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BenDor's research aims to better understand the impacts that human activities and development can have on sensitive ecological systems.

Professor BenDor's research and teaching focus on producing better ways to understand the impacts that human activities and development can have on sensitive ecological and environmental systems. His research uses both qualitative and quantitative techniques to explore 1) improvements in environmental policy, particularly environmental markets, such as those used domestically to elevate water quality and protect and restore wetlands, 2) better and easier to use models of urban growth and change, and 3) improvements in environmental conflict resolution techniques. Dr. BenDor is also the Director of Carolina Planning's Ph.D. Program.

Human Impact on the Environment, Ecology, Environmental Planning, Land Use Planning, Urban Modeling, Environmental restoration, Environmental Policy, Environmental markets, Ecosystem services, Water Quality

National Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center : Member Scientific Review Committee, Adviser State of North Carolina Sea Level Rise Risk Management Study, Member Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC), Member EPA Sustainable and Healthy Communities Subcommittee (2014-2017)

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Ph.D. Urban and Regional Planning

Washington State University
M.S. Environmental Science

Worcester Polytechnic Institute
B.S. System Dynamics

Honorary Visiting Professor
Fall 2016 Center for Advanced Spatial Analysis, University College-London, London, England

Frederick J. Clarke Scholar (2012)
Institute of Water Resources, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Lone Mountain Fellow (2010)
Property and Environment Research Center

Sigma Xi Full Member (2009)
National Scientific Research Society

GlaxoSmithKline Faculty Fellow (2009)
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