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## Work Address

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## Research Interest

Ecological modeling; Fire Ecology; Impacts of Climate Change and disturbances on Land Ecosystems; Natural Resource Conservation; GIS and Remote Sensing Applications in Natural Resources

## Research Skills

- Model development: developing and improving land ecosystem models (the Dynamic Land Ecosystem Model, DLEM); using weather/climate models (WRF and CESM); high-performance computing for climate model and land surface model simulation on NCAR Yellowstone machine
- Remote sensing and GIS: Proficient in ArcGIS, Python GIS programing, IDL, NCL, and other programs in processing and analyzing spatial data
- Large dataset analysis: MODIS, LANDSAT, Sentinel, LiDAR, AVHRR, climate datasets (CMIP6) and Land ecosystem model inter-comparison datasets (MstMIP, ISI-MIP, and Trendy).
- Prescribed burning and fire management in woodland and grassland ecosystems.
- Programming: Proficient in Python, Fortran, R, C++, NCAR Command Language (NCL)

## Education

- Ph.D. in Forest Ecology (2010 - 2015), School of Forestry and Wildlife Sciences, Auburn University, Auburn, AL, US. Dissertation: “Global fire activities and their impacts on the terrestrial carbon budget in context of multiple environmental changes”, Major Professor: Dr. Hanqin Tian
- B.S. in Agricultural Meteorology (2003 - 2007), College of Resources and Environmental Sciences, China Agricultural University, Beijing, China

## Current Employment

Assistant Professor, Department of Natural Resource Ecology and Management, Oklahoma State University (1/2022 - present)

## Past Employment

- Assistant Professor, Department of Forestry, Mississippi State University (8/2018 – 12/2021)
  - Research Fellow II, School of Forestry and Wildlife Sciences, Auburn University (11/2015 – 8/2018)
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- Postdoctoral Research Scientist, School of Forestry and wildlife Sciences, Auburn University (8/2015 – 10/2015)
- Graduate Research Assistant, School of Forestry and wildlife Sciences, Auburn University (8/2010 – 8/2015)
- Visiting Scholar and Research Assistant: School of Forestry and wildlife Sciences, Auburn University (8/2009 – 7/2010)
- Graduate Research Assistant, Institute of Atmospheric Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences (8/2007 – 8/2009)

#### Research Experience

- **Fire impacts on ecosystems** (2010 - present): Investigate the impact of wildfire on forest productivity. Examine regional and global fire regimes and their impacts on the land ecosystems by using the remote sensing and land ecosystem modeling.
- **Terrestrial ecosystem model development and improvement** (2009 – present): Improve model representations of fire, vegetation dynamics, soil carbon decomposition, agriculture, photosynthesis, evapotranspiration, and soil moisture and soil temperature on the platform of the Dynamic Land Ecosystem Model (DLEM).
- **Model inter-comparison projection and data analysis** (2010 – 2018): The major contributor of the DLEM simulations for Multi-Scale Synthesis and Terrestrial Model Intercomparison Project (MstMIP, 2010-2012), Inter-Sector Impact Model Intercomparison Project (ISIMIP, 2015 - present), and Dynamic Global Vegetation Model project (GCP-Trendy, 2016 - present).
- **Remotely-sensed ecosystem dynamics** (2010 - present): Explore the dynamics of ecosystem structure and functioning in response to environmental changes and climate extremes by using LiDAR signal, SIF, vegetation greenness.
- **Impacts of forest restoration on regional forest and water resources** (2018 - present): Reconstruct the century-long deforestation and reforestation patterns and evaluate their impacts on forest and water resources in the Mississippi Alluvial Valley.
- **Impacts of land use change on regional climate** (2007 - 2009): Investigate the impacts of land use change in Monsoon Asia on regional climate by applying a regional climate model.
- **Water, carbon, and nitrogen exports from Mississippi River** (2013 - present): Study the water, carbon, and nitrogen exports from Mississippi River under the impacts of climate change, land use change and management, and CO<sub>2</sub> concentration increase.

#### Teaching Experience

- Instructor, GIS for Natural Resources Management, Mississippi State University (Spring semesters in 2019, 2020, and 2021)
- Instructor, Remote Sensing Applications, Mississippi State University (Spring semesters in 2019, 2020, and 2021)
- Instructor, Spatial Technologies in Natural Resources Management, Mississippi State University (Fall semesters in 2019, 2020, and 2021)
- Teaching Assistant, GIS Application in Natural Resources, Auburn University (Fall semesters in 2015, 2017, and 2018)
- Teaching Assistant, Forest Fire Management, Auburn University (Spring semester, 2013)
- Guest Lecturer, GIS Application in Natural Resources, Auburn University (Fall semester, 2016)
- Guest Lecturer, Advanced Ecosystem Modeling, Auburn University (Fall semester, 2016)

#### Reviewer for Following Professional journals

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Global Change Biology, Global Ecology and Biogeography, Nature Scientific Report, Global Biogeochemical Cycles, Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems, ISPRS Journal of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing, Environmental Research Letters, Biogeosciences, Agricultural and Forest Meteorology, Environmental Pollution, Journal of Geophysical Research, Climatic Change, Advances in Atmospheric Sciences, Geography and Sustainability, Journal of Hydrology, Journal of the American Water Resources Association, Frontiers of Environmental Science and Engineering, Ecosystem Health and Sustainability, The scientific World Journal

*Editorship for the following Professional journals*

- Editor board member for “**Science of Remote Sensing**” since 2020
- Special issue editor for “Remote Sensing Applications in Agricultural Ecosystem” in “**Remote Sensing**” in 2020 and 2021
- Special issue Editor for “Sustainability with Changing Climate and Extremes” in “**Sustainability**” in 2021

*Proposal Reviewer*

NSF, SWISS-SNSF

*Professional Organization Membership*

- American Geophysical Union (AGU) since 2012
- Sino Ecologists Association Overseas (Sino Eco) since 2013

*Research Grant*

1. PI, Project Title: “Understanding the long-term coastal marsh loss and gain in Alabama and Mississippi”, Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant Program (\$9,908), 7/1/2021 – 6/30/2022
2. Co-I, Project Title: “Demonstration of Silvicultural Systems, Forest Monitoring, and Wildlife Assessment Protocol for Restoring Bottomland Hardwood Communities (AR & MS)”, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF, \$355,000), 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2024
3. PI, Project Title: “Assessing the Roles of Afforestation on Groundwater Resource Availability in the Mississippi Embayment, (USDA Forest Service, \$29,000), 10/1/2021 – 9/30/2023
4. Co-I, Project Title: “Climate Change Mitigation Assessment of Conservation Reserve Program Practices with Trees (USDA, \$2.8 M), 11/1/2021 – 10/31/2026

*Peer-reviewed Publications (68 published, total citation: 2908, h-index: 30, Google scholar, by January 10, 2022)*

2021

1. Ouyang, Y., Jin, W., Leininger, T., Feng, G., **Yang, J.** (2021) “Impacts of afforestation on groundwater resource: A case study for Upper Yazoo River watershed, Mississippi, USA” *Hydrological Sciences Journal*, 66(3)
2. Liu, Y., Liu, Y., Fu, J., Yang, C., Dong, X., Tian, H., Tao, B., **Yang, J.**, Wang, Y., Zou, Y., and Ke, Z. (2021) Projection of future wildfire emissions in the western United States under climate change: contributions from changes in wildfire, fuel loading, and fuel moisture, *International Journal of Wildland Fire*. <https://doi.org/10.1071/WF20190>

3. Hale, C. Granger, J., Paulson, A., Ramirez-Reyes, C., Ma, Q., **Yang, J.** (2021) "Modeling Habitat Suitability for Stewartia ovata Across the Southeastern United States" *Castanea* 86 (2)
4. Shi, H., Tian, H., **Yang, J.**, Pan, S., Fu, B., Lange, S., Reyer, C. (2021) "Terrestrial biodiversity threatened by increasing global aridity velocity under high level warming", *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 118(36)
5. Shi, H., Tian, H., Pan, N., Reyer, C.P., Ciais, P., Chang, J., Forrest, M., Frieler, K., Fu, B., Gädke, A., Hickler, T., Ito, A., Ostberg, S., Pan, S., Stevanovic, M., **Yang, J.** (2021). Saturation of global terrestrial carbon sink under a high warming scenario. *Global Biogeochemical Cycles*, 35(10), p.e2020GB006800.
6. Pan, L., Xia, H., **Yang, J.**, Niu, W., Wang, R., Song, H., Guo, Y., Qin, Y. (2021) "Mapping cropping intensity in Huaihe basin using phenology algorithm, all Sentinel-2 and Landsat images in Google Earth Engine" *International Journal of Applied Earth Observation and Geoinformation*, 102
7. Xu, R., Tian, H., Pan, N., Thompson, R.L., Canadell, J.G., Davidson, E.A., Nevison, C., Winiwarter, W., Shi, H., Pan, S., Chang, J., Ciais, P., Dangal, S.R.S., Ito, A., Jackson, R.B., Joos, F., Laurerwald, R., Lienert, S., Maavara, T., Millet, D.B., Raymond, P.A., Regnier, P., Tubiello, F.N., Vuichard, N., Wells, K.C., Wilson, C., **Yang, J.**, Yao, Y., Zaehle, S., and Zhou, F. (2021). Magnitude and uncertainty of nitrous oxide emissions from North America based on bottom-up and top-down approaches: Informing future research and national inventories. *Geophysical Research Letters*, p.e2021GL095264.

2020

8. **Yang, J.**, Tao, B., Shi, H., Ouyang, Y., Pan, S., Ren, W., Lu, C. (2020), Integration of Remote Sensing, County-level Census, and Machine Learning for Century-long Regional Cropland data Reconstruction, *International Journal of Applied Earth Observation and Geoinformation*, 91
9. Pan, S., \***Yang, J.**, Tian, H., Shi, H., Chang, J., Ciais, P., Francois, L., Frieler, K., Fu, B., Thomas Hickler, T., Ito, A., Nishina, K., Ostberg, S., Reyer, C., Schaphoff, S., teinkamp, J., Zhao, F. (2020), Responses of terrestrial carbon fluxes to temperature and precipitation: carbon extreme versus climate extreme, *Journal of Geophysical Research: Biogeosciences*, 10.1029/2019JG005252 (\*Co-first author)
10. Tian, H., Xu, R., Canadell, J.G., Thompson, R.L., Winiwarter, W., Suntharalingam, P., Davidson, E.A., Ciais, P., Jackson, R.B., Janssens-Maenhout, G., Prather, M.J., Regnier, P., Pan, N., Pan, S., Peters, G.P., Shi, H., Tubiello, F.N., Zaehle, S., Zhou, F., Arneth, A., Battaglia, G., Berthet, S., Bopp, L., Bouwman, A.F., Buitenhuis, E.T., Chang, J., Chipperfield, M.P., Dangal, S.R.S., Dlugokencky, E., Elkins, J.W., Eyre, B.D., Fu, B., Hall, B., Ito, A., Joos, F., Krummel, P.B., Landolfi, A., Laruelle, G.G., Lauerwald, R., Li, W., Lienert, S., Maavara, T., MacLeod, M., Millet, D.B., Olin, S., Patra, P.K., Prinn, R.G., Raymond, P.A., Ruiz, D.J., van der Werf, G.R., Vuichard, N., Wang, J., Weiss, R.F., Wells, K.C., Wilson, C., **Yang J.**, Yao Y. (2020) A comprehensive quantification of global nitrous oxide sources and sinks. *Nature*, 586(7828), pp.248-256.
11. Wang, Z., Tian, H., **Yang, J.**, Shi, H., Pan, S., Yao, Y., Banger, K. and Yang, Q., (2020) Coupling of Phosphorus Processes With Carbon and Nitrogen Cycles in the Dynamic Land Ecosystem Model: Model Structure, Parameterization, and Evaluation in Tropical Forests. *Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems*, 12(10), p.e2020MS002123.

12. Zhang, J., Tian, H., Shi, H., Zhang, J., Wang, X., Pan, S. and **Yang, J.**, (2020), Increased greenhouse gas emissions intensity of major croplands in China: Implications for food security and climate change mitigation. *Global Change Biology*, 26(11), pp.6116-6133.
13. Yue, X., Liao, H., Wang, H., Zhang, T., Unger, N., Sitch, S., Feng, Z., **Yang, J.** (2020), Pathway dependence of ecosystem responses in China to 1.5°C global warming, *Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics*, 20, 2353–2366
14. Zou, Y., Wang, Y., Qian, Y., Tian, H., **Yang, J.**, Alvarado, E. (2020), Using CESM-RESFire to understand climate-fire-ecosystem interactions and Implications for Decadal Climate Variability, *Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics*, 20
15. Ren, W., Banger, K., Tao, B., Yang, J., Huang, Y., Tian, H. (2020), Global pattern and change of cropland soil organic carbon during 1901-2010: Roles of climate, atmospheric chemistry, land use and management, *Geography and Sustainability*, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.geosus.2020.03.001>
16. Tao, B., Yang, Y., **Yang, J.**, Smith, R., Fox, J., Ruane, A. C., ... & Ren, W. (2020). Recent Shrinkage and Fragmentation of Bluegrass Landscape in Kentucky. *Remote Sensing*, 12(11), 1815.
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## 2019

18. **Yang, J.**, Ren, W., Ouyang, Y., Feng, G., Tao, B., Granger, J.J. and Poudel, K.P., (2019). Projection of 21st century irrigation water requirement across the Lower Mississippi Alluvial Valley. *Agricultural Water Management*, 217, pp.60-72.
19. Xu, R., Tian, H., Pan, S., Prior, S., Feng, Y., Batchelor, W., Chen, J., and **Yang, J.**, (2019) Global ammonia emissions from synthetic nitrogen fertilizer applications in agricultural systems: empirical and process-based estimates and uncertainty. *Global Change Biology*. 25(1), pp.314-326
20. Tian, H., **Yang, J.**, Xu, R., Lu, C., Canadell, J., Davidson, E., Jackson, R., Arneth, A., Chang, J., Ciais, P., Gerber, S., Ito, A., Joos, F., Lienert, S., Messina, P., Olin, S., Pan, S., Peng, C., Saikawa, E., Thompson, R., Vuichard, N., Winiwarter, W., Zaehle, S., Zhang, B., (2019). Global soil nitrous oxide emissions since the pre-industrial era estimated by an ensemble of Terrestrial Biosphere Models: Magnitude, attribution and uncertainty. *Global Change Biology*, 25(2), pp.640-659.
21. Zou, Y., Wang, Y., Ke, Z., Tian, H., **Yang, J.** and Liu, Y., (2019). Development of a REgion-Specific Ecosystem Feedback Fire (RESFire) Model in the Community Earth System Model. *Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems*, 11(2), pp.417-445.
22. Dangal, S.R., Tian, H., Xu, R., Chang, J., Canadell, J.G., Ciais, P., Pan, S., **Yang, J.** and Zhang, B., (2019). Global Nitrous Oxide Emissions from Pasturelands and Rangelands: Magnitude, Spatiotemporal Patterns, and Attribution. *Global Biogeochemical Cycles*, 33(2), pp.200-222.
23. Lu, C., Tian, H., Zhang, J., Yu, Z., Pan, S., Dangal, S., Zhang, B., **Yang, J.**, Pederson, N. and Hessel, A., (2019). Severe Long-Lasting Drought Accelerated Carbon Depletion in the Mongolian Plateau. *Geophysical Research Letters*, 46(10), pp.5303-5312.

24. Xia, H., Zhao, J., Qin, Y., **Yang, J.**, Cui, Y., Song, H., Ma, L., Jin, N. and Meng, Q., (2019). Changes in Water Surface Area during 1989–2017 in the Huai River Basin using Landsat Data and Google Earth Engine. *Remote Sensing*, 11(15), p.1824.
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25. **Yang, J.**, Tian, H., Pan, S., Chen, G., Zhang, B. and Dangal, S., 2018. Amazon drought and forest response: Largely reduced forest photosynthesis but slightly increased canopy greenness during the extreme drought of 2015/2016. *Global change biology*, 24(5), pp.1919-1934.
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27. Tian, H., Lu, C., Pan, S., **Yang, J.**, Miao, R., Ren, W., Yu, Q., Fu, B., Jin, F.F., Lu, Y. and Melillo, J., 2018. Optimizing resource use efficiencies in the food–energy–water nexus for sustainable agriculture: from conceptual model to decision support system. *Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability*, 33, pp.104-113.
28. Pan, S., Chen, G., Ren, W., Dangal, S.R., Banger, K., **Yang, J.**, Tao, B. and Tian, H., 2018. Responses of global terrestrial water use efficiency to climate change and rising atmospheric CO<sub>2</sub> concentration in the twenty-first century. *International Journal of Digital Earth*, 11(6), pp.558-582.
29. García , A., Frieler, K., Reyer, C., Ciais, P., Chang, J., Ito, A., Nishina, K., François, L., Henrot, A., Hickler, T., Steinkamp, J., Rafique, R., Zhao, F., Ostberg, S., Schaphoff, S., Tian, H., Pan, S., **Yang, J.**, Morfopoulos, C., and Betts, R. 2018. Evaluating changes of biomass in global vegetation models: the role of turnover fluctuations and ENSO events. *Environmental Research Letters*, 13(7)
30. Tian, H., **Yang, J.**, Lu, C., Xu, R., Canadell, J.G., Jackson, R., Arneth, A., Chang, J., Chen, G., Ciais, P. Gerber, S., etc. 2018. The global N2O Model Intercomparison Project (NMIP): Objectives, Simulation Protocol and Expected Products. *Bulletin of the American Meteorological Society*, 99(6), pp.1231-1251.
31. Xu, R.T., Pan, S.F., Chen, J., Chen, G.S., **Yang, J.**, Dangal, S.R.S., Shepard, J.P. and Tian, H.Q., (2018). Half-Century Ammonia Emissions from Agricultural Systems in Southern Asia: Magnitude, Spatiotemporal Patterns, and Implications for Human Health. *GeoHealth*, 2(1), pp.40-53.
32. Zhang, J., Tian, H., **Yang, J.** and Pan, S., (2018) Improving Representation of Crop Growth and Yield in the Dynamic Land Ecosystem Model and its Application to China. *Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems*, 10, 1680-1707.

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33. Yang, J., Pan, S., Dangal, S., Zhang, B., Wang, S., Tian, H. (2017) Continental-scale quantification of post-fire vegetation greenness recovery in temperate and boreal North America. *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 199, 277-290
  34. Zhang, J., Yang, J., An, P., Ren, W., Pan, Z., Dong, Z., Han, G., Pan, Y., Pan, S., Tian, H. (2017) Enhancing agricultural drought induced by climate change and agricultural practices: Observational and experimental evidence from the semiarid area of northern China. *Agricultural and Forest Meteorology*, 243, 74-83
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  36. Dangal, S., Tian, H., Zhang, B., Pan, S., Lu, C., Yang, J. (2017) Methane emission from global livestock sector during 1890–2014: magnitude, trends, and spatio-temporal patterns. *Global Change Biology*. DOI: 10.1111/gcb.13709
  37. Chen, M., Rafique, R., Asrar, G., Bond-Lamberty, B., Ciais, P., Reyer, C., Ostberg, S., Zhao, F., Chang, J., Ito, A., Yang, J., Zeng, N., Kalnay, E., West, T., Leng, G., Francois, L., Munhoven, G., Henrot, A., Tian, H., Pan, S., Nishina, K., Viovy, N., Morfopoulos, C., Betts, R., Schaphoff, S., Steinkamp, J., Hickler, T. (2017) Regional Contribution to Variability and Trends of Global Gross Primary Productivity. *Environmental Research Letters*, 12(10), p.105005.
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