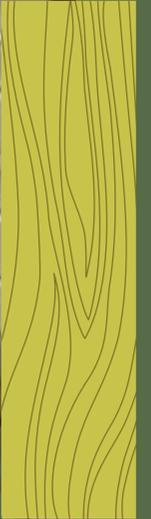




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RESEARCH TOPIC

Adding value to hardwoods, sustainable product development and circular economy, furniture strength design, and design of wooden school furniture

DEGREES

PhD, Wood Science and Technology, Purdue University, IN, 2000; B.S., Wood Products & Furniture Design, Technical University of Zvolen, Slovakia, 1992

CURRENT POSITION

Professor of Wood Science

To be successful in the field of Wood Science you should:
1. Develop a passion for wood because it is the most interesting sustainable material. 2. Receive education in school with a strong Wood Science program. 3. Find a mentor and a role model within the desired area of expertise. 4. Stay engaged with wood science associations.

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