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Specific Research Interests

General environmental economics; Renewable energy policy; energy conservation policy; business environmental management

Research Fields

- Atmospheric chemistry
- Biogeochemistry
- Carbon Footprint Analysis
- Climatology
- Community & Disaster Planning
- Data Analysis & Statistical Modeling
- Ecology & Ecosystem Management
- Economics
- Energy policy & technology
- Ethics
- Fire
- Forestry & Forest Management
- Geographic Information Systems
- Horticulture
- Human Impacts - economics
- Human Impacts - health
- Human Impacts - policy
- Hydrology
- Impacts - agriculture & horticulture
- Impacts - ecosystems, populations
- Impacts - physical
- Instrumentation
- Mitigation Policy
- Modeling Climate
- Modeling Ecosystems
- Modeling Socioeconomic Processes
- Natural Resource Policy & Planning
- Outreach & Engagement
- Paleoclimatology
- Paleoecology
- Physical Ecology
- Physiological Ecology
- Urban Ecology
- Water Policy & Planning
- Other...

Projects

Co-investigator, Oregon Business Motivations for Environmental Management – EPA funded.

Selected Recent Publications

Khanna, Madhu, Patricia Koss, Cody Jones and David Ervin. Motivations for Voluntary Environmental Management, *Policy Studies Journal*, forthcoming.

Koss, Patricia A. and M. Sami Khawaja. 2006. "Measurement for success: evaluation of energy efficient programs." *Home Energy*, February 2007.

Koss, Patricia A. and Mike Katz. 2001. "The trouble with salmon." *Choices*, Winter 2001-2002: 26-30.

Khawaja, M. Sami, Patricia Koss and Brian Hedman. 2001. "System benefits charge: economic impacts and implications." *The Electricity Journal* 14(5): 25-32.

Professional Activities

December 2006 Presented and served on Town Hall Panel - moderated by Senator Ginny Burdick: Biofuels: Fueling Economic Growth for Oregon's Future - at PSU

Spring/Summer 2005 **Evaluation Committee for Oregon Renewable Power Generation RFP** This project involved serving on an 8-person committee to evaluate proposals to select a renewable electricity provider for Portland's municipal facilities.

July 2005 **EPA Evaluation Committee**
Served as reviewer on EPA STAR grants "Environmental Behavior and Decision Making: Determining the Effectiveness of Environmental Information Disclosure and Provision" panel, held in July 2005 in Washington, D.C.

June 2004 **EPA Evaluation Committee**
Served as reviewer on EPA STAR grants "Corporate Environmental Behavior and the Effectiveness of Government Interventions" panel, held June 9-10, 2004, in Washington, D.C.