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EDUCATION

University of Idaho - College of Natural Resources - Department of Natural Resources and Society 2014-2018

Ph.D., Natural Resources

Advisor: Lee A. Vierling, Ph.D.; Andrew T. Hudak, Ph.D.

Dissertation: "Advanced methods for 3D forest characterization and mapping from lidar remote sensing data"

University of São Paulo – “Luiz de Queiroz” college of Agriculture –ESALQ 2012 - 2013

MSc., Forest Resources with emphasis on silviculture and forest management

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Thesis: "Aboveground carbon in Eucalyptus spp. plantations - at tree level by destructive sampling and for whole stands after adjusting LiDAR metrics"

University of São Paulo – “Luiz de Queiroz” college of Agriculture –ESALQ 2007- 2011

BS, Forest Engineering

Federal Institute of Santa Catarina- Brazil 2004- 2007

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Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Projects: i) NASA-CMS: Future Mission Fusion for High Biomass Forest Carbon Accounting

ii) Mapping boreal forest biomass density for the ABoVE domain circa 2020 with ICESat-2

USDA Forest Service - Rocky Mountain Research Station (RMRS) Aug. 2017 – April 2018

Research group of Dr. Andrew T. Hudak.

Project: RxCADRE - Data set for fuels, fire behavior, smoke, and fire effects model development and evaluation

University of Idaho (UI) Aug. 2017 – April 2018

Research group of Dr. Jan Heitel and Dr. Lee Vierling.

Project: NASA-ABOVE- LiDAR, passive spectral, and ecophysiological approaches to link Forest Tundra Ecotone structure and function

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NASA - Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL)

Aug. 2016 – July. 2017

Research group of Dr. Sassan Saatchi.

Project: Year-Round Internship Program and AfriSAR

USDA Forest Service - Rocky Mountain Research Station (RMRS)

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Research group of Dr. Andrew T. Hudak.

Project: RxCADRE - Data set for fuels, fire behavior, smoke, and fire effects model development and evaluation

Institute of Research and Forest Studies (IPEF)

Aug. 2010 – Dec. 2012

Thematic Program of Silviculture and Management (PTSM)

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2021

1. **Silva, C.A.**, Duncanson, L., Hancock, S., Neuenschwander, A., Thomas, N., Hofton, M., Fatoyinbo, L., Simard, M., Armston, J., Dubayah, R. Fusing simulated GEDI, ICESat-2 and NISAR data for regional aboveground biomass mapping. **Remote Sensing of Environment**. 2020. v253. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rse.2020.112234>
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3. Cardil, A.; de-Miguel, S., **Silva, C.A.**; Reich, P. B., Calkin, D.; Brancalion, P. H. S. 9; et al. Recent deforestation drove the spike in Amazonian fires. **Environ. Res. Lett.** <https://doi.org/10.1088/1748-9326/abcac7>

In press

4. Costa, M., **Silva, C. A.**; Broadbent, E. N. et al. 2021. Beyond trees: mapping total aboveground biomass density in the Brazilian savanna using high-density UAV-lidar data. **Forest Ecology and Management**. In press

In review

5. Fatoyinbo, L., Armston, J., Simard, M., Saatchi, S., Denbina, M., Laval, M., Hofton, M., Tang, H., Marselis, S., Pinto, N., Hancock, S., Hawkins, B., Duncanson, L., Blair, B., Hansen, C. Lou, Y., Dubayah, R., Hensley, S., Silva, C., Poulsen, J., Labrière, N., Barbier, N., Jeffery, K. K; et al. The NASA AfriSAR Campaign: Airborne SAR and Lidar Measurements of Tropical Forest Structure and Biomass in Support of Future Space Missions. **Remote Sensing of Environment**. 2020.
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7. Dorado-Roda, I., Pascual, A., Godinho, S., **Silva, C.A.**, Botequim et al. 2021. Assessing the transferability of ALS-derived biomass models to GEDI satellite observations in Mediterranean forests. **Remote Sensing**. In review.
8. Stitt, J.M., Hudak, A., **Silva, C.A.**, Vierling, L. 2021. Characterizing individual tree-level snags using airborne lidar-derived forest canopy gaps within closed-canopy conifer forests. **Methods in Ecology and Evolution**. In review.

9. Cardil, A., Monedero, S., Schag, G., de-Miguel, S., Tapia, M., Stoof, C.R., **Silva, C. A.** et al. 2021. Fire behavior modeling for operational decision-making. **Current Opinion in Environmental Science & Health**. In review.

In preparation

10. Faria, B. L., Staal, A., Silva, C.A., Martin, P., Dantas, V. L. 2021. Climate change and deforestation increase the vulnerability of Amazonian forests to post-fire grass invasion. **Forest Ecology and Management**.
11. **Silva, C.A.**, Hudak, A., Valbuena, R., Cardil, A., Mohan, M., Almeida, D., Broadbent, E., Zambrano, A., Wilkinson, B., Sharma, A., Drake, J., Medley, P., Vogel, J., Klauber, C. TreeTop: TreeTop: A Web-based Application Simplifying the Extraction of Forest Information from LiDAR data for Ecologists and Conservationist. **Methods in Ecology and Evolution**. 2020.
12. **Silva, C.A.**, et al. rGEDI: An R Package for NASA's Global Ecosystem Dynamics Investigation (GEDI) Data Visualizing and Processing. **Remote Sensing of Environment**. 2020.
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14. Leite, R.V., **Silva, C. A.**, Broadbent, E. Large scale multi-layer fuel load characterization in tropical savanna using GEDI spaceborne lidar data. **Remote Sensing of Environment**.
15. **Silva, C.A.**, Hudak, A., Klauber, C., Rowell, E, Mohan, M., Cardil, A. Comparison of terrestrial and airborne lidar-derived crown attributes estimates in longleaf pine forest at Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, USA. **Remote Sensing**. 2020
16. Pinagé, E. R., Bell, D. M., Longo, M., Gao, S., **Silva, C. A.** 2021. Forest structure and photosynthesis across intact and degraded forests in the Amazon. **Remote Sensing of Environment**.
17. Merrick, T., Bennartz, R., Jorge, M., ...**Silva, C.A.** et al. Satellite solar-induced chlorophyll fluorescence and vegetation indices to track temperate deciduous forest seasonality. **Remote Sensing of Environment**
18. Rex, F. E., **Silva, C. A.**, Broadbent, E., A Multi-Sensor approach for assessing the Species Diversity in the Brazilian savanna. **Remote Sensing**.

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- learning approaches for predicting individual tree attributes. **Computers and Electronics In Agriculture**, v. 179, p. 105815, 2020.
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41. **Silva, C.A.**, Pinagé,E., Mohan, M., Valbuena, R., Almeida, D., Broadbent,E., Jaafar, W., Papa, D., Cardil, A., Klauberg, C. ForestGapR: An R Package for Airborne Laser Scanning-derived Tropical Forest Gaps Analysis. **Methods in Ecology and Evolution**. 2019.
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52. Falkowski, M.; Fekety, P. ; **Silva, C.A** ; Hudak, A. Increasing the Efficiency of LiDAR Based Forest Inventories: A Novel Approach for Integrating Variable Radius Inventory Plots with LiDAR Data. In: 2015 AGU Fall Meeting, 2015, San Francisco. 2015 AGU Fall Meeting, 2015.
53. Carvalho, S. P. C. ; Lima, M. P. ; **Silva, C.A** ; Sena, A. L. M. . Individual Tree Detection In Monoclonal Eucalyptus Plantations In Brazil. In: WFC 2015 XIV World Forestry Congress, 2015, Durban. Technical posters, 2015.
54. **Silva, C.A.**; Klauberg, C.; Hudak, A.; Almeida, D.R.A. Extração de árvores individuais em dados LiDAR usando o aplicativo de inventário florestal WEB-LiDAR 3D ClusterTree. In: III simpósio nacional de inventário florestal. Anais do III simpósio nacional de inventário florestal. Manaus, v.1. p.125 – 125. 2014.
55. **Silva, C.A.**; Klauberg, C.; Hudak, A.; Almeida, D.R.A. Individual tree detection using Web-LiDAR treetop forest inventory application. In: In: III simpósio nacional de inventário florestal. Anais do III simpósio nacional de inventário florestal. Manaus. v.1. p.124 – 125. 2014.

CONFERENCE TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. Applying Mixed-Effects Model For Estimating Individual Tree Attributes in *Eucalyptus* spp. Forest Plantations From Field And Airborne Lidar Data - XVII Brazilian Symposium on Remote Sensing **2019**
2. Estimating Forest Attributes In Industrial *Pinus taeda* L. Forest Plantations in Brazil Using Simulated Nasa's Gedi Spaceborne Lidar Data - XVII Brazilian Symposium on Remote Sensing **2019**
3. Introdução a tecnologia LiDAR aplicada a Engenharia Florestal- Federal University of São João del-Rei **2019**
4. Predição do volume total e de sortimentos de fustes em plantações de *Pinus taeda* L. utilizando dados LiDAR e Random Forest - Federal University of São João del-Rei **2019**
5. Mensuração e inventário florestal em áreas urbanas com geotecnologias - Federal University of São João del-Rei **2019**
6. Impacto da densidade de pulso do LiDAR aerotransportado na estimativa de estoque e mudança da biomassa em uma floresta tropical de corte seletivo - Federal University of São João del-Rei **2019**
7. Combinando métricas de copa derivadas do LiDAR aerotransportado e terrestre para descrição da estrutura florestal - Federal University of São João del-Rei **2019**
8. Silvilaser (Blacksburg, USA) – Silva et al. “Estimating individual tree aboveground carbon in a fast-growing *Eucalyptus* spp. forest plantation from airborne lidar data using a mixed-effects model”. (Presented by Dr. Akira Kato) **2018**
9. Ecological Society of America - ESA - Annual Meeting (Portland, USA) - Silva et al. “Comparison of terrestrial and airborne LiDAR derived crown metrics for describing forest structure at Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, USA” **2017**

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10. ForestSAT 2016 (Santiago, Chile) Silva, C. A. et al. “Modeling aboveground Biomass from individual tree LiDAR-derived metrics in tropical forest” **2016**
11. American Geophysical Union, Fall General Assembly – AGU 2016 (San Francisco, USA) – Silva et al. “Influence of the airborne lidar pulse density on biomass change prediction in tropical forest” **2016**
12. LiDAR Remote Sensing for Forestry applications - Federal University of Mato Grosso **2016**
13. Geospatial Technologies in Precision Agriculture - Federal University of Mato Grosso **2016**
14. 36th Canadian Symposium on Remote Sensing (Newfoundland, Canada). Silva et al. “Individual tree detection from LiDAR-derived canopy height models (CHM) in longleaf pine forest” **2015**

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Mini-course: Introduction to rGEDI: An R Package for NASA’s Global Ecosystem Dynamics Investigation (GEDI) Data Visualization and Processing (GEDI) Lidar. **SBSR Interim 2021.** **2021**
- Adjunct lecturer: NRS 404/504 - Lidar Remote Sensing for Environmental Monitoring – University of Idaho – College of Natural Resources – Department of Natural Resources and Society **2018/Summer 2019**
(https://www.webpages.uidaho.edu/ecologyonline/documents/NRS404_504_Syllabus_180326.pdf)
- LiDAR remote sensing application in Forestry - Workshop UFSJ (https://ufsj.edu.br/noticias_ler.php?codigo_noticia=7427)
- Teacher Assistant for Dr. Lee Vierling: “REM/FOR 472 Remote Sensing of the Environment”, University of Idaho – College of Natural Resources – Department of Natural Resources and Society **2015**
- Introduction to lidar technology - Workshop. Department of Silviculture - Federal Rural University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRRJ) **2016**
- Airborne lidar data processing and analysis - Workshop. Department of Forest Engineering - Federal University of Mato Grosso (UFMT) **2016**

COMMITTEES

- Rodriguez, L. e; Ferraz, S. F. B.; Avides, C.A; **Silva, C. A. Ph.D. defense:** Gabriel Atticciati Prata. Mapeamento da probabilidade de danos e cicatrizes de danos como suporte ou manejo de florestas. 2019. - University of São Paulo – “Luiz de Queiroz” college of Agriculture –ESALQ. **▪**
- Amaral, Cibele. **Silva, C. A;** et al.. **MSc defense:** Rodrigo Vieira Leite. Estimating stem volume of Eucalyptus using LiDAR: a comparison of individual tree and área-based approaches 2019. – Federal University of Viçosa - UFV.
- Brancalion, P. H. S.; Cesar, R. G.; **Silva, C. A.;** Gorgens, E. **Ph.D. defense:** Danilo Roberti Alves de Almeida. Assessing tropical forest degradation and restoration through lidar remote sensing. 2018. - University of São Paulo – “Luiz de Queiroz” college of Agriculture –ESALQ.
- Corte, A. P. D.; **Silva, C. A.;** Behling, A.; Sanquetta, C. **Ph.D. Exam.** Bruna Nascimento de Vasconcellos. Retrieving individual Araucaria angustifolia (BERT) tree attributes from field and terrestrial laser scanning (TLS) data. 2018. Federal University of Paraná - UFPR.
- Corte, A. P. D.; **Silva, C. A.;** Behling, A.; Sanquetta, C. **MSc. Exam.** Franciel Rex. Estimativas e dinâmica de biomassa acima do solo utilizando diferentes abordagens

estatísticas e dados lidar em floresta tropical. 2018. Exame de qualificação (Doutorando em Engenharia Florestal) - Federal University of Paraná - UFPR.

- Carvalho, S. P. C.; Nicoletti, M. F.; **Silva, C. A Msc. Exam.** Influência do tamanho de parcelas na estimativa de parâmetros biométricos em uma floresta tropical Amazonica no Mato Grosso. 2018. Federal University of Mato Grosso.
- Mendonça, B. F.; Silva, C.A. Et Al. 2015. **Undergraduate final project defense.** Uelison Mateus Ribeiro. Algoritmos para geração de modelos digitais de terreno a partir de dados LIDAR aerotransportado. Federal Rural University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ).

COMPLEMENTARY TRAINING

Forest management and reduced impact logging (RIL). (course load: 85h). Tropical Forest Institute – IFT, Paragominas, Brazil. **2011**

PROPOSALS

- SERDP - Object-based aggregation of fuel structures, physics-based fire behavior and self organizing smoke plumes for improved fuel, fire, and smoke management on military lands. (Collaborator). US\$ 2.4M – 2019 (4 years) (**Proposal accepted**) – PI Dr. Andrew Hudak – US Forest Service – Rocky Mountain Research Station.
- SERDP - 3D fuel characterization for evaluating physics-based fire behavior, fire effects, and smoke models on US Department of Defense military lands. (Collaborator). US\$ 2.6M -2019-2023 (**Funded**). PI – Dr. Roger Ottmar - US Forest Service, Pacific Northwest Research Station
- CNPq- Mapping fuel load and simulation of fire behavior and spread in the Cerrado biome using modeling and remote sensing technologies (Co-PI). US\$ 45K – 2018 (Funded)
- CNPq- Ph.D. Fellowship, Process: 249802/2013-9, US\$ 130K – 2014-2018 (Funded)
- MSc. Fellowship - Foundation Support Research for State of São Paulo (FAPESP), Process: 2010/16525-7, US\$ 7K - 2012 (Funded).

PROFISSIONAL SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

- **Reviewer (>30 journals)**
Forest Ecology and Management, Forests, Scientific Reports, Environmental Research Communications, French Review of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing, Forest Systems, New Zealand Journal of Forestry Science, Canadian Journal of Remote Sensing, Revista Floresta e Ambiente, Boletim de Ciências Geodésicas, Forests, Advances in Forestry Science, Cerne, Remote Sensing, African Journal of Environmental Science and Technology, Interdisciplinary Sciences-Computational Life Sciences, Anais Da Academia Brasileira de Ciencias, Methods in Ecology and Evolution, Ecology and Evolution, Sensors, Land, ISPRS Journal of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing, Computers And Electronics In Agriculture, Sustainability, International Journal of Digital Earth, Forest Ecology and Management, International Journal of Remote Sensing, Remote Sensing Letters, Science of The Total Environment, Environmental Research Letters, Floresta, ISPRS International Journal of Geo-Information, Remote Sensing Applications: Society and Environment
- **Editorship**
 1. Editorial Board: British Ecological Society - Methods in Ecology and Evolution (IF6.51): <https://besjournals.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/2041210X>
 2. Guest Editor: Special issue on " Applications of LiDAR and Photogrammetry for Forest Inventory and Management ", Forests (ISSN 1999-4907; IF: 2.116) (https://www.mdpi.com/journal/forests/special_issues/LiDAR_Inventory), 2018-2019.

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3. Guest Editor: Special issue on "Carbon storage measurement through remote sensing", Remote Sensing (ISSN 2072-4292; IF: 4.118) (https://www.mdpi.com/journal/remotesensing/special_issues/carbon_storage_measurement), 2019-2020.
4. Guest Editor: Special issue on "LiDAR Remote Sensing of Forest Resources and Wildland Fires", Remote Sensing (ISSN 2072-4292; IF: 4.118) (https://www.mdpi.com/journal/remotesensing/special_issues/LiDAR_RS_Forest_Resources_Wildland_Fires) 2019-2021

▪ Mentoring

- 2019-present: Rodrigo Vieira (Ph.D, co-advisor)
- 2019-present: Maira Beatriz Teixeira da Costa (Ph.D, co-advisor)
- 2019-present: Franciel Rex (Ph.D, co-advisor)
- 2014-2020: Bruna Nascimento de Vasconcellos (Ph.D, co-advisor)
- 2017-2019: Vanessa Souza da Silva (MSc., co-advisor)
- 2017-2019: Franciel Rex (MSc., co-advisor)
- 2015-2017: Mid Mohan (MSc., external mentor)
- 2015-2018: Wan Shafrina Wan Mohd Jaafar (Ph.D., external mentor)
- 2015-2016: Marieli Sabrina Ruza (Undergraduate, co-advisor)

▪ Memberships

- American Geophysical Union (2015-2016)
- Ecological Society of America (2017-2018)

▪ Consulting (Forestry)

- Klabin S/A – (2015-2018)

AWARDS AND HONORS

- College of Natural Resources (CNR) Outstanding Ph.D. Student, University of Idaho. **2018**
- Outstanding graduate, Ph.D. - Natural Resource and Society Department, University of Idaho
- 3rd oral presentation prize: Individual tree detection from LiDAR-derived canopy height models (CHM) in longleaf pine forest. 36th CSRS, St. John's N. Canada., 36th Canadian Symposium on Remote Sensing. **2015**
- 8th Brazilian Physics Olympiad (State of Santa Catarina) **2005**

COMPUTER SKILLS

- R, Python (Arcpy), FUSION/LDV, LAStools, MCC-LiDAR, ArcGIS, QGIS, ENVI, ALDPAT, Excel. **2012**

SOFTWARE DEVELOPED

- Silva et al. rGEDI: An R Package for NASA's Global Ecosystem Dynamics Investigation (GEDI) Data Visualizing and Processing. <https://github.com/carlos-alberto-silva/rGEDI> **2020**
- Almeida, D; Stark S. C.; **Silva, C.A.** et al. leafR: Calculates the Leaf Area Index (LAD) and Other Related Functions. Available at <https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/leafR/index.html> **2019**
- **Silva, C.A.** et al. ForestGapR: Tropical Forest Gaps Analysis. Available at <https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/ForestGapR/index.html> **2019**
- **Silva, C.A.** et al. rForest: An R package for Forest Inventory Analysis. Available at **2016**

- <https://r-forge.r-project.org/projects/rforest/>
▪ **Silva, C.A.** et al. rLiDAR: An R package for reading, processing and visualizing LiDAR (*Light Detection and Ranging*) data. Available at <http://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/rLiDAR/index.html> **2015**
- **Silva, C.A.** et al. Web-LiDAR tools. Example: LiDAR TreeTop – Individual Tree Detection and forest structure assessment using Lidar Data on the web - Available at <https://carlosasilva.shinyapps.io/LiDARTreeTop/> **2014**