#### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**Education** 

Ph.D. 2004 Forestry, University of Toronto

Title: Predicting forest fire occurrence in the province of Ontario

B.Sc.H. 1990 Physics, Queen's University at Kingston

**Professional employment history** 

Senior Research Forest Fire Behaviour and Climate Change, Great Lakes Forest

Scientist Centre, Canadian Forest Service. 2017-

Research Scientist Forest fire behaviour and climate change, Great Lakes Forest

Centre, Canadian Forest Service. 2005-2017

Physical Scientist Forest fire behaviour and climate change. Great Lakes Forest

Centre, Canadian Forest Service, Canadian Forest Service 1996-

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Physical Scientist Forest fire behaviour and ecology. Petawawa National Forestry

Institute, Canadian Forest Service, Canadian Forest Service 1990-

1996

#### Research areas

Dr. Wotton's current research focus involves developing process based models of fuel moisture exchange, fire ignition and spread that can be applied by fire management agencies throughout Canada. This work, in part, involves development of models for the Canadian Forest Service's Canadian Forest Fire Danger Rating System (CFFDRS), a system used operationally throughout Canada and a growing number of countries around the world. His research has also focused on the projection of climate change impacts on fire activity and management in Canada using of fire danger and fire occurrence models. Dr. Wotton works closely with fire management agencies from across Canada in the application of the results of his research and the CFFDRS into daily fire management operations.

## **Training Activities**

Dr Wotton is stationed at the University of Toronto, within the Faculty of Forestry, where (as a status-only professor) he supervises graduate students interested in the physical aspects of forest fire science, serves on graduate advisory committees of graduate students studying forestry, teaches a course he developed on fire danger rating and fire behaviour to both undergraduate and graduate students (FOR419/1416), and guest lectures in other undergraduate and graduate level classes.

### **Selected Professional Activity**

- Advisory Board member-NSRC(UK) sponsored 5-year project: Toward a UK Fire Danger Rating System, 2019-2025
- Co-Chair of the Wildland Fire Canada 2019 Conference
- Canadian Chair and Canadian delegation led for North American Forestry Commission-Fire Management Working Group (2017-2019)
- Associate Editor Canadian Journal of Forest Research (2017-2019)
- Chair of International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) Forest Fire Unit (2015-2020)
- National representative on Advisory Committee: Western Canada Partnership for Wildland Fire Research (University of Alberta) (2010-2012)
- Member of Scientific Advisory committee VI<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Forest Fire Research (2010,2014,2018,2022)
- Conference co-chair and Program Chair Wildland Fire Canada 2010
- Wildland Fire Canada Conference series co-founder 2010
- Coordinator of Canadian Forest Service's Modernization of the Canadian Forest Fire Danger Rating System research program.(2009-present)
- Chair and member of the International Association of Wildland Fire's Graduate Scholarship Committee (2008 to 2013)
- Adjunct professor in the Faculty of Forestry, University of Toronto (2006-present)
- Associate Editor of the International Journal of Wildland Fire (2000 to 2010)
- Canadian Forest Service's representative on the Canadian Interagency Forest Fire Committee Science and Technology Working Group. (2004-2007)
- Member of the Canadian Council of Forest Minister's Core Team developing the Canadian Wildland Fire Strategy (2004-2006)

#### **Scientific Journal Publications**

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