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TECHNICAL EXPERTISE:

Engineering analysis and design of timber structures; deck and balcony safety; testing and analysis of engineered wood components, metal-plate connected wood trusses; post-frame construction; nondestructive evaluation of wood materials; wood durability; hygrothermal response of building envelopes.

EXPERIENCE:

Engineering Consultant (5/22-present). Moscow, ID.

Weyerhaeuser Distinguished Professor of Civil Engineering (5/97-5/22), Dept. of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Washington State University, Pullman, WA.

Director (5/09-5/22), Composite Materials & Engineering Center, Washington State University, Pullman, WA.

Interim Dean (7/16 – 6/17), Voiland College of Engineering & Architecture, Washington State University, Pullman, WA.

Director (5/97-4/09), Wood Materials & Engineering Laboratory, Washington State University, Pullman, WA.

Professor (9/94 - 5/97), Agricultural Engineering Dept., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

Interim Department Head (1/93 - 1/94), Agricultural Engineering Dept., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

Associate Professor (9/89 - 8/94), Agricultural Engineering Dept., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

Assistant Professor (2/84 - 8/89), Agricultural Engineering Dept., Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

Visiting Scientist (9/91 - 5/92), Engineering Properties of Wood Department, USDA Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, WI.

EDUCATION:

Ph.D. Purdue University, 1984

M.S. Virginia Tech University, 1980

B.S. Virginia Tech University, 1979

PROFESSIONAL LICENSE:

Registered Professional Engineer: Texas #60964

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)

American Society Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE)

American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

HONORS AND AWARDS:

Six national-level journal article awards from SWST, FPS and ASABE

Two national-level awards from the post-frame building industry

Weyerhaeuser Distinguished Professor of Civil Engineering, WSU, 1997-present

Leon Luck Faculty Award. Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, WSU, 2007

Outstanding Teaching Faculty Award, Dept of Civil & Environmental Engr, WSU, 2002, 2015

Outstanding Teaching Faculty Award. College of Engineering and Architecture, WSU, 2002

Award for Excellence in Team Research, Texas A&M University System, 1989

Honor Societies: Sigma Xi, Tau Beta Pi, Alpha Epsilon, Alpha Zeta, Gamma Sigma Delta

SELECTED COURSES TAUGHT:

Undergraduate Courses

Engineering Dynamics

Design of Timber Structures

Environmental Design of Structures

Materials & Design of Structures

Graduate Courses

Advanced Timber Engineering

Probability and Statistical Models in Engineering

Graduate Seminar

Selected Short Courses to Practicing Professionals

Deck and Balcony Safety: Design, Construction and Inspection. Sponsored by the Washington Chapter of the American Society of Home Inspectors, September 25, 2020.

Deck and Balcony Safety. Sponsored by Simpson Strong-Tie, Kent, WA, July 11, 2019

Making Decks Safer: Design, Construction, and Inspection Essentials. Sponsored by Simpson Strong-Tie, Post Falls, ID, May 16, 2019

Making Decks Safer: Design, Construction, and Inspection Essentials. Sponsored by Washington Association of Building Officials, Lynnwood, WA, March 28, 2019

Deck and Balcony Safety, Structural Inspectors Workshop on Moisture Dynamics in Residential Construction, Sponsored by WSU Puyallup, Puyallup, WA, September 2018.

Structural Design Topics in Wood Construction, Sponsored by Virginia Tech University, Roanoke, VA, May 2016

Advanced Topics in Wood Construction Engineering Short Courses

Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, May 2014

WoodWorks/Virginia Tech University, Dallas, TX, March 2013

WoodWorks/Virginia Tech University, Chicago, IL, March 2012

Virginia Tech University, Roanoke, VA, May, 2011.

Special Topics in Wood Construction Engineering Short Courses

Virginia Tech University, Roanoke, VA, October 2009.

Deck Safety and Design Workshops

ICC Inland NW Chapter, Pullman, WA, Feb 29, 2008.

ICC Inland NW Chapter, Cheney, WA, June 22, 2012.

Structural Design with Wood Short Courses

Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, October, 2012.

Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, April, 2008.

Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, April, 2007.

Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, May, 2006.

Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, April, 2005.
Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, November, 2004.
Washington State University, Tacoma, WA, May, 2004.
Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, September, 2003.
Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, VA, May, 2003.
Structural Wood Products and Wood Preservation Short Course, Southern Building
Inspectors Association, College Station, TX, 1995.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS:

- Woeste, F.E., D.A. Bender and J. Showalter. 2023. Robust lumber specifications on construction documents. *Structure Magazine* (May 2023).
- Broers, M.A. and D.A. Bender. 2021. Span rating of solid-sawn deck boards. *Forest Products Journal* 71(2):171-176.
- Broers, M.A., D.A. Bender, F.E. Woeste and A.R. Phillips. 2021. Residential floor failure from dynamic occupant loading. *ASCE Journal of Performance of Constructed Facilities* 35(4):04021017-1-9.
- Brandt, K., G. Latta, D. Camenzind, D. Dolan, D. Bender, A. Wilson and M. Wolcott. 2021. Projected cross-laminated timber demand and lumber supply analysis. *Bioresources* 16(1):862-881.
- Mai, K.D., Cofer, W.F. and D.A. Bender. 2021. Predicting behavior of steel-clad, wood-framed shear walls under cyclic lateral loading. *Transactions of the ASABE* 64(2):413-424.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2021. Hybrid lumber grade stamps require special attention. *Component Manufacturing Advertiser Issue#13258*: 78-85.
- Mai, K.D., W.F. Cofer and D.A. Bender 2020. Quasi-dynamic implicit finite element analysis of steel-clad, wood-framed shear walls. *Transactions of the ASABE* 63(6):1619-1628.
- Luo, Q., E. Olszko, A.R. Phillips and D.A. Bender. 2020. Bending and impact testing of wood guardrail posts evaluated using stress-wave timing inspection. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*.
<https://doi.org/10.1177%2F0361198120939097>.
- Brandt, K, A. Wilson, D.A. Bender, J.D. Dolan and M.P. Wolcott. 2019. Techno-economic analysis for manufacturing cross-laminated timber. *Bioresources* 14(4):7790-7804.
- Dolan, J.D., A. Wilson, K. Brandt, D.A. Bender and M.P. Wolcott. 2019. Structural design process for estimating cross-laminated timber use factors for buildings. *Bioresources* 14(3):7247-7265.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2019. Balcony design – IBC changes and wood durability considerations. *Licensed Architect*.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2018. IBC balcony changes spur “best practice” design recommendations. *Component Manufacturing Advertiser, Issue#12237*: 60-63.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2018. Balcony design – IBC changes and wood durability considerations. *Civil + Structural Engineer magazine* (November): 41-44.
- Gatchalian, D.G., Mai, K.D. and D.A. Bender. 2017. Lateral resistance of post-frame shear walls with openings. *Frame Building News* 29(5):42-46.
- Mai, K.D, D.A. Bender and J.D. Dolan. 2016. Development of seismic design coefficients for steel-clad wood-framed shear walls. *Frame Building News* 28(3):18-21.
- Olszko, E. and D.A. Bender. 2016. Can’t stress enough – scanning wood guardrail posts is a necessity. *Roads and Bridges magazine* (January):50-55.

- Bender, D.A. 2015. Is your deck designed to handle a crowd? Seattle Daily Journal of Commerce. April 30, 2015.
- Bender, D.A. 2014. Not a replacement for lateral load anchors. Letters, Professional Deck Builder (July/August):14-15.
- Aguilera, D., D.A. Bender and G.A. Anderson. 2014. Update on diaphragm design value determination using the modified MCA procedure (August):21-25.
- Bender, D.A. and D.P. Mill. 2014. Simplified lateral design of post-frame buildings. Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering 24(1):32-39.
- Parsons, B.J., D.A. Bender, J.D. Dolan and F.E. Woeste. 2014. Deck and porch floor lateral loading by occupants. ASCE Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction, 19(3), 04014012.
- Parsons, B.J., Bender, D.A., Dolan, J.D., Tichy, R.J., and Woeste, F.E. 2014. Lateral load path and capacity of exterior decks. ASCE Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction, 19(4), 04014015.
- Parsons, B.J., D.A. Bender, J.D. Dolan, R.J. Tichy and F.E. Woeste. 2014. Lateral load path and capacity of exterior decks. Structure Magazine (March):28-32.
- Parsons, B.J., D.A. Bender, J.D. Dolan and F.E. Woeste. 2014. Lateral loads generated by occupants on exterior decks. Structure Magazine (January):36-39.
- Lyman, G.H. and D.A. Bender. 2013. Wind load determination for residential decks. Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering 23(2):3-8.
- Lyman, G.H., D.A. Bender and J.D. Dolan. 2013. Seismic load determination for residential decks. Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering 23(2):9-14.
- Parsons, B.J., D.A. Bender, J.D. Dolan and F.E. Woeste. 2013. Deck and porch lateral loading by occupants. Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering 23(2):15-20.
- Parsons, B.J., D.A. Bender, J.D. Dolan, R.J. Tichy and F.E. Woeste. 2013. Lateral load path and capacity of exterior decks. Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering 23(2):21-30.
- Bender, D.A. and D.P. Mill. 2012. Simplified lateral design of post-frame buildings. Frame Building News 24(5):32-37.
- Bender, D.A. and F.E. Woeste. 2012. Effect of variability on lumber design values. Frame Building News 24(4):34-39.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2012. Wood truss bracing rules updated – Part 1. Structural Engineer magazine (February):32-33.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2012. Wood truss bracing rules updated – Part 2. Structural Engineer magazine (April):44-45.
- Bender, D.A. and F.E. Woeste. 2011. Creep deflection in design of metal plate connected wood trusses. ASCE Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction 16(1):10-14.
- Bender, D.A., F.E. Woeste and R.E. Kimble. 2010. Method for increased buckling capacity of built-up beams and columns. Frame Building News 22(4):28-32.
- Bender, D.A. and F.E. Woeste. 2010. Multiple-bolt wood connection design topics. Structure magazine (August):24-26.
- Graham, D.A., D.M. Carradine, D.A. Bender and J.D. Dolan. 2010. Performance of log shear walls subjected to monotonic and reverse-cyclic loading. ASCE Journal of Structural Engineering 136(1):37-45.

- Graham, D.A., D.M. Carradine, D.A. Bender and J.D. Dolan. 2010. Monotonic and reverse-cyclic loading of lag screw connections for log shear wall construction. *ASCE Journal of Materials in Civil Engineering* 22(1):88-95.
- Kimble, R.E. and D.A. Bender. 2010. Stability of built-up timber beams and columns – accounting for modulus of elasticity variability. *ASCE Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction* 15(4):272-277.
- Michaels, S.G., V. Yadama and D.A. Bender. 2010. Effect of tie-layer on the bond strength between thermoplastic and borate treated wood-substrate. *Wood and Fiber Science* 42(4):419-428.
- Lee, H.H. and D.A. Bender. 2009. Far infrared emissivity of wood material – comparing the three heat transfer modes of wood box and aluminum box. *Journal of Korean Wood Science and Technology (Mokchae Konghak)* 37(5):440-450.
- Ross, L.A., D.A. Bender and D.M. Carradine. 2009. Performance of post-frame shear walls with a wood-plastic composite skirtboard subjected to monotonic racking loads. *Transactions of the ASABE* 52(2):583-589.
- Ross, L.A., D.A. Bender and D.M. Carradine. 2009. Strength and stiffness of post-frame shear walls with wood plastic composite skirtboards. *Frame Building News* 21(5):28-33.
- Schildmeyer, A.J., M.P. Wolcott and D.A. Bender. 2009. Investigation of the temperature-dependent mechanical behavior of a polypropylene-pine composite. *ASCE Journal of Materials in Civil Engineering* 21(9):460-466.
- Woeste, F.E. and D.A. Bender. 2009. Design responsibilities for metal-plate-connected wood truss building construction. *Structure magazine* (August):24-26.
- Carradine, D.M., D.A. Bender, F.E. Woeste and J.R. Loferski. 2007. Development of design capacities for residential deck ledger connections. *Forest Products Journal* 57(3):29-33.
- Schwab, S.C., D.A. Bender, D.M. Carradine and F.E. Woeste. 2007. Tensile strength of oriented strandboard as affected by specimen width. *Forest Products Journal* 57(6):39-45.
- Bender, D.A., D.S. Gromala and D.V. Rosowsky (Eds.). 2006. *Proceedings of the 9th World Conference on Timber Engineering*, Portland, OR, August 6-10. 421 p.
- Bender, D.A., M.P. Wolcott and J.D. Dolan. 2006. Structural design and applications with wood-plastic composites. *Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering* 16(3):13-15.
- Carradine, D.M., D.A. Bender, J.R. Loferski and F.E. Woeste. 2006. Residential deck ledger connection testing and design. *Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering* 16(2):9-12.
- Graham, D.A., D.M. Carradine, D.A. Bender and J.D. Dolan. 2006. Lateral loading characteristics of connections in log shear walls. *Proceedings of the World Conference on Timber Engineering*, Portland, p. 170, August 7-10.
- Tichy, R. and D.A. Bender. 2006. Wood/natural fiber-plastic composite decking products. *Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering* 16(2):19-21.
- Bender, D.A. and J.D. Dolan. 2005. Engineered applications of wpc's - beyond deck boards. *Proceedings of 39th International Wood Composite Materials Symposium*, Pullman, WA, pp. 295-299.
- Carradine, D.M., D.A. Bender, J.R. Loferski and F.E. Woeste. 2005. Residential deck ledger design. *ICC Building Safety Journal* (3)6:4-7.
- Lebow, S., J. Winandy and D.A. Bender. 2004. Treated wood in transition: a look at CCA and the candidates to replace it. *Wood Design Focus* 14(2):3-8.

- Parsons, W.R. and D.A. Bender. 2004. Energy-based design of dowel connections in wood-plastic composites hollow sections. *ASCE Journal of Structural Engineering* 130(4):681-689.
- Bender, D.A. and M.P. Wolcott. 2003. Experiences with development and commercialization of engineered wood-plastic composites. *Proceedings of the 7th International Conference on Woodfiber-Plastic Composites*, pp. 15-19, Madison, WI, May 19-20.
- Tucker, B.J. and D.A. Bender. 2003. Continuous ultrasonic inspection of extruded wood-plastic composites. *Forest Products Journal* 53(6):27-32.
- Tucker, B.J., D.A. Bender, D.G. Pollock and M.P. Wolcott. 2003. Ultrasonic plate wave evaluation of natural fiber composite panels. *Wood and Fiber Science* 35(2):266-281.
- Shrestha, D., D.A. Bender and F.E. Woeste. 2003. T-brace design for MPC wood truss webs. *Forest Products Journal* 53(1):61-69.
- Tichy, R., D.A. Bender and F.E. Woeste. 2003. Wood-plastic composite decks. *ICC Building Safety Journal* 1(4):38-40.
- Anderson, C., D.A. Bender and F.E. Woeste. 2002. Checking T-Brace capacity on wood truss webs. *ICBO Building Standards* 71(6):5-10.
- Anderson, C., F.E. Woeste and D.A. Bender. 2002. Substituting T-Braces for continuous lateral braces on wood truss webs. *Frame Building News* 14(3):36-40.
- Peters, J.J., D.A. Bender, M.P. Wolcott and J.D. Johnson. 2002. Selected properties of hybrid poplar clear wood and composite panels. *Forest Products Journal* 52(5):45-54.
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- Rammer, D.G., S.G. Winistorfer and D.A. Bender. 2001. Withdrawal strength of threaded nails. *ASCE Journal of Structural Engineering* 127(4):442-449.
- Woeste, F. E. and D.A. Bender. 2001. Shrinkage of framing lumber. *ICBO Building Standards* 70(6): 10-13.
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- Balma, D.A. and D.A. Bender. 1999. Evaluation of bolted connections in wood plastic composites. *ASAE Technical Paper No. 994177*, American Society of Agricultural Engineers, St. Joseph, MI.
- Smith, L.V., J.C. Hermanson, S. Rangaraj, and D.A. Bender. 1999. A dynamic finite element analysis of wood baseball bats. *Proc. ASME Summer Bioengineering Conference*, Big Sky, Montana, June 16-20.
- Tucker, B.J., D.A. Bender and M.P. Wolcott. 1999. Predicting flexural strength of wood-plastic composites using nondestructive evaluation. *Proc. Society of Experimental Mechanics Annual Conference*, Cincinnati, OH, June 7-9, 1999.
- Wolcott, M.P., R.J. Tichy, and D.A. Bender (Eds.). 1999. 33rd International Particleboard/Composite Materials Symposium Proceedings, Washington State University, Pullman, WA. 209 p.
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- Tucker, B., D.A. Bender, and D.G. Pollock. 1998. Nondestructive evaluation of wood-plastic composites. Proc. 11th International Symposium on Nondestructive Testing of Wood, Madison, WI, September 9-11.
- Theilen, R.D., D.A. Bender, S.G. Winistorfer and D.G. Pollock. 1998. Lateral resistance of ring-shank nail connections using Southern pine lumber. Transactions of the ASAE 41(2):465-472.
- Wolcott, M.P., D.A. Bender and R.J. Tichy (Eds.). 1998. 32nd International Particleboard/Composite Materials Symposium Proceedings, Washington State University, Pullman, WA. 201 p.
- Bender, D.A., J.L. Tucker and D.E. Bray. 1997. Angled-beam ultrasonic evaluation of particleboard. Proceedings of Workshop on Nondestructive Testing of Panel Products, pp.61-67, Llandudno, UK, October 11, 1997.
- Bethi, R., D.A. Bender, K. McDonald and D.E. Bray. 1997. An ultrasonic technique for predicting tensile strength of Southern Pine lumber. Transactions of the ASAE 40(4):1153-1580.
- Dickens, J.R., D.E. Bray and D.A. Bender. 1997. Beam profiles in wood from critically refracted longitudinal wave probes. Materials Evaluation 55(6):721-725.
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- Pollock, D.G., D.A. Bender and L.A. Soltis. 1996. Fasteners as damage indicators in timber structures. Proceedings of International Wood Engineering Conference '96, Volume 4, pp.38-45. New Orleans, LA, October 28-31.
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- Theilen, R.D., D.A. Bender, D.G. Pollock and S.G. Winistorfer. 1996. Lateral performance of ring-shank nails in Southern Pine lumber. Frame Building News 9(1):62-71.
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- Skaggs, T.D. and D.A. Bender. 1995. Shear deflection of composite wood beams. Wood and Fiber Science 27(3):327-338.
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- Taylor, S.E., M.H. Triche, D.A. Bender, and F.E. Woeste. 1995. Monte-Carlo simulation methods for engineered wood systems. Forest Products Journal 45(7/9):43-50.
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- Winandy, J.E. and D.A. Bender. 1992. Treat wood right! *Frame Building News* 4(4):8-11.
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- Bender, D.A., S.E. Taylor, A.G. Burk and J.A. Hooper. 1990. Predicting localized MOE and tensile strength in solid and end-jointed laminating lumber using longitudinal stress waves. *Forest Products Journal* 40(3):45-47.
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- Taylor, S.E. and D.A. Bender. 1989. A method for simulating multiple correlated lumber properties. *Forest Products Journal* 39(7/8):71-74.
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EDITORIAL AND TECHNICAL REVIEW ACTIVITIES:

Editorial Board, *Wood Design Focus – A Journal of Contemporary Wood Engineering*, Forest Products Society, Chair, 2000-2002, Member 2002-2019.

Editorial Board, *ASCE Journal of Architectural Engineering – Section on Housing and Residential Building Construction*, 2013-2019.
Associate Editor, Structures and Environ. Division, Amer. Society of Agric. Engrs., 1990-2001.
Editorial Board, *Frame Building News*, National Frame Builders Association, 1991-2001.
Contributing Editor, *Wood Design Focus*, Vol. 23, No. 2, 2013; Vol. 16, No. 3, 2006; and Vol. 3, No. 1, 1992.
Review Panel member for USDA and NSF Competitive Grant Programs
Reviewer for the following technical journals: *ASCE Journal of Structural Engineering*, *ASCE Journal of Materials in Civil Engineering*, *ASCE Journal of Performance of Constructed Facilities*, *Forest Products Journal*, *Wood and Fiber Science*

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

American Society of Civil Engineers

Structural Engineering Institute, 2000-present
Committee on Wood Research, 2000-present

American Wood Council, Wood Design Standards Committee, 2004-present.

ANSI/AWC NDS National Design Specification for Wood Construction
ANSI/AWC Special Design Provisions for Wind and Seismic
ANSI/AWC Wood Frame Construction Manual

American Lumber Standard Committee, Consumer Representative appointed by the U.S.

Secretary of Commerce, 1995-present
Vice Chair, 2023-present
Executive Committee, 2016-present
Enforcement Subcommittee, 2014-present
National Grading Rule Subcommittee, 2016-present

American Society for Testing and Materials

Wood Construction Technical Committee, 1988-present

American Society of Agricultural & Biological Engineers

Project Committee to revise ANSI/ASABE EP484 Diaphragm design of metal-clad, wood-frame rectangular buildings, voting member 2013-2015.

Forest Products Society

Conference Co-Chair, 63rd International Convention, Boise, ID, 2009
Conference Chair, Wood Products for Engineered Structures, Las Vegas, NV, 1992

Society of Wood Science and Technology

Board of Directors, 2005-2007
George Marra Award Committee, Vice-Chair, 2001; Chair, 2002

Truss Plate Institute

Technical Advisory Committee, voting member 2016-2022
ANSI/TPI 1 National Design Standard for Metal Plate Connected Wood Truss Construction

World Conference on Timber Engineering, Portland, Oregon, 2006. Technical Secretariat.

International Conference on Stability and Ductility of Structures. Vilnius, Lithuania, 2009. Scientific Committee member