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Education

- 1989 Ph.D. Economics, Utah State University
- 1985 M.S. Ag. & Natural Resource Economics, Colorado State University
- 1981 B.S. General Agriculture, Colorado State University

Professional Experience

- 2000-Present Professor, Agricultural Economics and Business, NMSU
- 1995-2000 Associate Professor, Agricultural Economics and Business, NMSU
- 1989-1995 Assistant Professor, Agricultural Economics and Business, NMSU
- 1987-1989 Research Assistant, Department of Economics, Utah State University
- 1987-1988 Instructor, International Irrigation Center, Utah State University
- 1986-1987 Professional Consultant, Agro Engineering, Inc.
- 1985 Research Associate, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Wyoming
- 1983-1985 Research Assistant, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Colorado State University

Primary Research Interests

Food, agricultural, natural resource policy impact assessment; New Mexico chile pepper industry; irrigation economics and water conservation; natural resource impacts of changing agricultural structure; U.S.-Mexico cattle trade; structure of agriculture and the future of agriculture

Professional Activities and Honors

- 1995 Western Agricultural Economics Association Outstanding Undergraduate Instructor
- 1995 El Paso Natural Gas Foundation Faculty Achievement Award