

James Doss-Gollin

APPOINTMENTS

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| Rice University Assistant Professor, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering. | 2021– |
| The Pennsylvania State University Postdoctoral Scholar, Earth & Environmental Systems Institute. | 2020 |

EDUCATION

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| Columbia University Ph.D. in Earth & Environmental Engineering. | 2020 |
| M.S. in Earth & Environmental Engineering. | 2016 |
| Yale University B.S. in Mechanical Engineering. | 2015 |

AWARDS

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| Outstanding Reviewer Award , Earth's Future. | 2023 |
| Nickolas and Liliana Themelis Fellowship , Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science, Columbia University. | 2018 |
| Graduate Research Fellowship, Climate and Large-Scale Atmospheric Dynamics , National Science Foundation. | 2017 |
| Presidential Distinguished Fellowship , Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science, Columbia University. | 2015 |
| Distinction in Major , Department of Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Yale University. | 2015 |
| Legacy Award , New Haven Promise. | 2015 |
| Larry Coben '79 Fellowship , Yale University. | 2014 |
| Vance-Carter Travel Award , Yale University. | 2013 |
| Thomas C. Barry Travel Award , Yale University. | 2012 |

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Amounts reflect Rice portion for collaborative grants and subawards; total amount for direct awards.

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| National Science Foundation: Confronting Hazards, Impacts and Risks for a Resilient Planet (CHIRRP). "RAISE: Flood Resilience in Rural Texas Communities." Co-PI (Rice Lead: Avantika Gori) (PI: Avantika Gori). \$999,986. | 2025–2028 |
| Consortium for Enhancing Resilience and Catastrophe Modeling (CERCAT). "A Nonstationary Joint Probability Method for Tropical Cyclone Hazard Assessment." Lead PI. \$75,000. | 2025–2026 |
| NVIDIA. "Computing Infrastructure for AI-enhanced Climate Risk and Resilience at Rice." Co-PI (PI: Arlei Lopes da Silva). in-kind. | 2025–2025 |
| Rice University Sustainability Institute. "Workshop on Nature-Based Solutions for Resilient Coastal Cities." Co-PI (PI: Philip Bedient). \$7,500. | 2024–2025 |
| Ken Kennedy Institute at Rice University. "Advancing AI for Climate Risk and Urban Resilience." Lead PI. \$160,000. | 2024–2025 |
| National Science Foundation. "IUCRC Planning Grant Rice University: Center for Climate, Equity and Resilience in Catmodeling (CERCat)." Co-PI (PI: Jamie Padgett). \$20,000. | 2024–2025 |
| Texas Water Development Board. "Developing Future Rainfall Frequency Grids for the State of Texas." Rice PI. \$77,750. Subaward from Texas A&M University (PI: John Nielsen-Gammon); \$192,828 total | 2022–2025 |
| National Science Foundation: Strengthening America's Infrastructure. "EAGER: Participatory Design for Water Quality Monitoring of Highly Decentralized Water Infrastructure Systems." Rice PI (PI: Alicia Cooperman). \$104,684. | 2022–2025 |

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| National Science Foundation: <i>Climate and Large-Scale Dynamics</i> . “Collaborative Research: Evaluating the Past and Future of Mississippi River Hydroclimatology to Constrain Risk via Integrated Climate Modeling, Observations, and Reconstructions.” Co-PI (Rice Lead: Sylvia Dee) (PI: Sylvia Dee). \$472,024 . | 2022–2025 |
| Rice University: <i>Sustainable Futures Fund</i> . “Leveraging Earth System Observations at Multiple Scales to Improve Stormwater Management in Houston.” Lead PI . \$50,000 . | 2022–2023 |
| 100,000 Strong in the Americas Innovation Fund. “IFCE-Rice-SENAI Program on Artificial Intelligence for Urban Sustainability and Resilience to Natural Disasters in the Americas.” Co-PI (PI: Arlei Lopes da Silva). \$50,000 . | 2022–2023 |
| Energy Foundation. “Synthesis of Texas Electricity Research from Rice University.” Co-PI (PI: Daniel Cohan). \$24,928 . | 2022–2023 |

PUBLICATIONS

† denotes Rice advisee publication. Google Scholar  citations: 568, *h-index*: 11, *i10-index*: 13.

IN PREP. / UNDER REVIEW

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| Baer, J., Sebastian, A., Grimley, L. E., Doss-Gollin, J. , Wright, D. B., and Hussain, M. A. : <i>Neglecting Spatiotemporal Rainfall Variability Underestimates Flood Hazard and Risk</i> . | — |
| Hancock, C. L., Dee, S. G., Haider, M. R., Doss-Gollin, J. , Lehner, F., Murphy, K., and Munoz, S. E. : <i>Robust 21st Century Hydrological Trends in the Mississippi River Basin from CMIP6: West-Gets-Drier, East-Gets-Wetter</i> . | — |
| Pollack, A., Auermuller, L., Burleyson, C., Campbell, J. E., Condon, M., Cooper, C., Coronese, M., Dangendorf, S., Doss-Gollin, J. , Hegde, P., Helgeson, C., Kopp, R., Kwakkel, J., Leaf, A., Lesk, C., Mankin, J., Nicholas, R. E., Rice, J. S., Roth, S., Scheeler, M., Srikrishnan, V., Tuana, N., Vernon, C., Zhao, M., and Keller, K. : <i>Unlocking the Benefits of Transparent and Reusable Science for Climate-Risk Management</i> . DOI: 10.31219/osf.io/29nhv | — |
| Pollack, A., Doss-Gollin, J. , Srikrishnan, V., and Keller, K. : <i>UNSAFE: An UNCertain Structure And Fragility Ensemble Framework for Property-Level Flood Risk Estimation</i> . DOI: 10.31219/osf.io/jb9ta | — |

JOURNAL ARTICLES

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| Haider, M. R., Dee, S. G., Doss-Gollin, J. , Dunne, K. B. J., and Muñoz, S. E. : “Impact of 21st Century Climate Change on Mississippi River Basin Discharge in CESM2 Large Ensemble Projections”. <i>Global and Planetary Change</i> . DOI: 10.1016/j.gloplacha.2025.104742 | 2025 |
| Liu, C., Kowal, D. R., Doss-Gollin, J. , and Vannucci, M. : “Bayesian Functional Graphical Models with Change-Point Detection”. <i>Computational Statistics & Data Analysis</i> . DOI: 10.1016/j.csda.2024.108122 | 2025 |
| Liu, Y., Doss-Gollin, J. , Dai, Q., Veeraraghavan, A., and Balakrishnan, G. : “Downscaling Extreme Precipitation with Wasserstein Regularized Diffusion”. <i>IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing</i> . DOI: 10.1109/TGRS.2025.3611872 | 2025 |
| Lu, Y. †, Seiyon Lee, B., and Doss-Gollin, J. : “Bayesian Spatiotemporal Nonstationary Model Quantifies Robust Increases in Daily Extreme Rainfall across the Western Gulf Coast”. <i>Environmental Research: Climate</i> . DOI: 10.1088/2752-5295/adf56e | 2025 |
| O'Donnell, M., Murphy, K., Doss-Gollin, J. , Dee, S., and Munoz, S. : “Evaluation of Hydroclimatic Biases in the Community Earth System Model (CESM1) within the Mississippi River Basin”. <i>Hydrology and Earth System Sciences</i> . DOI: 10.5194/hess-29-4637-2025 | 2025 |
| Kazadi, A., Doss-Gollin, J. , Sebastian, A., and Silva, A. : “FloodGNN-GRU: A Spatio-Temporal Graph Neural Network for Flood Prediction”. <i>Environmental Data Science</i> . DOI: 10.1017/eds.2024.19 | 2024 |
| Murphy, K., Dee, S., Doss-Gollin, J. , Dunne, K. B. J., O'Donnell, M., and Muñoz, S. : “Competing Influences of Land Use and Greenhouse Gas Emissions on Mississippi River Basin Hydroclimate Simulated Over the Last Millennium”. <i>Paleoceanography and Paleoclimatology</i> . DOI: 10.1029/2024PA004902 | 2024 |
| Singh, D., Bekris, Y. S., Rogers, C. D. W., Doss-Gollin, J. , Coffel, E. D., and Kalashnikov, D. A. : “Enhanced Solar and Wind Potential during Widespread Temperature Extremes across the U.S. Interconnected Energy Grids”. <i>Environmental Research Letters</i> . DOI: 10.1088/1748-9326/ad2e72 | 2024 |

- Amonkar, Y., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, Farnham, D. J., Modi, V., and Lall, U. : “Differential Effects of Climate Change on Average and Peak Demand for Heating and Cooling across the Contiguous USA”. *Communications Earth & Environment*. DOI: 10.1038/s43247-023-01048-1 2023
- Amonkar, Y., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, and Lall, U. : “Compound Climate Risk: Diagnosing Clustered Regional Flooding at Inter-Annual and Longer Time Scales”. *Hydrology*. DOI: 10.3390/hydrology10030067 2023
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, Amonkar, Y., Schmeltzer, K., and Cohan, D. : “Improving the Representation of Climate Risks in Long-Term Electricity Systems Planning: A Critical Review”. *Current Sustainable/Renewable Energy Reports*. DOI: 10.1007/s40518-023-00224-3 2023
- Doss-Gollin, J.** and Keller, K. : “A Subjective Bayesian Framework for Synthesizing Deep Uncertainties in Climate Risk Management”. *Earth’s Future*. DOI: 10.1029/2022EF003044 2023
- Garcia, M., Juan, A., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, and Bedient, P. : “Leveraging Mesh Modularization to Lower the Computational Cost of Localized Updates to Regional 2D Hydrodynamic Model Outputs”. *Engineering Applications of Computational Fluid Mechanics*. DOI: 10.1080/19942060.2023.2225584 2023
- Wutich, A., Thomson, P., Jepson, W., Stoler, J., Cooperman, A. D., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, Jantrania, A., Mayer, A., Nelson-Nuñez, J., Walker, W. S., and Westerhoff, P. : “MAD Water: Integrating Modular, Adaptive, and Decentralized Approaches for Water Security in the Climate Change Era”. *WIREs Water*. DOI: 10.1002/wat2.1680 2023
- Zhou, X., Duenas-Osorio, L., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, Liu, L., Stadler, L., and Li, Q. : “Mesoscale Modeling of Distributed Water Systems Enables Policy Search”. *Water Resources Research*. DOI: 10.1029/2022WR033758 2023
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, Farnham, D. J., Lall, U., and Modi, V. : “How Unprecedented Was the February 2021 Texas Cold Snap?”. *Environmental Research Letters*. DOI: 10.1088/1748-9326/ac0278 2021
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, Farnham, D. J., Ho, M., and Lall, U. : “Adaptation over Fatalism: Leveraging High-Impact Climate Disasters to Boost Societal Resilience”. *Journal of Water Resources Planning and Management*. DOI: 10.1061/(asce)wr.1943-5452.0001190 2020
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, Farnham, D. J., Steinschneider, S., and Lall, U. : “Robust Adaptation to Multiscale Climate Variability”. *Earth’s Future*. DOI: 10.1029/2019ef001154 2019
- Rözer, V., Kreibich, H., Schröter, K., Müller, M., Sairam, N., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, Lall, U., and Merz, B. : “Probabilistic Models Significantly Reduce Uncertainty in Hurricane Harvey Pluvial Flood Loss Estimates”. *Earth’s Future*. DOI: 10.1029/2018ef001074 2019
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, Muñoz, Á. G., Mason, S. J., and Pastén, M. : “Heavy Rainfall in Paraguay during the 2015-2016 Austral Summer: Causes and Sub-Seasonal-to-Seasonal Predictive Skill”. *Journal of Climate*. DOI: 10.1175/jcli-d-17-0805.1 2018
- Farnham, D. J., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, and Lall, U. : “Regional Extreme Precipitation Events: Robust Inference from Credibly Simulated GCM Variables”. *Water Resources Research*. DOI: 10.1002/2017wr021318 2018
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, de Souza Filho, F. d. A., and da Silva, F. O. E. : “Analytic Modeling of Rainwater Harvesting in the Brazilian Semiarid Northeast”. *Journal of the American Water Resources Association*. DOI: 10.1111/1752-1688.12376 2015

PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PAPERS

- Kazadi, A., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, and Silva, A. : “Pluvial Flood Emulation with Hydraulics-Informed Message Passing”. *Forty-First International Conference on Machine Learning*. URL: <https://openreview.net/forum?id=kIHIA6LrOB> 2024
- Kazadi, A. N., **Doss-Gollin, J.**, Sebastian, A., and Silva, A. : “Flood Prediction with Graph Neural Networks”. *Climate Change AI*. URL: <https://www.climatechange.ai/papers/neurips2022/75> 2022
- Araújo Júnior, L. M., de Souza Filho, F. d. A., da Silva Silveira, C., Aragão Dias, T., and **Doss-Gollin, J.**: “Análise dos eventos de seca no Nordeste Setentrional Brasileiro com base no índice de precipitação normalizada”. *XII Simpósio de Recursos Hídricos Do Nordeste*. DOI: 10.13140/rg.2.1.4610.7685 2014
- Doss-Gollin, J.**, de Souza Filho, F. d. A., and da Silva, F. O. E. : “Considerações sobre a sustentabilidade hídrica de cisternas para captação de chuva no Semiárido Brasileiro”. *XII Simpósio de Recursos Hídricos Do Nordeste*. DOI: 10.13140/rg.2.1.4086.4807 2014

INVITED TALKS

- Panelist. Exploring Water Resilience to Emerging Challenges, **Society for Risk Analysis**, Remote Presentation. 2024
- "Advancing Urban Flood Risk Management through Physics-informed, Data-Driven Hazard Assessment". Earth, Marine, and Environmental Science Seminar, **University of North Carolina**, Chapel Hill, NC. 2024
- "Quantifying and Characterizing Uncertain Climate Hazards to Enable Adaptive Resilience". Atmospheric Sciences Seminar, **Texas A&M University**, College Station, TX. 2022
- "Unprecedented Impacts Don't Require Unprecedented Weather". Post-Harvey Climate & Flood Impacts on the Built Environment, **Severe Storm Prediction, Education, & Evacuation from Disasters Center**, Houston, TX. 2022
- "Revisiting Our Design Criteria: What Hazards Should We Design for in a Changing Climate?". Hydrologic Sciences and Water Resources Engineering Seminar, **University of Colorado Boulder**, Remote Presentation. 2022
- "Adapting Engineering Design Criteria to a Changing Climate: Insights from House Elevation". Technical Webinar, **ASCE Central New Jersey Branch**, Remote Presentation. 2022
- Panelist. Extreme Weather: How To Report on a World That's Warmer, Colder, Wetter, Drier and Weirder, **31st Annual Conference of the Society of Environmental Journalists**, Houston, TX. 2022
- "Predictable and Preventable: Lessons in Climate Risk Management from the Texas Coast (and Beyond)". Climate Risk and Financial Institutions Seminar (Prof. Madison Condon), **Boston University School of Law**, Remote Presentation. 2022
- "Extreme Impacts Don't Require Extreme Weather: Lessons from the February 2021 Texas Blackouts". Outreach Event: Science is for Everyone, **American Meteorological Society**, Remote Presentation. 2022
- "Extreme Impacts Don't Require Extreme Weather: Lessons from the February 2021 Texas Blackouts". Compound Events Working Group, **Risk KAN (Knowledge Action Networks)**, Remote Presentation. 2021
- Panelist. Tail events: Prediction, Planning, and Performance, **Harvard Electricity Policy Group**, Remote Presentation. 2021
- "Towards Adaptive Resilience: Managing Flood Risks in a Changing World". Technical Webinar, **ASCE Central New Jersey Branch**, Remote Presentation. 2021
- "Prediction and Implications of Structured Climate Risk for Sequential Adaptation under Deep Uncertainty". Center for Climate Risk Management CLIMA Seminar, **the Pennsylvania State University**, State College, PA. 2020
- "Prediction and Implications of Structured Climate Risk for Sequential Adaptation under Deep Uncertainty". Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering Seminar, **Rice University**, Houston, TX. 2020
- "Prediction and Implications of Structured Climate Risk for Sequential Adaptation under Deep Uncertainty". Complex Systems Simulation and Optimization Group, **National Renewable Energy Laboratory**, Golden, CO. 2020
- "Drivers of Extreme Rainfall: Atmospheric Circulation Patterns and Regional Intense Rainfall in the Ohio River". European Flood Awareness System Group, **European Centre for Medium Range Weather Forecasting**, Reading, England. 2016
- "Understanding the Physical Drivers of Extreme Rainfall for Flood Prediction". Oxford Water Network, **Oxford University**, Oxford, England. 2016

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- "Robust Trends in Extreme Rainfall Probabilities in Texas". **2025 Texas Climate Conference**, *Rice University and Texas A&M University*, Houston, TX [Talk]. 2025
- "Use-Inspired Tools for Climate Hazard Assessment". **Nature-Based Solutions for a Resilient Gulf Coast Workshop**, *Rice University*, Houston, TX [Talk]. 2025
- "Advancing Urban Flood Hazard Characterization through Machine Learning: Challenges and Opportunities". **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2024**, Washington, DC [Talk]. 2024

- Yuchen Lu**[†]: “TxRAIN-Observational: A Hierarchical Bayesian Spatial Framework to Assess Nonstationary Rainfall Intensity, Frequency, and Duration in Texas”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2024**, Washington, DC [Talk]. 2024
- “Assessing and Managing Climate Risks to Electricity Systems in an Era of Climate Change and Energy Transition”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2024**, Washington, DC [Talk]. 2024
- Yuchen Lu**[†]: “Nonstationary Extreme Precipitation Probabilities in Texas”. **Fall Meeting, Consortium for Enhancing Resilience and Catastrophe Modeling (CERCat)**, Bethlehem, PA [Poster]. 2024
- “Leveraging Machine Learning to Advance Urban Flood Hazard Assessment: Challenges and Opportunities”. **Data-driven and physics-based machine learning methods for forecasting and knowledge discovery of surface hydrology**, *Conference on Computational Methods in Water Resources*, Tucson, AZ [Talk]. 2024
- “Incorporating Temperature Projections into Energy Systems Planning”. **Extreme Heat Workshop**, *Columbia University*, New York, NY [Talk]. 2024
- Yuchen Lu**[†]: “Spatially Varying and Duration Dependent Covariate Model: A Hierarchical Bayesian Framework for Multi-duration Extreme Precipitation Frequency Analysis in Texas”. **World Environmental & Water Resources Congress 2024**, *Environmental & Water Resources Institute (EWRI) - ASCE*, Milwaukee, WI [Talk]. 2024
- Yuchen Lu**[†]: “H21T-1602: Spatially Varying Covariate Model: A Hierarchical Bayesian Framework for Precipitation Frequency Analysis in the Gulf Coast”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2023**, San Francisco, CA [Talk]. 2023
- “NH14B-07: Linking Robust Trends in Observations and Models to Develop Nonstationary Rainfall Frequency Grids for the State of Texas”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2023**, San Francisco, CA [Talk]. 2023
- “A Bayesian Spatial Hierarchical Framework for Process-Informed Nonstationary Analysis of Precipitation Frequencies”. **13th International Workshop on Statistical Hydrology**, *International Association of Hydrological Sciences*, Boston, MA [Talk]. 2023
- Yuchen Lu**[†]: “H42E-1333: Nonstationary GEV with Hierarchical Spatial Pooling: A Spatiotemporal Bayesian Framework for Nonstationary Extreme Precipitation Frequency Analysis in the Gulf Coast”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2022**, Chicago, IL [Talk]. 2022
- “H35F-07: Near-term Predictability Lowers Long-Term Adaptation Costs”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2022**, Chicago, IL [Talk]. 2022
- “H25U-1265: Operationalizing Bayesian Model Checking for Robust Decision Making: Insights from House Elevation”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2021**, New Orleans, LA [Poster]. 2021
- “A14H-03: How Unprecedented Was the February 2021 Texas Cold Snap?”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2021**, New Orleans, LA [Talk]. 2021
- “Valuing Flexibility and Soft Instruments for Sequential Decision Problems”. **2020 Annual Meeting, Society for Decision Making under Deep Uncertainty**, [Remote Presentation]. 2020
- “H11G-07: Towards Adaptive Resilience: Managing Uncertainties and Exploiting Predictability across Timescales”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2019**, San Francisco, CA [Talk]. 2019
- “Adaptive Resilience through Real Options and Deep Reinforcement Learning”. **Doctoral Consortium on Computational Sustainability**, *Carnegie Mellon University*, Pittsburgh, PA [Talk]. 2019
- “Evaluating Staged Investments in Critical Infrastructure for Climate Adaptation”. **2019 Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Workshop in Sustainable Development**, *Columbia University*, New York, NY [Talk]. 2019
- “H52F-05: Robust Adaptation to Cyclical Climate Risk”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2018**, Washington, DC [Talk]. 2018
- “Robust Adaptation to Multi-Scale Climate Variability”. **The Nexus of Climate Data, Insurance, and Adaptive Capacity**, Asheville, NC [Poster]. 2018
- “A31H-0135: Causes and Model Skill of the Persistent Intense Rainfall and Flooding in Paraguay during the Austral Summer 2015-2016”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2017**, New Orleans, LA [Talk]. 2017
- “H22B-02: Designing and Operating Infrastructure for Nonstationary Flood Risk Management”. **American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting 2017**, New Orleans, LA [Talk]. 2017
- “Extreme Rainfall in Paraguay during the 2015-16 Austral Summer: Causes and Predictive Skill”. **North East Graduate Student Water Symposium**, *University of Massachusetts Amherst*, Amherst, MA [Talk]. 2017

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| "Regional Intense Precipitation: Inferences From GCM Atmospheric Circulation Fields". Modeling Research in the Cloud , National Center for Atmospheric Research, Boulder, CO [Poster]. | 2017 |
| "Statistical-Dynamical Analysis of Climate Projections for Flood Infrastructure Design". Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Workshop in Sustainable Development 2017 , Columbia University, New York, NY [Talk]. | 2017 |
| "Causes and Model Skill of the Persistent Intense Rainfall and Flooding in Paraguay during the Austral Summer 2015-2016". Workshop on Subseasonal to Seasonal Predictability of Extreme Weather and Climate , Columbia University, New York, NY [Poster]. | 2016 |

MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS

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| "Historic Texas Flooding." KEYE-AUS (CBS) [recorded video interview]. | 2025 |
| "Houston's Morning Show." Fox26 Houston [live video interview]. | 2025 |
| "Breaking down the force of water in the Texas floods." AP News — Michael Phillis [print]. | 2025 |
| "Here are some things you can do to be better prepared for major flooding." Associated Press — Caleigh Wells [print]. | 2025 |
| "ABC13-Luke Jones speaks with James Doss-Gollin, an assistant professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering at Rice University, about the key differences between flooding in Houston and central Texas." ABC13 — Luke Jones [recorded video interview]. | 2025 |
| "After deadly flooding in Central Texas, state lawmakers look to prevent similar tragedies." KVUE — Daniel Perreault [recorded video interview]. | 2025 |
| "New Flood Warning System Greenlit Shortly Before Deadly Texas Disaster." The Wall Street Journal — Joseph De Avila [print]. | 2025 |
| "Questions arise on how emergency warning systems work after Central Texas flood." ABC13 — Tom Abrahams [print]. | 2025 |
| "Bajo la Amenaza del Golfo (Under the Threat of the Gulf)." Telemundo Houston [recorded video interview]. | 2025 |
| "Will Texas become too hot for humans?." BBC Future — Sarah Griffiths [print]. | 2023 |
| "Climate change has sent temperatures soaring in Texas." The Texas Tribune — Erin Douglas, Yuriko Schumacher and Alex Ford [print]. | 2023 |
| "Texas could have foreseen 2021 cold-wave disaster, new study concludes." Texas Climate News — Bob Henson [print]. | 2022 |
| "Opinion: The risks of climate change are great - so are the rewards of solving it." Houston Chronicle — Andrew Dessler, James Doss-Gollin, and Katherine Hayhoe [print]. | 2021 |
| "The False Comfort of Higher Seawalls." The New Republic — Paola Rosa-Aquino [print]. | 2019 |
| "New Study Shows Promise for Long-Term Weather Forecasts in South America." State of the Planet — Elisabeth Gawthrop [print]. | 2018 |

TEACHING AND ADVISING

COURSES TAUGHT

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| Rice CEVE 543: <i>Statistical-Physical Methods for Hydroclimate Extremes and Catastrophes</i> . | Fall 2025 |
| Rice CEVE 101: <i>Fundamentals of Civil and Environmental Engineering</i> . | Fall 2024 |
| Rice CEVE 421/521: <i>Climate Risk Management</i> . | Spring 2024 |
| Rice CEVE 543: <i>Data Science Methods for Climate Hazard Assessment</i> . | Fall 2023 |
| Rice CEVE 421/521: <i>Climate Risk Management</i> . | Spring 2023 |
| Rice CEVE 543: <i>Environmental Data Science</i> . | Spring 2022 |
| Rice CEVE 101: <i>Fundamentals of Civil and Environmental Engineering</i> . | Fall 2021 |

CURRENT GRADUATE STUDENTS

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| True Furrh: Ph.D. in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Committee Member . | 2021— |
| Dongwook Kim: Ph.D. in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Primary Advisor . | 2024— |
| Yuchen Lu: Ph.D. in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Primary Advisor . | 2021— |
| Kelsey Murphy: Ph.D. in Earth, Environmental, and Planetary Sciences, Rice University. Committee Member . | 2021— |
| Jonah Schaechter: Ph.D. in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Primary Advisor . | 2024— |

Valeriia Sobolevskaya: **Ph.D.** in Earth, Environmental, and Planetary Sciences, Rice University. **Committee Member.** 2020–

PAST GRADUATE STUDENTS

Karan Jakhar: **Ph.D.** in Mechanical Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Equation Discovery and Deep Learning for Geophysical Turbulence”. **Committee Member.** 2025

Kyle Ostlind: **M.S.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Evaluating Runoff Response to Nature-Based Solutions under Varying Development Scenarios in Upper Cypress Creek near Houston, Texas”. **Committee Member.** 2025

Katlyn Schmeltzer: **MCEE** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Pre-Trained Long Short-Term Memory Network Performance for Streamflow Prediction in the Brazos River Basin”. **Primary Advisor.** 2025

John A. Baer: **M.S.** in Earth, Marine and Environmental Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Thesis: “Quantifying Precipitation-Induced Uncertainty in Flood Hazard Assessment in a Coastal Urban Area”. **Committee Member.** 2024

Kendall Capshaw: **Ph.D.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Modeling Coastal Petrochemical Infrastructure Risk, Resilience, and Cascading Community Consequences”. **Committee Member.** 2024

Xinyue Luo: **Ph.D.** in Earth, Environmental and Planetary Sciences, Rice University. Thesis: “Characterizing the El Niño-Southern Oscillation and Its North American Teleconnections over the Last Millennium”. **Committee Member.** 2024

Anibal Tafur Gutierrez: **Ph.D.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Methods and Tools for Risk-Informed Resilience Enhancement of Coastal Intermodal Freight Networks”. **Committee Member.** 2024

Matthew Garcia: **Ph.D.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Novel Urban Floodplain Modeling Methods for Applications in Coupling Surrogate Machine Learning Methods”. **Committee Member.** 2023

Mia Peeples: **M.S.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Modeling Flood Reduction of Nature-Based Channel Modifications in Houston, TX”. **Committee Member.** 2023

Xiangnan Zhou: **Ph.D.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Resilience Planning for Water Distribution Systems”. **Committee Member.** 2023

Raychel Bahnick: **M.S.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Assessing Land Use Change and Subsidence Impact on Inland Flooding”. **Committee Member.** 2022

Alyssa Graham: **M.S.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Water Supply Vulnerability Testing and Robust Planning Analysis with Exploratory Modeling under Deep Uncertainty”. **Committee Member.** 2022

Elizabeth Hoffmann: **M.S.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Mapping Dynamic Watershed Response Under Increasing Development Using HEC-RAS 2D: A Case Study of the Big Creek Watershed in Fort Bend County”. **Committee Member.** 2022

Chunshan Liu: **Ph.D.** in Statistics, Rice University. Thesis: “Bayesian Graphical Models for Multivariate Time Series”. **Committee Member.** 2022

Xiaoyu (Toby) Li: **M.S.** in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University. Thesis: “Evaluating the Effects of Project Brays Mitigation Using Unsteady HEC-RAS Hydraulic Modeling: Application to Meyerland in Houston, TX”. **Committee Member.** 2021

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHERS

Year indicates graduation year.

Zain Rahman: *B.S. in Computer Science, Rice University.* 2027

Kyle Olcott: *B.S. in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University.* 2025

Sophia Prieto: *B.S. in Statistics, Rice University.* 2023

John Cook: *B.S. in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University.* 2022

TEAMS ADVISED

Optimal Policy for Decentralized Wastewater Systems (DWS) while Relaxing Certainty: Rice Computational Mathematics and Operations Research (CMOR) Senior Project. 2024-2025

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| Flood Sight Advancing Real-Time Flood Predictions for Situational Awareness: Rice Data to Knowledge (D2K) Lab. | Spring 2025 |
| [TBD]: Rice Data to Knowledge (D2K) Lab. | Fall 2025 |

ADVISEE AWARDS

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| Dongwook Kim: Karen and John Huff Graduate Fellowship in Civil and Environmental Engineering. | 2025 |
| Yuchen Lu: H.W. Reeves Endowed Scholarship. | 2022 |

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

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| Member, Graduate Studies Committee. | 2024– |
| Member, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee. | 2024 |
| Member, Seminar Committee. | 2023–2024 |
| Member, Faculty Search Committee. | 2022–2023 |

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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| Member, Research Council. Ken Kennedy Institute. | 2024– |
| Faculty Associate. Duncan College. | 2023– |
| External Search Committee Member. Department of Earth, Environmental, and Planetary Sciences. | 2022–2023 |

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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| Committee Member, Water and Society Newsletter Committee. American Geophysical Union. | 2024– |
| Committee Member, Environmental and Water Resources Systems (EWRS) Committee. American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) Environmental & Water Resources Institute (EWRI). | 2021– |

PEER REVIEW

Journals: AGU Advances; Climate Risk Management; Climatic Change; Communications Earth and Environment; Earth's Future; Energy Technology; Environmental Data Science; Environmental Research Letters; Geophysical Research Letters; Hydrology and Earth System Sciences; Joule; Journal of Applied Meteorology and Climatology; Journal of Hydrology; Journal of Water Resources Management and Planning; Oxford Journal of Development Studies; Water Resources Research; Water Security; Weather, Climate, and Society.

Funding Agencies: Department of Energy (BER); National Science Foundation.

Other: Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI); Texas Water Development Board (TWDB).

SESSIONS CONVENED

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| Co-Organizer. <i>Nature-Based Solutions for a Resilient Gulf Coast.</i> Rice University , Houston, TX. | 2025 |
| Primary Convener. <i>H31G - Integrating Social, Scientific, and Engineering Approaches to Identify and Address Gaps in Water Infrastructure and Household Water Security.</i> American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting , San Francisco, CA. | 2023 |
| Convener. <i>NH41C - Hybrid Modeling and Digital Twin Systems for Flood Hazard Prediction and Risk Assessment at Different Spatial Scales.</i> American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting , Washington, DC. | 2023 |
| Chair. <i>H44G - Water and Society: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Hydroclimatic Forecasting for Water Resources Decision Making.</i> American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting , New Orleans, LA. | 2021 |
| Primary Convener. <i>NH53 - Emerging Needs and Approaches for Climate Services: Understanding and Developing Innovative Approaches to User-Oriented Climate Services.</i> American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting , San Francisco, CA. | 2019 |
| Student Organizer. <i>Earth and Environmental Engineering Student Research Symposium.</i> Columbia University , New York, NY. | 2018 |
| Student Organizer. <i>Earth and Environmental Engineering Student Research Symposium.</i> Columbia University , New York, NY. | 2017 |

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| Social and Behavioral Research - Basic/Refresher — CITI Program. | 2025–2028 |
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| Strategic Program to Accelerate Researchers in Computing (SPARC) Participant — <i>Natural Hazards Engineering Research Infrastructure (NHERI) DesignSafe-CI.</i> | 2025 |
| Panel Fellow — <i>NSF CMMI's Game Changer Academies for Advancing Research Innovation.</i> | 2021 |
| Visiting Graduate Researcher — <i>Lamontagne Research Group, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Tufts University, Medford, MA.</i> | 2019–2020 |
| Graduate Research Fellow — <i>Columbia Water Center, Department of Earth and Environmental Engineering, Columbia University, New York, NY.</i> | 2015–2020 |
| Summer School Participant — <i>Fluid Dynamics of Sustainability and the Environment, Cambridge University, Cambridge, England.</i> | 2016 |
| Education Policy Intern — <i>Elm City Communities / New Haven Housing Authority, New Haven, CT.</i> | 2015 |
| President (2014), Design Lead (2013), Member (2012, 2015) — <i>Engineers Without Borders, Yale Student Chapter, New Haven, CT.</i> | 2012–2015 |
| Undergraduate Research Assistant — <i>Lab of Jaehong Kim, Department of Chemical and Environmental Engineering, Yale University, New Haven, CT.</i> | 2014–2015 |
| Visiting Undergraduate Researcher — <i>Water and Climate Risk Lab, Department of Hydraulic and Environmental Engineering, Universidade Federal do Ceará, Fortaleza, Brazil.</i> | 2014 |
| Mechanical Design Intern — <i>Slingshot Team, DEKA Research & Development, Manchester, NH.</i> | 2013 |
| Undergraduate Research Assistant — <i>Lab of Jan Schroers, Department of Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Yale University, New Haven, CT.</i> | 2012 |
| Ikatú Agua Intern — <i>Fundación Paraguaya, Asunción, Paraguay.</i> | 2012 |