

## Danny Hardin

### EDUCATION:

- M.S. University of Alabama in Huntsville 1986  
Computer Science
- M.S. University of Alabama in Huntsville 1975  
Physics
- B.A. Berry College, Mount Berry Ga.  
Physics
- B.A. Berry College, Mount Berry Ga.  
Math

### ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- Adjunct Lecturer:** The University of Alabama in Huntsville  
Computer Science  
1980 – 1991  
Courses Taught: FORTRAN, Assembly Language, Pascal
- 2001 – Current  
Courses Taught: Introduction to Computing, C Programming, C++  
Programming

### NON-ACADEMIC RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (Retired from full time work in 2012)

- Sr. Research Scientist** The University of Alabama in Huntsville  
Global Hydrology Research Center

#### 1996 – 2012 Information Technology and Systems Science (Full Time)

- *Principle Investigator* for the Global Hydrology Resource Center (GHRC) - one of NASA's interconnected NASA Earth Science data systems.
- *Principle Investigator* for the UAH component of NASA's SEVIR program – whose goal was to place NASA earth science data in the hands of local officials and scientists for environmental monitoring and natural disaster response.
- *Principle Investigator* for the UAH component of NASA's atmospheric research survey missions – eight missions lasting several weeks each involving research aircraft, satellite and earth based instruments for the study of severe storms and arctic conditions.

#### 1991 – 1995 The University of Alabama in Huntsville (Full Time)

- Distributed computer systems designer on the data management portion of NASA's Mission to Planet Earth program
- Participated on NASA committee for the selection of data standards
- Team leader for UAH component of NASA's Earth Observation System Distributed Information System (EOSDIS) – the first version of NASA's data system for management and distribution of earth science data.

#### 1975- 1990 General Research Corporation (Full Time)

- *Technical Manager* of a \$10 million engineering support contract that provided research and engineering support services to the Army's Advanced Research Center (ARC).
- *Principle Investigator* for a study of fault detection and recovery in a distributed multi-processor interconnected systems

- Researcher in the area of distributed computer systems and networks.

## **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

American Geophysical Union

## **PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS (2010 – 2012)**

*“Detecting Suspended Sediments from Remote Sensed Data in the Northern Gulf of Mexico”*, Hardin D, Ebersole S, Hawkins L, He M, Smith T, Drewry M, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA; Dec. 2012.

*“Processing Direct Broadcast Data to reduce Latency of Aqua AMSR-E Products”*; Regner K, Hardin D, Beaumont B, Teague M; American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA; Dec. 2011.

*“Collaboration Portals for NASA’s Airborne Field Campaigns”*; Hardin D, Kulkarni A, Garrett M, Goodman M, Petersen W, Drewry M, He M., American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA; Dec. 2011.

*“Collaboration Tools and Technologies for Scientific Field Campaigns”*; Hardin D, He M, Garrett M, Smith T. Internet2 Conference, Atlanta, GA; 2010.

*“A Data and Information System for Arctic Research.”*; Tanner S, Hardin D, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA; Dec. 2010.

*“SANDS - Sediment Analysis Network for Decision Support.”*; Hardin D, Ebersole S, Hawkins L, He M, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA; Dec. 2010.