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EDUCATION

- B.S. SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry,
Syracuse, New York. Forest Biology *magna cum laude*, 1972
- M.S. University of California, Davis. Ecology, 1974
- Ph.D. University of California, Davis. Ecology, 1980
- A.M. Dartmouth College (Honorary), 1992

EXPERIENCE

- 2008- Myers Family Professor of Environmental Science
- 2003- Director, Institute of Arctic Studies, within the John Sloan Dickey Center for International Understanding
- 2014-2017 Distinguished Co-Lead Scholar, Fulbright Arctic Initiative
- 1997-2004 Albert Bradley Third Century Professor in the Sciences
- 1992- Professor of Environmental Studies (Chair, 1992-2000)
Adjunct Professor of Biological Sciences and Earth Sciences
- 1985- 1992 Professor (1988-1992), Associate Professor (1985-1988)
Department of Biology, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA
- 1985- 1992 Associate Director/Director
Systems Ecology Research Group, San Diego State University
- 1980-1985 Assistant Research Scientist (1982-1985), Postdoctoral Res. Sci. (1980-1982), Dept. of Soil and Environmental Science, Univ. California, Riverside
- 1974-1980 Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant
Dept. of Land, Air & Water Resources, Univ. California, Davis

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Polar environmental change
Ecosystem ecology and human impacts on biogeochemical cycling
Soil biodiversity and carbon cycling in Arctic and Antarctic environments
Arctic environmental policy and governance
Ecosystem ecology and its relationship with environmental law and policy

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS/SERVICE/AFFILIATIONS

Distinguished Co-Lead Scholar, Fulbright Arctic Initiative, US State Department, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, 2014-2017. <http://www.cies.org/program/fulbright-arctic-initiative>

Co-Director, University of the Arctic Institute for Arctic Policy, 2012-

Associated Scientist, Stefansson Arctic Institute, Akureyri, Iceland, 2014-

External Advisory Board, The Institute for Environmental Diplomacy and Security (IEDS), University of Vermont, 2010- present

Director (PI), Dartmouth Polar Environmental Change Ph.D. Program, funded by NSF Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship program (IGERT), 2008-2015

Advisory Board, Center for Human Rights and Indigenous Studies, Nuuk, Greenland, 2009-

Trustee, Sterling College (Craftsbury Common, Vermont) and member of the Advisory Board for the Center for Northern Studies at Sterling College, 2005-2010

Co-Chair, U. S. National Organizing Committee for the Arctic Science Summit Week (ASSW), 2007

Association of Ecosystems Research Centers (AERC), Board of Directors, 1992-1993; Treasurer, 1993-1997, 2000; President-Elect, 1998; President, 1999; Treasurer, 2000

Environmental Law Center Advisory Committee, Vermont Law School, South Royalton, Vermont, 1994- 2002

ARCUS, Arctic Research Consortium of the United States, Dartmouth Institutional Representative, 1995- present

University of the Arctic (UArctic) Council Member, 2004-present

Member, Corporation of the Montshire Museum of Science, Norwich, Vermont, 1995-present

Member, U. S. National Committee for the Scientific Committee on Problems of the Environment (SCOPE), a committee of the National Research Council, 1996-99

Professional Affiliations: American Association for the Advancement of Sciences, American Institute of Biological Sciences, American Geophysical Union, American Polar Society,

International Arctic Social Sciences Association, Ecological Society of America, Fulbright Association, Geological Society of America, National Science Teachers Association, Old Antarctic Explorers Association

HONORS AND AWARDS

Dartmouth Faculty Sustainability Project Award, 2013
McMurdo Helicopter Operations Golden Beaker Award, 2007-08
Graduate Faculty Mentor Award, Dartmouth College Graduate Student Association, 2005
"Virginia Valley" named in 2004 by the U.S. and New Zealand Advisory Committees on Antarctic Names in honor of my research in soil biology conducted in the McMurdo Dry Valleys starting in 1989. Location: 77°29'S, 160° 56'E, Olympus Range, Southern Victoria Land, Antarctica, feature ID 18694
CHOICE, Outstanding Academic Title for 2003: *Law and Ecology: The Rise of the Ecosystem Regime*, *CHOICE: Current Reviews for Academic Libraries*, 2003 Sep issue 41-0296
Salzburg Seminar Presidential Fellow, Environment and Diplomacy, 1994
Antarctic Service Medal, U.S. Congress, awarded 1994
Sigma Xi Honor Society, Elected Member, 1976
University of California Distinguished Scholar Fellowship, 1972-3
Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society, Elected Member, 1971
New York State Regents Scholarship, 1968-72

PUBLICATIONS

Authored Books:

Brooks, Richard O., Ross T. Jones and Ross A. Virginia. 2002. *Law and Ecology: The Rise of the Ecosystem Regime*. Ashgate Publishers Ltd.: Surrey UK, Brookfield USA, Singapore, Sydney, 430 pp. For the Series: Ecology and Law in Modern Society, edited by R. O. Brooks and R. A. Virginia

Edited Books and Journal Volumes:

Angelo, M. J. 2013. *The Law and Ecology of Pesticides and Pest Management*. Ashgate Publishers Ltd.: Surrey UK, Burlington USA, xxvii + 334 pgs. For the Series: Ecology and Law in Modern Society, edited by R. O. Brooks and R. A. Virginia

Milne, J. E., J. LaMense, and R. A. Virginia (editors). 2009. *Mountain Resorts: Ecology and the Law*. Ashgate Publishers Ltd.: Aldershot, Brookfield USA, Singapore, Sydney, 490 pp. For the Series: Ecology and Law in Modern Society, edited by R. O. Brooks and R. A. Virginia

Wall, D. H., B. Adams, J. E. Barrett, D. W. Hopkins, and R. A. Virginia (editors). 2006. *Antarctic Victoria Land Soil Ecology*. Soil Biology and Biochemistry Special Volume 38, Issue 10, Pages 3001-3180, Elsevier Press

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Fountain, A. G., G. Saba, S. Stammerjohn, B. Adams, P. Doran, W. Fraser, M. Gooseff, M. Obryk, J. Priscu, and R. A. Virginia. The role of a large-scale climate event on Antarctic ecosystem processes. BioScience, In Review

Gooseff, M. N., J. E. Barrett, B. J. Adams, P. T. Doran, A. G. Fountain, W. B. Lyons, D. M. McKnight, J. C. Proscu, E. Sokol, C. Takacs-Vesbach, M. L. Vandegehuchte, R. A. Virginia, and D. H. Wall. Recent climate shift produces a state change in an Antarctic terrestrial ecosystem. In Manuscript

Henidel, R. C., L. E. Culler, and R. A. Virginia. Climate controls on aeolian soil erosion in the Kangerlussuaq region, West Greenland. In Revision

Petrenko, C. L., J. I. Bradley-Cook, E. Lacroix, A. J. Friedland, and R. A. Virginia. Mineral soil carbon and nitrogen storage in graminoid- versus shrub- dominated soils of western Greenland. Arctic Science, In Revision

Young, O. R., N. Einarsson, R. A. Virginia and 17 others. Time for a sea change in global fisheries. Science, In Review.

Bradley-Cook, J. I., C. L. Petrenko, A. J. Friedland, and R. A. Virginia. 2016. Temperature sensitivity of mineral soil decomposition in shrub and graminoid tundra, west Greenland. Climate Change Responses 3:2, DOI: 10.1186/s40665-016-0016-1

Feng, X., A. M. Lauder, E. Posmetier, B. G. Kopec, and R. A. Virginia. 2016. Evaporation and transport of water isotopologues from Greenland lakes: The lake size effect. Quaternary Science Reviews 131 Part B:302-315, doi:10.1016/j.quascirev.2015.07.029

Foley, N., S. Tulaczyk, E. Auken, C. Schamper, H. Dugan, J. Mikucki, R. Virginia, and P. Doran. 2016. Helicopter borne transient electromagnetics in high latitude environments: An application in the McMurdo Dry Valleys, Antarctica. Geophysics 81(1) WA87-WA99, DOI 10.1190/GEO2015-0186.1

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Yalowitz, K. S. and R. A. Virginia. 2010. The Arctic Region: Prospects for a Great Game or International Cooperation. The Atlantic Community, April 2010

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Yalowitz, K. S. and R. A. Virginia. 2010. The Arctic Region: Prospects for a Great Game or International Cooperation. *The Atlantic Community*, April 2010

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Virginia, R. A. and D. A. Bainbridge. 1986. Revegetation in the Colorado Desert. Report to the California Department of Transportation, San Diego, CA. 139p. Contribution to the Systems Ecology Research Group, San Diego State University, and the Drylands Research Institute, University of California, Riverside

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RESEARCH PROJECTS AND EXTERNAL FUNDING

2016-2020	CLINF: Climate-change effects on the epidemiology of infectious diseases and the impacts on Northern societies, Nordic Centres of Excellence in Arctic Research. Project Group member and coordinator for Dartmouth collaboration on this major European research initiative. No direct funding to Dartmouth but support provided for activities in the project.
2015-2018	Principal Investigator, NSF Division of Polar Programs, <i>A Dartmouth-JSEP Partnership for International Science Education in Greenland</i> . Co-PI: M. Albert, M. Ayres and L. Culler, \$562,490

2014-2017	Distinguished Co-Lead Scholar, US Department of State Fulbright, <i>Fulbright Arctic Initiative</i> , \$28,662
2011-2017	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Long Term Ecological Research (LTER), <i>Increased Connectivity in a Polar Desert Resulting from Climate Warming: McMurdo Dry Valley LTER Program</i> , Total \$5,640,000, Dartmouth award, \$278,316
2008-2015	Principal Investigator, NSF Division of Graduate Education, Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship program. <i>IGERT: Polar Environmental Change</i> . Co-PIs: Mary Albert (CRREL), Ian Baker, Xiahong Feng, Bruce Duthu, \$2,999,613
2013-2015	Co-Principal Investigator, <i>Changing Attitudes and Beliefs about Responses to Climate Change: Creating a Climate Change Game</i> . With Mary Flanagan, Dept of Film and Media Studies, Neukom Center for Computational Science CompX Faculty Grant, \$40,000; Faculty Scholarly Innovation and Advancement Award, College of Arts and Sciences, \$40,000
2011-2014	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Antarctic Instrumentation and Support, <i>Collaborative Research: Resistivity Mapping of Subsurface Microbial Habitats in the McMurdo Region</i> . PI: Jill Mikucki, Dartmouth College, \$307,544
2010-2011	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Division of Graduate Education, Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship program. <i>IGERT Workshop: Understanding Rapid Environmental and Social Change in the Arctic: Bridging Traditional Knowledge and Interdisciplinary Science across IGERTs</i> . PI: Virginia Eckert, University of Alaska Fairbanks. Total Award, \$112,946
2010-2011	Kane Lodge Foundation, <i>UArctic Institute for Applied Circumpolar Policy Arctic Health Conference</i> , May 2011, \$5,000
2005-2011	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Long-Term Ecological Research <i>The Role of Resource Legacy on Contemporary Linkages between Biodiversity and Ecosystem Processes in a Cold Desert Ecosystem: The McMurdo Dry Valley LTER Program</i> , \$4,920,000. PI: A. Fountain (Portland State University) with 8 Co-PIs. Dartmouth subcontract \$527,028
2009-2010	Co-Principal Investigator, Kane Lodge Foundation. <i>Cataloging the papers of Elmer Harp and David Nutt, Eminent Dartmouth Arctic scholars</i> . With Jay Satterfield, Rauner Library, \$5,000
2008-2009	Principal Investigator, Kane Lodge Foundation, <i>Arctic Environmental Change: Case Studies Bridging Traditional Ecological Knowledge and Western Science</i> . Co-PI: Bill Roebuck, \$7,500

2007-2008	Principal Investigator, NSF Polar Programs. <i>Arctic Science Summit Week 2007</i> . Co-PI Mary Albert (CRREL), \$42,800
2006-2009	Activity Leader on International Polar Year (IPY) Project 160: <i>Arctic Change: An Interdisciplinary Dialog Between the Academy, Northern Peoples, and Policy Makers</i> . Funded by Dickey Center for International Understanding at Dartmouth College, Kane Lodge Foundation, Evelyn Stefansson Nef Foundation.
2003-2004	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Polar Programs, Biology and Medicine. <i>Synthesis of Soil Biodiversity and Ecosystem Functioning in Southern Victoria Land, Antarctica: A workshop</i> . Diana H. Wall, Colorado State PI, with Co-PI, B. Adams, Utah State University. \$51,677
2003-2006	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Polar Programs, Biology and Medicine. <i>Soil Biodiversity and Response to Climate Change: A Regional Comparison of Cape Hallett and Taylor Valley, Antarctica</i> . W. B. Lyons, Byrd Polar Research Center, Ohio State Univ. (PI). With J. E. Barrett (Dartmouth, ENVS), S. C. Cary (Univ. Delaware), D. H. Wall (Colorado State Univ.), and A. Fountain (Portland State Univ.). July 15, 2003 for 3 years. Total: \$508,480. Dartmouth subcontract \$117,555
2003-2006	Henry Luce Foundation. <i>Sustainable New England landscape: Integrating Interdisciplinary Environmental Studies from the Undergraduate to the Post-doctoral Level</i> . A.J. Friedland, PI, with R. B. Howarth, D.T. Bolger, K Fisher-Vanden, C. Sneddon. Three years, \$310,000.
2003-2004	Principal Investigator, NSF Polar Programs. Supplement to the McMurdo Dry Valley LTER Program. <i>Nitrate Accumulation In Arid Ecosystems: Implications of Biotic Limitation For Surface Age Estimates</i> . With J. E. Barrett, Dartmouth College and W. B. Lyons, Ohio State University. \$19,833
2001-2002	<i>The Interaction of Ecology and Public Policy: An Analysis of Bridge Documents</i> . Rockefeller Center for the Social Sciences Public Policy Grant Program, Dartmouth College. Ross A. Virginia (PI) with Richard O. Brooks, and Ross Jones. July 1, 2001- June 30, 2002, \$12,000
2000-2002	National Science Foundation Teachers Experiencing Antarctica Program. \$14,500
1998-2004	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Long-Term Ecological Research <i>The McMurdo Dry Valley LTER: The Role of Natural Legacy on Ecosystem Structure and Function in a Polar Desert</i> . PI: B. Lyons (Univ. of Alabama) with 8 Co-PIs. \$4,750,000, Dartmouth subcontract \$512,000
1994-2001	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Long-Term Ecological Research

	<i>Long-term Ecological Studies in the Chihuahuan Desert (The Jornada LTER-III Consortium).</i> PI: W. H Schlesinger (Duke Univ.) with 10 Co-PIs. \$3,780,000, Dartmouth subcontract \$240,000
1996-1998	Principal Investigator, NSF Polar Programs. <i>Collaborative Research. Antarctic Dry Valley Nematode Communities: Establishment, Function and Response to Disturbance.</i> \$84,646
1995-1996	Principal Investigator, NSF Division of Environmental Biology. Co-PI, Sean Connin. <i>Dissertation Research; Origin and Flux of Soil Carbon Following Shrub Invasion, Isotopic Analyses of Community Change.</i> \$6,000
1992-1995	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Division of Polar Programs <i>The Ecology of Nematodes in Antarctic Dry Valley Ecosystems.</i> PI: D. W. Freckman, subcontract \$111,000
1990-1994	Principal Investigator, NSF Ecosystem Studies. <i>Resource Islands: Their Role in the Stability of Desert Ecosystems.</i> Co-PIs: J. F. Reynolds (Duke University) and W. G. Whitford (New Mexico State Univ.). \$844,000. Research Experiences for Undergraduates Supplement, \$9,700
1991-1992	Principal Investigator, Trustees of the California State University and California Department of Transportation. <i>Propagation and Establishment of Desert Plants For Restoration of Mesquite Woodlands In Southern California.</i> \$250,000
1990-1992	Principal Investigator, California Department of Parks and Recreation. <i>Experimental Restoration of Creosotebush Scrub Vegetation in The Anza-Borrego Desert State Park.</i> \$80,000
1989-1994	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Long-Term Ecological Research <i>Desertification: Response Of Arid Ecosystems And Landscapes to Resource Distribution: Jornada LTER II.</i> PI: W. H Schlesinger (Duke Univ.); Co-PIs: J. F. Reynolds (Duke Univ.), W. M. Jarrell (Oregon Graduate Inst.), W. G. Whitford and L. F. Huenneke (New Mexico State Univ.). \$2,317,000, SDSU subcontract \$750,000
1989-1992	Principal Investigator, NSF Division of Polar Programs <i>Collaborative Research: Distribution and Function of Nematodes in Antarctic Dry Valley Ecosystems.</i> \$71,850, Research Experiences for Undergraduates Supplement, \$4,000
1989-1991	Investigator, U. S. Department of Energy R4D Program. <i>Effect of Perturbation of Tundra Drainage Systems on Ecosystem Dynamics of Tundra and Riparian Vegetation.</i> PI: J. F. Reynolds (SDSU), \$150,000
1988-1989	Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Long-Term Ecological Research

Temporal and Spatial Variability in Chihuahuan Desert Ecosystems. PI: W. G. Whitford (New Mexico State Univ.); Co-PIs: J. F. Reynolds (SDSU), W. H. Schlesinger (Duke Univ.), W. M. Jarrell (Oregon Graduate Inst.), L. F. Huenneke and G. Cunningham (New Mexico State Univ.). SDSU subcontract, \$50,000

- 1987-1991 Principal Investigator, Trustees of the California State University and California Department of Transportation. *Revegetation Practices for the Colorado Desert of Southern California.* \$170,000
- 1985-1989 Principal Investigator, NSF Ecosystem Studies. *Root Symbionts and Plant Productivity in Warm Desert Ecosystems.* Co-PIs: W. M. Jarrell (Oregon Graduate Inst.), D. W. Freckman (U. C. Riverside), W. G. Whitford (New Mexico State Univ.). \$749,000
- 1983-1986 Co-Principal Investigator, NSF Ecosystems Studies. *Nitrogen Fixation, Water Use, and Plant Productivity in Warm Desert Ecosystems.* PI: W. M. Jarrell (U. C. Riverside); Co-PIs: P. W. Rundel (U.C.L.A), D. H. Kohl, G. Shearer (Washington Univ. St. Louis). \$990,000

EXHIBITIONS AS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE INTERNATIONAL POLAR YEAR 2007-08, INTERNATIONAL PROJECT #160- "Arctic Change: An Interdisciplinary Dialog between the Academy, Native Peoples and Policy Makers"

"*Polar Connections: Dartmouth and the Cold Regions*", Nov. 2007-March 2008, Baker-Berry Library at Dartmouth College. This exhibit recounted the history of Dartmouth's involvement in polar research beginning with John Ledyard in the 1770's and extending into the current International Polar Year 2007-08.

"*Navigating the Northwest Passage: Just Missing the Ice*", May 25-July 31, 2007, Rauner Special Collections Library, Dartmouth College. This exhibition, featuring the Stefansson Special Collection, recounted the search for the fabled Northwest shipping passage through the Arctic sea ice by drawing on materials (books, letters, photographs) from the Sir John Franklin Expedition up to the first commercial ship to navigate the passage, the Manhattan.

"*Thin Ice: Inuit Traditions within a Changing Environment*", Jan. 27 – May 13, 2007, Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth College. This interdisciplinary exhibition explored traditional Inuit life through the nineteenth- and early-twentieth-century art and artifacts that indigenous Arctic peoples used to survive within this challenging environment. With the understanding that the Arctic environment is undergoing rapid transformation from climate change and the significant melting of sea ice, the exhibition highlights the impact of such change on Inuit ways of life and their relationship to the region in which they live. An illustrated catalogue accompanied this exhibition.

OTHER EXHIBITIONS:

"*Together in the Great Alone... Thomas Orde Lees, Ernest Shackleton and the 1914-16 Trans-Antarctic Expedition*", September 5- October 23, 2011, Baker Library Main Hall, Dartmouth College. An examination of the experience of extreme isolation and perseverance, focusing

on the diary of Thomas Orde-Lees, written during Ernest Shackleton's Imperial Trans-Antarctic (*Endurance*) Expedition. Curated by Ross A. Virginia and Dennis Grady (Dartmouth Library)

REVIEWER

Editorial Boards

Applied and Environmental Microbiology (1989 - 1994), Biology and Fertility of Soils (1988 - 1993), Springer-Verlag Publishers

Professional Journals (ad hoc)

Biogeochemistry, Ecology, Ecosystems, Journal of Arid Environments, Oecologia, Plant and Soil, Soil Biology and Biochemistry, Soil Science Society of America Journal, Native Plants

Proposal Review Panels

National Science Foundation (NSF) Ecosystems Program, 1992-1994

NSF Bio-Complexity Pre-Proposals, 1999

NSF Arctic Biology Postdoctoral Fellowships, 2008

ARCUS Polartrec Program, 2009

Research Proposals (ad hoc)

National Science Foundation Programs: Ecosystems Studies, Ecology, Population and Physiological Ecology, Polar Biology and Medicine, International Programs, Biological Field Stations, Instrumentation, Paleoclimate Program, U.S.- Israel Binational Program, Arctic Biology

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Plant Responses to the Environment

U. S. Dept. of Energy Small Business Initiative for Research Program

Arctic Research Consortium of the United States

Association of Polar Early Career Scientists (APECS)

SEMINARS AND INVITED TALKS:

Virginia, R. A. 2013. Polar opposites? The science and politics of environmental change in the Arctic and Antarctica. Dartmouth Alumni Back to Class lecture series, November 9, 2013

Virginia, R. A. 2013. Traditional Ecological Knowledge: Is it science or does it matter? Indigenous Peoples Climate Change Working Group, Dartmouth College, Nov 3-4, 2013.

Virginia, R. A., M. A. Kelly and L. Levy. 2013. Arctic Meltdown? The science and politics of polar environmental change. Dartmouth Science Pubs Series, May 16, 2013

Virginia, R. A. 2012. Going North: Energy development above the 48th parallel. Panel presentation, New York University, Center for Global Affairs. October 24, 2012

Virginia, R. A. and J. I. Bradley-Cook. 2012. Polar amplification and consequences for soil carbon cycling. Symposium on Ecosystem Change in Polar and Alpine Environments, 4th International EcoSummit 2012- Ecological Sustainability Restoring the Planet's Ecosystem Services, Columbus Ohio, September 30- October 5, 2012

- Virginia, R. A. and M. Kelly. 2012. Polar environmental trends and their policy implications. Sierra Club, Hanover, NH, May 29, 2012
- Virginia, R. A. 2012. Soils and ecological processes at the limits to life: the polar deserts of Antarctica. March 23, 2012, Plant and Soil Science Department, University of Vermont
- Virginia, R. A. 2011. Shackleton and the rising tide: Climate change in Antarctica. Panel presentation in conjunction with Phantom Limb's "69 South" performance, Hopkins Center for the Arts, Dartmouth College, September 27, 2011
- Virginia, R. A. Meltdown: Science and geopolitics in the Arctic. Wyndam World Affairs Council, Brattleboro, VT, February 11, 2011
- Virginia, R. A. 2010. The Promise and Threat of an Accessible Arctic, On Thin Ice: International Law and Environmental Protection in a Melting Arctic 16th Annual Herbert Rubin and Justice Rose Luttan Rubin International Law Symposium October 22, 2010, New York University School of Law
- Virginia, R. A. 2010. Humans in the biosphere: The melting Arctic. Dartmouth Reunion Class of 1994, Hanover, NH, June 17, 2010
- Wall, D. H., R. A. Virginia, and W. B. Lyons. 2010. Long term ecological research: An environmental observatory system in the Dry Valleys, Antarctica. Invited presentation, SCAR (Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research) XXX1 Open Science Conference, Buenos Aires, Argentina, August 3-6, 2010
- Virginia, R. A. 2009. Toward sustainability. Keynote address for dedication of the Pilatas Science Center, New Hampton School, New Hampshire, October 30, 2009
- Virginia, R.A., M. R. Albert, I. Baker, X. Feng, D. J. Ranco, A. Lyng, and L. K. Holm. 2009. Polar environmental change: Graduate education for tomorrow's leaders. Nuuk Climate Days 2009, The Arctic Freshwater Budget International Symposium. Nuuk, Greenland, August 25-27, 2009
- Virginia, R. A. 2009. The polar bear- Icon of climate change. Annual Meeting of the American Association of Laboratory Animals Science (Northern Mountain Branch), Hanover, N.H., April 15, 2009
- Virginia, R. A. 2009. Climate change and biogeochemical cycling at the extremes: the Antarctic Dry Valleys. Geosciences Department, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, February 23, 2009
- Virginia, R. A. 2008. Biogeochemical cycling at the extremes: The McMurdo Dry Valleys, Antarctica. Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies, Millbrook, N.Y, October 16, 2008
- Virginia, R. A. 2008. The Effects of Climate Change on a Polar Desert: The McMurdo Dry Valleys of Antarctica. Environmental Studies and Biology Departmental Seminar. Colby-Sawyer College, New London, NH. April 8, 2009

Virginia, R. A. 2007. Arctic Meltdown: Science and Consequences. Hood Museum of Art, Gallery Lecture Series. February 20, 2007

Virginia, R. A. 2007. Arctic climate and terrestrial ecosystem change: Polar comparisons. Arctic Science Summit Week, Science Day Plenary Session. Dartmouth College, March 15, 2007

Virginia, R. A. 2007. Polar Perspectives on Climate Change. Vermont Institute of Natural Science (VINS) Climate Change Lecture Series. June 27, 2007. Quechee, Vermont

Virginia, R. A. 2007. Dartmouth's Northern Tradition and the International Polar Year. Global media launch event for the International Polar Year (IPY) held at the Finnish Embassy, Washington DC. February 13, 2007

Brooks, R. O. and R. A. Virginia. 2006. The great migration of ecological ideas in law. The XIV International Conference, Society for Human Ecology, "Interdisciplinary Integration and Practice: Reconciling Humans and Nature." Oct 18-21, 2006, College of the Atlantic, Maine

Wall, D. H., B. Adams, J. E. Barrett, and R. A. Virginia. 2004. Factors determining phylogeographical distribution of soil nematodes in the Antarctic Dry Valleys. International Symposium on Impacts of Soil Biodiversity on Biogeochemical Processes in Ecosystems: International Workshop on Molecular Methods in Soil Biological and Biochemical Diversity in Terrestrial Ecosystems. Taipei, April 18-24, 2004

Wall, D. H. and R. A. Virginia. 2000. Rangeland soil ecology: A global perspective. Symposium on Rangeland Soil Ecology, Soil Science Society of America Annual Meeting. Nov. 5-9, 2000, Minneapolis, MN

Virginia, R.A. 1999. Response of Chihuahuan Desert shrublands to rainfall manipulation: Implications for desertification. October 12, 1999. Department of Zoology and Entomology, University of Pretoria, South Africa

Wall, D. H. and R. A. Virginia. 1999. Soil biodiversity, plant biodiversity and biomass production: examples and hypotheses. Invited Talk. Society for Rangeland Management Annual Meeting

Wall, D. H. and R. A. Virginia. 1998. Controls on Soil Biodiversity: Lessons from Extreme Environments. 16th World Congress of Soil Science, Montpellier, France, August 20-26, 1998

Virginia, R. A. and J. F. Reynolds. 1998. Response of grass-shrub communities to rainfall manipulations in the Chihuahuan Desert: Implications for desertification. Symposium on The Importance of Precipitation Amount and Seasonality for Ecosystem Structure and Function. Ecological Society of America Annual Meeting, Aug. 2-6 1998. Baltimore, MD

- Freckman, D. W. and R. A. Virginia. 1997. Soil nematode communities and disturbance: A perspective from different deserts. Symposium: Changing Ecosystems: Natural and Human Influences. Ecological Society of America Annual Meeting, Aug. 10-14, 1997. Albuquerque, NM
- Virginia, R. A. 1997. The soil ecosystem: Lessons from the extremes. Keynote address, Soil Ecology Society Conference, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS. May 27-31, 1997
- Virginia, R. A. 1992. Desertification: Responses of arid landscapes and ecosystems to resource redistribution. Jornada LTER. 9th Annual PACLIM Workshop, Climate Variability of the Eastern North Pacific and Western North America. April 21-24, 1992. Asilomar, CA. Sponsored by US Geological Survey
- Freckman, D. W., and R. A. Virginia. 1991. Soil properties and nematode distribution in Antarctic Dry Valleys. Special Session: Hydrology and Biogeochemistry of Terrestrial and Aquatic Ecosystems in the Antarctic. American Geophysical Union, Baltimore, MD. EOS Trans. Am. Geophys. Union 72:108
- Reynolds, J. F, R. A. Virginia, and J. M. Cornelius. 1990. Resource island formation associated with the desert shrubs, creosotebush (*Larrea tridentata*) and mesquite (*Prosopis glandulosa*), and its role in the stability of desert ecosystems: A simulation analysis. Symposium on Physiological Ecology: Links with Ecosystem Processes and the Atmosphere. Ecological Soc. Am. Ann. Meeting, Snowbird, UT
- Virginia, R. A., and D. A. Bainbridge. 1987. Revegetation in the Colorado Desert: Lessons from the study of natural systems. California Native Plant Revegetation Symposium, San Diego, CA
- Freckman, D., R. A. Virginia, W. G. Whitford, M. B. Jenkins, J. A. Menge, and W. M. Jarrell. 1986. Deep soil microbiota in deserts. Fourth Int. Symp. on Microbial Ecology, Ljubljana, Yugoslavia
- Virginia, R. A., W. M. Jarrell, P. W. Rundel, D. H. Kohl, and G. Shearer. 1986. The use of variation in the natural abundance of ^{15}N to assess symbiotic N₂-fixation by woody plants. Symposium on the Use of Stable Isotopes in Ecological Research, U. S. Dept. of Energy, Lake Arrowhead, CA
- Bachelet, D., W. M. Jarrell, and R. A. Virginia. 1986. Simulation model of nutrient cycling in a desert woody legume community. Symposium on Whole Plant Modeling of Carbon, Nitrogen, and Phosphorus, Knoxville, TN
- Virginia, R. A. 1985. Approaches for studying the function of deep root systems. NATO Advanced Research Workshop. Plant Response to Stress: Functional Analysis in Mediterranean Ecosystems. Sesimbra, Portugal, Oct. 13-18, 1985
- Virginia, R. A. 1985. Inputs of biologically fixed nitrogen to desert soils. Symposium on Soil Processes in Desert Ecosystems. Ecological Soc. Am. Annual Meeting, Univ. of Minnesota

Virginia, R. A. 1985. Soil development under legume tree canopies. Symposium on the Establishment and Productivity of Tree Plantings in Semi-Arid Regions. Texas A&I Univ., Kingsville, TX, April 29-May 3, 1985

INVITED PARTICIPANT AT WORKSHOPS:

SCOPE Workshop on Sediment and Soil Biodiversity and Ecosystem Functioning. Wageningen, The Netherlands, April 7-11, 1997

IGBP Global Climate Change Program, GCTE (Global Change and Terrestrial Ecosystems) Workshop "Plant-Soil Carbon Below Ground: The Effects of Elevated CO₂". Oxford University, September 20-23, 1995. Root carbon losses under elevated CO₂ to microbes, grazers, and other soil fauna. D. W. Freckman (presenter) and R. A. Virginia

9th Annual PACLIM Workshop, Climate Variability of the Eastern North Pacific and Western North America. April 21-24, 1992. Asilomar, CA. Sponsored by US Geological Survey. Invited Talk: Desertification: Responses of arid landscapes and ecosystems to resource redistribution.

NSF Workshop. Antarctic Dry Valleys: Terrestrial and Aquatic Ecosystems. October 1991. Institute of Ecosystem Studies, The Mary Flagler Cary Arboretum, Millbrook, NY

NSF Workshop. The Need for a National Center for the Study of Comparative Ecology and Scale. March 1989. Sarasota, FL

NSF Long Term Ecological Research Workshop. Stable Isotopes in Ecological Studies. September 1989. Ecosystems Center, Woods Hole, Massachusetts. Co-convenor with B. Fry.

NSF Long Term Ecological Research Program Technology Planning Committee, 1989

U.S. Department of Energy Workshop. Stable Isotopes in Ecological Research, 1986, Lake Arrowhead, California

NATO Advanced Research Workshop. Plant Response to Stress: Functional Analysis in Mediterranean Ecosystems. Sesimbra, Portugal, Oct. 13-18, 1985

PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS OF CONTRIBUTED PAPERS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS (DARTMOUTH)

Auken, E., S. Tulaczyk, N. Foley, H. Dugan, C. Schamper, P. Doran, R. Virginia, and K. Sorensen. 2015. Exploring liquid water beneath glaciers and permafrost in Antarctica through airborne electromagnetic surveys. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA

Culler, L., R. Finger, E. Plane, M. Ayres, and R. Virginia. 2015. Increases in growing season length and changes in precipitation at six different Arctic and SubArctic ecosystems from 1906-present. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA

- Culler, L., R. Virginia, M. Albert, and M. Ayres. 2015. Building transferable knowledge and skills through an interdisciplinary polar science graduate program. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA
- Foley, N., S. Tulaczyk, E. Auken, C. Schamper, H. Dugan, J. Mikucki, R. Virginia, and P. Doran. 2015. Identification of subsurface brines in the McMurdo Dry Valleys, Antarctica, via an airborne EM resistivity survey. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA
- Gooseff, M., B. Adams, J. Barrett, P. Doran, A. Fountain, W. Lyons, D. McKnight, C. Takacs-Vesbach, J. Priscu, E. Sokol, R. Virginia, and D. Wall. 2015. The past as a window to the future- What does long term research in the McMurdo Dry Valleys, Antarctica tell us about the trajectory of polar ecosystems? American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA
- Gooseff, M. N., J. E. Barrett, B. J. Adams, P. T. Doran, A. Fountain, W. B. Lyons, D. M. McKnight, J. Priscu, E. R. Sokol, C. Tackas-Vesbach, M. Vandegehuchte, R. A. Virginia, and D. H. Wall. 2015. Antarctic terrestrial ecosystems abide: Changes in soils, lakes and streams of the McMurdo Dry Valleys as the cooling trend ends. Ecological Society of America Annual Meeting, August 9-14, Baltimore, MD
- Heindel, R., L. Culler, J. Chipman, and R. Virginia 2015. Soil response to Aeolian disturbance in West Greenland. 2015. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA
- Kopec, B., X. Feng, A. Aldolph, R. Virginia, and E. Posmentier. 2015. From precipitation to ice cores: an isotopic comparison at Summit, Greenland. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA
- Mikucki, J., S. Tulaczyk, A. Purcell, B. Dachwald, W. Lyons, K. Welch, E. Auken, H. Dugan, J. Walter, E. Pettit, P. Doran, R. Virginia, C. Schamper, N. Foley, M. Feldman, C. Espe, D. Ghosh, abd G. Francke. 2015. Investigating the hydrological origins of Blood Falls- geomicrobiological insights into a briny subglacial Antarctic aquifer. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA
- Aanderud, Z. T., C. D. Tackas-Vesbach, J. E. Barrett, D. H. Wall, R. A. Virginia, and B. J. Adams. 2014. Soil nutrients structure patterns of bacterial community assembly in an Antarctic polar desert. Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) Open Science Conference, August 25-28, 2014, Auckland, New Zealand
- Bradley-Cook, J., C. Petrenko, A. Friedland, and R. Virginia 2014. Soil carbon storage and temperature sensitivity associated with shrub and graminoid vegetation in Kangerlussuaq, Greenland. American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting, December 15-19, 2014, San Francisco, CA
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Dartmouth College

First Year Seminar- Eating is an Agricultural Act (ENVS 7)
From Pole to Pole: Environmental Issues of the Earth's Cold Regions (ENVS 15)
Introduction to Environmental Science (ENVS 2)
Deserts Hot and Cold- First-Year seminar (ENVS 7)
Global Environmental Science (ENVS 30)
Ecological Agriculture (ENVS 25)
Seminar- Sustainable Agriculture (ENVS 80)
Seminar- Arctic Change: Traditional Knowledge and Western Science (ENVS 80)
Introduction to Polar Sciences (BIOL 138/EARS 128)
Polar Science, Ethics, and Politics (BIOL 148/ENVS 80)

San Diego State University

Ecology and Evolution (Biology 354)
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Dartmouth College

Ph.D. Earth Science

- Heidel, Ruth. In progress. Soil deflation and climate history in west Greenland.
- Yong Shu. 2007. Hydrogen and oxygen isotopic studies on leaf water. X. Feng, Chair.
- Mercer, J. L. 2002. Carbon geochemistry of marine sediment cores from Chesapeake Bay. M. Zhao, Chair.
- Poage, M. A. January 2000. Stable isotope paleoclimate studies in the Western Basin and Range and Greater Yellowstone region. C. P. Chamberlain, Chair.
- Burkins, M. B. 1998. The origin, distribution, and cycling of soil organic matter in Taylor Valley, Antarctica. Major advisor
- Connin, S. L. 1996. Impacts of arid land shrub expansion on soil carbon cycling from ^{14}C ages and carbon and oxygen isotope ratios of pedogenic calcite and organic matter. Major advisor
- Stern, L. 1996. Climate and vegetation change in the Himalayan foreland from oxygen and carbon isotope ratios of fossils and palesol clay and calcite. C. P. Chamberlain, Chair
- Ryan, P. C. 1994. Serpentine/Chlorite and Illite/Smectite in the Tuscaloosa Formation: Origins, Chemistry, Mineralogic Structures, and Oxygen Isotope Compositions. R. C. Reynolds, Chair

Ph.D. Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

- Bradley-Cook, Julia. 2015. Soil organic carbon cycling and temperature sensitivity in Greenland tundra ecosystems.
- Finger, Rebecca. In progress. Soil carbon flux and soil moisture dynamics in Arctic tundra ecosystems. Ecology, Evolution, Environment and Society
- Whitecloud, Simone. In progress. Controls on plant community composition in Arctic and alpine tundra. M. McPeek, Chair
- Fey, Samuel. 2014. Temperature influences on trophic interactions in streams. K. Cottingham, Chair
- Culler, Lauren 2013. Thermal ecology of Arctic aquatic insect community interactions. M Ayers, Chair
- Trout-Haney, Jessica. In progress. Cyanobacteria and toxins in Arctic and New England lakes. K. Cottingham, Chair
- Wolkovich, Elizabeth. 2009. Top-down and bottom-up regulation of soil invertebrate food webs in California coastal sage scrub vegetation. D. T. Bolger, Chair
- Eaton, Gregg. 2000. Enrichment, environmental variance and mutual benefits in the ectomycorrhizal symbiosis. M. P. Ayres, Chair

M.S. Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

- Fagan, M. 2003. Getting a forest from the shrubs: the impact of glossy buckthorn (*Rhamnus frangula* L.) on the recruitment of juvenile canopy trees. D. Peart, Chair.

Other Institutions

Teonis, Amy. Ph.D. 1999. Ecosystem Science. Colorado State University. Survival adaptations of free-living nematodes in the McMurdo Dry Valleys of Antarctica. D. H. Wall, Chair.

M.S. Earth Sciences

- Coplin, Alexis. 2009. The effect of particle size on soil organic matter quality as determined by stable isotope geochemistry. X. Feng, Chair.
- Bate '05, D. Bradley. 2007. Soil organic matter sources and quality in the McMurdo Dry Valleys, Antarctica.
- Stucker '04, Rebekka. 2006. Soil nitrate and soil age in the McMurdo Dry Valleys, Antarctica.
- Catapano '99, Kathleen. 2003. Soils and the stability of sand forest vegetation boundaries in Tembe Elephant Reserve, South Africa.
- Manske Jr., J. E. 1998. A tree ring analysis of historic metal deposition in the Fisher Creek Valley, Montana. Committee member.
- Peterson, J. C. 1997. M.S. Earth Sciences. Natural abundance of carbon and nitrogen isotopes in soil organic matter accumulated under three chaparral species and pine growing in lysimeters at the San Dimas Experimental Forest, California. Committee member.
- Templeton, A. 1996. Near-surface fluid flow during recent uplift of the eastern Southern Alps, New Zealand. Committee member.
- Brown, M. J. 1995. Paleohydrostratigraphy and paleotopography of the Irish carboniferous crust: A framework for the numerical modeling of epigenetic, carbonate-hosted ore formation in Ireland. Committee member.
- Adams, W. 1995. Stable hydrogen isotope exchange in teleost scale ichthylepidin. M.S. Earth Science. Committee member.
- Marlies, E. M. 1995. Application of stable carbon and nitrogen isotope signatures as tracers of vegetation changes accompanying desertification.
- Larson, A. C. 1994. Evidence of pneumatolytic processes in the magnetite deposits at El Laco, Chile. Committee member.

M.A.L.S. Masters of Arts in Liberal Studies

- Maier, Linda. 2002. "Lo, how a rose ere blooming": The promise of intercropping on small-scale farms for a more sustainable floriculture. Major advisor.

San Diego State University

Ph.D. Biology

- Thomas, Paul. 1995. Molecular analysis of bacteria that symbiotically fix nitrogen with the desert tree legume, *Prosopis glandulosa* (Mesquite). Jointly with U. C. San Diego. Co-Chair with J. Zyskind

Ph.D. Ecology (Committee Member)

- Brisson, J. 1994. Belowground competition and plant population dynamics in the desert shrub creosotebush.
- Gebauer, R. 1994. Physiological responses of the arctic tundra sedges *Eriogonum vaginatum* and *E. angustifolia* to anaerobic soil conditions.

M.S. Ecology (Thesis Chair)

- Kay, I. S. 1989. Early nodulation of mesquite (*Prosopis glandulosa* var. *torreyana*) by indigenous Sonoran Desert rhizobia: the role of contrasting bacterial life history strategies.
- Kramer, N. E. 1989. The effects of selenium on nitrogen fixation by the selenium accumulating desert legume *Astragalus crotalariae*.
- Darby, M. 1993. The effects of rhizobia, mycorrhizal fungi, and nutrients on the growth and survival of mesquite (*Prosopis glandulosa*).
- Sorensen, N. S. 1993. Physiological ecology of the desert shrub, *Larrea divaricata*: Implications for arid land revegetation.
- Cork, S. 1994. Distribution and diversity of nitrogen-scavenging soil bacteria isolated from grassland and desertified shrubland soils of the Chihuahuan Desert.
- Tiszler, J. 1994. Changes in soil nitrogen structure and dynamics associated with the establishment of desert shrubs in a Chihuahuan Desert black grama grassland.

M.S. Biology

- Golly, F. 1994. The molecular ecology of slow-growing mesquite nodulating rhizobia. Co-Chair with J. Zyskind.

M.S. Ecology (Committee Member)

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- Wood, K. F. 1987. Interactions between the exotic annual, *Cakile maritima*, and the native perennial, *Abronia maritima*, on the strand at Tijuana Estuary.
- Cantili, J. F. 1989. Sulfide phytotoxicity in tidal salt marshes.
- Zalejcko, M.K. 1990. Asymbiotic nitrogen fixation in a natural and artificially constructed southern California salt marsh.
- Vourlitis, G. 1991. Nitrogen cycling in southern California coastal dunes.
- Busnardo Jr., M. J. 1992. Removal of nitrogen and phosphorus by wetland mesocosms subjected to different hydroperiods.
- Gibson, K. 1992. Soil organic matter additions and the growth of *Spartina* in southern California salt marshes.
- Rehlaender, W. 1992. Stand age and substrate type as factors in the nutrient status of a chaparral shrub.
- Jeakins, S. 1993. Oxalate-degrading microorganisms and comparative degradation rates in differing soils in sagebrush steppe.
- Duncan, J. A. 1991. Assessing the relationship between spectral vegetation indices and shrub cover in a semiarid environment. M. S. Geography.
- Shandley, J. P. 1993. Using image segmentation to map vegetation stands in the Pine Creek Watershed, Cleveland National Forest. M. S. Geography.

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COMMITTEES AND SERVICE, DARTMOUTH COLLEGE

Committee Advisory to the President, 2007-2010, 2013-2016 (Vice Chair, 2015-16)

Provost Committee on Energy, 2015-16

Provost Task Force on Graduate Studies, 2014-15

Council on Academic Freedom and Responsibility, 2013- present

Faculty Steering Committee, GRID- Gender Research Institute at Dartmouth 2013-

External Review Committee, Department of Biological Sciences, Dartmouth College, 2012

Search Committee, Director, Dickey Center for International Understanding, 2011

Search Committee, Environmental Studies Program faculty position in environmental politics and policy, 2011

Provost Search Committee, 2010

Ethics Institute Faculty Advisory Board, 2009-13

International Studies Minor Steering Committee, 2009-present

Search Committee, Director of Outdoor Programs, 2008

Chair, Search Committee, Sherman Fairchild Prof. in Sustainability Science, 2007-08

Chair, Dartmouth Organic Farm Advisory Board, 2007-2009

Task Force Member, Developing Sustainable Local Food Sales to a College Institutional Market, USDA Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education funded project to Vital Communities and Dartmouth College, 2005-2007

Women in Science Program (WISP) Faculty Advisory Committee, 2004-2007

Director, Institute of Arctic Studies, within the John Sloan Dickey Center for International Understanding, January 2003- present

Chair, Provost's Search Committee for the Director of the John Sloan Dickey Center for International Understanding, 2002-2003

Committee on Standards, 2002-2004

Chair, Ad hoc Faculty Promotion Committee for the Departments of Geography and Earth Sciences, 2002

Faculty Advisory Committee, Dickey Center for International Understanding, 1999-2002

War Peace Studies Program Faculty Steering Committee, 2000-2008

Chair, Environmental Studies Program, 1992- 2000

Faculty Council, Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for the Social Sciences, 1992-1994

External Review Committee, Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for the Social Sciences, 1993

External Review Committee, African and African American Studies Program, 1998

Chair, Faculty Searches in Environmental Studies: Conservation Ecology, 1993; Environmental Economics 1994, 1998; Environmental Systems Modeling, 1999

Search Committee, Physiological Ecologist, Dept. of Biological Sciences, 1993

Search Committee, Environmental Biogeochemistry, Dept. of Earth Sciences, 1995, 1996

Committee on Organization and Policy, 1994-1997

College Priorities Advisory Committee, 1994-1996; Chair, 1995-1996

Subcommittee on Priorities, Committee of Chairs, 1994-1996

Board of Trustees Finance Committee, 1994-1996

Steering Committee of the General Faculty, 1994-1997

Faculty Affirmative Action Review Committee, 1993-1996

Steering Committee, Earth, Ecosystem and Ecological Sciences Graduate Program, 1994-

Mellon Environmental Student Research Grant Selection Committee, 1993-2000

Search Committee for Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, 1997

Member, Math and Social Sciences Program, 1994-2001