Tasos Tentoglou

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Environmental Engineering undergraduate at UC Merced seeking graduate opportunities in remote sensing.

EDUCATION

University of California, Merced

Merced, CA

B.S. Environmental Engineering

December 2021

Affiliations and Organizations:

Earth Observation and Remote Sensing Lab (EORS), Engineers for a Sustainable World (ESW)

WORK EXPERIENCE

National Aeronautics and Space Administration - NASA

Mountain View, CA

DEVELOP - Remote Sensing Researcher

June 2021 – Aug 2021

- Collaborated with Louisiana Department of Natural Resources and Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority in the development of an extensive and user-friendly Google Earth Engine GUI.
- Attended software carpentry lessons to improve JavaScript and Python coding abilities and worked virtually on a team of 5 individuals over the duration of the 10-week term.

University of California, Merced

Merced, CA

EORS - Undergraduate Researcher

Jan 2021 - Current

- Utilized NASA Earth Observations through Google Earth Engine in analyzing burn severity and albedo change concerning California wildfires.
- Collected and processed hyperspectral UAV imagery for precision agricultural orchard applications.

Library Student Specialist, Digital Curation and Scholarship

Oct 2018 - June 2021

- Worked on archival processing, arrangement, digitization, and preservation of University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE) agricultural data.
- Digitized and managed data on a large scale.

GERLCA - Undergraduate Researcher

Aug 2020 – Dec 2021

- Learned the basics of Life Cycle Assessment (LCA).
- Assisted graduate student in revising thesis for publication regarding LCA of electricity from community based bamboo gasification in a rural and remote island of Indonesia.

PROJECTS

NASA DEVELOP Mountain View, CA

Louisiana Water Resources: Monitoring Historical Changes in Seagrass

June 2021 – Aug 2021

- Collaborated with a team in creating a Google Earth Engine tool (Tool CREOL) that uses 30+ years of NASA
 Earth Observations to monitor historical changes in the extent of seagrass meadows along the Louisiana coast.
- Produced a published NASA technical report and presentation, as well as an award winning ArcGIS StoryMap.
- Research presented at NASA Earth Science Applications Week and planned to be presented at the upcoming AGU conference.

EORS Lab Merced, CA

Burn Severity and Albedo Analysis Concerning the Mendocino Complex Fire

Sept 2020 - July 2021

- Used Google Earth Engine to analyze burn severity and albedo change regarding the Mendocino Complex Fire.
- Presented and published research at the IEEE IGARSS 2021 international research symposium.