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Profile

- Accomplished scientist and experienced leader skilled in guiding diverse teams, fostering strong professional networks, and driving cutting-edge research
- Cutting-edge innovator specializing in AI-driven marketing, content, and seamless sales tool integration
- Business philosophy prioritizes transparency, mentorship, and continuous employee growth, fostering mutual success and development

Experience

ExoConsulting, LLC, Fredericksburg, VA *President*

2020 - Present

Chesapeake Analytics

- Conduct business development for a climate and environmental intelligence platform in the North American markets; Promote improved health and wellness through outdoor air quality awareness; Facilitate sales process between Ambee and potential customers
- Promote corporate sustainability through our business partnership with Ambee; Service integrated with marketing platform to quantify for Level 3 carbon emissions to aid in achieving Net Zero emissions
- Drive growth for a global innovator in managing and mitigating weather and climate risk, focusing on agricultural application, solar/wind forecasts, and energy cost reduction

RaceWeather

- Provide guidance and mentoring to a team of operational meteorologists
- Expanded company's coverage of race series to five series, while building staff to support these forecasting efforts
- Develop and publish weather forecasts for NASCAR and Formula 1 race weekends on RaceWeather.net and across social media

EC Sports Management - U.S. Soccer Federation-Approved Intermediary

- Perform business development and marketing sales representing seven driver-clients, four race teams across six race series, and three student-athletes, supporting their NIL efforts
- Represent fifteen footballers and five coaches, acting on their behalf to find opportunities across North America and Europe; Negotiate with sports team management for client compensation, benefits, and player incentives
- Collaborated with NFL alumnus Jarrod Bunch to launch a Black-owned NASCAR Xfinity team in the 2022 season; Facilitated technical alliance discussions with manufacturers and NASCAR Cup team representatives

Experience (cont.)

DTN, Norman, Oklahoma

Meteorologist

- Performed specialized marine forecasting, including marine transits and tropical cyclone forecasting, implementing knowledge of regional meteorological phenomena
- Conducted severe weather monitoring and issue severe weather alerts, yielding actionable insight for our clients

DTN, Houston, Texas (Acquired Wilkens Weather Technologies in September 2017)

Marine Team Lead

- Led a team of operational meteorologists; responsible for mentoring, formulating career goals, recruiting new talent, and conflict management
- Provided expert witness services, including deposition and testimony with regards to historical weather conditions
- Provided technical assistance to Sales by aiding in the preparation and review of proposals, coordinating product demonstrations, defining operational requirements, and assisting with customer integration

Manager, Weather Operations (Wilkens Weather Technologies)	2013 - 2017
Senior Meteorologist (Wilkens Weather Technologies)	2010 - 2013

- Supervised Arctic meteorological research project, which yielded an overview of the regional effects in both the weather and forecast modeling; Compiled and edited the final deliverable report to the client; Generated presentation and was a speaker at the final client meeting
- Conducted short-term, long-term, and tropical forecasting for North America, Europe, and Australia for a variety of onshore and offshore energy sector clients

Weather Insight, L.P., Houston, Texas

Senior Manager, Research and Analytics

2007 - 2010

- Supervised a team of scientists and software developers coordinating project schedules, imparted professional guidance, and offered technical direction
- Led and managed customer support functions including training of new clients and employees in the operation of our weather software services, responding to client questions and troubleshooting installation issues
- Developed and maintained software development schedule in order to manage client requirements, priorities assigned by senior management, and deliverables with our technology partners

Avant Capital Management, Houston, Texas

Chief Meteorologist

2006 - 2007

2019

2017 - 2019

Experience (cont.)

Source Environmental, Houston, Texas

Vice President, Air Quality Senior Engineer 2004 – 2006 1995 – 1997

- Supervised a team of engineers and scientists; Coordinated project schedules and provided expert technical guidance
- As the senior engineer, conducted and supervised air quality modeling studies ranging from instantaneous accidental discharges to long-term releases of pollutants using EPA-approved air quality models
- Provided engineering and meteorological analysis for Source's senior management's testimony as an expert witness

Education

Doctor of Philosophy in Atmospheric Sciences, University of Houston, 2020

Dissertation Spatiotemporal Variations of Saturn's Zonal Winds based on Cassini Long-term (2004-2017) Multi-instrument Observations

Committee Chairs: Drs. Liming Li and Xun Jiang

Achievements

- Graduated *cum laude*, College of Natural Science and Mathematics, Spring 2020
 Department of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, University of Houston
- Scholarships for "Outstanding Academic Achievement" Spring 2018 & 2019 Department of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, University of Houston
- Visiting Researcher focused on dissertation writing and data analysis;
 Fall 2018 Presented Fall 2018 seminar on Cassini research to College of Geography and Earth Sciences, Department of Meteorology, Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary

Master of Science in Meteorology, Texas A&M University

Thesis *Effects of Coastal Transitions on Cloud-to-Ground Lightning* Committee Chair: Dr. Richard Orville

Achievements

• Inducted into Chi Epsilon Pi, the National Honor Society for Atmospheric Sciences

Graduate courses in Aerospace Engineering, University of Maryland

Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering, University of Michigan

Publications

- Studwell, A., Li, L., Jiang, X., Dowling, T.E., 2020, Asymmetrical Expansion of Bright Clouds from Saturn's 2010 Great White Storm (Invited Speaker and Keynote Presentation), 5th International Conference on Geology & Earth Science, London, England, UK (Virtual), GeoScience 2020.
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- Studwell, A., 2013, Hurricane Season Outlook for 2013, Offshore Engineer, May 2013.

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- Mitchell, S. and **Studwell, A.**, Weather forecast system and method, U.S. Patent Application, 12/348,152.
- **Studwell, A.**, 2000, Reducing Weather Derivative Risk. *Preprints, Second Symposium on Environmental Applications*, Long Beach, CA, American Meteorological Society, 360-364.
- **Studwell, A.**, 1999, Weather Derivatives. *Preprints, Eleventh Conference on Applied Climatology*, Dallas, TX, American Meteorological Society, 36-40.
- **Studwell, A.**, Effects of Coastal Transitions on Cloud-to-Ground Lightning, 1995, Texas A&M University Press, College Station, TX, 136 pp.
- **Studwell, A.**, and J. Nielsen-Gammon, 1995, Mesoscale Analysis of the March 27, 1994 Severe Weather Outbreak. Technical Memorandum NWS-SR-166, National Weather Service, Fort Worth, TX, 25 pp.
- Studwell, A., and R. Orville, 1995, Characteristics of Cloud-to-Ground Lightning in a Severe Winter Storm, 9-12 February 1994. *Preprints, Sixth Conference on Aviation Weather Systems*, Dallas, TX, American Meteorological Society, 176-181.