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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

2007- pres.	Program Director, Ecosystem Science, Division of Environmental Biology, National Science Foundation, Arlington, VA
2005	Science Advisor, USDA Cooperative State Research Education and Extension Service, Competitive Grants Program, Washington, DC.
1996- pres.	Professor, University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science
1996-2004	Director, Appalachian Laboratory, University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science
1984-1996	Project Manager, Electric Power Research Institute, Palo Alto, CA
1983-1984	Program Director, Population Biology and Physiological Ecology Program, National Science Foundation, Washington, DC
1982-1984	Chair, Department of Biology, Bates College, Lewiston, Maine
1981-1984	Associate Professor of Biology, Bates College
1974-1981	Assistant Professor of Biology, Bates College

EDUCATION:

1969-1974	Stanford University; Ph.D. in Biological Sciences, Sept. 1974.
Win.1971	Organization for Tropical Studies, Costa Rica; Fundamentals of Tropical Biology
1965-1969	University of California, Davis; B.S. in Zoology

OTHER PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS AND OFFICES HELD:

2007-pres	U.S. Government Carbon Cycle Interagency Working Group
2003-pres	EPA Committee on Valuing the Protection of Ecological Systems and Services
2002-2003	Chair, Global Change and Terrestrial Ecosystems (GCTE) project of the International Geosphere-Biosphere Program (IGBP)
2002-2004	AIBS Working Group on Infrastructure for Biology at Regional to Continental Scales, an NSF-sponsored project to further develop plans for NEON
2003	President, Association of Ecosystem Research Centers
2001-2005	Director, Chesapeake Watershed Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit (CESU)
1997-2000	Board of Directors, American Institute of Biological Sciences

1997-2003 Design Committee for A Report on the State of the Nation's Ecosystems, a project of the H. John Heinz Center for Science, Economics and the Environment
 1997-pres. Board Member, Maryland Chapter of The Nature Conservancy
 1997-2000 Board of Professional Certification, Ecological Society of America (ESA)
 1996-2003 IGBP-GCTE Scientific Steering Committee
 1996-2005 DOE Biological and Environmental Research Advisory Committee
 1995-1999 Steering Committee for 1999 International Botanical Congress
 1994- pres. Certified Senior Ecologist, ESA
 1994-2002 Science Advisory Committee for EPA Center for Ecological Health Research, Univ. of California, Davis
 1994-1997 Council-Member-at-Large, American Institute of Biological Sciences (elected)
 1992-1994 Chair, Future Meetings Committee, ESA
 1990-1996 Treasurer of the ESA
 1988-1990 Annual Meeting Program Chair, ESA
 1982-1984 Associate of the Gray Herbarium, Harvard University

EDITORSHIPS AND EDITORIAL BOARD APPOINTMENTS

2002-pres. Editorial Board, *Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment*
 2000-2001 Review Editor for IPCC Working Group 1 for Chapter 3 (Carbon Cycle) of the Third Assessment Report
 1997-pres. Editorial Board, *Oecologia*
 1997-2003 Chair of Steering/Editorial Committee for a series of reports on confronting climate change sponsored by the Union of Concerned Scientists and ESA
 1996- pres. Editorial Board, *Ecological Issues*, a special report series of the ESA
 1995- 2001 Editor-in-Chief, *Ecological Applications*
 1991 Guest member, Editorial Board for Annual Review of Energy and Environment
 1990-1995 Editorial Board, *Ecological Applications*

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS AND OTHER RECOGNITION:

2001 Distinguished Service Citation from the Ecological Society of America
 1999 Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science
 1994 EPRI Performance Recognition Award
 1989 EPRI Environment Division Award for Research Innovation
 1972-1974 Dietz Fellowship, Stanford University
 1969-1972 NSF Predoctoral Fellowship
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 1969 Graduation with High Honors, Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi; Departmental Citation in Zoology

PUBLICATIONS:

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Shaver, G.R., J. Canadell, F.S. Chapin, J. Gurevitch, J. Harte, G. Henry, P. Ineson, S. Johansson, J. Melillo, L. Pitelka, and L. Rustad. 2000. Global warming and terrestrial ecosystems: a conceptual framework for analysis. *BioScience* 50: 871-882.

Mooney, H.A., J. Canadell, F.S. Chapin, J. Ehleringer, C. Körner, R. McMurtrie, W.J. Parton, L.F. Pitelka, and E.-D. Schulze. 1999. Ecosystem physiology responses to global change. IN: Implications of Global Change for Natural and Managed Ecosystems: A Synthesis of GCTE and Related Research. Ed. by B.H. Walker, W.L. Steffen, J. Canadell, and J.S.I. Ingram. IGBP Book Series No. 4, Cambridge University Press, pp. 141-189.

Scholes, R.J., E.-D. Schulze, L.F. Pitelka, and R.O. Hall. 1999. Biogeochemistry of terrestrial ecosystems. IN: *Ibid*, pp. 271-303.

Pan, Y., J.M. Melillo, A.D. McGuire, D.W. Kicklighter, L.F. Pitelka, K. Hibbard, L.L. Pierce, S.W. Running, D.S. Ojima, W.J. Parton, D.S. Schimel and other VEMAP Members. 1998. Response of terrestrial ecosystems to elevated CO₂: A comparison of simulation studies among biogeochemistry models. *Oecologia* 114: 389-404.

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TEACHING EXPERIENCE (At Bates College, with number of times taught):

Plant Ecology (9), Population Biology (6), Advanced Experimental Ecology (6), Biogeography (3), General Ecology (3), Evolution (1), Botany (1), Conservation Ethic (1)

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

Ecological Society of America, American Institute of Biological Sciences, American Geophysical Union, American Association for the Advancement of Science