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Presentations

- Nov 3 **Dr Don Whittamore:** "Ground-water Flow Models for Water-Resources Planning and Management in Kansas," 4:00-5:00 pm, 213 Thompson Hall.
- Nov 5 **Dr. Richard A. Marston:** "Geomorphology and Vegetation on Hillslopes: Interactions, Dependencies, and Feedback" 1:00 pm, 324 Ackert.
- Nov 6 **Dr. Charles W. Martin:** "Heavy Metal Storage in the Lahn River Basin, Central Germany: 15 Years and Counting," 3:30 pm, 132 Seaton Hall.
- Nov 13 **Dr. Lisa M.B. Harrington:** "Conceptions of 'Sustainability'," 3:30 pm, 132 Seaton Hall

Conference and Other Presentations

Richard Marston presented the 2009 Edward Wilkommen Geology and Geography Lecture at the American Geographical Society Library at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee on 28 October 2009. The lecture was titled "Land, Life and Environmental Change in the Himalayas."

Rob Daniels, Elias Martinson, and Shawn Hutchinson presented at the NRCS Conference Center, Salina, KS to various partners and advisory committees of the Kansas Forest Service on October 27, 2009. The title of their presentation was: "Statewide Forest Resource Assessment: GIS Methodology Report"

The following papers were presented by KSU geography faculties and graduate students at the 32nd Annual Applied Geography Conference held in Baton Rouge, LA, October 28-31, 2009:

Iris Wilson, John Harrington, Kendra McLauchlan, Elias Martinson, and Stacy Hutchinson: “The Water Budget, Climate Variability, and Impacts Assessment in Northeast Kansas.”

Ryan Bergstrom: “Percepts of Sustainable Community Development and Natural Resource Management: A Case Study of Two Montana Amenity Towns.”

Bimal Paul: “Attitudes Toward Arsenicosis Victims in Rural Bangladesh: An Empirical Study.”

Rex Robichaux and Lisa Harrington: “Environmental Conditions and Restoration Actions in the Rainwater Basin Wetland Complex, Nebraska.”

Mike Dulin and **Shawn Hutchinson:** “Identifying and Assessing Windbreaks in Ford County, Kansas Using Object-Based Image Analysis.”

Benjamin Munro: “Public Perception of Midwestern Corn Ethanol Production.”

John Harrington and Bimal Paul each chaired a session in the conference.