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Professional Interests

Experiential learning in engineering education. Design and fabrication of medical devices. Bio-inspired engineering and design. Additive manufacturing.

Education

2013	PhD Mechanical Engineering, University of Minnesota - Twin Cities
2011	MS Mechanical Engineering, University of Minnesota - Twin Cities
	Minor: Biomedical Engineering
2008	BS Mechanical Engineering, University of Wisconsin - Madison

Academic Positions

2014-present	Program Director , Manufacturing Engineering, University of Wisconsin - Stout
2012-present	Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin - Stout
2012	Adjunct Faculty, University of St. Thomas
2011 – 2012	Lab Supervisor, Medical Devices Center
2010 – 2012	Teaching Assistant, University of Minnesota - Twin Cities
2008 – 2012	Graduate Research Assistant, University of Minnesota - Twin Cities

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- Z. G. Liu, D. R. Berg, V. N. Vasys, M. E. Dettmann, B. Zielinska, and J. J. Schauer. Analysis of C1, C2, and C10 through C33 particle-phase and semi-volatile organic compound emissions from heavy-duty diesel engines. *Atmospheric Environment*, 44(8):1108–1115, 2010
- Z. G. Liu, D. R. Berg, T. A. Swor, J. J. Schauer, and B. Zielinska. A study on the emissions of chemical species from heavy-duty diesel engines and the effects of modern aftertreatment technology. SAE Technical Paper Series 2009-01-1084, 2009
- 2009 J. Schmidt, D. R. Berg, L. Ploeg, and H. L. Ploeg. Precision, repeatability and accuracy of optotrak optical motion tracking systems. *International Journal of Experimental and Computational Biomechanics*, 1(1):114–127, 2009
- Z. G. Liu, D. R. Berg, and J. J. Schauer. Effects of a zeolite-selective catalytic reduction system on comprehensive emissions from a heavy-duty diesel engine.

 Journal of the Air & Waste Management Association, 58(10), 2008
- Z. G. Liu, D. R. Berg, T. A. Swor, and J. J. Schauer. Comparative analysis on the effects of diesel particulate filter and selective catalytic reduction systems on a wide spectrum of chemical species emissions. *Environmental Science and Technology*, 42(16):6080–6085, 2008
- Z. G. Liu, D. R. Berg, and J. J. Schauer. An analysis of methods for measuring particulate matter mass emissions. *SAE Technical Paper Series 2008-01-1748*, 2008
- Z. G. Liu, D. R. Berg, and J. J. Schauer. Detailed effects of a diesel particulate filter on the reduction of chemical species emissions. SAE Technical Paper Series 2008-01-0333, 2008

Invited Talks

- 2014 D. R. Berg. HandsOnMechanics.org: A repository for demonstrations and other resources to promote best practices in the mechanics classroom. In *Proceedings of the 2014 ASEE Annual Conference*, Indianapolis, IN, 2014. ASEE
- D. R. Berg. Surgical robotics under fluid power. In *Proceedings of the 2013 Design of Medical Devices Conference*, Minneapolis, MN, 2013. ASME
- D. R. Berg, P. Y. Li, and A. G. Erdman. Achieving dexterous manipulation for minimally invasive surgical robots through the use of hydraulics. In *Proceedings* of the 2012 ASME Dynamic Systems and Control Conference, Fort Lauderdale, FL, 2012. ASME. (Best Paper in Session)
- D. R. Berg, P. Y. Li, A. G. Erdman, T. Cui, and T. P. Kinney. Robotic, multiarticulated endoscopic surgical tools for natural orifice translumenal endoscopic surgery. In *Doctoral Consortium for Medical Simulation and Robotics, American* College of Surgeons Accredited Education Institutes Consortium, Chicago, IL, 2010

Peer-Reviewed Conference Proceedings

- D. R. Berg. Evaluation of student learning outcomes due to self-guided engineering analysis of surroundings. In *Proceedings of the 2014 ASEE Annual Conference*, Indianapolis, IN, 2014. ASEE. Mechanics Division Best Paper Award
- D. R. Berg. Experiences with inquiry-based learning in an introductory mechanics course. In *Proceedings of the 2013 ASEE North Midwest Section Conference*, pages 318–324, Fargo, ND, 2013. ASEE
- F. Capaldi and D. R. Berg. Outcomes of using an infinitely explorable online learning system. In *Proceedings of the 2013 ASEE Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, 2013. ASEE
- 2012 D. R. Berg, L. A. Harder, and A. G. Erdman. Generating interest in technology and medical devices through an interactive educational game. In *Proceedings of the 2012 ASEE Annual Conference*, San Antonio, TX, 2012. ASEE
- 2011 D. R. Berg, T. P. Kinney, P. Y. Li, and A. G. Erdman. Determination of surgical robot tool force requirements through tissue manipulation and suture force measurement. In *Proceedings of the 2011 Design of Medical Devices Conference*, Minneapolis, MN, 2011. ASME
- 2011 D. R. Berg, A. Carlson, W. K. Durfee, R. M. Sweet, and T. Reihsen. Low-cost, take-home, beating heart simulator for health-care education. In *Proceedings of Medicine Meets Virtual Reality 18*, Newport Beach, CA, 2011

Poster Presentations

- D. R. Berg, P. Y. Li, A. G. Erdman, T. Cui, and T. P. Kinney. The application of fluid power to meet the needs of surgical robotics. Minneapolis, MN, 2010. LifeScience Alley Conference & Expo
- D. R. Berg, P. Y. Li, A. G. Erdman, T. Cui, and T. P. Kinney. The application of fluid power to meet the needs of surgical robotics. Seattle, WA, 2010. North American Summer School in Surgical Robotics and Simulation
- D. R. Berg, P. Y. Li, A. G. Erdman, T. Cui, and T. P. Kinney. Robotic Multi-Articulated Surgical Tools for NOTES. Minneapolis, MN, 2009. Institute for Engineering in Medicine Innovation Showcase

Honors and Awards

2008–2012 | 3M Science and Technology Fellowship

Grants - Awarded

- D. R. Berg and W. Stary. STEPS for Girls and FIRST LEGO League Competition at the University of Wisconsin-Stout. Xcel Energy Foundation, 2014. Amount Requested: \$9,000
- D. R. Berg. Professional Development: Presentation at the 2014 American Society for Engineering Education Annual Conference. University of Wisconsin Stout, 2013. Amount Awarded: \$1,550
- 2013 D. R. Berg. Initiation Grant: Design and Control of a Desktop Laser Welder Positioning System. University of Wisconsin Stout Discovery Center, 2013. Amount Awarded: \$15,834

Grants - Submitted, Not Awarded

- F. M. Capaldi and D. R. Berg. An Intelligent Infinitely Explorable Online Learning Environment (Re-Submission. National Science Foundation STTR Phase I, 2014. Amount Requested: \$223,734 (pending)
- D. R. Berg and F. M. Capaldi. Using Advanced Educational Software for Automated Credentialing. National Science Foundation REE, 2014. Amount Requested: \$110,859 (pending)
- F. M. Capaldi and D. R. Berg. An Intelligent Infinitely Explorable Online Learning Environment. National Science Foundation STTR Phase I, 2013. Amount Requested: \$223,734
- D. R. Berg. Application for Taft Manufacturing Engineering Professorship. University of Wisconsin Stout, 2013. Amount Requested: \$25,325
- M. Veletzos, D. R. Berg, and F. M. Capaldi. Expanding an Online Engineering Learning Environment to a Diverse Population of Learners. National Science Foundation TUES, 2013. Amount Requested: \$599,282
- 2012 D. R. Berg. Professional Development: Evaluation and Presentation of an Infinitely Explorable Online Learning System. University of Wisconsin Stout, 2012. Amount Requested: \$3,094

Service to the Field

2014	Session Moderator: ASEE Annual Conference
2014-present	Reviewer: Soft Robotics, Mary Ann Liebert Inc. Publishers
2013-present	Trustee: handsonmechanics.org (ASEE Mechanics Division
2013-present	Director: ASEE Mechanics Division Executive Committee
2013-present	Reviewer: ASEE Annual Conference
2012-2013	Reviewer: ASME Dynamic Systems and Control Conference

Service to the University of Wisconsin - Stout

2014-present	Member: Educational Activities Committee
2013-present	Alternate: Graduate Education Committee
2013-present	Advisor: Engineers Without Borders UW-Stout Chapter
2013-present	Advisor: Baja SAE UW-Stout Chapter
2013-present	Advisor: UW-Stout Rocketry Club
2013-present	Member: Graduate Faculty
2013-present	Campus Representative: American Society for Engineering Education
2013-present	Member: First Lego League Competition Organizing Committee

Service to the Engineering and Technology Department

2013-present	MS Manufacturing Engineering Advisory Board, member
2012-present	BS Manufacturing Engineering Advisory Board, member
2012-present	Bylaws Revision Committee, member

Undergraduate Student Projects Advised

2014	"Snow Sock: A Device for Achieving Wheelchair Traction in Slippery Conditions"
2014	"Snow Sock: A Device for Achieving Wheelchair Traction in Slippery Conditions"
2014	"An Add-On to Provide Automated Coffee Grinding to a Manual Burr Grinder"
2013 – 2014	"Design of a GUI and Positioning Control System for a Desktop Laser Welder"
2013	"Laser Welding Process Characterization"

Professional Development Activities

2014	OPID Faculty College
2014-present	NTLC Teaching Champions Program
2014	University Teaching 101, Johns Hopkins University, course completed
2014	Heart and Soul of Teaching Workshop, Nakatani Teaching and Learning Center
2013	Writing in the Sciences, Stanford University, course completed with distinction
2012 – 2013	First Year Faculty Program
2012	Attendance at 2012 ASEE North Midwest Section Conference
2012	New Instructor Workshop

Affiliations

Engineers Without Borders - USA American Society for Engineering Education American Society of Mechanical Engineers Pi Tau Sigma (Honorary Mechanical Engineering Society) Tau Beta Pi (Honorary Engineering Society)

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