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**Alumni Distinguished Professor of Economics, Emeritus**  
**North Carolina State University**  
Abbreviated Curriculum Vitae

**Background**

Born 11/19/44, Rochester, NY.  
Married to Linda C. Lapp; no children, two dogs.  
A.B., Honors in Economics, Wesleyan University, 1966.  
Ph.D., Economics, Princeton University, 1974.

**Experience**

Emeritus Professor, North Carolina State University, 2011 -  
Professor, North Carolina State University, 2000 - 2011.  
Visiting Professor, Terry Sanford Institute, Duke University, 1997 - 2001.  
Associate Professor, North Carolina State University, 1978 to 1999.  
Assistant Professor, North Carolina State University, 1974-78.  
Instructor, North Carolina State University, 1970-74.

**Selected Honors**

Richard Felder Award for Outstanding Service in Support of Teaching & Learning, 2004.  
Board of Governors Award for Teaching Excellence (College of Management), 1999.  
Alumni Distinguished Professor, 1997.  
Academy of Outstanding Teachers, 1994.

**Selected Recent Publications**

- Lapp, John S. and Douglas K. Pearce, "The impact of economic news on expected changes in monetary policy" *Journal of Macroeconomics* (2012), in press.  
DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jmacro.2012.01.009>
- Lapp, John S., Douglas K. Pearce and Surachit Laksanasut, "The Predictability of FOMC Decisions: Evidence from the Volcker and Greenspan Chairmanships" *Southern Economic Journal*, 2003, 70(2), pp 312 - 327.
- Lapp, John S. and Douglas K. Pearce, "Does a Bias in FOMC Policy Directives Help Predict Inter-Meeting Policy Changes?" *Journal of Money Credit and Banking*, August 2000 Part 1, pp 435 - 441.
- Lapp, John S. and Vincent H. Smith, "Aggregate Sources of Relative Price Variability Among Agricultural Commodities," *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 74 (1992): 1-9.
- Lapp, John, S., "Relative Agricultural Prices and Monetary Policy," *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 72 (1990): 622-630.