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FROM THE DEPARTMENT CHAIR

# **DEPARTMENT NEWS**

#### CEE CHAIR NAMED MEMBER OF ACADEMIA EUROPAEA

Voyiadjis began his career at LSU in 1980 as an assis tant professor after working at the California Institute of Technology, where he earned his master's in civil engineer ing, and Columbia University, where he earned his PhD in engineering mechanics. His primary research interests are in plasticity and the damage mechanics of metals, metal matrix composites, polymers, and ceramics with an emphasis on the theoretical modeling, numerical simulation of material behavior, and experimental correlation.

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### WATER SUSTAINABILITY PROJECT TAKES STUDENTS TO FRANCE

Perrier isn't the only water important to France. LSU Civil and Environmental Engineering Assistant Professor Samuel Snow recently received a National Science Foundation grant in the

## LIN RECEIVES TWO AWARDS

Geotechnical Engineering Professor Hai Thomas Lin was awarded the Michael R. Mangham Tiger Athletic Foundation Undergraduate Teaching Award in May. The award recognizes professors who

