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## Research Interest

My research vision is to advance our understanding of precipitation microphysical processes and cloud dynamics with the ultimate aim of improving parameterizations in numerical models. I pursue this vision by analyzing ground-, air-, and space-based radar observations to retrieve raindrop number and size estimates that lead to improved global rainfall estimates and improved understanding of precipitation processes and dynamics.

## Education

- Ph.D. 1994 University of Colorado Boulder, CO (Electrical Engineering)  
Thesis: Deep convective clouds and their association with nonmigrating atmospheric diurnal tides in the tropical troposphere (Prof. Susan Avery)
- M.S. 1986 Purdue University, West Layette, IN (Electrical Engineering)
- B.S. 1985 California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, CA  
(Electronic Engineering)

## Professional Experience

- 2018-Present **Research Professor**, Ann and H.J. Smead Department of Aerospace Engineering Sciences, University of Colorado Boulder
- 2015-2017 **Senior Scientist**, Cooperative Institute for Research in Environmental Sciences (CIRES) / University of Colorado Boulder (CU),  
in partnership with  
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) /  
Earth System Research Laboratory (ESRL)
- 2005-2015 **Research Scientist III**, CIRES / CU & NOAA ESRL
- 2001-2005 **Research Scientist III**, CIRES / CU & NOAA Aeronomy Laboratory
- 1997-2001 **Research Scientist II**, CIRES / CU & NOAA Aeronomy Laboratory
- 1994-1997 **Research Associate**, CIRES / CU & NOAA Aeronomy Laboratory
- 1991-1994 **Graduate Research Assistant**, CIRES / CU & NOAA Aeronomy Lab
- 1988-1991 **Development Engineer**, Next Generation Perfusion Team,  
COBE Laboratories, Arvada, Colorado
- 1987-1988 **Design Engineer**, CO<sub>2</sub> Laser Tube Development Group,  
HGM Medical Laser Systems, Salt Lake City, Utah

## Patents

- 7,920,959      5 April 2011: Method and apparatus for estimating the velocity vector of multiple vehicles on non-level and curved roads using a single camera.  
Inventor: Christopher R. Williams

## Peer-Reviewed Publications

All Peer-Reviewed Publications are listed on [www.ResearcherID.com](http://www.ResearcherID.com) with ID#: A-2723-2015  
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- 80 published peer-reviewed publications
- Collaborated with over 120 different co-authors
- Publications cited over 2500 times in other peer-reviewed articles
- Publications cited over 200 times in 2020
- *h-index* = 31 (31 papers have at least 31 citations), as of January 2021

### Publication number. (Citation count) Publication detail

83. (N/A) Johnston, P. E., **C. R. Williams**, A. B. White, 2021: Preliminary Drop Size Distributions measured with NOAA's Snow-Level Radar. *J. Atmos. Oceanic Technol.*, submitted.
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## Honors and Awards

2015 NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Robert H. Goddard Award (Ground Validation Team) for the category of *Exceptional Achievement in Science in 2014*.

2015 - NASA Group Achievement Award, Global Precipitation Measurement (GPM) Post-Launch Team, "For exceeding all expectations for GPM operations, data processing, algorithm performance, science impact, and education and public outreach within one year after launch".

2014 American Meteorological Society Editor's Award from *Journal of Atmospheric and Oceanic Technology*

2006 CIRES/University of Colorado Outstanding Scientist of the Year

## **Professional Service and Contribution**

### *NASA Precipitation Measurement Mission (PMM)*

NASA PMM Science Team, Member, 2000 – Present  
NASA PMM Raindrop Size Distribution Working Group, Chair, 2007 – Present  
NASA PMM Ground Validation Working Group, Member, 2007 – Present

### *Department of Energy (DOE), Atmospheric Science Research (ASR) Program*

DOE ASR Science Team, Member, 2011 – Present  
DOE ASR Vertical Velocity Focus Group, Member, 2011 – Present  
DOE ASR Radar Science Committee, Member, Member, 2011 – Present

### *American Meteorological Society (AMS) – Leadership Positions*

36<sup>th</sup> AMS Conference on Radar Meteorology, Conference co-chair, 14-20 September  
2013, Breckenridge, CO, (over 400 abstracts and over 400 attendees)  
AMS Radar Committee, Member, 2013 - Present.

### *Scientific and Professional Memberships*

Project Management International (PMI, certified Project Manager Professional, PMP)  
American Geophysical Union (AGU)  
American Meteorological Society (AMS)  
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE, Senior Member)

## **Professional Presentations / Non-Reviewed Publications**

*Over 250 professional presentations or non-reviewed publications*