishna Kulkarni	Tyrone Whitehurst	Darnell Johnson
Travis Smith	Jessica Johnson	Whitney Hollowell	Amanda Griffin	Je'aime Powell
Gretchen Davila	Amanda Phelps	Eunice Smith	Matthew Hackaday	Gregory Brown
Nicholas Larran	Kimberly Mitchell	Cynthia Warrick	William Porter	Amanda Washington
Ray Baker	William Jones	Cheniece Arthur	Amquisha Bell	Spencer Weeks-Jamieson
Cymone Morris	Erika Mizelle	Brittini Teasley	Domonique Burton	
Terence Baker	Ashley Balley	Diaminatou Goudiaby	Nahysha Velut	
Tammy Batteiger	Kaiem Frink	Antonio Rook	Linda Hayden	
Jameel Joyner	Aliza Williams	Daniel Smith	Joal Hathaway	

1. The last IEEE meeting was held on November 8th, 2007.
2. The Meeting was called to order by the chapter President, Dr. Linda Hayden.
3. A welcome was given by Dr. Cynthia Warrick, Dean of the School of Mathematics, Science and Technology. Dr. Warrick expressed her support for CERSER and her appreciation for the guest in attendance.
4. The minutes were read by Mrs. Keisha Wilkins, GRSS Secretary. The minutes were accepted as read.
5. The speaker was introduced by Dr. Malcolm LeCompte, Research Fellow at CERSER.
6. Our Speaker was Dr. Derrick Lampkin, professor at Pennsylvania State University. His talk was entitled "Monitoring the Antarctic Ice Shelf Energy Balance using Robotic Rovers". Antarctic Ice Shelves play a major role in the stability of the ice sheet. Their potential disintegration would seriously affect the discharge rate of grounded ice from inland regions. Currently automatic weather station units are deployed in remote regions throughout Antarctica. AWS units measure temperature, wind speed and direction, air pressure, and relative humidity. His talk discussed deploying a distributed network of mobile, wireless sensors instruments.
7. The IEEE Eastern North Carolina Executive Committee Update was given by Dr. William Porter, GRSS chapter vice president. He reported on the IEEE picnic held in Durham and on the Transforming Earth System Science Education (TESSE) project with the University of New Hampshire.
8. Dr. Hayden reported on the 2007 IGARSS meeting held in Barcelona, Spain and plans for the upcoming 2008 IGARSS scheduled for Boston, Massachusetts (<http://www.igarss08.org>). Highlights from IGARSS 2007 located at <http://cerser.ecsu.edu/07events/070723igarss/igarss07.html> were shown.
9. The meeting was adjourned and followed by a reception and research poster session.