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Dr. Jason Ferrell earned a B.S. and M.S. in Plant and Soil Science from the University of Kentucky in 1998 and 2000, and a Ph.D. in Weed Science from the University of Georgia in 2003. Since that time he has attained the rank of Full Professor at the University of Florida (UF) with responsibilities in weed management and herbicide stewardship. Dr. Ferrell became the director of the UF's Center for Aquatic and Invasive Plants (CAIP) in 2017 where he helps fund, coordinate, and promote invasive plant research and Extension activities throughout the UF Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences.

Along with graduate students under his direction, Jason has published over 100 scientific journal articles on many aspects related to plant biology and herbicide use. He currently serves as Editor of the Journal of Aquatic Plant Management and sits on the Board of Directors of the Aquatic Plant Management Society and several state organizations.

