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SEDIMENT BUDGETS AND FLUVIAL GEOMORPHOLOGY

70 years of research in Coon Creek Wisconsin, USA

Sediment budgets describe the input, transport, storage, and export of sediment from a geomorphic system. Because all aspects of the system are affected, sediment budgets have been considered to be an organizing framework in fluvial geomorphology. Begun in 1938, the study of Coon Creek has been termed in *Science* as "the most comprehensive study of its kind in the world." This lecture will present an overview and the most recent findings of this study and more generally, suggest some research needs in sediment budget studies.

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