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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	<b>PhD Mechanical Engineering</b> , University of Minnesota - Twin Cities
2011	<b>MS Mechanical Engineering</b> , University of Minnesota - Twin Cities Minor: Biomedical Engineering
2008	<b>BS Mechanical Engineering</b> , University of Wisconsin - Madison

## Academic Positions

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

## Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2010 | 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
- 2009 | 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
- 2008 | 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
- 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
- 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
- 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

- 2013 | D. R. Berg. Surgical robotics under fluid power. In *Proceedings of the 2013 Design of Medical Devices Conference*, Minneapolis, MN, 2013. ASME
- 2012 | 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)
- 2010 | D. R. Berg, P. Y. Li, A. G. Erdman, T. Cui, and T. P. Kinney. Robotic, multi-articulated endoscopic surgical tools for natural orifice transluminal 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

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| 2014 | D. R. Berg. Evaluation of student learning outcomes due to self-guided engineering analysis of surroundings. In <i>Proceedings of the 2014 ASEE Annual Conference</i> , Indianapolis, IN, 2014. ASEE. Accepted   |
| 2013 | D. R. Berg. Experiences with inquiry-based learning in an introductory mechanics course. In <i>Proceedings of the 2013 ASEE North Midwest Section Conference</i> , pages 318–324, Fargo, ND, 2013. ASEE  |
| 2013 | F. Capaldi and D. R. Berg. Outcomes of using an infinitely explorable online learning system. In <i>Proceedings of the 2013 ASEE Annual Conference</i> , 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 <i>Proceedings of the 2012 ASEE Annual Conference</i> , 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 <i>Proceedings of the 2011 Design of Medical Devices Conference</i> , Minneapolis, MN, 2011. ASME |
| 2011 | D. R. Berg, A. Carlson, W. K. Durfee, R. M. Sweet, and T. Reihlsen. Low-cost, take-home, beating heart simulator for health-care education. In <i>Proceedings of Medicine Meets Virtual Reality 18</i> , Newport Beach, CA, 2011   |

## Poster Presentations

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| 2010 | 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                          |
| 2010 | 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 |
| 2009 | 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

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| 2008–2012 | 3M Science and Technology Fellowship |
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## Grants - Awarded

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| 2013 | 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: \$14,209             |

## Grants - Submitted, Not Awarded

2014	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 (pending)
2014	D. R. Berg and F. M. Capaldi. Using Advanced Educational Software for Automated Credentialing. National Science Foundation - REE, 2014. Amount Requested: \$110,859 (pending)
2013	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
2013	D. R. Berg. Application for Taft Manufacturing Engineering Professorship. University of Wisconsin - Stout, 2013. Amount Requested: \$25,325
2013	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–present	Reviewer: Soft Robotics, Mary Ann Liebert Inc. Publishers
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–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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