



The Unsaturated Zone Interest Group (UZIG)  
presents:

## A Workshop and Information Exchange

# Land-Use Change, Climate Change, and Hydrologic Extremes: Unsaturated Zone Responses and Feedbacks

University of Florida, Gainesville April 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017

### This 3-day event will feature:

- A keynote address by Dr. Upmanu Lall, Director of the Columbia Water Center at Columbia University
- 2 days of oral and poster presentations
- A field trip to [Ichetucknee Springs State Park](#)
- Great opportunities to share ideas, research, and technical expertise among colleagues

**SUBMIT AN ABSTRACT BEFORE  
Feb. 3, 2017** Abstracts can relate to the  
meeting theme or any unsaturated zone topic

**Presenters will have the opportunity to  
publish their original research in a  
special issue of a peer-reviewed journal**

### Keynote Speaker: Dr. Upmanu Lall

*Alan & Carol Silberstein Professor of Engineering & Director of Columbia Water Center, Columbia University, NY*



Dr. Lall's research covers 3 major initiatives that are developed through the Columbia Water Center. The *Global Water Sustainability Initiative* is focused on an assessment of global water scarcity and risk. The *Global Flood Initiative* is motivated by the desire to predict and manage floods at a global scale recognizing their climate drivers, and supply chain impacts. *America's Water* is driven by the goal of developing sustainable water management and infrastructure design paradigms for the 21st century recognizing the linkages between urban functioning, food, water, energy and climate.

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