# Perry J. Samson

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2002 to present Associate Chair

Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences

The University of Michigan

2002 to present Undergraduate Advisor

Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences

The University of Michigan

2008 Visiting Professor

Eric Mazur Group, Dept. of Physics Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

2007-2008 Visiting Professor

Carl Wieman Science Education Initiative

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC Canada

1996 to present Arthur Thurnau Professor

University of Michigan

1985 to present Full Professor

Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences

The University of Michigan

1979 - 1985 Assistant, Associate Professor

Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences

The University of Michigan

1995-1996 Visiting Scientist

1985-1986 National Center for Atmospheric Research

Boulder, Colorado 80307-3000

## ENTREPRENEURIAL ENDEAVORS

1998 to present Founder, Living Text, LLC — Creator of on-line textbooks

http://www.xamprep.com

http://www.wunderground.com/

**EDUCATION** 

Ph.D Meteorology 1979

University of Wisconsin-Madison

B.S., M.S. Atmospheric Science 1972, 1974

University at Albany

**OUTSTANDING AWARDS** 

2003 National Science Foundation Finalist, Scientific Visualization Award

1995 College of Engineering Teaching Excellence Award, University of Michigan

#### PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND COMMITTEES

2007 to present Senate Assembly Member - The University of Michigan

American Meteorological Society:

1981to present C.C.M. Certified Consulting Meteorologist
1991-1994 Member Committee on Atmospheric Chemistry

National Academy of Science, National Research Council

Committee on Haze in National Parks and Wilderness Areas

University Corporation for Atmospheric Research

1993-1996 Member UNIDATA Policy Committee 1991-1993 Member UNIDATA User Committee

### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

#### Relevant Refereed Articles

Diez Roux, Auchincloss, Keeler, Dvonch, Samson, 2006, Recent exposure to particulate matter and C-reactive protein concentration in the Multiethnic Study of Atherosclerosis (MESA), *Amer. J. Epidemiology*, 1 September 2006; 164: 437 – 448.

Brook, J., Sillman, S. and Samson, P. J., 1993. The relationship between upwind SO2 emissions and SO4 concentrations in precipitation at six sites in the eastern U.S. Atmospheric Environment. 27A, 1765-1779.

Sillman, S. and P.J. Samson, 1993: Nitrogen oxides, regional transport and ozone air quality: Results of a regional-scale model for the midwestern U.S. Water, Air and Soil Pollut., 67: 117-132.

Sillman, S., Samson P.J. and J.M. Masters, 1993: Ozone Production in Urban Plumes Transported over Water: Photochemical Model and Case Studies in the Northeastern and Midwestern U.S. J. Geophys. Res. 98: 12,687-12,699.

Sillman, S. and Samson, P. J., 1995: The impact of temperature on oxidant formation in urban, polluted rural and remote environments. J. Geophys. Res. 100: 11,497-11,508.

### **Most Recent Conference Presentations (Invited)**

Samson P. and B. van der Pluijm, 2006. Every picture begs a question. DLESE workshop (Invited Keynote), Tucson.

Samson P. and B. van der Pluijm, B., 2006. Capturing Critical Thinking in Class: Teaching Systems Using Wireless Technologies in Large Survey Courses. 9th Annual Enriching Scholarship (Invited Keynote), Ann Arbor.

### Most Recent Conference Presentations (Other)

Samson, P, van der Pluijm, B., 2004. Utilizing wireless PocketPC's in Earth Systems Science Lectures to Expand Discourse. *EOS.* (202)

van der Pluijm, B., Knoop, P., Samson, P., Teasley, S., 2005. Using wireless (Pocket)PCs in large introductory courses to expand discourse and interactivity. *EOS.* (213)

Samson, P., Teasley, S.D., van der Pluijm, B., Knoop, P., 2006. Using Handheld PCs and Peer Instruction to Improve Science Teaching and Learning in Higher Education. 7th Intern. Conf. Learning Sci., Bloomington, Indiana.

Samson, P., 2006. Design Considerations for On-Line Textbook. Enriching the Academic Experience of College Science Students Conference, May 17-19, 2006, Ann Arbor, MI.

Samson, P., B. van der Pluijm and S. Teasley, 2006. Using PocketPC's in Large Survey Classes. Enriching the Academic Experience of College Science Students Conference, May 17-19, 2006, Ann Arbor, MI.

van der Pluijm, B.A., Samson, P, Knoop, P., 2005. GeoPocket: wireless PocketPC's in large introductory courses to expand discourse and interactivity. Geol. Soc. Am. Abstr. Progr. 37. (212)