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# **EDUCATION**

Ph.D.	Syracuse University	Computer Information Science	2002
M.S.	Syracuse University	Computer Science	2000
B.S.	University of Iasi	Computer Science	1997

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor, Montclair State University (MSU), School of Computing 09/2003 – present (Assistant Professor 2003-2008, Associate Professor 2008-2012, Full 2012-present)

- Active researcher with \$6.2M (\$2.35M as PI) in funding from federal agencies (NSF), state agencies (New Jersey Council for Humanities), private foundations (PSEG Foundation), private companies (HP, Sun Microsystems), professional organizations (SPIE), and internal programs, over 90 publications and many more presentations in a diversity of venues.
- Successful management of projects (development, securing funding, managing budgets, developing and delivering activities, etc) including ones focused on student professional development (Research Experience for Undergraduates Sites and Supplements, Technology for Teaching) or on equipment acquisition and deployment (Major Research Instrumentation). Director of the Computational Sensing Laboratory.
- Mentored 60 graduate, 39 undergraduate, 5 high school students leading to co-authored publications, graduate thesis and projects, and independent studies. Member of doctoral committee at multiple universities. Doctoral Faculty in the Environmental Management Program at MSU.
- Faculty advisor to Computer Science and Information Technology students.
- Outreach in campus, local community, including high, middle and elementary schools.
- Chaired search committees, member of Departmental Personnel Action committee (tenure, reappointment, and promotion)
- External evaluator and reviewer for leading professional journals and conferences, funding agencies, tenure and promotion applications.
- Campus Representative for the Barry Goldwater Scholarship, the most prominent federal undergraduate merit program for science students. Coordinated the first ever award at MSU in 2023.

Program Director (PD)-IPA (Rotator), National Science Foundation, Directorate of Computer Information Science and Engineering (CISE), Office of Advanced Cyberinfrastructure (OAC) 01/2018 – 01/2021

- Developed and managed portfolio of awards that enable research cyberinfrastructure (CI) development and acquisition as well as Core research. Diverse portfolio in terms of type of CI (data / software / clusters / cloud) and award size, involved both independent and collaborative projects funded under standard, supplemental, or cooperative agreement funding. Portfolio snapshot: 200 awards totaling over \$150M (June 2020).
- Managed full proposal pipeline (from receipt to review and recommendation) independently or as part of a group of PDs. Met or exceeded performance targets for processing. Programs include OAC Core Research, Cyberinfrastructure for Sustained Scientific Innovation (CSSI), Major Research Instrumentation (MRI).
- Lead for CSSI program, the largest OAC led NSF cross-cutting program. Coordinated weekly NSF-wide WG
  meetings for CSSI. Coordinated weekly OAC WG meetings for CSSI. Coordinated proposal review, coreviewed and recommended co-funding proposals with colleagues across NSF. Coordinated CSSI
  communication (including PI webinars, panelist webinars, common email, etc.) Led solicitation revisions,
  streamlined operations across the program.

- Significant coordinating role for the OAC COVID-19 RAPID response efforts (under NSF Dear Colleague Letter 20-055) including reviews, proposal recommendations and award management.
- Supported NSF's educational programs, such as management of review panels for the Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) applications.
- Continuous commitment to diversity and inclusion through various initiatives, including participation in the
  development of the Dear Colleague Letter: Fairness, Ethics, Accountability, and Transparency: Enabling
  Breakthrough Research to Expand Inclusivity in Computer and Information Science and Engineering Research
  (NSF 19-016). Active member and OAC representative in the working group that generated and is managing
  the Computer and Information Science and Engineering Minority-Serving Institutions Research Expansion
  Program (CISE-MSI) (NSF 21-533).
- Contributor to outreach activities (including participating and presenting at two NSF Grants Conference, EPSCoR PI Meeting, CISE Career Workshop, CISE Minority Serving Institutions Convening, volunteering at the USA Science & Engineering Festival, member of the NSF Speakers Bureau).
- Engaged the PIs and the broader professional CI community through PI meetings and professional conferences, and workshops (including PEARC, CASC Fall and Spring meetings, SC) and campus visits.
- Active participant in NSF and CISE working groups and committees on improving program management efficiency, panel, and reviewer diversity, cloud migration, NSF internal awards and holiday planning,
- Inter-agency expertise: Co-chair of Middleware and Grid Interagency Coordination (MAGIC) team within the Large-Scale Networking (LSN) Interagency Working Group of the Subcommittee on Networking and Information Technology Research and Development (NITRD), a federal cross-agency initiative. Attended interagency meetings and workshops (including NITRD BigData, NIST Federal Engagement in Artificial Intelligence Standards Workshop, NIH/NSF collaboration for AI related initiatives).
- Held security clearance.

Assistant Professor, University of New Orleans, Department of Computer Science 09/2002 – 08/2003

- Active researcher with projects funded by university sources resulting in publications and presentations in a diversity of venues. Mentored graduate students in independent research studies.
- Developed / revised / taught graduate courses in Computer and Data Security and Pattern Recognition.
- Outreach in campus and local community.

## Visiting Academic

University of Cambridge, Department of Applied Mathematics and Theoretical Physics 05/2018 – 06/2018 / University of Geneva, Medical Image Processing Group 08/2017 - 09/2017 / University of Oxford, Engineering Sciences Department 01/2011 – 03/2011 / Uppsala University, Center for Image Analysis 09/2010 – 12/2010

## Graduate Assistant

Syracuse University, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science Department – Research Assistant 05/2000-08/2002, Teaching Assistant 08/1998-08/2000 / University of Iowa, Department of Computer Science – Teaching Assistant 08/1997-07/1998

## HONORS AND AWARDS

- Fulbright Visiting Specialist Roster Candidate (2016-2023)
- Featured Reviewer, ACM Computer Reviews, May 2015
- Annual Best Review Nominee (1 out of 20) ACM Computer Reviews, 2015
- Phi Kappa Phi, Apr 2011
- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Senior Member, Jan 2010
- Institute for Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Senior Member, Nov 2008
- IEEE Region 1 Award Category 3H For Contributions to the Engineering Profession in Exemplary Service as the LISAT Conference Proceedings Chair, May 2008
- Montclair State University Teaching Fellow 2008-2009
- Montclair State University, Leadership Associate 2008

- Who's Who America's Teachers and Educators 2007
- Who's Who in America 2006
- Richard Tapia Celebration of Computing Conference Scholarship, Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), Oct 2005
- Faculty Scholarship Program, Montclair State University 2004 present
- Wilbur LePage Scholarship for Outstanding Doctoral Candidate in Engineering, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, Aug 2002
- Syracuse University Graduate Summer Fellowship, Syracuse, NY, Jun 2000 Jul 2000
- The Soros Foundation for an Open Society Travel Award, Iasi, Romania, Aug 1997
- Romanian Ministry of Education National Scholarship and Fellowship, Iasi, Romania, 1992 1997

## **GRANTS**

# **External Funding**

- 1. 2024-2027 "MRI: Track 1 Acquisition of an Extended Reality Based Driving Simulator for User Centered Interdisciplinary Research and Education at MSU", Co-PI, *National Science Foundation*, \$533,798
- 2. 2024-2026, "CC\* Regional Networking: Connectivity through Regional Infrastructure for Scientific Partnerships, Innovation, and Education", Co-PI, National Science Foundation, Co-PI, \$851,076
- 3. 2024 "Deployment of Virtual Machines for Operating Systems Course", PI, *Google Cloud Teaching Credits Program*, cloud credits equivalent, \$4,350
- 4. 2022-2025 "Collaborative Research: RET Site: Data Sciences and Data Fluency in Scientific Data Sets (DATA3)", Co-PI, *National Science Foundation*, CNS-2206885, \$560,110
- 5. 2022-2024. "Montclair State University CS Education Hub (MSU CS Hub)", senior personnel, *NJ CS for All: Expanding Professional Learning Competitive*, \$333,335.
- 6. 2022-2024. "Montclair State University CS for Everyone Everywhere (MSU CSEE) Program", senior personnel, NJ CS for All: Implementing the 2020 CS Student Learning Standards Competitive, \$330,330.
- 7. 2018-2021. "Intergovernmental Personnel Act (IPA) Assignment, CISE / OAC", PI, *National Science Foundation*, \$701,202
- 8. 2017-2018. "Roboto-san: The contrasting visions of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics in Japanese and Western culture", Co-PI, *New Jersey Council for Humanities*, \$20,000
- 9. 2016-2019 "Acquisition of a High-Performance Computing Environment for Advancement of Computational Science Research and Education", PI, *National Science Foundation*, CNS-1625636, \$497,057
- 10. 2012-2015. "MRI: Acquisition of an Imaging System for the Study of Complex Fluids", Senior Personnel, *National Science Foundation*, CBET- 1229113, senior personnel, \$171,135
- 11. 2012-2014. "REU Supplement MRI: Acquisition of a High-Performance Computer Cluster Supporting Computational Science Research and Learning", PI, *National Science Foundation*, CNS- 1219307, \$18,965
- 12. 2011-2014. "Decision Support System (DSS) for IT Management", PI, PSE&G (Public Service Enterprise Group) Technology Demonstration Grant Program, PI, \$218,000
- 13. 2010-2014. "Montclair REU Site in Imaging and Computer Vision (iMagine)", PI, National *Science Foundation*, IIS-1004447, \$287,760
- 14. 2010-2013. "MRI-R2: CSAM Acquisition of Scientific Computing Capacity", senior personnel, *National Science Foundation*, DMS-0959461, \$129,000
- 15. 2009-2013. "MRI: Acquisition of a High-Performance Computer Cluster Supporting Computational Science Research and Learning", PI, *National Science Foundation*, CNS-0922644, \$190,010
- 16. 2007-2010. "Montclair REU Site in Imaging and Computer Vision (iMagine)", PI, National Science Foundation, IIS-0648814, \$260,000
- 17. 2006-2007. "MobilITy Using Tablet PCs in the IT", PI, Hewlett-Packard Tech. Grant U06TFH0014, \$70,000
- 18. 2006-2007. "A New Course in Pattern Discovery", PI, *The International Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE) Educational Grants* \$2,500

- 19. 2005-2006. "Efficient Hyperspectral Image Processing", PI, Sun Microsystems Academic Excellence Grant Program T-US-697950-C- \$35,755
- 20. 2005-2006. "Promoting Optics and Imaging Through Outreach Activities", PI, *The International Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE) Educational Grants* \$2,000
- 21. 2005. "Participation to the SPIE's Imaging Science Symposium", PI, *The International Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE) Technical Programs Committee* \$465
- 22. 2004. "Participation to the SPIE's Defense and Security Symposium", PI, *The International Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE) Technical Programs Committee* \$415
- 23. 2004-2005. "Center for Optics and Imaging Education", PI, *The International Society for Optical Engineering* (SPIE) Educational Grants \$3,000
- 24. 2002. Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE) Student Travel Grant \$490

# **Internal Funding**

- 1. 2023-2024. "Security and Privacy for Autonomous and Connected Vehicles", Co-PI, *Montclair State University*, Faculty research Mentoring Program \$8,000
- 2. 2016-2017. "Roboto-San: The Contrasting Visions of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics in Japanese and Western Culture, Japan", Co-PI, *Montclair State University*, Global Education Grants Program \$2,500
- 3. 2014-2015. "Social Network Data Integration for Cybersecurity", PI, *Montclair State University*, Separately Budgeted Research Program \$4,000
- 4. 2014-2015. "CUDA GPU and Efficient Processing of Remote Sensing Data", PI, *Montclair State University, CSAM Sokol Faculty / Student Research Program* \$2,000
- 5. 2012. "Participation in the IEEE ICALT 2012", PI, Montclair State University Global Ed. Grants \$800
- 6. 2009-2010. "Hyperspectral Image Acquisition System", PI, Montclair State University Grant Proposal Development Program \$2000
- 7. 2009. "Participation in the IEEE IGARSS 2009", PI, Montclair State University Global Ed. Grants \$800
- 8. 2007. "Participation in the IEEE IGARSS 2007", PI, Montclair State University Global Ed. Grants \$800
- 9. 2006-2007. "Efficient Use of RFID Technology for Equipment Tracking", PI, Montclair State University Student Faculty Research Projects \$1,500
- 10. 2006. "Participation in the ACM ITiCSE 2006", PI, Montclair State University Global Ed. Grants \$800
- 11. 2006-2007. "A Query System for Remote Sensing Data", PI, Montclair State University, CSAM Sokol Faculty / Student Research Program \$2,000
- 12. 2005. "Participation in the IEEE ISSCS 2005", PI, Montclair State University Global Ed. Grants \$800
- 13. 2005-2006. "Real Time Feature Extraction for Remote Sensing", PI, Montclair State University Separately Budgeted Research \$2,000
- 14. 2004-2005. "Hyperspectral Image Acquisition", PI, Montclair State University Student Faculty Research Projects \$2,000
- 15. 2004-2005. "Remote Sensing Data Processing in a Distributed Environment", PI, *Montclair State University Separately Budgeted Research* \$2,000
- 16. 2002-2003. "Employment of Multimedia and Internet in Teaching Computer Science", PI, *University of New Orleans Faculty Initiative for Technology in Teaching* \$3,250
- 17. 2001. Syracuse University Travel Grant \$500

# PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

# Peer Reviewed Publications

denotes \*undergraduate student, +graduate student, ^K-12 teacher

- 1. S. Ehiri<sup>+</sup>, S. A. Robila, "Sustainability for Estimating Global Energy Efficiency of Data Centers", *Proc. Proc IEEE Int. Conf. Electronics, Computers and Artificial Intelligence (ECAI 2024)*, pp. 1-6, doi: 10.1109/ECAI61503.2024.10607509.
- 2. K. G. Herbert, T. J. Marlowe, V. K. Anu, S. A. Robila, "K-12 Teachers and Data Science: Learning Interdisciplinary Science through Research Experiences", *Proceedings American Association of Engineering Education (ASEE)*, pp. 1-7, 2024.
- 3. T. Samaras<sup>^</sup>, T. J. Marlowe, K. G. Herbert, V. K. Anu, S. Hagiwara, and S. A. Robila, "Interdisciplinary Synergy: Resources for Embedding Plugged and Unplugged Computer and Data Science Activities into the K-12 Curriculum", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 97-100, 2024.
- 4. A. Brantley<sup>^</sup>, K. G. Herbert, V. K. Anu, S. Hagiwara, S. A. Robila, Jason T.L. Wang, "Understanding Space Weather Through Storytelling Data Visualization", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 220-223, 2024.
- 5. E. Douglass, A. Cannella, K. G. Herbert, V. Anu, S. Hagiwara, T. Marlowe, S. A. Robila, "Design and Implementation of a STEAM Robotics Lesson on the Spotted Lanternfly: Engineering a Computer Science Solution", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 367-370, 2024.
- 6. M. M. S. Menichella, Stefan A. Robila and Katherine G. Herbert, Thomas Marlowe. "Creating a Cross, Curricular Resource for Solar Weather History and Its Impact on Daily Life", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 402-405, 2024.
- 7. C. Drozdowski<sup>^</sup>, T. J. Marlowe, K. G. Herbert, V. K. Anu, S. Hagiwara, S. A. Robila, "The APP Method: Self-Regulation Strategies Giving POWER to Computer Science Students", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 412-415, 2024...
- 8. S. Emeghara, S. Hagiwara, S. A. Robila, K. G. Herbert, T. Marlowe, V. K. Anu. "A Cyber-Physical Systems Approach to Teaching Solar Weather Topics in Middle School", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 495-498, 2024.
- 9. I. Cumberbatch, J. Olatunji\*, S.A. Robila "Using Extended Reality Technology in Science Education", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp. 1-7, 2023.
- 10. A. Moctezuma\*, S.A. Robila, "A Framework for Evaluating Parental Controls for Streaming Services", *Proc. IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 199-203, 2023.
- 11. I. Cumberbatch, S. A. Robila, "An extended reality environment for urban area environmental data analysis", *Proc. SPIE Geospatial Informatics XIII*, vol. 12525, pp. 203-211, 2023
- 12. A. Saxena<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Automated machine learning for analysis and prediction of vehicle crashes", *International Journal of Informatics and Communication Technology*, vol 12, No. 1, pp. 46-53, 2023
- 13. J. Gallino<sup>+</sup>, S. A. Robila, "HyperGiX A User Friendly Open-source Hyperspectral Imagery Application", *Proc. IEEE IGARSS*, pp. 4019-4022, 2022
- 14. E. Zharri<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Shiny Dashboard NYC Trees Benefit Estimation", *Proc. IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp. 1-6, 2022
- 15. S. Vollmin<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "A Machine Learning Utility for Detection of Potential Protected Health Information Images", *Proc. IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp. 1-7, 2022
- 16. R. DePascale<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "A Semantic Text Processing System for Free-Write English Papers", *Proc.IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, pp. 1-8, 2022
- 17. A. Saxena<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Analysis of the New York City's Vehicle Crash Open Data", *Proc. IEEE International Conference on Big Data (Big Data)*, pp. 1-3, 2021
- 18. O. Alkhalili<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Tracking the Impact of Fake News on US Election Cycles", *GoodIT '21:* Proceedings of the Conference on Information Technology for Social Good, pp 192–197, 2021.
- S.A. Robila, D. Grant, C. DePrater, V. Sorell, T. Rogers, D. Martinez and S. Novotny "Cooling the Data Center: Design of a Mechanical Controls Owner Project Requirements (OPR) Template", *Proceedings IEEE Cluster* 2021, EE HPC SOP 2021: Energy Efficient HPC State of the Practice Workshop, pp. 1-6, 2021
- 20. M. Robila and S. A. Robila. "Applications of Artificial Intelligence Methodologies to Behavioral and Social Sciences." *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, vol. 29, no. 10, pp. 2954-2966, 2020.

- 21. Z. Aziz<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Interface for Querying and Data Mining for NYC Yellow and Green Taxi Trip Data", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp. 1-7, 2019
- 22. I. Gaidukova<sup>+</sup>, Priyanka Phapale<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Visualizing Weather Financial Impact on Industries and Weather Derivatives", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp. 1-7, 2019
- 23. B. Pasione<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Digital Piracy, Technology, the Legal System and Computing Education", *Proceedings IEEE Integrated STEM Education Conference (ISEC)*, 2018, pp. 133-136, 2018
- 24. K. Handelli<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "A Cybersecurity High School Curriculum Guide", *Proceedings Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education International Conference (SITE)*, pp. 864-869, 2018
- 25. K. Handelli<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Design, development and testing an academic repository", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, 2018, pp. 1-7, 2018 Best Technology Track Paper
- 26. P. Persaud\*, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, "Enhancing Autonomous Vehicles with Commonsense: Smart Mobility in Smart Cities", *Proceedings IEEE ICTAI*, 1-5, 2017
- 27. K. Miller<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "LIDAR for Scribbler 2- Enhancing Sensing Capabilities in an Educational Robot", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, 1-5, 2017
- 28. E. Bilgin<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Road Sign Recognition System on Raspberry Pi", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, 1-5, 2016
- 29. M. Butler<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila "Interface for Querying and Data Mining for the IMDb Dataset", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, 1-5, 2016
- 30. M. Pawlish<sup>+</sup>, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, "The Greening of Data Centers with Cloud Technology", *International Journal of Cloud Applications and Computing*, 5(4), 1-23, October-December 2015
- 31. F.K. Muriithi<sup>+</sup>, D. Yu, S.A. Robila, "Vegetation response to intensive commercial horticulture and environmental changes within watersheds in central highlands, Kenya, using AVHRR NDVI data", *GIScience & Remote Sensing*, 2015
- 32. M. Pawlish<sup>+</sup>, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, C. Alvarez, C. Fleischl, G. Serviano, "GreenDSS tool for data center management", *Int. Conf. on Information and Communication Systems (ICIS)*, pp. 1-6, 2014
- 33. M. Pawlish<sup>+</sup>, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, A. Ranganathan, "A call for efficiency in data center", *SIGMOD*, vol 43 no. 1, pp. 45-51, 2014
- 34. S. A. Robila, D. Ricart<sup>+</sup>, "Distributed Algorithms for Unmixing Hyperspectral Data using Nonnegative Matrix Factorization with Sparsity Constraints", *Proceedings IEEE IGARSS*, in pp. 2156-2159, 2013
- 35. S. A. Robila, K. Pirate\*, T. Hall\*, "Impact of spatial complexity preprocessing on hyperspectral data unmixing" *Proc. SPIE 8743, Algorithms and Technologies for Multispectral, Hyperspectral, and Ultraspectral Imagery XIX*, pp. 1-7., 2013
- 36. M. Pawlish<sup>+</sup>, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, "Decision Support in Data Centers for Sustainability", *Proc.IEEE Int. Conference on Data Mining Workshops (ICDMW)*, 2013, pp. 613-620
- 37. S. A. Robila, "Introducing Green Computing to General Education" *Proceedings of Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education Int. Conference (SITE)*, pp. 78-83, 2013.
- 38. M. Pawlish<sup>+</sup>, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, "Cloud Computing for Environment Friendly Data Centers", *Proceedings International Workshop on Cloud Data Management CloudDB*, 2012, pp. 43-48
- 39. S. A. Robila, "Linear unmixing-based feature extraction for hyperspectral data in a high-performance computing environment" *Proceedings SPIE Optics and Photonics* vol. 8515, pp. 1-6, 2012
- 40. S. A. Robila, "A Sustainability Component for a First-Year Course for Information Technology Students" *Proceedings Int. Conf. on Advanced Learning Technologies 2012 ICALT*, pp. 90-94.
- 41. M. Pawlish<sup>+</sup>, A. Varde, S.A. Robila, "Analyzing Utilization Rates in Data Centers for Optimizing Energy Management", *Proceedings Int. Green Computing Conference IGCC*, 2012, pp. 1-6.
- 42. S. A. Robila, M. Chang\*, and N. Damico\*, "Face Recognition using Spectral and Spatial Information" *Proceedings SPIE Optics and Photonics*, vol. 8135, pp. 8135Q-8., 2011
- 43. J. Peng, G. Seetharaman, W. Fan, S.A. Robila, and A. Varde, "Chernoff Dimensionality Reduction--Where Fisher Meets FKT". *Proceedings of SIAM International Conference on Data Mining*, pp. 271-282, 2011
- 44. S. A. Robila, G. Busardo<sup>+</sup>, "Hyperspectral Data Processing in a High Performance Computing Environment" *in Proceedings IEEE PDSEC IPDPS*, 2011, pp. 1424-1431, 2011

- 45. J. Peng, S.A. Robila, F. Wei, G. Seetharaman, "Analysis of Chernoff criterion for linear dimensionality reduction", *Proceedings IEEE Conference on Systems Man and Cybernetics (SMC)*, pp. 3014-3021, 2010
- 46. J. Peng, S.A. Robila, W. Fan, G. Seetharaman, "Margin Based Dimensionality Reduction and Generalization", *The Open Journal of Artificial Intelligence*, vol. 4, pp. 55-64, 2010
- 47. S. A. Robila, "Considerations on Unsupervised Spectral Data Unmixing and Complexity Pursuit", *Proceedings IEEE IGARSS*, pp. 987 990, 2010
- 48. S. A. Robila, M. Butler<sup>+</sup>, "Parallel Unmixing of Hyperspectral Data Using Complexity Pursuit", *Proceedings IEEE IGARSS*, pp. 1035-1038, 2010
- 49. G. Roughton\*, A.S. Varde, S.A. Robila, and J. Liang, "A feature-based approach for processing nanoscale images," in *Proceedings SPIE Scanning Microscopy*, vol. 7729, pp. 772911-9, 2010
- 50. A. Wimberly\*, S. A. Robila, and T. Peplau\*, "Spectral face recognition using orthogonal subspace bases," in *Proceedings SPIE Algorithms and Technologies for Multispectral, Hyperspectral, and Ultraspectral Imagery XVI*, vol. 7695, pp. 76952E-10, 2010
- 51. B. Kaipa<sup>+</sup>, S.A. Robila, "Statistical Steganalyis of Images Using Open-Source Software " *Proceedings IEEE LISAT 2010*, pp.1-5, 2010
- 52. S. A. Robila, "Band reduction for hyperspectral imagery processing," in *Proceedings SPIE Computational Imaging VIII*, vol. 7533, pp. 75330W-9, 2010
- 53. S. A. Robila, "Spectral Image Processing Using Sparse Linear Transforms", *Proceedings IEEE IGARSS*, pp. IV-534-7, 2009
- 54. S.A. Robila, "Quo vadis face recognition: Spectral considerations," *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp.1-5, 2009
- 55. S. A. Robila\*, A. LaChance\*, and S. Ruff, "Investigating face recognition from hyperspectral data: impact of band extraction," in Proceedings SPIE Algorithms and Technologies for Multispectral, Hyperspectral, and Ultraspectral Imagery XV, vol. 7334, pp. 73341Y-10, 2009
- 56. M. Schockling\*, R. Bonce\*, A. Gutierrez, and S. A. Robila, "Visualization of hyperspectral images," in *Proceedings SPIE Algorithms and Technologies for Multispectral, Hyperspectral, and Ultraspectral Imagery XV*, vol. 7334, pp. 733423-12, 2009
- 57. D. Wang, L. Xu, J. Peng, S.A. Robila, "Subdividing Hexagon-Clustered Wireless Sensor Networks for Power Efficiency", *Proceedings IEEE International Conference on Communications and Mobile Computing*, pp. 454-458, 2009
- 58. S. A. Robila, L. G. Maciak<sup>+</sup>," Considerations on Parallelizing Nonnegative Matrix Factorization for Hyperspectral Data Unmixing", *IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Letters*, vol. 6, no. 1, pp. 57-61, 2009
- 59. C. A. Neylan\*, T. Rush\*, A. Gutierrez, and S. A. Robila, "Hyperspectral image processing: a direct image simplification method," in Proceedings SPIE Algorithms and Technologies for Multispectral, Hyperspectral, and Ultraspectral Imagery XIV, vol. 6966, pp. 69661Y-9, 2008
- 60. S. Sidiqui<sup>+</sup>, S. A. Robila, J. Peng, D. Wang, "Sparse Representations for Hyperspectral Image Classification", *Proceedings IEEE IGARSS 08*, vol.2, no., pp.II-577-II-580, 2008
- 61. S. A. Robila, "Toward hyperspectral face recognition," in Proceedings SPIE Image Processing: Algorithms and Systems VI, vol. 6812, pp. 68120X-9, 2008
- 62. S. A. Robila and N. A. Senedzuk<sup>+</sup>, "Grid computing for hyperspectral data processing," *in Proceedings SPIE Next-Generation Spectroscopic Technologies*, vol. 6765, pp. 67650A-9, 2007
- 63. S. A. Robila, B. G. Wachsmuth, C. Scharff, and J. L. Popyack, "Mobile instructional laboratory environments and their use in computing sciences", *Journal of Computing in Colleges*, vol. 23, no. 3, 114-118, 2008
- 64. J. Peng, S. A. Robila, "Weighted Additive Criteria for Linear Dimension Reduction", *Proceedings IEEE ICDM*, pp.619-624, 2007
- 65. S. A. Robila, "Information Disclosure Incidents and Computer Security Education", *Proceedings ASEE MidAtlantic Conference*, 7 pgs on CD, 2007
- 66. S. A. Robila, L. Maciak<sup>+</sup>, "Sequential and Parallel Feature Extraction using Nonnegative Matrix Factorization", *Proceedings IEEE Long Island Systems, Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT)*, pp. 1-7, 2007
- 67. S. A. Robila, "New Developments in Target Detection in Hyperspectral Imagery Using Spectral Metrics and Spectra Extraction", *Proceedings ASPRS National Conference*, 11 pgs on CD, 2007

- 68. S. A. Robila and L. G. Maciak<sup>+</sup>, "A parallel unmixing algorithm for hyperspectral images," *in Proceedings SPIE Intelligent Robots and Computer Vision XXIV: Algorithms, Techniques, and Active Vision*, vol. 6384, pp. 63840F-11, 2006
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- 70. S. A. Robila, "Use of Remote Sensing Applications and its Implications to the Society", *Proceedings IEEE ISTAS*, 1-6, 2006
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- 2. M. Robila, S.A. Robila, "Artificial Intelligence Methodologies in Examining Human Development and Family Functioning". *American Psychological Association Convention*, virtual, August 2020.
- 3. M. Robila, S.A. Robila, "Using Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in Supporting Families in an International Context". *Annual Conf. of the National Council on Family Relations*, Fort Worth, TX, Nov 2019.
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- 5. M. Butler, S. A. Robila, "Building Big Data Skills through Practice Extraction, Querying and Data Mining of the IMDb Dataset". *New Jersey Big Data Alliance Symposium*, Montclair, NJ, Mar 2016
- 6. S. A. Robila, "Feature extraction for remote sensing data using massive parallel processors". *World Weather Open Science Conference*, Montreal, QC, Aug 2014
- 7. S. A. Robila, "Computational Sensing Laboratory: Research and Education in Large Data Sets". *New Jersey Big Data Alliance Symposium*, Piscataway, NJ, Apr 2014
- 8. S. A. Robila, "Analysis of Industrial Visits as Component of Undergraduate Research Activities", *Council on Undergraduate Research Annual Conference*, Ewing, NJ, Jun 2012
- 9. K. Herbert, J. Fails, E. Hill, M. Oudshoorn, S. A. Robila, "Research Transcending Historic Disciplinary Boundaries", *Council on Undergraduate Research Annual Conference*, Ewing, NJ, Jun 2012

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- 11. S. A. Robila, M. D. Islam\*, "HYPDB A Query System for Remote Sensing Data", *ASPRS Annual Conference*, Portland, OR, May 2008
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- 3. "Snapshots A conversation with Computer Science Professor Stefan Robila", *Montclair, the Magazine of Montclair State University Spring / Summer 2021*, pp. 12-13, 2021.
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# **Outside Home Institution**

- 1. S. A. Robila, "Data and Software Drivers in Computational Sensing", Guest Speaker, Data, Innovation and Community Engagement Distinguished Lecture Series, Institute for Data. Research and Innovation Science (IDRIS), Rutgers University Newark, Newark, NJ, Feb 2025
- 2. S. A. Robila, "Building Pathways with Computational Sensing and Integrated Scientific Workflows" *THOTH Seminar Series*, INRIA Grenoble, France, Sep 2024, *LISTIC Lab, University of Savoie Mont Blanc*, Annecy,

- France, Sep 2024, *University of Udine*, Udine, Italy, Sep 2024, *Orange 5G Lab, Technical University of Iasi*, Iasi, Romania, Sep 2024
- 3. S. A. Robila, "Computers and the Environment From Energy Efficiency to Software Sustainability", *Keynote Lecture, IEEE Int. Conf. Electronics, Computers and Artificial Intelligence ECAI*, Iasi, Romania, Jun 2024
- 4. S. A. Robila, "Project Description and NSF Merit Review Criteria", ASEE Capacity Building for Research at Minority-Serving Institutions: Proposal Development Workshop (CyBR-MSI: PDW), virtual, Dec 2, 2022
- 5. S. A. Robila, "Seeking Sustainability for Computing", *ADP Environmental Business Resource Group*, Roseland NJ / virtual, Apr 27, 2022
- 6. S.A. Robila, "Considerations of Computing Sustainability", *IEX Trading*, New York, NY / virtual, Dec 8 2021
- 7. S. A. Robila, "Project Description and NSF Merit Review Criteria", ASEE Capacity Building for Research at Minority-Serving Institutions: Proposal Development Workshop (CyBR-MSI: PDW), virtual, Dec 3, 2021
- 8. S.A. Robila, "Pathway through Computational Science: Research, Service and Administration", *National Science Foundation*, Alexandria, VA, May 24, 2021
- 9. S.A. Robila, "Research and Education in Computational Sensing and High Performance Computing", *National Science Foundation*, Arlington, VA, May 18, 2017
- 10. S. A. Robila, "Research and Education Steps towards Green Computing", *Department of Electrical Engineering, Kasetkasert University*, Thailand, July 8, 2016
- 11. S. A. Robila, "New Directions in Spectral Image Processing", *Gildart Haase School of Computer Sciences and Engineering Seminar Series, Fairleigh Dickinson University*, Teaneck, NJ April 20, 2011
- 12. S. A. Robila, "Pattern Recognition for Spectral Imaging", *Pattern Analysis and Machine Learning Group, Oxford University*, Oxford, United Kingdom, January 17, 2011
- 13. S. A. Robila, "Efficient Use of Hyperspectral Imagery", *Center for Image Analysis Seminar Series, Uppsala University*, Uppsala, Sweden, October 25, 2010
- 14. S. A. Robila, "Hyperspectral Image Processing: New Techniques, New Applications", *Department of Mathematics and Computer Science Seminar Series, Seton Hall University*, South Orange, NJ March 26, 2010
- 15. S. A. Robila, "Assessing REU programs Common Application", panelist, *National Science Foundation REU PI meeting*, Charlotte, NC, March 2010
- 16. S. A. Robila, "2009 iMagine REU in Imaging and Computer Vision", Poster, *National Science Foundation REU PI meeting*, Charlotte, NC, March 2010
- 17. S. A. Robila, "2008 iMagine REU in Imaging and Computer Vision", Poster, *National Science Foundation REU PI meeting*, Arlington, VA, March 2009
- 18. S. A. Robila, "Hyperspectral Image Processing", *Department of Computer Science Colloquium Series, Rowan University*, Glassborough, NJ, December 10, 2008
- 19. S. A. Robila, "Efficient Hyperspectral Data Feature Extraction", Armament Research, *Development and Engineering Center (ARDEC)*, Picatinny, NJ, November 10, 2008
- 20. S. A. Robila, A. LaChance\*, S. Ruff\*, "Spectral Imaging and Face Recognition", New Jersey Technology Council Mid Atlantic Imaging Symposium, Poster, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, November 2008
- 21. S. A. Robila, "Recruitment Strategies for REU Sites: Report of the Working Group", *NSF REU PI Meeting*, Poster, Austin, TX, February 29, 2008.
- 22. S.A. Robila, J. Jenq, D. Deremer, "MobilITy Using Tablet PCs in the IT", *HP Technology for Teaching International Conference*, Poster, Monterrey Bay, CA, February 2007.
- 23. S. A. Robila, "Recent Development in Multispectral / Hyperspectral Image Processing", *Math. And Comp. Sci. Colloquia Series*, North Carolina Central University, NC, April 2005
- S. A. Robila, "Interdisciplinary Research in Computer Science the Case for Hyperspectral Imagery", Center for Imaging and Optics, Workshop - Imaging and Optics: Research and Education, Montclair, NJ, November 2004
- 25. M. Chopping, S. A. Robila, "Remote Sensing at Montclair State University", *New Jersey Technology Council*, Oral Presentation, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ, April 2004
- 26. S. A. Robila, "Employment of Independent Component Analysis for Hyperspectral Image Processing", Seminar of the Information and Systems Laboratory, Electrical Engineering Department, University of New Orleans, LA, February 2003
- 27. S. A. Robila, "Digital Image Processing Spatial Operations", *Comp. Sci. Dept. Colloquia Series*, University of Nebraska at Kearney, NE, February 2002

28. S. A. Robila, "Source Separation for Multispectral / Hyperspectral Imagery", *Comp. Sci. Dept. Colloquia Series*, University of New Orleans, LA, January 2002

# **NSF** Presentations

- 1. S.A. Robila, "OAC: Cyberinfrastructure for all of S&E", CISE Program Director Presentation, AISES / TCU Computer Science Research Convening, virtual, Dec 2, 2020
- 2. S.A. Robila, "OAC: Cyberinfrastructure for all of S&E", CISE Program Director Presentation, CISE MSI-HBCU Workshop, virtual, Nov 30, 2020
- 3. S.A. Robila, "Proposal Preparation", panel part of NSF Virtual Fall Grants Conference, virtual, Nov 16, 2020
- 4. S.A. Robila, "OAC: Cyberinfrastructure for all of S&E", CISE Program Director Presentation, HSI Mini-Ideas Workshop All-Hands Convening, virtual, Nov 9, 2020
- 5. S.A. Robila, "Data and Software Cyberinfrastructure Research and Development", *Dean's Scholars Friday Lunch, University of Texas Austin*, Oct 30, 2020
- 6. S.A. Robila, "NSF Programs in Data and Software Cyberinfrastructure", CASE /EECS Colloquium Series, Syracuse University, virtual, Oct 14, 2020
- 7. S.A. Robila, "Data and Software Cyberinfrastructure Research and Development", *BLIS Retreat 2020, University of Texas Austin*, virtual, Oct 5, 2020
- 8. S.A. Robila, "Supporting Current and Future Researchers Through Data and Software Cyberinfrastructure", Computing in Engineering Forum 2020, University of Wisconsin, Madison, virtual, Sept 29, 2020
- 9. S.A. Robila, A. Walton, K. Thompson, "The Importance of Investing in Cyberinfrastructure", 2020 NSF EPSCoR PI Meeting, virtual, May 21, 2020
- 10. S.A. Robila, "Future Steps of CSSI", NSF CSSI PI Meeting, Seattle, WA, Feb 13, 2020
- 11. S.A. Robila, "Building a Diverse and Sustainable Scientific Cyberinfrastructure Ecosystem", *Data Science Institute Darwin Computing Symposium*, Newark, DE, Feb 12, 2020
- 12. S.A. Robila, "Small Group Meetings with NSF CISE Program Directors", NSF Minority Serving Institutions-CISE Conference, Arlington, VA, Feb 4, 2020
- 13. S.A. Robila, "NSF Support for Advanced Data and Software Research Cyberinfrastructure", NIST Interoperability of Web Computational Plugins for Large Microscopy Image Analyses, Gaithersburg, MD, Dec 5, 2019
- 14. S.A. Robila, "Proposal Preparation", panel part of NSF Fall Grants Conference, Boston, MA, Nov 18, 2019
- 15. S.A. Robila, "The Directorate of Computer, Information Science and Engineering (CISE)", NSF Fall Grants Conference, Boston, MA, Nov 18, 2019
- 16. S.A. Robila, "Overview of the data-focused CI", NSF Workshop on Future Directions for the CSSI Program, Austin, TX, Oct 29, 2019
- 17. S.A. Robila, "Sustainability and the Advanced Research Cyberinfrastructure", part of Investment on Sustainability Panel, *International Green and Sustainable Computing Conference* (IGSC), Alexandria, VA, Oct 23, 2019
- 18. S.A. Robila, "Supporting Advanced Research Data and Software Cyberinfrastructure", invited talk, Columbia University, New York, NY, Oct 4, 2019
- 19. S.A. Robila, "Supporting Advanced Research Cyberinfrastructure", Center for Network and Storage Enabled Collaborative Computation Symposium, University of Michigan, MI, Oct 15, 2018

## At Home Institution

- S.A. Robila, T. White, "The Barry Goldwater and Fulbright Scholarships Merit Based Programs for Undergraduate Students", MSU Student Research Symposium, invited presentation, MSU, Apr 26, 2024
- 2. S.A. Robila, K. Handelli, "AI in Computer Science Panel", Fridays with ITDS, panelist, MSU, Feb 2024
- 3. S.A. Robila, "Information Session on the NSF Major Research Instrumentation Competition", PI panelist, MSU, May 24, 2023
- 4. S. A. Robila, "The Arms Race in Cybersecurity", Webinar, Dept. of Computer Science REU Site, MSU, June 8, 2022
- 5. S. A. Robila, "Bridging the Human Technology Divide through Computation and Sensing", Presentation, part of the Red Hawks and Robots: On the Cutting Edge of Technology Robotics Showcase, April 20, 2022

- 6. S. A. Robila, "The Arms Race in Cybersecurity", Webinar, Dept. of Computer Science REU Site, MSU, June 9, 2021
- 7. O. Alkhalili, S. A. Robila, "Tracking the Impact of Fake News on US Election Cycles", Panel on Democracy Perspectives from Computer Science: Challenges and Opportunities, MSU, Apr 29, 2021
- 8. S. A. Robila, "NSF Process and Opportunities", Webinar, Dept. of Computer Science, MSU, Mar 31, 2021
- 9. S. A. Robila, "Computer Science", Major Madness: Exploring STEM Series, MSU, Mar 15, 2021
- 10. S. A. Robila, "Seeking Sustainability for Computing", Sustainability Seminar Series, MSU, Mar 15, 2021
- 11. C. Coutras, S.A. Robila, "Building an Online Graduate Degree MSU's Masters of Science in Applied Information Technology", Montclair State University Summer Institute for Teaching, Learning & Technology, June 6, 2018
- 12. S. A. Robila, "Computational Sensing and Applications", LSAMP Student Meeting, MSU, Mar 27, 2014
- 13. S. A. Robila, "Computational Sensing and Applications", Computer Club, Oral Presentation, MSU, Apr 2, 2014
- 14. S. A. Robila, "Hyperspectral Imagery and Applications", Physics Club, Oral Presentation, MSU, Apr 14, 2010
- 15. S. A. Robila, J. Peng, G. Antoniou, A. Gutierrez, A. Varde, S. Wahi, C. Moran\*, D. Chromeck\*, J. Ginsberg\*, C. Myrie\*, "Undergraduate Computer Science Research at Montclair: iMagine REU in Imaging and Computer Vision", *Homecoming, College of Science and Mathematics Reception*, Poster, MSU, Oct 3, 2009.
- 16. S. A. Robila, "Seeing the Unseen: Spectral Imaging Reveals Secrets", *GK-12 Math and Science Day*, MSU, June 9, 2009
- 17. S. A. Robila, "Seeing the Unseen: Spectral Imaging", Weston Scholars Open House, MSU, May 2009
- 18. S. A. Robila, "Processing Beyond the Visible Imagery", *College of Sciences and Mathematics Graduate Showcase*, MSU, Apr 10, 2007.
- 19. S. A. Robila, "Lessons Learned in the Grant Application Process", MSU Grant Success Stories Workshop, MSU, Mar 28, 2007
- 20. S. A. Robila, "Seeing the Unseen Hyperspectral Image Processing and Computers Science", College of Sciences and Mathematics Open House, MSU, Feb 2004
- 21. S. A. Robila, "Hyperspectral Image Processing", College of Sciences and Mathematics Meeting, MSU, Oct 2003
- 22. S. A. Robila, C. Shah, T. Achalakul, P. Varshney, "Hyperspectral/Multispectral Imagery Applications", *Kodak Technology Meeting*, Syracuse University, Nov 2001
- 23. S. A. Robila, "Real Time Multispectral Image Processing Technologies", *Kodak Technology. Meeting*, Syracuse University, Nov 2001
- 24. S. A. Robila, J. Lee, "Hyperspectral Image Processing", Syracuse University Open House, Apr 2001
- 25. S. Taylor, S. A. Robila, "Real Time Multispectral Image Processing", *Office for Government Relations*, Syracuse University, Nov 2000

# **Course Guest Lectures**

26. S. A. Robila, "Hyperspectral Imaging Technologies", EAES, 2012, 2011, 2009, 2007, 2005

#### Workshops / Tutorials

• S. A. Robila, "Multidimensional Image Processing", SMUG Faculty Training Workshop, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ, April 2004

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

• IEEE Geoscience and Remote Sensing

Image Analysis and Data Fusion School, Computer Vision for Earth Observation, Oct 2022

Harvard Institutes for Higher Education

Aligning Strategic Priorities with Financial Resources in Higher Education (SPFR), Jan 2022

• Franklin Covey

Leading at the Speed of Trust Course, Dec 2020

• American Management Association

Comprehensive Project Management Course, Sep 2020

• Montclair State University

Certificate for Teaching Online and Hybrid, Jul 2014 Leadership in Science Policy Institute (LiSPI), Apr 2013

• Computing Research Association

# **TEACHING**

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Montclair State University					
(graduate courses are numbered 500 ar					
Intro to Computer Applications	CMPT 109	Fall 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2012, 2013			
Fluency with IT		Spring 2006, 2007, Summer 2009			
Computational Concepts	CSIT 104	Fall 2014, 2015, 2021, 2022, 2023, Spring 2016, 2017			
Computer Concepts for IT	CSIT 110	Spring 2010, Fall 2011			
Computer Science I	CMPT 183	Fall 2003, 2006-2008, Spring 2004, 2005, 2008			
Computer Science II	CMPT 184	Spring 2009, Fall 2011			
Discrete Mathematics	CMPT 285	Spring 2004			
Operating Systems Concepts	CMPT 481	Spring 2005, 2006, 2008			
	CSIT 345	Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Summer 2023, 2024			
	CMPT 583	Spring 2006, 2008			
	CSIT 547	Spring 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, Fall 2023, Summer 2022, 2025			
Foundations of Programming	CMPT 484	Fall 2013			
Languages	CSIT 313	Fall 2014, 2022, 2023, 2025 Spring 2022, 2023, 2024			
Human Computer Interaction	CSIT 335	Fall 2016			
Truman Computer Interaction	CSIT 535	Fall 2016			
Computer and Data Segurity	CMPT 495				
Computer and Data Security		Fall 2004, 2005			
Internal Annual Internal Committee	CMPT 585	Fall 2004, 2005			
Internet and Intranet Security	CMPT 320	Spring 2007, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, Fall 2008			
N. 1.0	CSIT 460	Spring 2015			
Network Security	CSIT 520	Spring 2014, 2015			
D 11.1 A 12.	CSIT 560	Spring 2016, 2017			
Parallel Architectures and	CMPT 495	Spring 2012			
Algorithms	CMPT 680	Spring 2012			
Pattern Disc. in Large Data Sets	CMPT 495	Fall 2007			
	CMPT 585	Fall 2007			
Introduction to Robotics	CMPT 495	Spring 2013			
	CSIT 431	Fall 2014, Fall 2016			
	CSIT 531	Fall 2014, Fall 2016			
	CMPT 585	Spring 2013			
Computer Forensics	CSIT 495	Fall 2015			
Computer Architecture	CMPT 580	Fall 2009, 2012, 2013			
Cooperative Education in CS	CMPT 499	Fall 2011, Spring 2012			
•	CSIT 491	Spring 2023, 2024			
University of New Orleans					
(graduate courses are numbered 6000 a	and above)				
Data Encryption / Cryptography	CSCI 6130	Fall 2002			
Pattern Recognition	CSCI 6990	Spring 2003			
Syracuse University		-16			
(graduate courses are numbered 500 and above)					
Introduction to C++	CIS 504	Spring 2000			
Intro to programming with C	CIS 196	Spring 1999, Summer 1999			
Intro to programming with Pascal	CIS 190	Fall 1998			
	CIS 655	Fall 1999			
Computer Architecture (TA) CIS 655 Fall 1999  University of Iowa					
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Programming with C	22C010	Spring 1998			
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Programming with C++	22C012	Summer 1998			
Data Characteria (OO B	22C112	Summer 1998			
Data Structures/OO Programming (TA)	22CU1/	Fall 1997			

## **SERVICE**

# Conference Organizing Committees

**Technical Program Committee Chair** 

IEEE 2022 Long Island Systems Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT 2023), Old Westbury, NY, May 2023

Technical Program Committee Vice Chair

IEEE 2022 Long Island Systems Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT 2022), Old Westbury, NY, May 2022

IEEE 2024 Long Island Systems Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT 2024), Old Westbury, NY, November 2024

# **Proceedings Chair**

IEEE Long Island Systems Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT 2010), Farmingdale, NY, May 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2024

Student Activities Chair

IEEE International Geosciences and Remote Sensing Symposium, IGARSS 10, Honolulu, HI, July 2010 IEEE International Geosciences and Remote Sensing Symposium, IGARSS 08, Boston, MA, July 2008 Selection Committee, New Jersey Technology Council Mid Atlantic Imaging Symposium, 2009, 2010

# Program Committee Member

- 1. Practice and Experience in Advanced Research Computing (PEARC) 2022, 2023
- 2. ACM Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education (SIGCSE) Senior Member 2021, 2022, 2023
- 3. ACM Innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education (ITiCSE) 2021, 2022, Senior Member 2023, 2024
- 4. International Conference on Sustainable Information Engineering and Technology (SIET) 2022
- ACM Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges Northeastern Region 2019 (CCSNE) 2018, 2019, 2022
- 6. SPIE High-Performance Computing in Remote Sensing (RS12), Remote Sensing Europe Symposium, 2012, Edinburgh, United Kingdom
- 7. SPIE High-Performance Computing in Remote Sensing (RS 11), Remote Sensing Europe Symposium, 2011, Prague, Czech Republic
- 8. IEEE Long Island Systems Applications and Technology Conference (LISAT 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019), Farmingdale, NY, USA
- IASTED Imaging and Signal Processing in Healthcare and Technology (ISPHT 2011, 2012), Washington DC, USA
- 10. IASTED International Conference on Signal Processing, Pattern Recognition and Applications (SPPRA 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013), Innsbruck, Austria
- 11. IASTED International Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing and Networks, (PDCN 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2016), Innsbruck, Austria
- 12. ACIS International Conference on Software Engineering Research, Management and Applications (SERA2009), Haiku, China
- 13. International Conference on Signal Processing and Multimedia Applications (SIGMAP 2009), Milan, Italy
- 14. IASTED International Conference on Visualization, Imaging and Image Processing, (VIIP 2006, 2007, 2008), Palma de Mallorca, Spain
- 15. IASTED International Conference on Signal and Image Processing (SIP 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013), Honolulu, HI
- 16. IASTED International Conference on Graphics and Visualization in Engineering, (GVE), Clearwater, FL, January 2007
- 17. IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Symposium, (IGARSS), 2006, 2008

- 18. First ACIS International Workshop on E-Learning Technologies: Experiences and Challenges (ELTEC 06), Las Vegas, NV, June 2006
- 19. World Multi-Conference on Systemics, Cybernetics and Informatics (WMSCI 2006, 2007), Orlando, FL
- 20. International Symposium on Optics, Informatics and Cyber-Technologies (OIC 2006), Orlando, FL, July 2006

# **Professional Reviews**

#### Grants

National Science Foundation – over 20 Panels – 2004, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2016, 2017, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 (including BigData, Career, CSSI, Cyber- Enabled Discovery, CyberTraining, IGMS, Midscale, MRI, RET, REU, SCH), site visits and ad hoc reviews

Department of Energy Office of Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR) 2021, 2022 NASA Postdoctoral Program (NPP) - 2012

Promotion and Tenure Reviewer

US University – Fall 2012, US University – Fall 2012, US University – Fall 2023

# Scholarships

Richard Tapia Celebration of Diversity in Computing Conference Scholarships 2021, 2022, 2024 Barry Goldwater Scholarship

#### Journals

- 1. IEEE Transactions on Geosciences and Remote Sensing 2003-present
- 2. IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Letters 2003-present
- 3. IEEE Transactions on Biomedical Engineering 2003-present
- 4. IEEE Journal of Sel. Top. in App. Earth Observations and Remote Sensing 2010-present
- 5. IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks 2003-present
- 6. IEEE Journal of Sel. Top. In Signal Processing 2014-present
- 7. IEEE Signal Processing Magazine 2010-present
- 8. IEEE Access 2022 present
- 9. SPIE Optical Engineering 2003-present
- 10. SPIE Journal of Applied Remote Sensing 2007 present
- 11. SPIE Journal of Medical Imaging 2021 present
- 12. SPIE Journal of Electronic Imaging 2021 present
- 13. Canadian Journal of Remote Sensing 2003-present
- 14. International Journal of Remote Sensing 2003-present
- 15. Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing 2003-present
- 16. Journal of Real Time Image Processing 2008-present
- 17. Journal of Information Fusion 2008-present
- 18. Sensors 2009 present
- 19. Journal of Franklin Institute 2010 present
- 20. The Oxford Computer Journal 2012-present
- 21. Information Systems Research 2012-present
- 22. Journal of Next Generation Information Technology 2014-present
- 23. International Journal of Electrical and Computer Engineering (IJECE) 2021-present
- 24. Journal of Child and Family Studies 2019-present
- 25. Journal of King Saud University Computer and Information Sciences 2021- present
- 26. International Journal of Production Research 2021- present
- 27. Agronomy 2021-present
- 28. ACM Computer Reviews 2006 present

## Conference

- 1. International Conference on Computer, Electrical & Communication Engineering-ICCECE 2023
- 2. Eurographics Conference on Visualization, EuroVis 2013
- 3. The Int Joint Conf on Comp Vision, Imaging and Computer Graphics Theory and Applications, VISAPP 2012
- 4. The 5th International Symposium on Bio- and Medical Informatics and Cybernetics: BMIC 2011, 2013

- 5. IEEE International Symposium on Signals, Circuits and Systems (ISSCS) 2007
- 6. ACM Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education (SIGCSE) 2004-2016
- 7. ACM Innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education (ITiCSE) 2005-13
- 8. Frontiers in Education Conference (FIE) 2005, 2006
- 9. Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges, Eastern Conference (CCSCE) 2005
- 10. Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges, North Eastern Conference (CCSCNE) 2005, 2006
- 11. World Multi-Conference on Systemics, Cybernetics and Informatics (WMSCI) 2004, 2005, 2006
- 12. 4Th WSEAS Int Conf on Soft Computing, Computing, Opt, Simulation and Manufacturing (SOSM), 2004
- 13. International Conference on Computing, Communications and Control Technologies: (CCCT), 2004
- 14. Int Conference on Cybernetics and Information Technologies, Systems and Applications: (CITSA), 2004

# Associate Memberships

Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)	2002 – present
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)	2002 – present
IEEE Geoscience and Remote Sensing Society (IEEE – GRSS)	2002 – present
Educause, Basic Member	2006 – present