## ROBERT ANGELO BORRELLI

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR · UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO · IDAHO FALLS CENTER FOR HIGHER EDUCATION NUCLEAR ENGINEERING AND INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

CENTER FOR ADVANCED ENERGY STUDIES · 995 MK SIMPSON BOULEVARD · IDAHO FALLS ID 83401

RBORRELLI@UIDAHO.EDU · @THEDOCTORRAB · 208.533.8122

### **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

University of California-Berkeley · Doctor of Philosophy · Nuclear Engineering	2006
Worcester Polytechnic Institute · Master of Science · Civil/Environmental Engineering	1999
Worcester Polytechnic Institute • Bachelor of Science • Mechanical/Nuclear Engineering	1996

#### RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# University of Idaho - Idaho Falls Center for Higher Education Nuclear Engineering and Industrial Management Department

Associate Professor
Assistant Professor
Sor
Assistant Professor
Coordinator - NPP Decommissioning and Used Fuel Management Certificate
Affiliate - Boise State University Energy Policy Institute
August 2019 - State of Idaho Professional Engineer, Faculty Restricted
August 2019 - October 2019 -

University of California-Berkeley Department of Nuclear Engineering Postdoctorate Researcher 2009-12

The University of Tokyo Department of Nuclear Engineering/Management Research Associate 2007-09

## SELECTED AWARDED PROJECTS

- (1) Michael Haney (PI), R. A. Borrelli (co-PI), Dakota Roberson (co-PI), Constantinos Kolias (co-PI) University of Idaho, Ben Lampe (co-PI), Sean McBride (co-PI) Idaho State University. RADICL upgrade and expansion. Idaho Global Entrepreneurial Mission (IGEM) Higher Education Research Council \$693,000. 2022.07.01 2023.06.30.
- (2) R. A. Borrelli (PI), Michael Haney (co-PI) University of Idaho. Cyber-informed design, education, and training for cyberthreat resiliency with real-time nuclear reactor simulation. University of Idaho. Operation: Resubmission Support. \$34,122. 2022.04.30 2022.09.30.
- (3) Thomas A. Ulrich (PI) Idaho National Laboratory, R. A. Borrelli (co-PI) University of Idaho. User evaluation of the NuScale simulator at the Center for Advanced Energy Studies. CAES programmatic funding. **\$50,000.** 2022.03.01 2022.09.30.
- (4) R. A. Borrelli (PI), Jason Barnes (Senior Adviser) University of Idaho. Experimental determination of interactions between the radiation fields of Dragonfly's MMRTG and Titan's environment. Idaho NASA EPSCoR Research Initiation Grant. 2021.05.01 2022.04.30 **\$82,962**.
- (5) Richard N. Christensen (PI), R. A. Borrelli, Michael G. McKellar, Michael Haney, David Arcilesi (co-PIs) University of Idaho, Richard Jacobson (co-PI) Idaho State University. NuScale Simulator at the Center for Advanced Energy Studies. Department of Energy Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research. \$321,525. 2019.10.01 2022.09.30
- (6) R. A. Borrelli (PI) University of Idaho, Dennis D. Keiser, Jr., (co-PI) Idaho National Laboratory. Graduate Research Assistantship: Connecting U-Mo Fuel Processing, Microstructure, and Irradiation Performance. **\$160,690.** 2018.10.01-2022.01.31
- (7) R. A. Borrelli (PI), Richard N. Christensen (co-PI) University of Idaho, Brian J. Jaques (co-PI) Boise State University, Piyush Sabharwall (co-PI) Idaho National Laboratory, Mark Delligatti (co-PI) Table Rock, LLC, Sakae Casting USA, LLC (co-PI). Modeling and design of borated aluminium cask for used

fuel cooling. Idaho Global Entrepreneurial Mission (IGEM) - Idaho Commerce, \$237,898. 2018.01.01-2019.05.31

(8) R. A. Borrelli (PI), Lee Ostrom (Senior Advisor) - University of Idaho, Stephen G. Johnson (Senior Advisor) - Idaho National Laboratory. Performance assessment of americium as fuel in radioisotope thermoelectric generators for deep space exploration. Idaho NASA EPSCoR Research Initiation Grant. \$55,000, 2017.08.01-2018.04.30

#### RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

\*STUDENTS

- (1) \*Redfoot, Emma K., Verner, Kelley M., Borrelli, R. A., 2022. Applying analytic hierarchy process to industrial process design in a nuclear renewable hybrid energy system. Progress in Nuclear Energy 145, 104083.
- (2) \*Mena, Pedro, Borrelli, R. A., Kerby, Leslie, 2022. Survey of markets for nuclear power in Western North America. International Journal of Energy, Environment, and Economics 29, 17.
- (3) \*Mena, Pedro, Borrelli, R. A., Kerby, Leslie, 2022. Expanded Analysis of Machine Learning Models for Nuclear Transient Identification Using TPOT. Nuclear Engineering and Design 390, 111694.
- (4) \*Redfoot, Emma K., McKellar, Michael G., Borrelli, R. A., 2022. Allocating heat and electricity in an integrated energy system coupled with a water purification system. Nuclear Engineering and Design 397, 111902.
- (5) \*Widdicombe, Teyen, Borrelli, R. A., 2021. MCNP modelling of radiation effects of the Dragonfly mission's RTG on Titan II: Atmospheric ionization effects. Acta Astronautica 186, 517.
- (6) \*Carter, John P., Borrelli, R. A., 2020. Neutron physics study of an integral molten salt reactor using Monte Carlo N-Particle code. Nuclear Engineering and Design 365, 10.1016/j.nucengdes.2020.110718.
- (7) \*Peterson, John, Haney, Michael, Borrelli, R. A., 2019. An overview of methodologies for cyber security vulnerability assessments conducted in nuclear power plants. Nuclear Engineering and Design 346, 75.
- (8) \*Lee, Jieun, Borrelli, R. A., 2019. Sensitivity analysis and application of advanced nuclear accounting methodologies on the high reliability safeguards model: Use of discrete event simulation for material throughput in fuel fabrication. Nuclear Engineering and Design 345, 183.

## RELEVANT COURSES TAUGHT

# University of Idaho - Idaho Falls Center for Higher Education - Nuclear Engineering Program

NE527: Nuclear material storage, transport, disposal

NE535: Nuclear Criticality Safety I & II

TM529: Risk Assessment

NE450: Principles of Nuclear Engineering

University of California-Berkeley - Department of Nuclear Engineering

E124: Ethics and the Impact of Technology on Society

The University of Tokyo - Department of Nuclear Engineering/Management

**Technical English for Scientists** 

Diablo Valley Community College (CA) - Department of Architecture and Engineering

ENGIN110: Introduction to Engineering

# **SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES**

- (1) American Nuclear Society University of Idaho Student Section Faculty Advisor
- (2) American Nuclear Society National Program Committee and Screening Committee
- (3) Idaho Section of the American Nuclear Society Treasurer; Coordinator Smoke Detector Donations