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70% Extension/30% Research

B.A.- Rutgers University

M.S.- Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, Cornell University

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My position is responsible for research and extension activities which address the concerns of the commercial turfgrass industry in Florida with emphasis on resource conservation and environmental quality. The primary objectives are to develop and disseminate warm-season turfgrass management programs which emphasize the efficient use of water, nutrients and pesticides in south Florida's subtropical environment.

Selected Publications

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