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Professional Overview

- ∞ Atmospheric scientist with applied and basic research experience
- ∞ Proven track record of delivering timely technical solutions to applied meteorological research problems
- ∞ Extensive background in meteorological analysis, algorithm development, radar signal processing, numerical weather prediction, data assimilation and adjoint models, and field data collection operations
- ∞ Published author, patent holder, and regular presenter at scientific conferences
- ∞ Experienced in developing research proposals, and managing a team of technical professionals
- ∞ Experienced consulting and forensic meteorologist with an emphasis in aviation meteorology

Education

Ph.D., Florida State University, Meteorology “The Use of Targeted Observations to Reduce Forecast Errors in the Presence of Terrain”	2002
M.S., Florida State University, Meteorology “On The Interaction Between a Thunderstorm and its Near Storm Thermodynamic Environment”	1997
B.S., University of North Dakota, Meteorology	1993

Professional Positions

Founder and Managing Director, Aeris LLC	3/2015 – Present
Chief Technical Officer, Science and Technology in Atmospheric Research (STAR)	6/2008 – 3/2015
Project Scientist III, National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)	11/2013 – 3/2015
Project Scientist II, National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)	6/2008 – 11/2013
Project Scientist I, National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)	8/2007 – 6/2008
Associate Scientist III, National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)	11/2006 – 8/2007
Technical Staff, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory (MITLL)	6/2003 – 11/2006
Short Course Instructor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory (MITLL) Topic: Numerical Weather Prediction (NWP)	9/2000 – 12/2000
Associate Staff, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory (MITLL)	4/1999 – 6/2003
Assistant Staff, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory (MITLL)	6/1995 – 4/1999

Technical Skills

<i>Operating Systems:</i>	LINUX High Performance Computing (HPC), Windows, MacOS
<i>Programming Languages:</i>	C, C++, FORTRAN, PERL, C-Shell scripts, Python, NCL
<i>Software and Modeling Applications:</i>	ARPS, MM5, MM5 Adjoint Model, WRF, WRF-LES, WRF-CHEM, GrADS, CONTAM, QUIC, MATLAB, Image processing
<i>Miscellaneous Computer Knowledge:</i>	Linux system administration, Networking, Hardware maintenance
<i>Forensic Analysis:</i>	Aviation accident/incident reconstruction using air-traffic control radar

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(target and weather channels), Doppler weather radar, satellite, surface, upper-air observational and atmospheric model data. Developer of custom-atmospheric modeling and software analysis solutions. Analysis and modeling of atmospheric transport, dispersion and source estimation for the release of airborne materials.

Consulting and Expert Analysis/Testimony

<i>Maria Guadalupe Garcia, individually, et al. vs. Metro Aviation Inc., et al.</i>	2009
<i>Estate of Robert North vs. Precision Airmotive</i>	2009 – 2011
<i>Estate of Virgil Victor Becker Jr. vs. Precision Airmotive, et al.</i> - Provided a deposition on behalf of the defendant in August 2012.	2011 – 2013
<i>Rebecca Ramos-Colon vs. EADS North America et. al.</i>	2012
<i>Eileen M. Roberstson vs. Honeywell International Inc. et al.</i>	2014 – 2015
<i>Kaye Lynn Shenk, et al. vs. Cessna Aircraft Co., et al.</i>	2014 – 2016

Patents

U.S. Patent No.:	7,391,358	
Title:	“Weather Radar Echo Tops Forecast Generation”	
Inventors:	W.J. Dupree, M.M. Wolfson, R.J. Johnson Jr., R.A. Boldi, P.E. Bieringer, K.T. Calden, and C.A. Wilson	06/24/2008
U.S. Patent No.:	7,472,021	
Title:	“Atmospheric Feature Detection Using Lagrangian Scalar Integration”	
Inventors:	P. E. Bieringer and S. Winkler	12/30/2008

Awards

Title:	“Outstanding Platform Presentation”	
Location:	2011 Chemical and Biological Defense Science and Technology Conference – Las Vegas, NV	11/2011
Title:	“Lincoln Scholars Program”	
Location:	MIT Lincoln Laboratory – Lexington, MA	11/1999

Honorary and Professional Organizations

American Meteorological Society - Chair of the AMS Committee on Meteorological Aspects of Air Pollution (CMAAP)	2013 – Present
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Selected Projects and Research Activities

- Co-Principal Investigator*** 10/2015 – Present
Joint Program Manager for Information Systems (JPMIS), Joint Effects Model (JEM) Increment 2 (INC-2) System Development (Aeris)
- ∞ Provide subject matter expertise on atmospheric dispersion and JEM system design
 - ∞ Leading the team at Aeris that designs a new software framework for handling weather processing and atmospheric dispersion and integration with other model components
- Principal Investigator*** 7/2015 – Present
US Government, Enhancing Signals of Interest Using Meteorological Modeling (Aeris)
- ∞ Continental scale atmospheric and transport and dispersion modeling
 - ∞ Development of airborne material concentration background signals from near and far range sources
 - ∞ Development of an algorithm to distinguish near range signals within a detailed long range concentration background
- Principal Investigator*** 9/2015 – Present
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Coupled Indoor-Outdoor Contaminant Dispersion Modeling (Aeris)
- ∞ Provide subject matter expertise for linking indoor and outdoor contaminate dispersion models
- Principal Investigator*** 9/2014 – 3/2015
US Government, Advanced Data Assimilation and Mesoscale Transport and Dispersion (ADAMTD) Modeling (NCAR and STAR)
- ∞ Development of data assimilation enhancements for an operational ensemble numerical weather reanalysis system based on the Weather Research and Forecast (WRF) model
 - ∞ Development of a “mission-specific” source estimation methods for the WRF system
 - ∞ Development of enhancements to climatological analysis techniques
- Principal Investigator*** 9/2014 – 3/2015
US Department of Homeland Security and Food and Drug Administration, Focused Integration of Data for Early Signals (FIDES) (NCAR)
- ∞ Development of methodologies for incorporating weather and climate information into a food security scanning and analysis capability that will be used for monitoring potential food threats associated with changing meteorological conditions
- Principal Investigator*** 8/2013 – 3/2015
Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Disease Vector Mapping via Environmental/Climatological/Sociological Factors, (NCAR and STAR)
- ∞ Conduct a climatological analysis of meteorological conditions in Veracruz, Mexico
 - ∞ Conduct an on-site field survey of mosquito breeding containers and environmental conditions in Veracruz, Mexico
 - ∞ Develop a high-resolution satellite image processing algorithm to identify and categorize mosquito breeding habitats
 - ∞ Integrate environmental and satellite imagery with models of container temperatures, mosquito reproduction, and disease spread into a coupled system
- Results used to develop an extensible dynamically updating dengue disease risk map that can be combined with other medical source information in a DoD biosurveillance system

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Principal Investigator

5/2013 – 3/2015

Joint Program Manager for Information Systems (JPMIS), Joint Effects Model (JEM) Increment 2 (INC-2) System Development (STAR)

- ∞ Provide subject matter expertise on atmospheric dispersion and JEM system design
- ∞ Design of a new software framework for handling weather processing and atmospheric dispersion
- ∞ Decoupling of the JEM weather processor (SWIM) from the dispersion model (SCIPUFF)
- ∞ Re-engineering and integration of incident source model (ISM) with SWIM and SCIPUFF

Principal Investigator

11/2012 – 11/2013

National Science Foundation, International Workshop on Source Term Estimation (STE) Methods for Estimating the Atmospheric Radiation Release From the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant (NCAR)

- ∞ Organize and conduct a workshop to discuss STE methods for the Fukushima incident
- ∞ Publish the results/findings for the benefit of the scientific community

Principal Investigator

9/2012 – 3/2015

US Government, Current Climate Downscaling and Reanalysis Program (STAR)

- ∞ Development of a hardware/software system for developing on-demand 30+ year climate reanalyses for any location in the world
- ∞ Development of new data post-processing techniques which reduce the dimensionality of the climate data to a manageable set of “representative weather conditions”
- ∞ Development of post-processing techniques for extracting mission-specific information from the representative weather conditions

Principal Investigator

5/2011 – 3/2015

US Government, Ensemble Numerical Weather Reanalysis and Long Range Source Term Estimation (STAR)

- ∞ Development of recommendations for configuring an operational ensemble numerical weather reanalysis system based on the Weather Research and Forecast (WRF) model
- ∞ Development of a “mission-specific” in-line tracer capability for the E-WRF system
- ∞ Development of algorithms for the determination of release rates for the release of airborne contaminants from observations located at long ranges from the release location

Principal Investigator

11/2006 – 3/2015

Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Sensor Data Fusion Program, (NCAR)

- ∞ Fusion Field Test 2007 field program planning support
 - Conducted a probability of detection analysis for the anticipated release scenarios. Results will be used to as planning guidance during the field program tests.
- ∞ Virtual Threat Response Emulation and Analysis Testbed (VTHREAT) prototype development
 - Developed a proof of concept demonstration of a virtual environmental simulation testbed that can be used to test and refine transport and dispersion and chemical/biological/radiological (CBR) sensor data fusion algorithms.
- ∞ CBR sensor data fusion algorithm development
 - Developing an operational algorithm that uses variational techniques to incorporate CBR and meteorological sensor data to produce an improved CBR source location estimate and corresponding transport and dispersion solution.

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Principal Investigator

1/2010 – 10/2012

Department of Homeland Security, Site Specific Risk Assessment (SSRA) for the National Bio – Agriculture Research Facility (NBAF), (STAR)

- ∞ Conduct a climatological analysis of meteorological conditions at the NBAF
- ∞ Conduct a risk assessment for the likelihood of a tornado impact of the facility
- ∞ Conduct dispersion simulations for a series of material releases from the NBAF
 - Results used as part of a comprehensive epidemiological and economic modeling effort to ascertain the impact of hazardous materials being released from the NBAF.
- ∞ Briefed the National Academy of Sciences on risk assessment results

Principal Investigator

5/2009 – 10/2013

Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Contamination Avoidance System Testing Tool, (STAR)

- ∞ Development of a virtual chemical/biological (CB) agent and meteorological environmental simulations and test and evaluation tool to support the evaluation of CB contamination avoidance assets.
 - Results used to support the interpretation of chemical samples collected during the field program
 - Utilizes computational fluid dynamics and large eddy simulation models to produce physically realistic “single realization” synthetic CB and meteorological data sets.

Principal Investigator

2/2009 – 10/2010

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Subcontract to Signature Science Inc. POSSE Chemical Detection Experiment 2 (STAR)

- ∞ Meteorological sensing support for an experiment designed to detect the manufacturing of improvised explosive device manufacturing.
 - Manages the design, deployment, and collection of data collected during the field program
 - Results will like be used to support simulations of the dispersion of chemical associated with IED construction.

Principal Investigator

7/2008

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Subcontract to Signature Science Inc. POSSE Chemical Detection Experiment 1 (STAR)

- ∞ Modeling the dispersion of chemicals associated with improvised explosive device manufacturing within and outside of buildings.
 - Results used to support the interpretation of chemical samples collected during the field program and for field program planning

Principal Investigator

10/2007

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Atmospheric Chemical Mapping Program, (NCAR)

- ∞ Evaluating enabling technologies using an observation systems simulation experiment
 - Conducting an evaluation of sampler requirements for a atmospheric chemical mapping system.
 - Evaluating source estimation and models to augment observations in an atmospheric chemical map.

Research Scientist

11/2006

Pentagon Force Protection Agency, Pentagon/Urban Shield Program, (NCAR)

- ∞ Pentagon/Urban Shield domain expansion
 - Conducted an analysis which identified and minimized the errors associated with producing a large domain composite building aware wind fields from a set of smaller sub-domains.

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Senior Algorithm Development Team Member

6/2003

FAA Convective Weather Forecast (CWF) Product, (MITLL)

- ∞ Automated synoptic front detection algorithm
 - Developed and implemented an automated front detection algorithm that identifies fronts along which new convective storms may develop. This system uses temporal filtering and image processing techniques to produce an interest image that will be utilized by the automated convective weather forecast algorithm.
- ∞ Boundary layer wind analysis system
 - Managed a team that developed and implemented a prototype large domain boundary layer wind analysis system.
 - The prototype utilizes high temporal frequency surface observations, and data from 15 Doppler weather radars to produce a real-time gridded 1 km resolution wind analysis with a 5 minute update, that covered a 500 x 500 km domain centered over Chicago, IL.
- ∞ Utilization of NWP data in the 0-2 hour automated CWF system
 - Set up an operational implementation of 5th Generation Mesoscale Model (MM5) on a 46 processor Intel based BEOWULF HPCC.
 - Managed a team of intern students where we optimized the performance of MM5 on Intel hardware. Hardware and software setting modifications identified by this study provided simulation speed improvements of ~ 25-30 %.
 - Collaborated with Dell engineers to utilize an Infiniband high speed network switch with MM5. Final solution provided network bandwidth comparable to Myrinet at 1/3 the cost.
 - Developed software infrastructure required to feed MM5 data to the real-time convective weather forecast system

Senior Algorithm Development Team Member

3/2004

FAA Terminal Ceiling and Visibility (TC&V) Forecast Product, (MITLL)

- ∞ NWP forecast accuracy analysis
 - Developed an analysis software system (PERL and GRADS) to characterize TC&V forecast performance of Rapid Update Cycle (RUC), and MM5 relative to human and persistence forecasts.
- ∞ NWP C&V forecast generation system
 - NWP forecast accuracy analysis results were used to design and implement an operational system that produces a 12-hour TC&V forecast time line from the NWP forecast.
- ∞ NWP forecast accuracy through post analysis image processing
 - Current work examines how NWP TC&V forecasts can be improved during event transition times by identifying and removing spatial and temporal forecast biases.

Co-Principal Investigator

11/2005

Model validation for Millimeter-Wave Precipitation Mapping, (MITLL Advanced Concepts Committee Program)

- ∞ Sensor validation and translation algorithm refinement
 - Validation of passive microwave radiometer data to demonstrate its potential use as a global space-based precipitation mapping instrument.
 - Produced tailored MM5 simulations to refine radiative transfer models and translation algorithms.

Co-Principal Investigator

3/2004 – 5/2005

A Lagrangian Approach to Atmospheric Feature Detection, (MITLL Advanced Concepts Committee Program)

- ∞ Algorithm development
 - Tailored MM5 simulations generated to serve as analysis input and truth data sets.
 - Demonstrated frontal detection accuracy and signal/noise ratio improvements derived from a new Lagrangian temporal filtering technique.
 - Lead patent holder for a Lagrangian temporal filtering technique.

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Ph.D. Candidate, Lincoln Scholars Doctoral Research Program

1/2000 – 12/2002

Florida State University, Department of Meteorology

“Examination of the Effects of Topographic Variability on Initial Condition Sensitivity in a Mesoscale Numerical Weather Prediction Model”

- ∞ Accepted into the Lincoln Scholars Doctoral Program
- ∞ Field site operations
 - Designed a mesoscale NWP targeted observation study that utilized data from a partially deployed surface mesonet and Doppler weather radar.
 - Completed the mesonet deployment.
 - Operated a mesonet of surface observation stations (connected via RF radio) in the Berkshire Mountains in western MA.
 - Deployed and maintained the network infrastructure to relay observations from the field site to the main laboratory in Lexington, MA.
 - Developed the software to collect and process the mesonet data, data from the KENX WSR-88D, and NWP data.
- ∞ NWP initial condition sensitivity (ICS) study
 - Conducted an observation simulation system experiment (OSSE) ICS using MM5 and its Adjoint Modeling System to study forecast sensitivities associated with terrain variability.
 - Developed software to modify MM5 initial condition data sets.
 - Utilized MM5 Adjoint Modeling System to identify regions of initial condition sensitivity in the model simulations.
 - Retrieved wind data from the WSR-88D served as the targeted observations in the sensitive regions.
 - Utilized surface mesonet data as ground truth.
 - Results of the observation based study confirmed the results of the OSSE study and showed a positive correlation between terrain variability and the magnitude of the positive impact on the forecast made by the initial condition fields.

Field Site Manager, Software Developer, Data Analyst

7/1998 – 6/2003

Air Surveillance Radar 11 / Digital Air Surveillance Radar (ASR-11/DASR) Weather Channel Acceptance Test and Evaluation Program, (MITLL)

- ∞ Field site operations
 - Designed, developed, deployed, and operated the equipment and software required to collect weather data from the ASR-11 and nearby WSR-88D radars for three field sites (Eglin AFB, FL, Stockton Regional Airport, CA, and West Palm Beach International Airport, FL). Developed data collection software (C, PERL, and C-shell scripts) that provided archival and real-time data display capabilities.
 - Managed field site staff.
- ∞ ASR-11 performance evaluation analysis
 - Developed software (C and PERL) to provide radar performance characteristics to evaluate the bias and error properties of the precipitation measurements.
 - Monitored real-time observations to identify ASR-11 weather channel deficiencies.
 - Worked closely with sponsor and government contractors to correct the deficiencies.
 - Regularly wrote reports, briefed the FAA program managers on analysis results and recommended solutions to deficiencies.

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Field Site Operations and Data Analyst

6/1995 – 7/1998

Terminal Doppler Weather Radar (TDWR) and Integrated Terminal Weather Information System (ITWS) System Development Prototype at the Orlando International Airport

- ∞ Field site operations
 - Assisted in the operations of the ITWS prototype system
 - Maintained computer software and communications networks
 - Deployed equipment in FAA facilities
 - Conducted training on the use of the ITWS with FAA employees
- ∞ ITWS performance evaluation analysis
 - Conducted data analysis support the performance evaluation of wind shear and meteorological algorithms in ITWS
 - Conducted post weather event aviation impact analyses to identify areas for improving the safety and efficiency of airport terminal operations
 - Regularly wrote reports, briefed the FAA program managers on analysis results and recommended solutions to deficiencies.

Accepted/Published Refereed Journal Publications

- Bieringer, P.E.**, and P.S. Ray, 1996: A comparison of Tornado Warning Lead Times with and without NEXRAD Doppler Radar. *Weather and Forecast*, **11**, pp 47-52.
- Ray P.S., **P.E. Bieringer**, X. Niu, and B. Whissel, 2003: An Improved Estimate of Tornado Occurrence in the United States. *Mon Wea. Rev.*, **131**, pp 1026-1031.
- Xie, Y., S. Koch, J. McGinley, S. Albers, **P.E. Bieringer**, M. Wolfson, M. Chan, 2011: A space-time multiscale analysis system: a sequential variational analysis approach. *Mon. Wea. Rev.*, **139**, 1224–1240.
- Platt, N., D. DeRiggi, S. Warner, **P.E. Bieringer**, G. Bieberbach, A. Wyszogrodzki, and J. Weil, 2012: Method for comparison of large eddy simulation generated wind fluctuations with short-range observations, *Int. J. Environ. Pollut.*, Vol. 48, No. 1/2/3/4, pp.22–30.
- Rodriguez, L.M., **P.E. Bieringer**, T. Warner 2013: Urban transport and dispersion model sensitivity to wind direction uncertainty and source location, *Atmos. Environ.*, Vol. 64, January 2013, Pages 25-39, ISSN 1352-2310, 10.1016/j.atmosenv.2012.08.037.
- Bieringer, P.E.**, S. Hanna, G. Young, B. Kosovic, J. Hannan, and R. Ohba, 2013: Methods for Estimating the Atmospheric Radiation Release from the Fukushima Dai-ichi Nuclear Power Plant. *Bull. Amer. Meteor. Soc.*, **94**.
- Bieringer P.E.**, P.S. Ray, A.J. Annunzio, 2013. The Effect Of Topographic Variability On Initial Condition Sensitivity Of Low-Level Wind Forecasts Part 1: Experiments Using Idealized Terrain. *Mon Wea. Rev.*, **141**, pp 2137-2155.
- Bieringer P.E.**, P.S. Ray, A.J. Annunzio, 2013. The Effect Of Topographic Variability On Initial Condition Sensitivity Of Low-Level Wind Forecasts Part II: Experiments Using Real Terrain And Observations. *Mon Wea. Rev.*, **141**, pp. 2156-2172.
- Bieringer, P.E.**, S. Longmore, G. Bieberbach, L.M. Rodriguez, J. Copeland, and J. Hannan, 2013: A Method for Targeting Air Samplers for Facility Monitoring in an Urban Environment. *Atmos. Environ.*, **80**, pp. 1-12.
- Bieringer, P. E.**, A. J. Annunzio, N. Platt, G. Bieberbach, J. Hannan, 2014: Contrasting the use of single-realization versus ensemble-average atmospheric dispersion solutions for chemical and biological defense analyses. *J. Appl. Meteor. Climatol.*, **53**, 1399–1415. doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1175/JAMC-D-13-0201.1>
- Eisen, L. A. J. Monaghan, S. Lozano-Fuentes, D. F. Steinhoff, M. H. Hayden, and P. E. Bieringer, 2014: The Impact of Temperature on the Bionomics of the Vector Mosquito *Aedes (Stegomyia) aegypti*, With Special Reference to the Cool Geographic Range Margins. *J. Med. Entomol.*, **51**, No 3., pp 1-21.
- Urban, J. T., K. Galvin, N. Platt, **P.E. Bieringer**, G. Bieberbach, A.J. Annunzio, 2014: Comparison of hazard area and casualty predictions of a small-scale chemical attack using various toxic load toxicity models., *Int. J. Environ. Pollut.*, **54**, No.2/3/4, pp.222 – 232.

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- Nunalee, C.G., B. Kosovic, **P.E. Bieringer**, 2014: Evaluation of WRF-LES for Dispersion and Transport Modeling Over Complex Terrain, *Atmos. Environ.*, **99**, pp. 571-581, ISSN 1352-2310, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.atmosenv.2014.09.070>.
- Bieringer, P.E.**, F. Vandenberghe, I. Sykes, J. Hannan, J. Hurst, G. Bieberbach, L.M. Rodriguez, and R. Fry, 2015: Automated Source Parameter and Low Level Wind Estimation for Atmospheric Transport and Dispersion Applications., *Atmos. Environ.* **122**, pp. 206-219.
- Herring, S. J., S. Batchelor, **P. E. Bieringer**, B. Lingard, D. M. Lorenzetti, S. T. Parker, L. Rodriguez, M. D. Sohn, D. Steinhoff, M. Wolski, 2015: Providing Pressure Inputs to Multizone Building Models., *Building and Environment*, **101**, pp. 32-44.
- Nelson, M.A., M.J. Brown, S.A. Halverson, **P.E. Bieringer**, A.J. Annunzio, G. Bieberbach, 2016: Assimilation of WRF Meso-Scale Meteorological Simulations into the QUIC Atmospheric Dispersion Modeling System. Part 1: Wind and Turbulence. *Bound-Lay. Meteorol.*, **158**, Issue 2, pp. 285-309.
- Nelson, M.A., M.J. Brown, S.A. Halverson, **P.E. Bieringer**, A.J. Annunzio, G. Bieberbach, 2016: A Case Study of the Weather Research and Forecasting Model Applied to the Joint Urban 2003 Tracer Field Experiment. Part 2: Contaminant Dispersion. *Bound-Lay. Meteorol.*, Available online July 2016.
- Kim, M., R. Ohba, M. Oura, S. Kato, M. Takigawa, **P.E. Bieringer**, B. Lauritzen, and M. Drews, 2016: A Source Term Estimation Method for a Nuclear Accident, using Atmospheric Dispersion Models., *Int. J. Environ. Pollut*, **Vol. 58**, Nos. 1/2, pp 39-51.
- Steinhoff, D.F., A.J. Monaghan, L. Eisen, M.J. Barlage, T.M. Hopson, I. Tarakidzwa, K. Ortiz-Rosario, S. Lozano-Fuentes, M.H. Hayden, **P.E. Bieringer**, C. Welsh-Rodriguez, 2016: A Weather-Driven Energy Balance Model for Determining Water Height and Temperature in Container Habitats for *Aedes aegypti*. *Earth Interact.*, **20**, No 24, pp. 1-31.
- Meir, T., J. Pullen, A.F. Blumberg, T.R. Holt, **P.E. Bieringer**, and G. Bieberbach, Jr., 2017: Simulation of Airborne Transport and Dispersion for Urban Waterside Releases. *J. Appl. Meteor. Climatol.*, **56**, Vol 1, pp. 27-44. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1175/JAMC-D-16-0025.1>.
- Bieringer, P.E.**, G.S. Young, L.M. Rodriguez, A.J. Annunzio, F. Vandenberghe, S.E. Haupt, 2017: Paradigms and Commonalities in Atmospheric Source Term Estimation., *Atmos. Environ.* **156**, pp. 102-112. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.atmosenv.2017.02.011>

Refereed Journal Papers Currently In Process

- Annunzio, A.J., **P.E. Bieringer**, J. Hannan, R. Cabell, G. Bieberbach: A Methodology for Sensor Testing and Evaluation for Defense Applications, *Submitted for publication in Journal of Applied Meteorology and Climatology*.
- Bieberbach, G., **P.E. Bieringer**, and S. Longmore: An Analysis of Climatological Dispersion Patterns for the National Bio and Agro-Defense Facility (NBAF) Risk Assessment. *In preparation for submission to Bulletin of the American Meteorological Society*.
- Bieringer, P.E.** and G. Bieberbach: An Assessment of Pathogen Release Risk Due to a Tornado Strike on the National Bio and Agro-Defense Facility (NBAF). *In preparation for submission to Journal of Applied Meteorology and Climatology*.

Technical Reports

- Lawrence, W.G., E.C. Wack, D.C. Jamrog, J.C. Biddle, H.W. Lau, S.E. Holster, C.J. Smith, A.K. Goyal, F.D. D'Arcangelo, A.J. Annunzio, **P.E. Bieringer**, R. Cabell, and G. Bieberbach, 2013: Scientific evaluation of technology for standoff detection of chemical and biological agents., *MITLL Project Report No. CB-3*, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory, Lexington, MA.
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- Bieringer, P.E.**, 2000: ASR-11 Weather Channel P³I Algorithm Analysis. *MITLL Wx Project Memorandum* No. 95PM Wx-0066, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory, Lexington, MA.
- Troxel, S.W., **P.E. Bieringer**, M.E. Weber, G.W. Rappa, 1999: Field Testing of the Digital Airport Surveillance Radar (DASR) Weather Radar. *MITLL Wx Project Memorandum* No. 43PM Wx-0057, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory, Lexington, MA.

Conference Papers

- Bieringer, P.E.**, A. Piña, M.D. Sohn, H.J.J. Jonker, G. Bieberbach, D.M. Lorenzetti, R.N. Fry, 2017: Large Eddy Simulation (LES) Based System for Producing Coupled Urban and Indoor Airborne Contaminant Transport and Dispersion Solutions. *8th International Conference on Harmonisation within Atmospheric Dispersion Modelling for Regulatory Purposes.*, 9-12 October 2017, Bologna, Italy.
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