Alex H. Barnett

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RESEARCH FOCUS

- Numerical analysis, scientific computing, partial differential equations: Helmholtz equation, high frequency and/or high order accuracy; eigenvalue, wave scattering and periodic problems; corner singularities, integral equations, fast algorithms.
- Mathematical physics: quantum chaos and ergodicity, Laplacian eigenfunctions, scarring, billiards.
- Applied mathematics: mathematical ecology (animal home range modeling), inverse problems in imaging (diffuse optical tomography), mathematics of music.

EDUCATION

Harvard University. Ph. D. in Physics: Dissipation in Deforming Chaotic Billiards October 2000

Thesis advisor: Eric J. Heller

Cambridge University, England. B. A. (First class) in Theoretical Physics

Undergraduate thesis advisor: David J. C. MacKay

June 1994

POSITIONS

Associate Professor. 2011–present

Department of Mathematics, Dartmouth College, NH

Assistant Professor. 2005–2011

Department of Mathematics, Dartmouth College, NH

Courant Instructor / Assistant Professor.

2002 - 2005

Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, New York University, NY

Postdoctoral Research Fellow. February—August 2002

Photon Migration Imaging Laboratory, Dept. of Radiology, Harvard Medical School, Charlestown, MA

Head Teaching Fellow. January–June 2001

Department of Physics, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

Consultant. November–December 2000

TrueWind Solutions LLC, Lowell, MA

Teaching Fellow.

Department of Physics, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- Neukom Institute CompX Faculty Grant, co-PI, award amount \$25,000
 "Efficient numerical solution of electromagnetic scattering from periodic arrays of cylindrically symmetric objects"
- National Science Foundation, Grant DMS-1216656, PI, award amount \$180,000 2012–2015 "Next-generation integral equation methods for wave scattering and propagation in periodic structures"
- Elizabeth R. and Robert A. Jeffe 1972 Fellowship, Dartmouth College

2011

•	Karen E. Wetterhahn Memorial Award for Distinguished Creative or Scholarly Achievement,	
	Dartmouth College	2011
•	Burke Initiation Award, Dartmouth College	2011
•	National Science Foundation, Grant DMS-1005360, co-PI, award amount \$42,355	2010
	Funding support for International Conference on Spectral Geometry	
•	The Class of 1962 Faculty Fellowship, Dartmouth College	2010

- National Science Foundation, Grant DMS-0811005, PI, award amount \$310,517 2008–2011 "Efficient spectrally accurate global basis methods for high frequency wave scattering, eigenmodes, and photonics"
- National Science Foundation, Grant DMS-0507614, PI, award amount \$102,520 2005–2008 "High frequency cavity eigenmodes: rapid computation methods, applications and asymptotics"
- Courant Instructorship, New York University 2002–2005
- Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching Fall 1997, Spring 2001 and Fall 2001
- Harold T White Prizes, teaching introductory physics, Harvard Physics Department 1996 and 1997
- Kennedy Scholarship, Kennedy Memorial Trust, London 1994
- Hockin Prize, Duchess of Somerset Scholarships, St John's College, Cambridge 1993 and 1994
- XXI International Physics Olympiad, First Prize of 155 entrants, Groningen, The Netherlands 1990

PUBLICATIONS

Journal publications:

- [28] "Robust computation of Dirichlet eigenvalues using the Fredholm determinant," L. Zhao and A. H. Barnett, in preparation (2013)
- [27] "Robust and high-order accurate three-dimensional acoustic scattering from doubly-periodic structures," A. H. Barnett, L. Greengard, and Z. Gimbutas, in preparation (2013)
- [26] "Spectrally-accurate quadratures for evaluation of layer potentials close to the boundary for the 2D Stokes and Laplace equations," A. H. Barnett, S. Veerapaneni, and B. Wu, in preparation (2013)
- [25] "A spectrally accurate direct solution technique for frequency-domain scattering problems with variable media," A. Gillman, A. H. Barnett, and P.G. Martinsson, 29 pages, submitted, BIT Numer. Math. (2013)
- [24] "Evaluation of layer potentials close to the boundary for Laplace and Helmholtz problems on analytic planar domains," A. H. Barnett, 22 pages, in press, SIAM J. Sci. Comput. (2013)
- [23] "High-order accurate Nyström discretization of integral equations with weakly singular kernels on smooth curves in the plane," S. Hao, A. H. Barnett, P. G. Martinsson, and P. Young, 23 pages, in press, Adv. Comput. Math. (2013)
- [22] "A fast direct solver for quasiperiodic scattering problems," A. Gillman and A. H. Barnett, 18 pages, J. Comput. Phys. 248 309–322 (2013)
- [21] "Quadrature by expansion: a new method for the evaluation of layer potentials," A. Klöckner, A. H. Barnett, L. Greengard, and M. O'Neil, *J. Comput. Phys.* **252** 332–349 (2013)
- [20] "Fast computation of high frequency Dirichlet eigenmodes via the spectral flow of the interior Neumannto-Dirichlet map," A. H. Barnett and A. Hassell, arxiv:1112.5665, 48 pages, in press, Comm. Pure Appl. Math. (2013)
- [19] "Boundary quasi-orthogonality and sharp inclusion bounds for large Dirichlet eigenvalues," A. H. Barnett and A. Hassell, SIAM J. Numer. Anal. 49, 1046–1063 (2011)
- [18] "A new integral representation for quasi-periodic scattering problems in two dimensions," A. H. Barnett and L. Greengard, *BIT Numer. Math.* **51**, 67–90 (2011)
- [17] "A few more words about James Tenney: dissonant counterpoint and statistical feedback," L. Polansky, A. H. Barnett, and M. Winter, J. Math. Music, 5 (2), 63–82 (2011)

- [16] "A new integral representation for quasi-periodic fields and its application to two-dimensional band structure calculations," A. H. Barnett and L. Greengard, J. Comput. Phys., 229 (19), 6898–6914 (2010)
- [15] "An exponentially convergent nonpolynomial finite element method for time-harmonic scattering from polygons," A. H. Barnett and T. Betcke, SIAM J. Sci. Comput. 32 (3), 1417–1441 (2010)
- [14] "Perturbative analysis of the Method of Particular Solutions for improved inclusion of high-lying Dirichlet eigenvalues," A. H. Barnett, SIAM J. Numer. Anal. 47, 1952–1970 (2009)
- [13] "Stability and convergence of the Method of Fundamental Solutions for Helmholtz problems on analytic domains," A. H. Barnett and T. Betcke, J. Comput. Phys. 227 (14), 7003–7026 (2008)
- [12] "Analytic steady-state space use patterns and rapid computations in mechanistic home range analysis," A. H. Barnett and P. R. Moorcroft, J. Math. Biol. 57 (1), 139–159 (2008)
- [11] "Quantum mushroom billiards," A. H. Barnett and T. Betcke, CHAOS 17, 043125, 13 pages (2007)
- [10] "Mechanistic home range models and resource selection analysis: a reconciliation and unification," P. R. Moorcroft and A. H. Barnett, *Ecology* **89** (4), 1112–1119 (2008)
- [9] "Asymptotic rate of quantum ergodicity in chaotic Euclidean billiards," A. H. Barnett, Comm. Pure Appl. Math. 59, 1457–1488 (2006)
- [8] "Effective scattering coefficient of the cerebral spinal fluid in adult head models for Diffuse Optical Imaging", A. Custo, W. M. Wells III, A. H. Barnett, E. M. C. Hillman, and D. A. Boas, Applied Optics 45, 4747–55 (2006)
- [7] "A fast numerical method for time-resolved photon diffusion in general stratified turbid media," A. H. Barnett, J. Comput. Phys. **201**, 771–797 (2004)
- [6] "Robust inference of baseline optical properties of the human head with 3D segmentation from magnetic resonance imaging," A. H. Barnett, J. P. Culver, A. G. Sorensen, A. M. Dale, and D. A. Boas, Applied Optics 42, 3095–3108 (2003)
- [5] "Parametric evolution for a deformed cavity," D. Cohen, A. H. Barnett, and E. J. Heller, Phys. Rev. E 63, 046207, 12 pages (2001)
- [4] "Mesoscopic scattering in the half-plane: squeezing conductance through a small hole," A. H. Barnett,
 M. Blaauboer, A. Mody, and E. J. Heller, Phys. Rev. B 63, 245312/1 (2001)
- [3] "Rate of energy absorption for a driven chaotic cavity," A. H. Barnett, D. Cohen, and E. J. Heller, J. Phys. A 34, 413–437 (2001)
- [2] "Deformations and dilations of chaotic billiards: dissipation rate, and quasi-orthogonality of the boundary wavefunctions," A. H. Barnett, D. Cohen, and E. J. Heller, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **85**, 1412–15 (2000)
- [1] "Substrate-based atom waveguide using guided two-color evanescent light fields," A. H. Barnett, S. P. Smith, M. Olshanii, K. S. Johnson, A. W. Adams, M. Prentiss, *Phys. Rev. A* **61**, 023608, 11 pages (2000)

Conference proceedings, technical reports:

"New tools for the high-order solution of frequency-domain wave scattering problems at high frequencies and in periodic geometries," A. H. Barnett, Report for Oberwolfach Workshop, 4 pages (2013)

"Estimates on Neumann eigenfunctions at the boundary, and the 'Method of Particular Solutions' for computing them," A. Hassell and A. H. Barnett, *Spectral Geometry* (P. S. P. M. proceedings of the International Conference on Spectral Geometry, July 2010, Dartmouth College), 195–210 (2012)

"Robust high-order numerical scattering from multi-layer dielectric gratings using a new integral representation for quasi-periodic fields," A. H. Barnett and L. Greengard, extended abstract, WAVES2011 The 10th International Conference on Mathematical and Numerical Aspects of Wave Propagation (4 pages).

"Tensor product of kernel models," O. de la Cruz, A. H. Barnett, H. Tang, and S. Holmes, NIPS extended abstract, 4 pages (2010).

"Accurate and robust computation of photonic crystal band structure using second-kind integral equations," A. H. Barnett and L. Greengard, extended abstract, Proceedings of WAVES2009: The 9th International Conference on Mathematical and Numerical Aspects of Wave Propagation, 2 pages (2009).

"Quasi-orthogonality on the boundary for Euclidean Laplace eigenfunctions," A. H. Barnett, preprint, math-ph/0601006, available at http://arxiv.org, 21 pages (2004).

"Bayesian estimation of optical properties of the human head via 3D structural MRI," A. H. Barnett, J. P. Culver, A. G. Sorensen, A. M. Dale, and D. A. Boas, *Proc. SPIE* **5138**, 9 pages (2003)

"Bayesian Comparison of Models for Images," A. H. Barnett and D. J. C. MacKay, in *Maximum Entropy and Bayesian Methods*, Proceedings of MAXENT94 (Kluwer, 1996), p. 239–248

Books:

Spectral Geometry (P. S. P. M. proceedings of the International Conference on Spectral Geometry, July 2010, Dartmouth College). Editors: A. H. Barnett, C. S. Gordon, P. A. Perry, and A. Uribe. 339 pages (2012)

Software:

MPSpack (coauthor T. Betcke, Reading, UK). A MATLAB toolbox to solve Helmholtz and scattering problems with particular solutions and integral equations (tutorial 45 pages, manual 38 pages); downloaded at least 700 times (2009-2012). Freely available at http://code.google.com/p/mpspack

Other codes for numerical solution of PDEs freely available at http://math.dartmouth.edu/~ahb/software

Partial list of researchers using these codes: B. Osting (UCLA), N. Nigam (SFU), M. Ganesh (Colorado Mines), D. Boas (Harvard), M. Porter (Oxford), M. Wright (ISVR, UK), P. Doyle (Dartmouth)

Publicity / outreach / education:

"convolution: son et lumière", A. H. Barnett, issue 01 of Convolution. A journal for experimental criticism, 4 pages (2011).

Computed eigenmodes for integrable and chaotic billiards, appearing in: P. Sarnak, "Recent progress on QUE" (2009); D. Mackenzie, What's Happening in the Mathematical Sciences, Volume 8 (AMS, 2011); S.-Y. Koyama, From primes and zetas to arithmetic quantum chaos (Nihon Hyoronsha, 2010); and S.-Y. Koyama, "Arithmetic quantum chaos and zeta functions", Suurikagaku, **571** (2011)

Cover of *Notices of the American Mathematical Society*, January 2008. I created all images (modes 1, 10, 10², 10³, 10⁴, 10⁵ of a planar chaotic cavity), and eigenvalue data for article "Quantum Chaos" by Z. Rudnick.

Quantum chaos research featured in "A Decade of Science at Dartmouth", W. Schpero and C. Chiang, Dartmouth Undergraduate Journal of Science, Spring 2008.

INVITED RESEARCH TALKS

SIAM Annual meeting, minisymposium, Chigaco	July 2014
Integral Equations Methods: Fast Algorithms and Applications, BIRS, Banff	December 2013
Numerical analysis and PDE seminar, U. of Delaware	November 2013
Colloquium, U. of Arizona, Tuscon, AZ	November 2013
Colloquium, Mathematics Dept, Tufts University	September 2013
Physics Colloquium, UMass Boston	April 2013
Middlebury College, VT	April 2013
Applied Mathematics Seminar, NJIT, Newark, NJ	March 2013
SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Boston	February 2013
Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU	February 2013

Widely Applied Math Seminar, DEAS, Harvard	January 2013
Oberwolfach Workshop on Computational Electromagnetism and Acoustics. MFO, G	Sermany January 2013
Applied Math Colloquium, U. Michigan	November 2012
Integrated Applied Mathematics Seminar, UNH.	November 2012
Applications of Integral Equation Methods, minisymposium, SIAM Annual Meeting, N	Minneapolis July 2012
Workshop on $Geometry$ of $eigenvalues$ and $eigenfunctions$, CRM, Univ. de Montréal	June 2012
Challenges in Geometry, Analysis, and Computation, Yale University, (poster)	June 2012
Frontiers in Computational and Applied Mathematics, NJIT, Newark, NJ	May 2012
Analysis/PDE Seminar, UNC Chapel Hill	April 2012
Mathematical Physics and Harmonic Analysis Seminar, Texas A&M University	February 2012
Modern Numerical Methods for Waves: Periodic Geometries, ICIAM, Vancouver	July 2011
WAVES2011, Vancouver (contributed talk)	July 2011
Applied and Computational Mathematics Seminar, Dartmouth May 2011; January	y 2012; February 2012
New England Numerical Analysis Day, UMass Dartmouth	April 2011
CSC Seminar, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC	March 2011
Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU	January 2011
Applied Mathematics and Computational Science Colloquium, U. Penn	January 2011
Conference in honor of 65th birthday of Eric Heller, ITAMP, Harvard	October 2010
Integral Equation Methods, Fast Algorithms and Applications, IMA workshop, Minnes	sota August 2010
Frontiers in Computational and Applied Mathematics, NJIT, Newark, NJ	May 2010
Numerical solution of the Painlevé equations, ICMS, Edinburgh, UK	May 2010
Applied Analysis Seminar, Louisiana State University	March 2009
Dartmouth Mathematics Colloquium	November 2009
MIT Applied Mathematics Colloquium	November 2009
Computational Optical Sensing and Imaging Seminar, CU Boulder	September 2009
Topological Complexity of Random Sets, AIM workshop, Palo Alto	August 2009
WAVES2009, Pau, France (contributed talk)	June 2009
Colloquium & PDE/Analysis Seminar (two separate talks), ANU, Canberra, Australi	fa February 2009
Laplacian Eigenvalues & Eigenfunctions: Theory, Computation, Application, IPAM,	UCLA February 2009
Workshop on Numerical and Analytical Methods for Wave Scattering, Manchester, U.	K June 2008
Workshop on quantum chaos, CRM (Univ. de Montréal)	June 2008
Frontiers in Computational and Applied Mathematics, NJIT, Newark, NJ (contribute	ed poster) May 2008
McGill Applied Mathematics Seminar, Montreal	March 2008
Applied Mathematics Seminar, U. Delaware	November 2007
Numerical analysis seminar, Manchester, UK	July 2007
Three separate mini-symposium talks, ICIAM, Zurich	July 2007
PDE/Analysis Seminar, ANU, Canberra, Australia	February 2007
Heller Group Seminar, Physics Department, Harvard	December 2006
Applied Mathematics Seminar, UMass Amherst, MA	November 2006

Dartmouth Physics Colloquium	October 2006
SIAM Annual Meeting, Boston (contributed talk)	July 2006
Joint MIT/Harvard Analysis Seminar	March 2006
Computations in Science Seminar, U. Chicago	November 2005
Institute of Sound and Vibration Research, Southamption University, UK	June 2005
Computational Mathematics and Applications Seminar, Computing Laboratory, Oxford, U	
Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU	December 2004
Applied Mathematics Colloquium, Columbia University	October 2004
Workshop on Semi-classical Theory of Eigenfunctions and PDEs, CRM (Univ. de Montréa	
Applied Mathematics Seminar, Yale University	March 2004
Applied Mathematics Laboratory Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU	February 2004
European Conference on Biomedical Optics, Munich, Germany (contributed talk)	June 2003
Theoretical & Computational Biology Seminar Series, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, NY	
Applied Mathematics Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU	November 2002
Photon Migration Imaging Seminar, Harvard Medical School	May 2002
Applied Mathematics Laboratory Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU	December 2001
Statistics Seminar, University of Toronto	September 2001
Pan-American Advanced Study Institute on Quantum Chaos, Ushuaia, Argentina	October 2000
14th Maximum Entropy Workshop (MAXENT94), St John's College, Cambridge, England	June 1994
TEACHING	
Dartmouth College (the five new courses I created are shown by asterisks)	
• Math 5: The Mathematics of Music and Sound (for non-majors)* Spring 2007, Fall	2008, 2009, 2011 Summer 2006 Fall 2010
 Math 50: Probability and Statistical Inference Math 23: Differential Equations 	Winter 2006 Fall 2005 2007
• Math 23: Differential Equations	Winter 2006 Fall 2005, 2007 mmer 2012, 2013
 Math 23: Differential Equations Math 147: Graduate Teaching Seminar (with R. Orellana; M. Groszek) 	Fall 2005, 2007
 Math 23: Differential Equations Math 147: Graduate Teaching Seminar (with R. Orellana; M. Groszek) 	Fall 2005, 2007 mmer 2012, 2013
 Math 23: Differential Equations Math 147: Graduate Teaching Seminar (with R. Orellana; M. Groszek) Math 56: Computational and Experimental Mathematics (for majors)* 	Fall 2005, 2007 mmer 2012, 2013
 Math 23: Differential Equations Math 147: Graduate Teaching Seminar (with R. Orellana; M. Groszek) Math 56: Computational and Experimental Mathematics (for majors)* New York University Business Calculus Mathematical Wave Dynamics (new honors VIGRE course, with O. Bühler) Linear Algebra Multivariable Calculus 	Fall 2005, 2007 mmer 2012, 2013 pring 2013, 2014 Fall 2004 Spring 2004 Fall 2003 Spring 2003

• Mechanics (TA)	Fall 1996, 1997
• Principles of Physics (TA)	Summer 1996
• Introductory Mechanics and Relativity (TA)	Spring 1996
• Mechanics and Special Relativity (TA)	Fall 1995

MENTORING

Postdoctoral:

Adrianna Gillman (JWY Instructor)

Min Hyung Cho (IACM Instructor)

July 2011–July 2014

July 2012–July 2015

Graduate students:

Yuxiang (Larry) Liu (Ph. D. expected '16; Physics)

Dec 2012—present

 $Electromagnetic\ scattering\ from\ periodic\ arrays\ of\ bodies\ of\ revolution$

Lin Zhao (Ph. D. expected '15)

May 2012–present

Integral equation methods for Laplace eigenvalue problems

Matt Mahoney (Ph. D. '09; advisor for one year only)

Global numerical methods for eigenmodes with gravity

July 2006–July 2007

Undergraduate students:

John Conley '15 (Presidential Scholar) September 2013–May 2014

Modeling optical waveguides and solar cells

James Brofos '15 (supported by \$4000 from NSF)

June–August 2013

Behavior and solution of layer densities for close-to-touching curves

Ben Southworth '13 (supported by start-up; co-advisor Brenden Epps)

June–July 2013

Stability of the SVD for measurement of eigenfunctions of a linear system

Bradley Nelson '13 (supported by \$4000 Richter Memorial Fund; senior thesis) March 2012–May 2013

Integral equations for waves in variable-index media

Hahn Nguyen '14 (first-year WISP intern, Women in Science Program)

January–June 2011

Accurate evaluation of layer potentials up to the boundary

Kyle Konrad '12 (senior thesis, Neukom Scholar) March 2011–June 2012

Nodal domain counts of chaotic eigenfunctions

Vipul Kakkad '13 (Presidential Scholar)

January–March 2012

Optimization of tubular bell mode frequencies

Taylor Sipple '13 (Presidential Scholar)

June–December 2011

Method of particular solutions for polygon and Dirichlet-Neumann eigenmodes

Kathleen Champion '11 (Presidential Scholar and senior thesis, co-supervisor Amy Gladfelter, Biology)

Three-dimensional tracking of nuclear mitosis

January 2010–May 2011

Zoe Lawrence '10 (senior thesis, with 'high honors', co-supervisor Dorothy Wallace) Spring 2010

The spatiotemporal dynamics of African Cassava Mosaic Disease

Emmanuel Mensah '09 (independent study) Spring 2009

The inverse source problem in medical imaging (published in DUJS, November 2009)

Yong Su '09 (senior thesis, with 'high honors'; Neukom Scholar)

September 2008–March 2009

Computing the capacitance of the unit cube

Evan Tice '09 (computer science major, co-supervisor Amy Gladfelter, Biology) January 2008–June 2009

Automated image tracking of cell movement and division (awarded Kemeny Prize 2008)

Automated image tracking of cell movement and division (awarded Kemeny Prize, 2008)

Chetan Mehta '08 (senior thesis, with 'high honors')

June 2007–May 2008

Optimal optode location in Diffuse Optical Tomography

Chor Lam '08 (Presidential Scholar)

Chaos in billiards

January-June 2008

Vissuta Jiwariyavej '09 (sophomore WISP intern, Women in Science Program)

January-June 2007

A clap can chirp: waves and echoes in the racquetball court

William A. Webb (Caltech, co-advisor Mason Porter)

Summer 2006

A computational study of the quantization of billiards with mixed dynamics

SERVICE TO DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY

Conference organizer:

Organizer (one of four), International Conference on Spectral Geometry, Dartmouth College July 2010

Seminar organizer:

Applied and Computational Mathematics Seminar, Dartmouth (hosted ≥ 60 talks)

May 2006–present

Mathematics education:

Periods, Pitches and Pipes: middle-school music/math teaching module, with Megan Martinez June 2013

The Mathematical Overtones of Music, lecture, JHU Center for Talented Youth, Odyssey Series May 2011

Interactive Learning in the Sciences, session given for DCAL (teaching center)

Cross-disciplinary classroom visits by professional musicians to Math 5, 53

Committee member, Applied Mathematics Qualifying Examination, Lin Zhao

Spring 2012

Committee member, Applied Mathematics Qualifying Examination, Katherine Kinnaird

Spring 2010

Outreach:

Faculty Advisor, Dartmouth SIAM Student Chapter	March 2012–present
Advisory Committee, Leslie Center for the Humanities	Winter 2011–present
Faculty Advisory Board, Dartmouth Undergraduate Journal of Science (DUJS) Fall 2007–present
Adjunct faculty, Physics Department, Dartmouth	2013-present
Affiliated faculty, Electro-Acoustic Music Program, Dartmouth	2007-present
Research talks for Dartmouth Graduate Recruiting Open House	2006, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2013
Research talks for Dartmouth Mathematics Society	2006, 2008, 2009, 2010
Mathematical model building, Dartmouth Mathematics Society	October 2006
First-year advising	Fall 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011
Guest lecturer, Music 3 (Music and Technology), Dartmouth	November 2006

University committees:

Committee on Organization and Policy (elected position)

Committee on Student Life

2013-present
2011-2013

Department committees & duties:

Advisor to Graduate Students 2011-2013 Undergraduate Program Committee 2005, 2008-2010 Recruiting Committee 2007-2008, 2010-2011, 2012-2013 Equipment Committee 2007-2008 Graduate Program Committee 2006–2007, 2012–2013 Mirkil Book Committee 2006 - 2007Graduate Admissions Committee 2005, 2006, 2011 Computing Committee 2005 - 2006

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Conferences & seminar organizer, outreach:

Scientific Committee, International Conference on Mathematical and Numerical Aspects of Wave Propagation (WAVES2013), Tunisia

Organizer (one of five), Integral Equations Methods: Fast Algorithms and Applications, BIRS

Dec 2013

Organizer (one of five), Integral Equations Methods: Fast Algorithms and Applications, BIRS Dec 2013 Organizer (with L. Demanet), minisymposium on high-frequency Helmholtz, SIAM CSE, Boston Feb 2013

Scientific Committee, International Conference on Mathematical and Numerical Aspects of Wave Propagation (WAVES2011), Vancouver, BC

Organizer (with L. Demanet), two minisymposia on numerical waves, ICIAM, Vancouver, BC

Organizer (with J. Zhang), Applied Mathematics Laboratory Seminar, Courant Institute, NYU

2002–2003

Organizer, Creating Careers in Physics series, Harvard Physics Department

1999–2000

Co-organiser, Boston Area Undergraduate Physics Competition

1998–2001

Editorial boards:

Advances in Computational Mathematics

2012-present

Referee, review panels:

SIAM Journal on Scientific Computing, SIAM Journal on Applied Mathematics, SIAM Journal on Numerical Analysis, Journal of Computational Physics, Advances in Computational Mathematics, Notices of the AMS, Communications in Mathematical Physics, Mathematics of Computation, Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications, Inverse Problems, Proceedings of the Royal Society of London A, Journal of Physics A, Engineering Analysis with Boundary Elements, Numerical Functional Analysis and Optimization, Experimental Mathematics, Constructive Approximation, Applied Optics, Waves in Random and Complex Media, Wave Motion, NeuroImage, Journal of Electronic Imaging, Physics in Medicine and Biology, Transactions on Medical Imaging, Journal of the Optical Society of America A, Nonlinear Dynamics, Canadian Journal of Physics, New Journal of Physics, AMS Mathematical Reviews; National Science Foundation.

Member: Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, Optical Society of America.