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PROFESSOR AND J.H. MULLAHY ENDOWED CHAIR IN ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Physiological plant ecology; Grassland & savanna ecology; Plant & ecosystem responses to global environmental change; Environmental UV photobiology; Mechanisms of plant-plant interactions; Plant carbon, water and light relations

EDUCATION

- 1984 *Ph.D. Biological Sciences/Ecology*, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE (A.T. Harrison, R.B. Kaul, co-advisors)
1980 *M.S. Biological Sciences/Ecology*, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE (A.T. Harrison, advisor)
1978 *B.A. Biology*, Augustana College, Sioux Falls, SD (magna cum laude; L.L. Tieszen, advisor)
1974-75 Northern State University, Aberdeen, SD (Biology major)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2004- *Professor and J.H. Mullahy, S.J. Endowed Chair of Environmental Biology*, Dept. Biological Sciences, Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA
2001-04 *Professor*, Dept. Biology, Texas State University (formerly Southwest Texas State University), San Marcos, TX
1996-01 *Associate Professor*, Dept. Biology, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX
1995 *Adjunct Faculty*, Dept. Rangeland Ecology & Management, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
1991-96 *Assistant Professor*, Dept. Biology, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX
1990-91 *Courtesy Assistant Professor*, Dept. Botany and Plant Pathology, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR
1988-91 *Project Leader and Scientist*, Stratospheric Ozone Research Group, NSI Technology Services, Inc., USEPA Environmental Research Lab., Corvallis, OR
1985-88 *Postdoctoral Research Associate*, Dept. Wildland Resources, Utah State University, Logan, UT (M.M. Caldwell, advisor)
1984-85 *Assistant Professor*, Biology Department, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN
1984 *Instructor*, School of Biological Sciences, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE
1978-83 *Graduate Research & Teaching Assistant*, School of Biological Sciences, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE
1978 *Plant Ecologist*, Archaeological Survey Crew, University of South Dakota (summer)
1977-78 *Undergraduate Laboratory Assistant*, Biology Department, Augustana College, Sioux Falls, SD

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Presidential Research Seminar, Texas State University (2002)
- College of Science Finalist, Presidential Award for Scholarship, TSU (2000)
- Favorite Professor, Alpha Chi National Honor Society (TSU Chapter; 1999)
- Who's Who Among America's Teachers (student nominated; 2000, 2004)
- Faculty of the Year Award Recipient, TSU Catholic Student Center (1996)
- Graduate Fellowship Research Awards, University of Nebraska (4; 1979-84)
- NSF Undergraduate Research Program Recipient (Augustana College; 1978)

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Geophysical Union, Ecological Society of America, Sigma Xi-University of Nebraska Chapter

PUBLICATION SUMMARY:

- 37 Peer-reviewed Journal Articles
- 6 Book Chapters
- 71 Published Abstracts
- 16 Reports, Book Reviews and Non-Reviewed Publications

GRANT AND RESEARCH FUNDING SUMMARY: (Total Grants = 25; Total Funding = \$1.3 million)

- 4 NSF grants (+4 NSF supplements) - PI and Co-PI (\$405,735)
- 4 USDA/NRI competitive grants - PI (\$372,435)
- 2 USEPA grants - Co-PI (\$320,000)
- 3 Other external grants (NGOs) - PI (\$11,750)
- NASA/EOS Investigator (summer salary 1991-1998)
- USDA UV Monitoring Program (Investigator via Utah State Univ.; 2005-2009)
- 12 Internal grants (TSU and Loyola) - PI and Co-PI (\$189,751)

INVITED LECTURES, SEMINARS & PANEL DISCUSSIONS

- 2010 *Science and decision making in the context of the BP oil spill*, Loyola University, College of Law Panel Discussion "The Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill—A Billion Pound Dossier".
- 2007 *Plant and ecosystem responses to changes in the solar UV climate*, USGS National Wetlands Research Laboratory Seminar, Lafayette, Louisiana.
- 2006 *Ecophysiology of plant-plant interactions in changing environments*, School of Renewable Natural Resources Seminar, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA.
- 2006 *Ecophysiology of plant-plant interactions in changing environments*, Department of Biological Sciences seminar, Southeastern Louisiana University, Hammond, LA.
- 2006 *Ecological effects of stratospheric ozone depletion and increased UV-B radiation*, Lecture to Xavier University Environmental Club, New Orleans, LA.
- 2003 *Facilitation, competition and woody patch dynamics in Texas savannas*, Dept. Biology Seminar, Southwestern University, Georgetown, TX.
- 2003 *Grassland Ecology*, Comal Chapter (Lindheimer), Lecture to Texas Master Naturalist Program, Sattler, TX.
- 2000 *Ecophysiology of woody plant interactions in Texas savannas*, Dept. Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Seminar, University of Texas, Austin, TX.

- 1999 *Facilitation, competition and woody patch dynamics in Texas savannas*, Biology Department Seminar, Baylor University, Waco, TX.
- 1999 *Photomorphogenic effects of ultraviolet-B radiation and consequences for plant competition*, Molecular and Environmental Plant Science Interdisciplinary Seminar Series, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.
- 1999 *Introduction to Plant and Savanna Ecology*, National Wildflower Research Center, Austin, TX.
- 1998 *Plant Ecology and Nurse Plants in Texas Savannas*, Capital Area Master Naturalist Program, National Wildflower Research Center, Austin, TX.
- 1998 *Global Environmental Change: Some Ethical, Religious and Moral Considerations*. Faculty Lecture Series, H.L. Grant Catholic Student Center, TSU.
- 1995 *Mechanisms of plant-plant interactions in changing environments*, Texas A&M University, Department of Rangeland Ecology and Management Seminar, College Station, TX
- 1993 *Potential ecological consequences of stratospheric ozone depletion and increases in solar ultraviolet radiation for plants*, Department of Biology Seminar, Trinity University, San Antonio, TX.
- 1990 *UV-B Fluence and Dosimetry*, International Rice Research Institute, Los Baños, Philippines.
- 1984 *Local differentiation in bluestem populations*, Biology Department Seminar, Augustana College.
- 1984 *Divergence and adaptation in adjacent bluestem populations*, Biology Department Seminar, University of Nebraska-Omaha.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE, GRANT PANELS & MANUSCRIPT REVIEWS

- Organized and lead ESA field trip “Ecology, Hydrology and Management of Live oak-Juniper Savannas on the Edwards Plateau”, Annual ESA Meeting, Austin, TX, August 2011.
- USEPA Global Change STAR peer review panel, Washington, D.C. 2011.
- Collaborative Scientific Research Opportunities Relative to the Gulf Oil Spill. Participant. New Orleans, LA, Nov. 1-2, 2010.
- Participant, Louisiana Board of Regents, Programmatic Review of the Endowed Chairs for Eminent Scholars Program. New Orleans, LA. 2009.
- USDA Workshop Participant: The molecular aspects of plant secondary metabolism in response to UV-B radiation. San Antonio, TX. 2006
- NSF Dissertation Improvement Grants Panelist, Arlington, VA. 2004, 2005
- Texas Water Resources Institute Workshop, San Antonio, TX. 2003
- NASA/EOS Workshop, Keystone, CO. 2001
- NSF Research Experiences for Undergraduates Panelist, Arlington, VA. 1998
- NASA/EOS Workshop Participant, Rocky Mountain Biol. Lab., CO. 1996
- NASA/EOS External Program Review (Participant), National Center for Atmospheric Research, Boulder, CO. 1992
- Indo-US Workshop, “Global Climatic Changes: Photosynthesis and Plant Productivity”, New Delhi, India. 1991
- USEPA-IRRI Global Climate Change Workshop, Los Baños, Philippines. 1989
- USEPA Peer Review Panel of IRRI-Univ. Maryland Global Climate Change proposal, Gainesville, FL. 1989
- USDA Workshop, “UV-B radiation effects on crop productivity”, Gainesville, FL. 1989
- USDA Competitive Grants Panelist, Environmental Stress Program, Washington, D.C. 1989
- National Research Council Workshop Panelist, “Determination of research needed to predict the impact of an increase in UV-B radiation on the biota”, Washington, D.C. 1988
- *Ad hoc* grant reviewer: NSF, USDA, EPA & others

- *Ad hoc* manuscript reviewer: Ecology, Oecologia, Global Change Biology, Plant Physiology, Photochemistry & Photobiology, New Phytologist & others
- Textbook reviewer: Botany and Ecology texts (various publishers)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- *Chair, Environmental Studies Program*, Loyola University (2006-present)
- *Departmental Committees* - 7 Chair (Personnel Committee; Planning Committee; 3 Search Committees; Annual Post-tenure Faculty Review Committee); 9 Member
- *College/University Committees* - 8 Member (incl. Study Group on Campus Sustainability (Loyola), Graduate Education Working Group (Loyola), Interdisciplinary Studies Committee (Loyola), Presidential Scholarship Committee, College of Science Promotion/Tenure Review Committee; Freeman Ranch Advisory Com.)
- *Graduate Student Committees* - 15 TSU; 6 Univ. Texas-Austin and Texas A&M Univ. (MS and PhD students)

STUDENT RESEARCH SUPERVISION: Graduate Students – 10; Undergraduates – 14; Summer Teachers – 3; Postdoctoral Researchers - 2 @ TSU; 1 co-advised @ Texas A&M

STUDENT THESES SUPERVISED

- Burst, S. 2011. Effect of solar UV-B on standing dead litter decomposition in southern marshes. Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Loyola University New Orleans.
- Allison, M. 2006. Changes in leaves UV protection shield due to increase in radiation. Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Loyola University New Orleans.
- Scott, K. D. 2004. Above and below-ground morphological responses of cucumber seedlings (*Cucumis sativus*) to ultraviolet-B radiation. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Elliott, K.G. 2004. Wildfire-induced mortality of woody species in a central Texas savanna. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Mittlehauser, J. 2002. Blackland prairie restoration in central Texas. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Ramirez, P. 2002. Live oak (*Quercus virginiana* var. *fusiformis*) – Ashe juniper (*Juniperus ashei*) interactions in a central Texas savanna. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Jessup, K. 2001. Vegetation dynamics of an oak-juniper savanna on the Edwards Plateau of Texas: An isotopic assessment. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Phillips, P. 1999. Composition of the woody plant understory of plateau live oak (*Quercus virginiana* var. *fusiformis*) clusters in a central Texas savanna. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Ruiseco, L. 1998. Woody plant effects on the soil seed bank in a central Texas savanna. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Beck, J. 1998. Effects of ultraviolet-B radiation on grass morphology and competition. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- McMurtry, C.R. 1997. Gas exchange physiology and water relations of co-occurring woody plant species in a Texas subtropical savanna. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.
- Nelson, J.A. 1997. Leaf demography and growth of co-occurring woody plant species in a Texas subtropical savanna. MS Thesis, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX.

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Nebraska-Lincoln: Biology 230 Great Plains Ecology

St. Olaf College: Biology 91 Senior Seminar; Biology 62 Field Ecology; Biology 61 Ecological Principles; Biology 50 Plant Taxonomy

Texas State University: Biology 5318 Topics: Quantitative Field Ecology; Biology 5318 Topics: Global Change Biology; Biology 5110E Plant Ecology Journal Club; Biology 4454/5454 Plant Ecology; Biology 4416 General Ecology; Biology 2410 General Botany; Biology 1410 Introduction to Plant Biology; Biology 1421 Modern Biology II (non-majors); Honors 2380C Global Ecology & Humanity

Loyola University New Orleans: Biology Z264 Global Ecology (advanced, non-majors common curriculum course); Biology A208 Ecology and Evolution (sophomore majors course); Biology A338 Plant Ecology (advanced majors course)

PUBLICATIONS

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

1. Mittelhauser, J.R., P.W. Barnes, and T.G. Barnes. 2011. The effect of herbicide on the re-establishment of native grasses in the Blackland Prairie. *Natural Areas Association Journal* 31:500-507.
2. Ryel, R. J., S. D. Flint, and P.W. Barnes. 2010. Solar UV-B radiation and global dimming: effects on plant growth and UV-shielding. Pp. 370-394, In: W. Gao, D.L. Schmoltdt, and J. R. Slusser (eds) *UV Radiation in Global Change: Measurements, Modeling and Effects on Ecosystems*. Tsinghua University Press (Beijing) and Springer-Verlag (Berlin-Heidelberg).
3. Shinkle, J.R., M.C. Edwards, A. Koenig, A. Shaltz, and P.W. Barnes. 2009. Photomorphogenic regulation of increases in UV-absorbing pigments in cucumber (*Cucumis sativus*) and *Arabidopsis thaliana* seedlings induced by different UV-B and UV-C wavebands. *Physiologia Plantarum* 138:113-121.
4. Barnes, P.W. 2009. Our changing planet: A scientist's call for environmental stewardship. Pp. 22-37, In: *The Gift of Creation: Images from Scripture and Earth*. N. Wirzba (ed.), Acclaim Press, Morley, Missouri.
5. Barnes, P.W., S. Flint, J. Slusser, W. Gao and R. Ryel. 2008. Diurnal changes in epidermal UV transmittance of plants in naturally high UV environments. *Physiologia Plantarum* 133: 363-372.
6. D'Souza, L., and P.W. Barnes. 2008. Woody plant effects on soil seed banks in a central Texas savanna. *The Southwestern Naturalist* 53:495-506.
7. Barnes, P.W., S-Y Liang, K.E. Jessup, P.A. Ramirez, L.E. D'Souza, K.G. Elliott, and P.L. Phillips. 2007. Ecological impacts of Ashe juniper on subtropical savanna parklands and woodlands. Pp. 133-155, In: *Ecology and Management of Western North American Juniperus Communities: A Dynamic Vegetation Type*. O.W. van Auken (ed.), Ecological Studies 196, Springer.
8. Barnes, P.W., J. R. Shinkle, S.D. Flint, and R.J. Ryel. 2005. UV-B radiation, photomorphogenesis and plant-plant interactions. Pp. 313-340, In: K. Esser, U. Lüttge, W. Beyschlag, and J. Murata (eds). *Progress in Botany* Vol. 66, Springer-Verlag, Berlin.
9. Shinkle, J.R., D.L. Derickson, and P.W. Barnes. 2005. Comparative photobiology of growth responses to different UV wavebands in dim-red-light and white-light-grown cucumber (*Cucumis sativum*) seedlings: physiological evidence for photoreactivation. *Photochemistry and Photobiology* 81:1069-1074.
10. Zou, C.B., P.W. Barnes, S.R. Archer, and C.R. McMurty. 2005. Soil moisture redistribution as a mechanism of facilitation in savanna tree-shrub clusters. *Oecologia* 145:32-40.
11. Shinkle, J.R., A.K. Atkins, E.E. Humphrey, C.W. Rodgers, S.L. Wheeler, and P.W. Barnes. 2004. Short and long wavelength UV-B radiation induce different growth and morphological responses in cucumbers (*Cucumis sativum*) and other dicotyledonous seedlings. *Physiologia Plantarum* 120:240-248.
12. Jessup, K.E., P.W. Barnes, and T.W. Boutton. 2003. Vegetation dynamics in a *Quercus-Juniperus* savanna: an isotopic assessment. *Journal of Vegetation Science* 14:841-852.
13. Phillips, P.L., and P.W. Barnes. 2003. Spatial asymmetry in tree-shrub clusters in a subtropical savanna. *American Midland Naturalist* 149:59-70.
14. Nelson, J.A., P.W. Barnes, and S. Archer. 2002. Leaf demography and growth responses to altered resource availability in woody plants of contrasting leaf habit in a subtropical savanna. *Plant Ecology* 160:193-205.
15. Barnes, P.W., P.S. Searles, C.L. Ballaré, R.J. Ryel, and M.M. Caldwell. 2000. Non-invasive measurements of leaf epidermal transmittance of UV radiation using chlorophyll fluorescence: field and laboratory studies. *Physiologia Plantarum* 109:274-283.

16. Barnes, P.W., S-Y, Liang, K. Jessup, L. Ruisecco, P. Phillips, and S. Reagan. 2000. Soils, Topography and Vegetation of the Freeman Ranch. *Freeman Ranch Publication Series 1-2000*, Southwest Texas State University Press, San Marcos, TX, 31 pp.
17. Barnes, P.W., and S. Archer. 1999. Tree-shrub interactions in a subtropical savanna parkland: competition or facilitation? *Journal of Vegetation Science* 10:525-536.
18. Caldwell, M.M., P.S. Searles, S. Flint, and P.W. Barnes. 1999. Terrestrial ecosystem responses to solar UV-B radiation mediated by vegetation, microbes and abiotic photochemistry. pp. 241-262, In: *Physiological Plant Ecology*. (Eds: Press,M; Scholes,J; Barker,M) Blackwell, Oxford.
19. Gass, L., and P.W. Barnes. 1998. Microclimate and understory structure of live oak (*Quercus fusiformis*) clusters in central Texas, USA. *The Southwestern Naturalist* 43:183-194.
20. Barnes, P.W., C.L. Ballaré, and M.M. Caldwell. 1996. Photomorphogenic effects of UV-B radiation on plants: consequences for light competition. *Journal of Plant Physiology* 148:15-20.
21. Barnes, P.W., and S. Archer. 1996. Influence of an overstory tree (*Prosopis glandulosa*) on associated shrubs in a subtropical savanna parkland: implications for patch dynamics. *Oecologia* 105:493-500.
22. Ballaré, C.L., P.W. Barnes and S.D. Flint. 1995. Inhibition of hypocotyl elongation by ultraviolet-B radiation in de etioloating tomato seedlings. I. The photoreceptor. *Physiologia Plantarum* 93:584-592.
23. Ballaré, C.L., P.W. Barnes, S.D. Flint and S. Price. 1995. Inhibition of elongation by ultraviolet-B radiation in de etioloating tomato seedlings. II. Time course, comparison with flavonoid response and adaptive significance. *Physiologia Plantarum* 93:593-601.
24. Barnes, P.W., S.D. Flint and M.M. Caldwell. 1995. Early-season effects of supplemented solar UV-B radiation on seedling emergence, canopy structure, simulated stand photosynthesis and competition for light. *Global Change Biology* 1:43-53.
25. Barnes, P.W., S. Maggard, S.R. Holman and B.S. Vergara. 1993. Intraspecific variation in sensitivity to UV-B radiation in rice. *Crop Science* 33:1041-1046.
26. Dai, Q., V.P. Coronel, B.S. Vergara, P.W. Barnes, and A.T. Quintos. 1992. Ultraviolet-B radiation effects on growth and physiology of four rice cultivars. *Crop Science* 32:1269-1274.
27. Bachelet, D., P.W. Barnes, D. Brown, and M. Brown. 1991. Latitudinal and seasonal variation in calculated ultraviolet-B irradiance for rice-growing regions of Asia. *Photochemistry and Photobiology* 54:411-422.
28. Ballaré, C.L., P.W. Barnes, and R.E. Kendrick. 1991. Photomorphogenic effects of UV-B radiation on hypocotyl elongation in wild-type and stable-phytochrome-deficient mutant seedlings of cucumber. *Physiologia Plantarum* 83:652-658.
29. Barnes, P.W., W. Beyschlag, R. Ryel, S.D. Flint, and M.M. Caldwell. 1990. Plant competition for light analyzed with a multispecies canopy model. III. Influence of canopy structure in mixtures and monocultures of wheat and wild oat. *Oecologia* 82:560-566.
30. Ryel, R., P.W. Barnes, W. Beyschlag, M.M. Caldwell, and S.D. Flint. 1990. Plant competition for light analyzed with a multispecies canopy model. I. Model development and influence of enhanced UV-B conditions on photosynthesis in mixed wheat and wild oat canopies. *Oecologia* 82:304-310.
31. Beyschlag, W., P.W. Barnes, R. Ryel, M.M. Caldwell, and S.D. Flint. 1990. Plant competition for light analyzed with a multispecies canopy model. II. Influence of photosynthetic characteristics on mixtures of wheat and wild oat. *Oecologia* 82:374-380.
32. Barnes, P.W., S.D. Flint, and M.M. Caldwell. 1990. Morphological responses of crop and weed species of different growth forms to ultraviolet-B radiation. *American Journal of Botany* 77:1354-1360.
33. Barnes, P.W., H. Gucinski, and D. Turner. 1989. Ecosystem responses to increases in solar ultraviolet-B radiation. *Proceedings Air and Waste Management Association* 89-5.6.
34. Beyschlag, W., P.W. Barnes, S.D. Flint, and M.M. Caldwell. 1988. Enhanced UV-B irradiation has no effect on photosynthetic characteristics of wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.) and wild oat (*Avena fatua* L.) under greenhouse and field conditions. *Photosynthetica* 22:516-525.

35. Barnes, P.W., P.W. Jordan, W.G. Gold, S.D. Flint, and M.M. Caldwell. 1988. Competition, morphology and canopy structure in wheat (*Triticum aestivum*) and wild oat (*Avena fatua*) exposed to enhanced UV-B radiation. *Functional Ecology* 2:319-330.
36. Keeler, K.H., B. Kwankin, P.W. Barnes, and D.W. Galbraith. 1987. Polyploid polymorphism in *Andropogon gerardii*. *Genome* 29:374-379.
37. Barnes, P.W., S.D. Flint, and M.M. Caldwell. 1987. Photosynthesis damage and protective pigments in plants from a latitudinal arctic/alpine gradient exposed to supplemental UV-B radiation in the field. *Arctic and Alpine Research* 19:21-27.
38. Barnes, P.W. 1986. Variation in the big bluestem (*Andropogon gerardii*)-sand bluestem (*Andropogon hallii*) complex along a local dune/meadow gradient in the Nebraska sandhills. *American Journal of Botany* 73:172-184.
39. Barnes, P.W. 1985. Adaptation to water stress in the big bluestem - sand bluestem complex. *Ecology* 66:1908-1920.
40. Barnes, P.W., A.T. Harrison, and S.P. Heinisch. 1984. Vegetation patterns in relation to topography and edaphic variation in Nebraska Sandhills Prairie. *Prairie Naturalist* 16:145-158.
41. Tieszen, L.L., D.J. Ode, P.W. Barnes, and P.M. Bultsma. 1983. Seasonal variation in C-3 and C-4 biomass at the Ordway Prairie and selectivity by bison and cattle. *Proceedings of the Seventh North American Prairie Conference*, Springfield, MO, 1980. pp. 165-174.
42. Barnes, P.W., L.L. Tieszen, and D.J. Ode. 1983. Distribution, production and diversity of C-3 and C-4 dominated communities in a mixed prairie. *Canadian Journal of Botany* 61:741-751.
43. Barnes, P.W., and A.T. Harrison. 1982. Species distribution and community organization in a Nebraska Sandhills mixed prairie as influenced by plant/soil-water relationships. *Oecologia* 52:192-201.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION & REVIEW

1. Barnes, P.W., H.L. Throop, D.B. Hewins, M.L. Abbene, and S.R. Archer. 2011. Rapidly developing soil film covers dryland plant litter and negates UV photodegradation. *Ecosystems* (In Review).
2. Barnes, P.W., V. Del Bianco, A.P. Dickhute, and R.J. Ryel. Dynamic adjustments in leaf epidermal UV transmittance of plants in sun-shade transitions. *Plant, Cell and Environment* (In Prep).
3. R. J. Ryel, L. Ducas, S. D. Flint and P. W. Barnes. Leaf epidermal UV transmittance in Hawaiian plants: Patterns among species and along elevational gradients. In prep, to be submitted to *Biotropica*.
4. Barnes, P.W., S. R. Archer, C. R. McMurtry, S. F. Zitzer, and D.S. Schimel. Functional organization of a subtropical savanna/woodland ecosystem. In prep, to be submitted to *Ecology*.

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS, REPORTS & PUBLISHED BOOK REVIEWS

1. Barnes, P.W. 2009. Loyola has many options in going green. The Maroon, Loyola University Student Newspaper, Opinion Column. Vol. 86, April 16 Issue.
2. Barnes, P.W. 2009. Going green is vital to rejuvenating planet. The Maroon, Loyola University Student Newspaper, Opinion Column. Vol. 86, April 2 Issue.
3. Barnes, P.W., S. Liang, L.E. Ruiseco, P. Phillips, K. Jessup, and S. Reagan. 1998. Vegetation of the Freeman Ranch, *Research report to the Dean of Applied Arts and Sciences*, 159 pp., Southwest Texas State University.
4. Barnes, P.W., and S.R. Archer. 1996. Competition and facilitation between overstory and understory woody plants in a subtropical savanna. pp.11-15, In: J.W. Stuth and S.M. Dudash (eds.), *LaCopita Research Area: 1996 Consolidated Progress Report*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, CPR-5047, Texas A&M University, College Station.

5. Archer, S., P. Barnes, D. Schimel, S. Zitzer, S. Tan, and B. Brown. 1996. Functional organization of the La Copita ecosystem: spatial-temporal variation in leaf biomass, nitrogen and physiological activity. pp.16-19, In: J.W. Stuth and S.M. Dudash (eds.), *LaCopita Research Area: 1996 Consolidated Progress Report*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, CPR-5047, Texas A&M University, College Station.
6. McMurtry, C.R., P.W. Barnes, J.A. Nelson, and S.R. Archer. 1996. Physiological responses of woody vegetation to irrigation in a Texas subtropical savanna. pp. 33-37, In: J.W. Stuth and S.M. Dudash (eds.), *LaCopita Research Area: 1996 Consolidated Progress Report*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, CPR-5047, Texas A&M University, College Station.
7. Nelson, J.A., P.W. Barnes, C.R. McMurtry, and S.R. Archer. 1996. Influence of irrigation on leaf demography and production of diverse woody plants in a Texas subtropical savanna. pp. 42-46, In: J.W. Stuth and S.M. Dudash (eds.), *LaCopita Research Area: 1996 Consolidated Progress Report*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, CPR-5047, Texas A&M University, College Station.
8. Barnes, P.W., C.R. McMurtry, J.A. Nelson, and S.R. Archer. 1996. Influence of edaphic variation and *Prosopis glandulosa* overstory on co-occurring shrubs in a subtropical savanna. pp. 78-82, In: J.W. Stuth and S.M. Dudash (eds.), *LaCopita Research Area: 1996 Consolidated Progress Report*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, CPR-5047, Texas A&M University, College Station.
9. Schimel, D., S. Archer, P. Barnes, D. Ojima, W. Parton, C. Wessman, and S. Zitzer. 1996. Using multi-sensor data to model factors limiting carbon balance in global arid and semiarid lands. pp. 121-125, In: J.W. Stuth and S.M. Dudash (eds.), *LaCopita Research Area: 1996 Consolidated Progress Report*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, CPR-5047, Texas A&M University, College Station.
10. Barnes, P.W. 1995. Field and laboratory exercises in plant ecology. SWT Bookstore, Laboratory manual used in Biology 4454/5454 at SWT.
11. Selected UV-B effects on wetland rice ecosystems. 1990. *Internal report to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency*, Washington, D.C. (One of five contributing authors).
12. Ecological effects of stratospheric ozone depletion. 1988. *Internal report to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency*, Washington, D.C. (One of eight contributing authors).
13. Barnes, P.W. 1985. Review of: *Prairie Wildflowers*, by R. Currah, A. Smreciu, and M. Vandyk. 1983. Published in *The Great Plains Quarterly* 5:134-135.
14. Barnes, P. 1983. The ecology and productivity of Sandhills wet meadows. *Prairie Sentinel* 2:16-18.
15. Barnes, P.W. 1980. Historical accounts and description of the Sandhills prairie vegetation. pp. 55-62, In: A.T. Harrison. *The Niobrara Valley Preserve: Its biogeographic importance and description of its biotic communities. Report to The Nature Conservancy*, University of Nebraska. 235 pp.
16. Barnes, P.W., and L.L. Tieszen. 1978. A phytosociological study of 14 selected communities at the Samuel H. Ordway Prairie. *Report to The Nature Conservancy*, Augustana College. 42 pp.

PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS & PAPERS PRESENTED AT SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

1. Tobler, M.A., M.K. Grabner, H.L. Throop, S.R. Archer, and P.W. Barnes. 2011. Interaction of soil deposition and UV radiation on dryland litter decomposition. *Ecological Society of America*, Austin, TX, August 2011 (poster).
2. Throop, H.L., S.R. Archer, and P.W. Barnes. 2010. Wind and water transport of soil mediate dryland biogeochemical processes via effects on decomposition. *American Geophysical Union*, San Francisco, CA, December 2010 (oral presentation).
3. Barnes, P.W., M.K. Grabner, S.D. Flint, and R.J. Ryel. 2010. Diurnal changes in epidermal UV transmittance: Variation among species and locations. *Ecological Society of America*, Pittsburgh, PA, August 2010 (poster).

4. Tobler, M.A., D.A. White, and P.W. Barnes. 2010. Solar UV inhibits and promotes decomposition of standing dead litter in a southern marsh ecosystem. *Ecological Society of America*, Pittsburgh, PA, August 2010 (poster).
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