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Dr. Marble's primary interests lie in the area of GIS and their overlap with formal methods of spatial analysis – Geographic Information Science & Technology (GIS&T). He has served as a system design consultant in the GIS&T and regional development areas to ESRI, U.S. Bureau of the Census, Rand McNally, the UN, and other governmental and private organizations around the world. Together with Dr. Donna Peuquet, he served as one of Taylor & Francis's first GIS editor.

Dr. Marble is founder of the massive on-line geographic information science & technology bibliography. Begun in the early 1990s, it now contains more than 75,000 abstracted entries. With the support of ESRI, the bibliography is frequently updated and is currently available to the GIS &T research and applications community without charge at <http://training.esri.com/campus/library/index.cfm>.

Dr. Marble has served as a GIS consultant to a number of organizations in both the public and private sectors. These include the U.S. Geological Survey, U.S. Bureau of the Census, Rand McNally, Environmental Systems Research Institute, the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, the Louisiana Department of Health, etc., as well as various units of the United Nations.