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**Research Interests:**

* **Natural hazard modeling (coastal storm surge and waves, watershed runoff, floods, etc… )**
* **Integrated hydrodynamic and ecological modeling for estuarine ecosystem studies**
* **Hydrological analysis of extreme water levels and flows for flood frequency**
* **Impacts of human activities and climate changes on water resources and ecosystems.**

**Research and training opportunity for FAMU undergraduate students in coastal hazard area. Email to Dr. Huang:** **whuang@eng.famu.fsu.edu** **for information.**

[**NOAA Educational Partnership Program with Minority Serving Institutions (EPP/MSI): Center for Coastal and Marine Ecosystems (CCME)**](http://ccme.famu.edu/) **at FAMU**



Research examples: Wind and storm surge modeling for Hurricane Irma

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