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EDUCATION

University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, Ph.D. in Civil Engineering, 1983
 University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, M.S. in Civil Engineering, 1981
 Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH, Bachelor of Civil Engineering, 1979

HONORS

The Masonry Society John Scalzi Research Award, 2014.
 The Masonry Society Service Award, 2011.
 Tennessee Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (TLSAMP) Faculty Member of the Year Award, 2011
 College of Engineering Teaching Fellow Award, 2010.
 University of Tennessee Alumni Association Outstanding Teaching Award, 2008.
 Alvin H. Yorkdale Award, ASTM Committee C15, Best peer-reviewed masonry paper, 2002.
 Flanagan, R.D., and Bennett, R.M. (2001). "In-Plane Analysis of Masonry Infill Materials." Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction, ASCE, 6(4), 176-182.
 College of Engineering Allen and Hoshall Engineering Faculty Award, 2001
 College of Engineering Leon and Nancy Cole Teaching Award, 1994, 2006
 Civil and Environmental Engineering Research Recognition Award, 1991
 Civil and Environmental Engineering Outstanding Teaching Award, 1990, 1996, 2005
 Civil and Environmental Engineering Teaching Recognition Award, 1987
 Civil and Environmental Engineering Service Recognition Award, 1999
 Civil and Environmental Engineering Scholar Recognition Award, 2002
 ASCE Student Chapter Faculty Member of the Year, 1986, 1987
 National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship
 President's Award for Outstanding Senior, Cleveland State University

EXPERIENCE

2008-Present	Director	Engineering Fundamentals Program The University of Tennessee, Knoxville
1994-Present	Professor	Civil and Environmental Engineering The University of Tennessee, Knoxville
2004-2008	Associate Dept. Head	Civil and Environmental Engineering
1999-Present	Professor	Engage Freshman Engineering Program
1989-1994	Associate Professor	Civil Engineering The University of Tennessee, Knoxville
1983-1989	Assistant Professor	Civil Engineering The University of Tennessee, Knoxville
1979-1983	Research Assistant	Department of Civil Engineering

1977

Co-op Employment

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
Arthur G. McKee and Company
Independence, Ohio

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

Tennessee

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), Member
The Masonry Society, Fellow
ASTM International, Member

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

1. Corresponding Member, Committee on Safety of Buildings, ASCE Structural Division, 1986-1989; Control Member, 1990.
2. Corresponding Member, Task Committee on Practical Reliability Concepts, ASCE Structural Division, 1986-1989.
3. Control Member, Committee on Methods of Monitoring and Evaluating Structural Performance, ASCE Structural Division, 1991-1994.
4. Control Member, Design of Residential Structures on Expansive Soils Standards Committee, ASCE, 1993-2007, Secretary, 1994-2007.
5. Member, Committee 24 - Education, American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association, 1994-2000.
6. Chairman, Bridge Failures Recent and Past, American Railway Bridge and Building Association, 1996.
7. Member, Masonry Standards Joint Committee, 2000-present, Secretary, Flexural and Axial Loads Subcommittee, 2002-2003; Chairman, Flexural and Axial Loads Subcommittee, 2004-2010; Construction Requirements Subcommittee, 2004-2007; Executive Committee, 2004-present; Infills Committee, 2007-2010; Vice Chairman, Main Committee, 2010-2013; Chairman, 2013-2016.
8. Member, Steering Committee, ASCE 2004 Structures Congress, 2002-2004.
9. Associate Editor, The Masonry Society Journal, 2006-2016.
10. Member, ASTM C15 Manufactured Masonry Units; C15.02 Brick and Structural Clay Tile, 2006-present. C12 on Mortars and Grouts for Unit Masonry, 2007-present.

RESEARCH

Structural Safety and Reliability: Various aspects of probabilistic based design and analysis of structures, including structural system reliability, load modeling, and practical applications to various problems.

1. Research Assistant at the University of Illinois under the direction of Dr. A. H-S. Ang. Ph.D. Dissertation: Investigation of Methods for Structural System Reliability.
2. Principal Investigator, Reliability of Structures Against Progressive Collapse, Engineering Initiation Grant, National Science Foundation, \$48,000, 9/84 to 8/86.
3. Co_Principal Investigator, with E.C. Drumm, A Simplified Analysis of Drilled Shaft Foundations Incorporating Soil Variability, Association of Drilled Shaft Contractors, \$5,000, 9/86 to 8/87.
4. Principal Investigator, Modelling of Wind for Structural Load Combinations, National Science Foundation, \$30,464, 1/88 to 12/88.

5. Investigator, with E.C. Drumm (P.I.), Analysis of Progressive Slope Failure in an Earth Dam, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$12,817, 1/88 to 5/88.
6. Principal Investigator, Modeling of Snow for Structural Load Combinations, National Science Foundation, \$31,626, 8/90 to 7/91.
7. Principal Investigator, Acceptance Test Specifications and Guidelines for Fiber-Reinforced Polymeric Bridge Decks, subcontractor to Georgia Tech University, prime contract with FHWA, \$27,628, 2/00-2/02.

Subsidence Damage Mitigation: Investigation of damage mitigation techniques for residential and light commercial structures subjected to ground subsidence. Involved with experimental test foundations, structural behavior, and numerical analysis.

1. Co_Principal Investigator, with W.F. Kane, Testing Program for Earth_Structure Analysis of Mine Subsidence, U.S. Bureau of Mines _ Twin Cities Research Center, \$9,995, and Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$5,000, 9/87 to 2/88.
2. Investigator, with W.F. Kane (P.I.) and E.C. Drumm, Numerical Modeling of Soil/Structure Behavior During Mining Induced Subsidence, Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$10,000, 2/88 to 5/88.
3. Investigator, with W.F. Kane (P.I.) and E.C. Drumm, Presubsidence Analysis and Design of Test Foundations, Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$7,000, 12/88 to 7/89.
4. Investigator, with W.F. Kane (P.I.) and E.C. Drumm, Evaluation and Remedial Measures for Earth-Structure Damage Mitigation, National Science Foundation, \$97,714, Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$82,907, U.S. Bureau of Mines-Twin Cities Research Center, \$130,730, Old Ben Coal Company, \$48,123, 1/90 to 9/92.
5. Investigator, with W.F. Kane (P.I.), Monitoring Program for a Coal Slurry Cell, U.S. Bureau of Mines-Twin Cities Research Center, \$9,995, 3/90 to 7/90.
6. Co-Principal Investigator, with E.C. Drumm, Analysis of Subsidence Induced Structural Damage and Proposed Mitigation Techniques, Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$31,132, 10/92 to 9/93.
7. Principal Investigator, Analysis of Bond Beam Test Foundation, Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$7,917, 1/97 to 5/97.
8. Principal Investigator, Database Criteria for Residential Damage, Illinois Mine Subsidence Insurance Fund, \$4811, 3/98 to 7/98.
9. Principal Investigator, Differential Settlement and Building Response, subcontractor to Converse Consultants, primary funding from Clark County Building Department, Nevada, \$27,124, 7/98-6/99.

Masonry: Testing and analysis of steel structures with unreinforced structural clay tile infilling. Emphasis on response and capacity under seismic events. Behavior and design of masonry components.

1. Principal Investigator, with E.G. Burdette, Structural Behavior of Clay Tile In_Filled Walls, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$20,000, 9/89 to 12/89.
2. Principal Investigator, with E.G. Burdette, E.C. Drumm, and D.W. Goodpasture, Structural Behavior of Clay Tile Walls, Numerical and Experimental Evaluation Methods, \$73,024, 1/90 to 9/90.
3. Principal Investigator, with E.C. Drumm, Structural Behavior of Clay Tile Walls, Numerical Analysis, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$45,724, 10/90 to 9/91.
4. Principal Investigator, with E.G. Burdette and D.W. Goodpasture, Structural Behavior of Clay Tile Walls, Testing Plans and Review, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$20,855, 10/90 to 9/91.

5. Principal Investigator, with E.G. Burdette and D.W. Goodpasture, Structural Behavior of Clay Tile Walls, Shake Table Testing Plan, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$30,635, 10/90 to 9/91.
6. Principal Investigator, with E.G. Burdette and D.W. Goodpasture, Structural Behavior of Clay Tile Walls, Laboratory Testing, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$125,502, 6/91 to 1/92.
7. Principal Investigator, Hollow Clay Tile Wall Testing and Analysis, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, \$228,764, 2/92 to 9/93.
8. Principal Investigator, Evaluation and Analysis of the Performance of Masonry Infills During the Northridge Earthquake, National Science Foundation, \$70,000, 9/94 to 8/95.
9. Principal Investigator, Development of Design Program for SuprKing Structural Wall Components, General Shale Brick, \$2,586, 4/94 to 5/94.
10. Principal Investigator, Evaluation of Poroton Masonry, General Shale Brick, \$15,000, 8/00 to 6/01.
11. Principal Investigator, Horizontal Joint Reinforcement Requirements for Masonry Veneer in Seismic Category D, Masonry Alliance for Codes and Standards, \$3,500, 7/01 to 10/01.
12. Principal Investigator, Seismic Design Category for Residential Structures, General Shale Brick, \$3,000, 5/02 to 6/02.
13. Principal Investigator, Height Limitations for Masonry Veneer in Seismic Category D, Masonry Alliance for Codes and Standards, \$6,000, 9/02 to 3/03.
14. Principal Investigator, Impact Resistance of Brick Veneer Homes to Wind-Borne Debris, Masonry Alliance for Codes and Standards, \$7,500; Brick Industry Association, \$5,000; 1/04-6/05.
15. Investigator, with R.C. Henderson (P.I.), "Development of Code-Appropriate Methods for Predicting the Capacity of Masonry Infilled Frames Subjected to In-Plane Forces." NCMA Foundation, \$36,970, 6/05 to 12/06.
16. Principal Investigator, with R.M. Kelso, Comparison of Hollow Brick and Solid Brick, General Shale Brick, \$5,000, 9/05 to 6/06.
17. Principal Investigator, Evaluation and Analysis of Clay Permeable Pavers, General Shale Brick, \$5,000, 4/07 to 8/07.

Miscellaneous Research:

1. Principal Investigator, Evaluation of Engineering Fundamentals Examination Results, The University of Tennessee Learning Research Center, \$16,554, 8/88 to 6/89.
2. Principal Investigator, with J.F. Wasserman, Experimental Determination of Dynamic Properties of Vulcraft Composite Longspan Joist Floor System, Nucor Research and Development, \$9,964, 6/89 to 12/90.
3. Investigator, with E.G. Burdette (P.I.), Engineering Internship in Civil Engineering, Tennessee Eastman Company, \$9,500, 1/90 to 5/90.
4. Investigator, with E.C. Drumm (P.I.), Instrumentation/Monitoring Program for the Central Interstate Project, Bechtel National, Inc., \$6,248, 2/94 to 4/94.
5. Principal Investigator, Monitoring of Crowd Movements in Neyland Stadium, The University of Tennessee Facilities Planning, \$5,000, 9/94 to 12/94.
6. Co-Principal Investigator, with P.M. Winistorfer, Development of a Manual for Timber Bridge Inspection, U.S. Department of Agriculture, \$58,000, 10/95 to 6/97.
7. Investigator, with E.C. Drumm (P.I.) and M. Mauldon, Evaluation of Factors Affecting the Performance of Buried Box Culverts, TN Dept. of Transportation, \$183,109, 3/96 to 2/98; extension: \$98,393, 3/98 to 2/00; \$115,729, 3/00 to 2/03.
8. Principal Investigator, Evaluation of Pre-1950 Bridges for National Register Eligibility, TN Dept. Of Transportation, \$83,398, 1/98 to 6/99.

9. Collaborating Scientist, Oak Ridge Y-12 Concurrent Engineering Center, \$25,301 (1996), \$33,377 (1997), \$25,534 (1998), \$8,197 (2000). Examples of projects include:
 - a. Nonlinear finite element analysis of deep draw cup manufacturing
 - b. Evaluation of 1940's era timber trusses
 - c. Design of support structure for neutron beam guides
10. Investigator, with E.C. Drumm (P.I.), Equivalent Earth Pressure Conditions for Testing Underground Utility Boxes, Strongwell, \$1,860, 7/99 to 8/99.
11. Investigator, with G. Kawiecki (P.I.), Segmented Active Constrained Layer Damper for Structural Vibration Control, National Science Foundation, \$132,971, 5/99 to 5/01.
12. Principal Investigator, Characterization of Framing Factors for New Low-Rise Residential Building Envelopes, subcontractor to Enermodal Engineering, prime contract with ASHRAE, \$6,000, 10/99-1/00.
13. Principal Investigator, Composite Crossarm Component Evaluation Program: Mechanical Properties, Tennessee Valley Authority, \$19,851, 5/00-9/01.
14. Principal Investigator, Effects of Oriented Strandboard Thickness Swell Treatments on Structural Properties, Tennessee Wood Utilization Research, USDA Special Grant, \$58,172, 1/02 to 6/03.
15. Investigator, with J.E. Seat (P.I.), C.T. Melear, and D.R. Raman, Engaging Preservice Science Teachers in Engineering, National Science Foundation, \$99,663, 8/02 to 7/03.
16. Principal Investigator, Heavy Vehicle-Infrastructure Collision and Asset Interaction, Federal Highway Administration, \$40,000, 5/04 to 5/05.
17. Investigator, with J. Beavers (P.I.). Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program, Tennessee Emergency Management Agency, \$56,520, 10/05 to 9/08.
18. Principal Investigator, Finite Element Analysis Crash Model of Tractor Trailers, Center for Transportation Research, \$20,000, 6/07 to 4/08.
19. Investigator, with Q. Zhao (P.I.). Data Analyses and Interpretation of Blast Tests for Bastogne LLP, Center for Industrial Services, \$13,090, 7/07 to 12/07.
20. Principal Investigator Enhanced FEA Crash Model of Tractor-Trailers, Center for Transportation Research, \$20,000, 8/08 to 8/09.
21. Investigator, with E.C. Drumm (P.I.), Instrumentation and Analysis of Piling Framed Concrete Retaining Wall, Charles Blalock & Sons, \$303,998, 8/07-7/10.
22. Co-principal Investigator, with E.C. Drumm, Piling Framed Retaining Wall: Extension of Data Collection, Design Refinement and Verification, Tennessee Department of Transportation, \$139,000, 8/11-7/14.
23. Investigator, with C. Rawn (P.I.), Research and Instructional Strategies for Engineering Retention, RISER, National Science Foundation STEP Program, \$2,000,000, 7/11-6/16.
24. Principal Investigator, Research Initiation Grant: Increasing Student Engagement in Homework, National Science Foundation, \$149,867, 1/12-12/13.
25. Principal Investigator, with W. Schleter and B. White, Spatial Skills Mini-Grant from Engage Engineering, Stevens Institute of Technology, \$3,000, 8/12-6/13.
26. Principal Investigator, with W. Schleter and B. White, Everyday Engineering Examples Mini-Grant from Engage Engineering, Stevens Institute of Technology, \$2,500, 8-13-12/13.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles:

1. Bennett, R.M. (1985). "Reliability Analysis of Frame Structures with Brittle Components." Structural Safety. 2(4), 281-290.

2. Bennett, R.M. (1986). "Probabilistic Assessment of the Importance Factor." Technical Note, Journal of Structural Engineering. ASCE, 112(10), 2345-2349.
3. Bennett, R.M. (1986). "Reliability of Nonlinear Brittle Structures." Journal of Structural Engineering. ASCE, 112(9), 2027-2040.
4. Bennett, R.M., and Ang, A.H-S. (1986). "Formulations of Structural System Reliability" Journal of Engineering Mechanics. ASCE, 112(11), 1135-1151.
5. Bennett, R.M. (1987). "Comments on 'First Order vs. Second Order Reliability Analysis of Series Structures.'" Short Communication, Structural Safety, 4(3), 241-242.
6. Bennett, R.M., and Najem_Clarke, F.S. (1987). "Reliability of Bolted Steel Tension Members." Journal of Structural Engineering. ASCE, 13(8), 629-637.
7. Bennett, R.M. (1988). "Optimal Lower Bound for Unions." Short Communication, Structural Safety, 5(4), 319-320.
8. Bennett, R.M. (1988). "Formulations for Probability of Progressive Collapse." Structural Safety. 5(1), 67-77.
9. Bennett, R.M. (1988). "Snow Load Factors for LRFD." Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 114(10), 2371-2383.
10. Tucker, G.L., and Bennett, R.M. (1990). "Statistical Analysis and Reliability Applications of Partially Restrained Steel Connections." Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 116(4), 1090-1101. Closure to discussion, 1992, 118(3), 866.
11. Bennett, R.M. (1990). "Structural Analysis Methods for System Reliability." Structural Safety, 7(2), 109-114; also in (1989) New Directions in Structural System Reliability, University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, 45-51.
12. Drumm, E.C., Bennett, R.M., and Oakley, G.J. (1990). "Probabilistic Response of Laterally Loaded Piers by Three-Point Approximation." International Journal for Numerical and Analytical Methods in Geomechanics, 14(7), 499-507.
13. Belk, C.A., and Bennett, R.M. (1991). "Macro Wind Parameters for Load Combination." Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 117(9), 2742-2756. Closure to discussion, 1992, 118(9), 2642-2643.
14. Lin, G., Bennett, R.M., Drumm, E.C., and Triplett, T.L. (1995). "Response of Residential Test Foundations to Large Ground Movements." Journal of Performance of Constructed Facilities, ASCE, 9(4), 319-329. Closure to discussions, 1997, 11(1), 47-48.
15. Bennett, R.M., Drumm, E.C., Lin, G., Triplett, T.L., and Powell, L. (1996). "The Effects of Ground Subsidence on a House." Journal of Performance of Constructed Facilities, ASCE, 10(4), 152-158.
16. Bennett, R.M., Boyd, K.A., and Flanagan, R.D. (1997). "Compressive Properties of Structural Clay Tile Prisms." Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 123(7), 920-926.
17. Bennett, R.M., and Swensson, K. (1997). "Spectator Live Loads During Football Games." Technical Note, Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 123(11), 1545-1547.
18. Flanagan, R.D., and Bennett, R.M. (1999). "Bi-Directional Behavior of Structural Clay Tile Infilled Frames." Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 125(3), 236-244.
19. Flanagan, R.D., and Bennett, R.M. (1999). "In-Plane Behavior of Structural Clay Tile Infilled Frames." Journal of Structural Engineering, ASCE, 125(6), 590-599.
20. Flanagan, R.D., and Bennett, R.M. (1999). "Arching of Masonry Infilled Frames: Comparison of Analytical Methods." Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction, ASCE, 4(3), 105-110.
21. Bennett, R.M., Fricke, K.E., and Winistorfer, P.W. (2000). "Case Study: Splice Failures in Split-Ring Connected Wood Roof Trusses." Journal of Performance of Constructed Facilities, ASCE, 14(3), 97-103.
22. Clarke, S.N., Goodpasture, D.W., Bennett, R.M., Deatherage, J.H., and Burdette, E.G. (2000) "Effect of Cycle Counting Methods on Effective Stress Range and Number of Stress Cycles for Fatigue-Prone Details." Transportation Research Record 1740, Paper 00-0622, 49-60.

23. Andrews, C.K., Winistorfer, P.M., and Bennett, R.M. (2001). "The Influence of Furnish Moisture Content and Press Closure Rate on the Formation of the Vertical Density Profile in Oriented Strandboard." *Forest Products Journal*, 51(5), 32-39.
24. Flanagan, R.D., and Bennett, R.M. (2001). "In-Plane Analysis of Masonry Infill Materials." *Practice Periodical on Structural Design and Construction*, ASCE, 6(4), 176-182.
25. Bennett, R.M., Hufstetler, M.L., and Carver, M. (2002). "50 Year Old Prestressed Segmental Concrete Bridges." *Journal of Professional Issues in Engineering Education and Practice*, ASCE, 128(2), 83-87.
26. Parsons, J.R., Seat, J.E., Bennett, R.M., Forrester, J.H., Gilliam, F.T., Klukken, P.G., Pionke, C.D., Raman, D.R., Scott, T.H., Schleter, W.R., Weber, F.E., and Yoder, D.C. (2002). "The Engage Program: Implementing and Assessing a New First Year Experience at The University of Tennessee." *Journal of Engineering Education*, 91(4), 441-446.
27. Alqam, M., Bennett, R.M., and Zureick, A-H. (2002). "Three-parameter vs. Two-parameter Weibull Distribution for Pultruded Composite Material Properties." *Composite Structures*, 58(4), 497-503.
28. Kim, Y.S. and Bennett, R.M. (2002). "Flexural Tension in Unreinforced Masonry: Evaluation of Current Specifications." *The Masonry Society Journal*, 20(1), 23-30.
29. Steidl, C.M., Wang, S., Bennett, R.M., and Winistorfer, P.M. (2003). "Tensile and Compression Properties Through the Thickness of Oriented Strandboard." *Forest Products Journal*, 53(6), 72-80.
30. Henderson, R.C., Fricke, K.E., Jones, W.D., Beavers, J.E., and Bennett, R.M. (2003). "Summary of a Large- and Small-scale Unreinforced Masonry Test Program." *Journal of Structural Engineering*, ASCE, 129(12), 1667-1675.
31. Bryja, J., and Bennett, R.M. (2004). "Disaster Investigation Report: Tornado and Severe Storm Damage in Tennessee November 10, 2002." *The Masonry Society Journal*, 22(1), 111-120.
32. Alqam, M., Bennett, R.M., and Zureick, A-H. (2004). "Probabilistic Based Design of Concentrically Loaded FRP Compression Members." *Journal of Structural Engineering*, ASCE, 130(12), 1914-1920.
33. Bennett, R.M., Wood, S.M., Drumm, E.C., and Rainwater, N.R. (2005). "Vertical Loads on Box Culverts under High Embankments." *Journal of Bridge Engineering*, ASCE, 10(6), 643-649.
34. Zisi, N.V., Bennett, R.M., and Van Houts, J.H. (2005). "Dimensional Stability and Mechanical Properties of Oriented Strandboard with Microwave Dried Flakes in the Surface Layers." *Forest Products Journal*, 55(12), 136-142.
35. Zureick, A-H., Bennett, R.M., and Ellingwood, B.R. (2006). "Statistical Characterization of Fiber-Reinforced Polymer Composite Material Properties for Structural Design." *Journal of Structural Engineering*, ASCE, 132(8), 1320-1327.
36. Bennett, R.M., Borchelt, J.G., Bryja, J., and Kjorlien, B. (2006). "Impact Resistance of Residential Wall Systems to Wind-borne Debris." *The Masonry Society Journal*, 24(1), 45-56.
37. Bennett, R.M., McGinley, W.M., and Bryja, J., (2007). "Deflection Criteria for Masonry Beams." *Journal of ASTM International*, 4(1), Online ISSN: 1546-962X.
38. Hedrick, S.E. II, Bennett, R.M., Rials, T.G., and Kelley, S.S. (2007). "Correlation of Near-Infrared Spectroscopy Measurements with the Properties of Treated Wood." *Journal of Materials in Civil Engineering*, ASCE, 19(4), 279-285.
39. Tackie, A.D., Wang, S., Bennett, R.M., and Shi, S.Q. (2008). "Investigation of OSB Thickness-Swell Based on a 3D Density Distribution. Part I. The Finite Element Model." *Wood and Fiber Science*, 40(1), 91-102.
40. Tackie, A.D., Wang, S., and Bennett, R.M. (2008). "Investigation of OSB Thickness-Swell Based on a 3D Density Distribution. Part II. Variations in Thickness-Swell and Internal Stresses." *Wood and Fiber Science*, 40(3), 352-361.
41. Bennett, R.M. (2008). "The First United States Prestressed Masonry Structures." *The Masonry Society Journal*, 26(2), 67-72.

42. Bennett, R.M. (2010). "Proposed Masonry Specified Compressive Strength Requirements." *Journal of ASTM International*, 7(2), Paper JAI102663.
43. Bennett, R.M., Sanders, J.P., and Bryja, J. (2010). "Statistical Analysis of Flexural Tensile Strength of Clay Masonry as a Function of Void Area." *Journal of ASTM International*, 7(3), JAI102707.
44. Zisi, N. and Bennett, R.M. (2011). "Shear Behavior of Corrugated Tie Connections in Anchored Brick Veneer-Wood Frame Wall Systems." *Journal of Materials in Civil Engineering, ASCE*, 23(2), 120-130.
45. Fonseca, F.S., Mathew, S., and Bennett, R.M. (2011). "MSJC Deep Beam Requirements." *The Masonry Society Journal*, 29(1), 49-61.
46. Morrison, S. and Bennett, R.M. (2013). "Concepts of Shear Friction Applied to Masonry Shear Walls." *The Masonry Society Journal*, 31(1), 1-13.
47. Jeldes, I.A., Drumm, E.C., and Bennett, R.M. (2015). "Piling Framed Concrete Retaining Wall: Design Pressures and Stability Evaluation." *Practice Periodical of Structural Design and Construction, ASCE*, 20(3).

Conference Proceedings:

1. Bennett, R.M., Ang, A.H-S., and Goodpasture, D.W. (1985). "Probabilistic Safety Assessment of Redundant Bridges." *Structural Safety and Reliability. Proceedings of the Fourth International Conference on Structural Safety and Reliability, III:205-III:212.*
2. Drumm, E.C., Bennett, R.M., and Kane, W.F. (1988). "Mechanisms of Subsidence Induced Damage and Techniques for Analysis." *Mine Induced Subsidence: Effects on Engineered Structures, ASCE Geotechnical Special Publication No. 19, 168-188.*
3. Lee, P.A., Kane, W.F., Drumm, E.C. and Bennett, R.M. (1989). "Investigation and Modeling of Soil-Structure Interface Properties." *Foundation Engineering: Current Principles and Practice, ASCE, 1, 580-587.*
4. Baylous, R.B., and Bennett, R.M. (1989). "Safety Assessment of an Existing Concrete Gravity Dam." *Structural Safety and Reliability, Proceedings of Fifth International Conference on Structural Safety and Reliability, ASCE, 279-286.*
5. Bennett, R.M., Hoskins, J.D. III, and Kane, W.F. (1989). "Reliability-Based Analysis of Shallow Foundations." *Structural Safety and Reliability, Proceedings of Fifth International Conference on Structural Safety and Reliability, ASCE, 2051-2055.*
6. Drumm, E.C., Bennett, R.M., and Manrod, W.E. (1992). "Use of Reliability Methods for the Sequential Analysis of a Small Dam." *Stability and Performance of Slopes and Embankments - II, ASCE Geotechnical Special Publication 31, 1126-1136.*
7. Flanagan, R.D., Bennett, R.M., and Barclay, G.A. (1993). "In-Plane Behavior and Strength of Structural Clay Tile Infilled Frames." *Sixth North American Masonry Conference, Philadelphia, PA, 371-382.*
8. Flanagan, R.D., Bennett, R.M., and Beavers, J.E. (1993). "Seismic Behavior of Unreinforced Hollow Clay Tile Infilled Frames." *Masonry: Design and Construction, Problems and Repair. ASTM STP 1180, 91-102.*
9. Flanagan, R.D., Bennett, R.M., and Butala, M.B. (1993). "Properties of Structural Clay Load-Bearing Wall Tile." *Sixth North American Masonry Conference, Philadelphia, PA, 87-98.*
10. Flanagan, R.D., and Bennett, R.M. (1994). "Effects of Inter-Storey Drift on the In-Plane Capacity of Infilled Walls." *Masonry (6), Proceedings of the Third International Masonry Conference, The British Masonry Society, 104-107.*
11. Drumm, E.C., Bennett, R.M., Lin, G., Raaf, D.B., and Daugherty, D. (1994). "Continuous Lift Piers: Damage Repair and Response During Subsidence." *Proceedings of the International Land*

- Reclamation and Acid Drainage Conference and Third International Conference on the Abatement of Acid Drainage, Pittsburgh, 314-321.
12. Lin, G., Drumm, E.C., Bennett, R.M., Powell, L., and Triplett, T. (1994). "Soil-Structure Interaction During Mining Induced Ground Movements." Vertical and Horizontal Deformations of Foundations and Embankments, ASCE Geotechnical Special Publication 40, 786-797.
 13. Graziano, J.A., and Bennett, R.M. (1994). "A Nonlinear Analysis Methodology for the One Hole Malleable Iron Conduit Clamp." Seismic Engineering, ASME PVP-Vol. 275-I, 181-193.
 14. Bennett, R.M., Gilley, R.D., Belk, C.A., and Chou, K.C. (1994) "Macro Time Modeling of Wind and Snow." Structural Safety and Reliability, ICOSSAR '93, 1617-1622.
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