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## EDUCATION

- **Ph.D. Applied Mathematics.** University of Washington (1999). Thesis : “A Cartesian grid method for solving the streamfunction vorticity equations in irregular geometries”. Thesis advisor: Prof. Randall J. LeVeque.
- **M.S. Mathematics.** University of Washington, Seattle, WA. (1988). Master’s degree specialization in optimization. Advisor : Prof. James Burke.
- **B.A. Mathematics.** Pomona College, Claremont, CA. (1985)

## ACADEMIC RESEARCH POSITIONS

- Professor (2023-present) **Dept. of Mathematics**, Boise State University, Boise, ID.
- Associate Professor (2016-present) **Dept. of Mathematics**, Boise State University, Boise, ID.
- Assistant Professor (2011-2016) **Dept. of Mathematics**, Boise State University, Boise, ID.
- Visiting Researcher (Spring 2019) **Florida State University, Department of Scientific Computing**, Tallahassee, Florida (US). (two month sabbatical visit).
- Visiting Researcher (Spring 2019) **Sorbonne University, Institut Jean le Rond d’Alembert**, Paris, France. (two month sabbatical visit, hosted by Stéphane Popinet).
- Visiting Fellow (Summer 2015) **Isaac Newton Institute for Mathematical Sciences**, Cambridge, England. Program : “Coupling Geometric PDEs with Physics for Cell Morphology, Motility and Pattern Formation”.
- CAES Affiliate Faculty (2012-2014) **Center for Advanced Energy Studies**, Idaho National Laboratory, Idaho Falls, ID.
- Visiting Fellow (Fall 2012) **Isaac Newton Institute for Mathematical Sciences**, Cambridge, England. Program : “Multiscale Numerics for the Ocean and Atmosphere”.
- Acting Assistant Professor (2004 - 2005) **Dept. of Mathematics**, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
- Post-doctoral researcher (2002-2004) **Dept. of Applied Mathematics**, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Work supported by the Department of Energy SciDAC program. Research supervisor: Prof. Randall J. LeVeque.
- Post-doctoral researcher (1999-2002) **Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences**, New York University, NYC, NY. Work supported by the Department of Energy. Research Supervisor: Prof. Marsha Berger.
- Research assistant (1995-1999) **Department of Applied Mathematics**, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Thesis advisor : Prof. Randall J. LeVeque.

- Research assistant (1997-1998) **Program in Geophysics**, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Developed 3d boundary element code for modeling growth of ice crystals in the atmosphere. Work supported by NSF research grant. Research directed by Prof. Marcia Baker.

## GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRY POSITIONS

- Research Engineer (2005 - 2010) **Commissariat l'Énergie Atomique**, *DEN/DM2S/SFME-/LTMF* Saclay, France. Division of Nuclear Energy. Research engineer in computational fluids and mechanics group responsible for modeling hydrogen combustion and multiphase flows. My primary responsibilities include using an adaptive mesh refinement code (CHOMBOCLAW, EBCHOMBO, CLAWPACK) to simulate combustion processes. Head of Laboratory : Alain Bengaouer
- Summer Employee (Summer, 1995) **Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory**, Livermore CA. Center for Computational Sciences and Engineering. Developed tools for adaptive mesh refinement code. Research supervisor : Dr. Ann Almgren.
- Senior Analyst/Programmer (1991 - 1994) Hazardous Material Response and Assessment Division, Western Regional Office, **National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**, Seattle, WA. Supported development of simulation software for modeling accidental release of hazardous materials into the environment, including oil spills, chlorine gas releases and fires involving toxic chemicals.
- Software Developer (1993-1995) **Rogue Wave Software, Inc.** Boulder, CO. Developed SPARSE-MAT.H++, a C++ sparse matrix package. Work done under contract as a consultant to Rogue Wave.
- Director of Applications and Third Party Products (1989-1991) **Aptech Systems, Inc.**, Kent, WA. Developed third-party statistical and mathematical applications for Aptech's scientific programming language GAUSS. Also developed a linear programming package for GAUSS.
- Software Developer (1989 - 1991) **Desktop Photogrammetry, Inc.** San Mateo, CA. Primary developer of PhotoCAD, a system which can be used for photogrammetric reconstruction of objects. Work done under contract as a consultant to Desktop Photogrammetry.

## TEACHING POSITIONS

- Professor (2023-present) **Department of Mathematics**, Boise State University, Boise, Idaho. Courses taught include graduate and undergraduate courses in scientific computing, numerical analysis, complex analysis and linear algebra.
- Associate Professor (2016-2023) **Department of Mathematics**, Boise State University, Boise, Idaho. Courses taught include graduate and undergraduate courses in scientific computing, numerical analysis, complex analysis and linear algebra.
- Assistant Professor (2011-2016) **Department of Mathematics**, Boise State University, Boise, Idaho. Courses taught include graduate and undergraduate courses in scientific computing, numerical analysis, and linear algebra.
- Instructor (Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute, 2013), Instructor in 10 day course on Summer School "The science of predicting and understanding tsunamis, storm surges and tidal phenomena". Gave 3 hour-long lectures and ran lab sessions on finite-volume schemes in the GeoClaw software. Valparaiso, Chile (January 2-13, 2013).
- Instructor (Summer School RTG Short Course, 2011) **Department of Mathematics**, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington. One of two instructors on three week course on finite volume methods for hyperbolic problems. Students are advanced undergraduates and beginning graduate

students and were supported by the University of Washington Research Training Grant on Inverse Problems and Partial Differential Equations. Course taught jointly with Randall J. LeVeque (Dept. of Applied Mathematics, Univ. of Washington). June 20 - July 8, 2011.

- Instructor (2009, 2010) **Institut Galilée**, Department of Mathematics, Université Paris 13, Villetaneuse, France. Instructor for 5 week (15 hours) course on scientific computation, with directed projects. Students are third year engineering students.
- Acting Assistant Professor (2004 - 2005) **Department of Mathematics**, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Instructor for three-quarter sequence in upper division numerical analysis. In addition to theoretical numerical analysis, the course also focused on practical aspects of computational science, including development of skills in Matlab and Fortran programming.
- Instructor (Winter and Fall semesters, 2001) **New York University**. New York, NY. Instructor for the Department of Mathematics. Taught two semesters of pre-calculus. Held lectures in large lecture hall and organized 2-3 TAs working under my supervision.
- Teacher (1988-1989) Substitute teacher for several private high schools in the Seattle area, including **Lakeside**, **Overlake** and **The Bush School**. Was on the short list for full-time teaching position at Lakeside; was offered a full-time teaching position at Overlake.
- Instructor (1987-1988) **University of Washington**, Department of Mathematics, Seattle, WA. Fully responsible for college level algebra and pre-calculus courses.
- Instructor (Summers 1987 and 1989) **Phillips Academy Summer Session**. Instructor for Phillips Academy. Taught high school algebra and pre-calculus. Developed and taught a course on Fractal Geometry for high school students.
- Teaching Assistant (1986-1987) **University of Washington**, Department of Mathematics, Seattle, WA. Held quiz sections for Calculus.
- Teaching Fellow (1985-1986) **Phillips Academy**, Department of Mathematics, Andover, MA. Taught four courses of pre-calculus and high school algebra for the Mathematics Department. Was asked to stay as full-time instructor.
- Teaching Fellow (Summer 1984) **Northfield Mount Hermon School**, Northfield, MA. Teaching assistant for junior high school level algebra course.

## SELECT JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS AND REFEREED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

- D. Calhoun, E. Chudzik, and C. Helzel, *The Cartesian Grid Active Flux Method with Adaptive Mesh Refinement*, J. Sci. Comp., 94 (2023).
- H. Spero, D. Calhoun, and M. Shubert, "Simulating the 1976 Teton Dam Failure using GeoClaw and HEC-RAS and Comparing with Historical Observations", <http://arxiv.org/abs/2206.00766>, 2022.
- D. Duplyakin, J. Brown, and D. Calhoun, "Evaluating active learning with cost and memory awareness", in 32nd IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS), Vancouver, WA, May 21-25 2018.
- D. Calhoun and C. Burstedde, "ForestClaw : A parallel algorithm for patch-based adaptive mesh refinement on a forest of quadtrees", (2017), arXiv:1703.03116.
- K. T. Mandli, A. J. Ahmadi, M. Berger, D. Calhoun et al., "Clawpack: Building an open source ecosystem for solving hyperbolic PDEs", Peer J Computer Science, 2(68) (2016).

- P. H. Lauritzen, P. A. Ullrich, C. Jablonowski, P. A. Bosler, D. Calhoun, et al., “A standard test case suite for two-dimensional linear transport on the sphere: Results from a collection of state-of-the-art schemes”, *Geosci. Model Dev.*, 7 (2014) pp. 105-145.
- C. Burstedde, D. Calhoun, K. T. Mandli, and A. R. Terrel, “ForestClaw: Hybrid forest-of-octrees AMR for hyperbolic conservation laws”, in *Parallel Computing : Accelerating Computational Science and Engineering (CSE)*, M. Bader, A. Bode, H.-J. Bungartz, M. Gerndt, G. R. Joubert, and F. Peter, eds., vol. 25 of *Advances in Parallel Computing*, IOS Press, 2014. 253-262.
- J.-R. Ling, D. Calhoun, C. Poupon, D. Le Bihan, “Numerical simulation of diffusion MRI signals using an adaptive time-stepping method”, *Physics in Medicine and Biology*, 59 (2014), pp. 441-454.
- D. Calhoun, C. Helzel, “A finite-volume method for solving parabolic equations on logically Cartesian curved surface meshes”, *SIAM J. Sci. Comp.*, Vol. 31, Issue 6. pp. 4066–4099 (2009).
- M. Berger, D. Calhoun, C. Helzel, R. J. LeVeque, “Logically rectangular finite volume methods with adaptive refinement on the sphere”, *Phil. Trans. R. Soc.*, Vol. 367, No. 1907, pp. 4483–4496 (2009).
- J. Li, D. Calhoun, L. Brush, “Efficient thermal field computation in phasefield models”, *J. Comp. Phys.*, Vol. 228, Issue 24. pp. 8945–8957 (2009).
- A. Kato, L. M. Moskal, P. Schiess, M. Swanson, D. Calhoun, W. Stuetzle, “Capturing tree crown formation through implicit surface reconstruction using airborne lidar data”, *Remote Sensing of Environment* Vol. 113, pp. 1148-1162 (2009)
- D. Calhoun, C. Helzel, R. J. LeVeque. “Logically rectangular grids and finite volume methods for PDEs in circular and spherical domains”. *SIAM Review* Vol. 50, Issue 4, pp. 723-752 (2008).
- D. Calhoun, H. Paill  re. “Wave propagation algorithms and adaptive mesh refinement for CFD simulations of potential hydrogen explosions in nuclear containment structures”. *Proceedings of the Joint International Topical Meeting on Mathematics and Computation and Supercomputing in Nuclear Applications*. Monterey, California, April (2007).
- A. Kato, D. Calhoun, G. Schreuder, P. Schiess, “Estimating Crown Volume through Implicit Surface Reconstruction from LIDAR Points for Forest Fire Simulation”, *Proceedings of the American Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing*, November (2006).
- D. Calhoun, C. Helzel, R. J. LeVeque. “A Finite Volume Grid for Solving Hyperbolic Problems on the Sphere”, *Hyperbolic Problems : Theory, Numerics, Applications*, Springer. Proceedings of the Eleventh Int. Conf. on Hyperbolic Problems, Lyon, France. July 17-21 (2006).
- D. Calhoun and R. J. LeVeque, “An accuracy study of mesh refinement on mapped grids”, Proceedings of the *Chicago Workshop on Adaptive Mesh Refinement*, September, 2003. Series: Lecture Notes in Computational Science and Engineering, Vol 41. December 2004.
- D. Calhoun, “A Cartesian grid method for solving the two-dimensional streamfunction vorticity equations in irregular regions”, *J. Comp. Phys.*, Vol. 176, pp. 231-275 (2002).
- Stephen E. Wood, M. Baker and D. Calhoun. “New model for the vapor growth of hexagonal ice crystals in the atmosphere”, *J. of Geophys. Res.*, Vol. 106, pp. 4845-4870 (2001).
- D. Calhoun, R. J. LeVeque, “Cartesian grid methods for fluid flow in complex geometries”, *Computational Modeling in Biological Fluid Dynamics*, IMA Volumes in Mathematics and its Applications, Vol. 124, pp. 117–143 (2001).
- D. Calhoun, R.J. LeVeque, “Solving the advection-diffusion equation in irregular geometries”, *J. Comp. Phys.* Vol. 157, pp. 143–180 (2000).

- D. Calhoun and Roy Overstreet, “Sensitivity Analysis of a Dynamical System Using C++”, Special Issue of *Scientific Programming*, Vol. 2, No. 4, pp. 157-169 (1993).

## TECHNICAL REPORTS

- D. Calhoun and N. Coulon, “Thermodynamics and transport of homogenous air-vapor-liquid mixture through cracks in concrete (Part II)”, *Technical Report, Commissariat a l’Energie Atomique*, RAPPORT SFME/LTMF/RT/10-014/A, Direction de l’Energie Nucleaire (2010).
- D. Calhoun “Using Cartesian Embedded Boundary Methods to Simulate Detonations in Complex Geometry”, *Technical Report, Commissariat a l’Energie Atomique*, RAPPORT SFME/LTMF/RT/09-010/A, Direction de l’Energie Nucleaire (2009).
- D. Calhoun, “Thermodynamics and transport of homogenous air-vapor-liquid mixture through cracks in concrete”, *Technical Report, Commissariat a l’Energie Atomique*, RAPPORT SFME/LTMF/RT/09-007/A, Direction de l’Energie Nucleaire (2009).
- D. Calhoun. “Wave propagation algorithms and adaptive mesh refinement for simulating hydrogen explosions in nuclear containment buildings”, *Technical Report, Commissariat a l’Energie Atomique*, RAPPORT SFME/LTMF/RT/07-14/A, Direction de l’Energie Nucleaire (2007).

## SOFTWARE

- FORESTCLAW. A parallel, adaptive library for solving PDEs in logically Cartesian, mapped, multiblock domains. In collaboration with Carsten Burstedde, Univ. of Bonn, Germany. (<http://www.forestclaw.org>).

## SELECTED TALKS

- 3rd Biennial Meeting of the SIAM Pacific Northwest Section, (invited mini-symposium speaker), Vancouver, WA (May 20-22, 2022).
- SIAM Parallel Processing Conference (SIAMPP), (invited mini-symposium speaker), Seattle, WA (Feb. 23-26, 2022).
- Keynote talk, International Meshing Roundtable, Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, Seattle, WA (Feb. 24, 2022).
- Invited talk, Institute for Computational and Experimental Research in Mathematics (ICERM), Brown University, Providence RI (Jan. 10-14, 2022).
- American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting 2021, (poster), Joint work with Jonathan Snively (Embry-Riddle Aeronautics University, Daytona, FL), New Orleans, LA (Dec. 6 2021).
- Boise State Computing Colloquium, Sept. 2021.
- SIAM Computational Science and Engineering (CSE), (invited mini-symposium speaker), Fort Worth, TX (March 1-5, 2021).
- Invited talk, Univ. of Santa Barbara, CA. Dept. of Mechanical Engineering. May 2021.
- Pacific Northwest Numerical Analysis Seminar (invited talk), Seattle, WA (virtual), (October, 17, 2020).
- p4est Summer School (invited presentation (3 lectures)), Bonn, Germany (virtual), (July 20-24, 2020).

- GeoClaw Developer's Workshop (invited presentation), Boulder, CO (virtual) (May 21-22, 2020).
- Colorado School of Mines, (invited talk), Golden, CO (Feb. 21, 2020).
- SIAM Parallel Processing, (mini-symposium talk), Seattle, WA (Feb. 11-15, 2020)
- American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting, (invited talk), San Francisco, CA (Dec. 9 2019).
- SIAM Northern States Chapter Meeting (invited talk), Laramie, WY (Sept. 27-29, 2019).
- Boise State University, Dept. of Mathematics. (Sept. 24, 2019).
- "Women in Numerical PDEs", Banff Centre (Invited talk), Banff, Canada (May 12-17, 2019).
- Applied Mathematics 50th Reunion, University of Washington (Invited presentation), Seattle, WA (June 19-21, 2019).
- SIAM Computational Science and Engineering (CSE), (mini-symposium speaker), Spokane, WA (Feb. 25-March 1, 2019).
- Florida State University, Dept. of Scientific Computing (invited talk), Tallahassee, Florida (January 23, 2019).
- American Geophysical Union (AGU) Fall Meeting, (invited talk), Washington DC (Dec. 10-14, 2018).
- Banff Centre (Invited), Banff, Canada (Dec. 3-7, 2018).
- SIAM Annual Meeting, (mini-symposium speaker), Portland Oregon (July 8-13, 2018).
- Chiba University (Invited), Chiba, Japan (March 6, 2019).
- SIAM Parallel Processing, (mini-symposium speaker), Tokyo, Japan (March 7-10, 2018).
- Joint Pacific Northwest Numerical Analysis Seminar (PNWNAS) and SIAM Northwest Chapter meeting, Corvallis Oregon, (October 27-29, 2017).
- SIAM Conference on the Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences", Erlangen, Germany (Sept. 11-14, 2017).
- University of Dusseldorf (Invited), Germany. (June 7, 2017).
- Institut Mittag-Leffler (Invited), Sweden. (May 29 - June 2, 2017).
- HPC<sup>3</sup> (Invited), KAUST, Saudi Arabia. (May 22-24, 2017).
- Tulane University (Invited), Clifford Lectures, New Orleans (April 2-6, 2017)
- SIAM CSE (mini-symposium speaker), Atlanta, Georgia. (March 1, 2017).
- Colorado State University (Invited), Fort Collins, CO. (Sept. 22, 2016).
- SIAM Parallel Processing, (mini-symposium speaker), Paris, France (April 12-15, 2016).
- Simula Research Lab (Invited), Oslo, Norway. (December 9-19, 2015).
- SIAM CSE (mini-symposium speaker and organizer), Salt Lake City, Utah. (March 13-18, 2015).
- JAMSTEC (Invited), Yokohama, Japan (February 18, 2015).
- Chiba University (Invited), Chiba, Japan (February 19, 2015).
- KAUST (Invited), Saudi Arabia. (November 9-13 2014).
- SIAM Parallel Processing. Portland, Oregon. (February 18-21, 2014).

- PDEs on the Sphere (NCAR), Boulder, CO. (April 7-11, 2014).
- University of Texas (Invited), Arlington, Texas (November 1, 2013).
- Clawpack Hack-a-thon, University of Washington, Seattle, WA (July 23, 2013).
- SIAM Geosciences, Conference, Padua, Italy (June 20, 2013).
- SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Boston, MA. (February 26, 2013).
- Oxford University (Invited), Oxford, UK (November 29th, 2012).
- Isaac Newton Institute, Cambridge, UK (Nov. 19th, 2012).
- University of Warwick (Invited), Warwick, UK (Nov. 16, 2012).
- PDEs on the Sphere. Cambridge, UK (Sept. 24-28, 2012).
- HPC<sup>3</sup> (Invited), KAUST, Saudi Arabia. (Feb 2-10, 2012).
- The Second Annual CAES Workshop on Modeling, Simulation and Visualization, BSU, Boise, ID. (September 8-9, 2011).
- ICIAM 2011 (mini-symposium speaker and organizer), Vancouver, Canada. (July 18-22, 2011).
- University of Idaho (Invited), Moscow, ID. (May 5, 2011).
- Transport Workshop (NCAR), Boulder, CO. (March 30-31, 2011).
- “Structured adaptive mesh refinement algorithms for elliptic problems”, **Collège de Polytechnique**, Paris, France. October 22, 2010.
- “Software for structured AMR”, **Collège de Polytechnique**, Paris, France. October 22, 2010.
- “A finite volume method for solving parabolic equations on curved surfaces”, Workshop on Numerical Methods for PDEs on Surfaces, as part of *SFB/TR 71 Geometric Partial Differential Equations* Freiburg, Germany, Sept. 14-17, 2009.
- “Using embedded boundary methods for simulating detonations in reactor containment buildings”, **SIAM Annual Meeting**, San Diego, CA. July 6-11, 2008.
- “Simulating Detonations in Large Scale Industrial Settings”, **SIAM Numerical Combustion Meeting**, Monterey CA, March 31 - April 2, 2008.
- “Wave Propagation Algorithms and Adaptive Mesh Refinement for CFD Simulations of Potential Hydrogen Explosions in Nuclear Containment Structures”, **Mathematics, Computation and Supercomputing in Nuclear Applications**, Monterey, CA, April 15-19, 2007.
- “Simulating potential hydrogen explosions in nuclear reactor containment buildings”, **SIAM Computational Science and Engineering Conference**, *Mini-symposium organizer*, Costa Mesa, CA. February 19-23, 2007.
- “Imposing exact far-field boundary conditions for elliptic and parabolic problems”, **INRIA**, Projects POEMS, Rocquencourt, France, November 23, 2006.
- “Finite Volume Grids and Methods for Hyperbolic Problems on the Sphere and other Spherical Domains”, **Ecole Normale Supérieur**, Cachan, November 13, 2006.
- “Finite Volume Grids and Methods for Hyperbolic Problems on the Sphere and other Spherical Domains”, **11th International Conference on Hyperbolic Problems Theory, Numerics, Applications**, Lyon, France, July 17-21, 2006.

- “Wave propagation algorithms for adaptively refined, mapped Cartesian Grids”, **Canadian Applied and Industrial Mathematics Society (CAIMS-MITACS)**, Toronto, Canada, June 16-20, 2006.
- “A Simplified Model for Computing Peak Over-pressures in explosions in nuclear reactor containment facilities”, **SIAM Numerical Combustion Meeting**, Grenada, Spain, April 23-26, 2006.
- “Wave propagation algorithms for mapped Cartesian Grids”, **LIMSI**, Orsay, France. March 29, 2006.
- “Wave propagation algorithms and adaptive mesh refinement on quadrilateral and hexahedral grids”, CEA-GAMNI, **Institute Henri Poincaré**, Paris, France, January 31, 2006.
- “Exact far-field boundary conditions for two dimensional elliptic and parabolic equations”, Invited speaker, Numerical Analysis Seminar, **Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences**, New York, April 22, 2005.
- “Wave Propagation Algorithms and Adaptive Mesh Refinement on Quadrilateral and Hexahedral Grids”, SIAM Computational Science and Engineering Conference, *Mini-symposium organizer*, Orlando, FL. February 11-15, 2005.
- “Cartesian grid methods for fluid flow in complex geometries”, **Groupe de Travail, Méthodes Numeriques**, *Laboratoire d’Analyse*, Paris VI, Paris, France, January 10, 2005.
- “Exact far-field boundary conditions for elliptic and parabolic equations”, Invited speaker at the **Pacific Northwest Numerical Analysis Seminar**, Banff, Canada, September 2004.
- “A Cartesian grid method for solving the streamfunction-vorticity equations in irregular regions”, **Numerical Analysis Seminar**, *Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences*, New York University, NY, November 12, 1999.
- “A Cartesian grid method for the numerical solution of problems in phase transition”, **Conference on Mixed Phase Regions**, Edinburgh, Scotland, June 1997.

## FUNDING AWARDED

- National Science Foundation, “Data-enabled modeling of wildfire smoke transport”. PI : Jodi Mead (BSU, Dept. of Mathematics). Co-PI : Donna Calhoun. Awarded Amount : \$465K. NSF-DMS *Awarded May 2021* (Duration : three years).
- Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), “AtmoSense/AIRWaveS: Atmosphere-Ionosphere Responses to Wave Signals”, PI : Jonathan Snively (Embry-Riddle Aeronautic University, Florida); Co-PI : Matt Zettgren (ERAU, Florida). Sub-Award : Donna Calhoun (Boise State University). Sub-award : \$887,998. (Awarded Jan. 14, 2021; two year duration).
- National Aeronautical and Space Administration (NASA), “Quantitative Observations of Earthquake-Generated Acoustic Shocks”, PI : Jonathan Snively (Embry-Riddle Aeronautic University, Florida); Co-PI : Matt Zettgren (ERAU, Florida). Sub-Award : Donna Calhoun (Boise State University). Sub-award : \$175,510 (Awarded Jan. 1, 2020; two year duration).
- National Science Foundation “Parallel, adaptive Cartesian grid algorithms for natural hazards modeling”. PI : Donna Calhoun. Amount awarded : \$315K. NSF-DMS Award : #1819257. (Awarded May, 2018; three year duration).



- National Science Foundation. “A parallel algorithmic framework for flexible time discretization on adaptive Cartesian meshes”. PI : Donna Calhoun. Award Amount : \$194,000. NSF-DMS Award : # 1419108. Funded (3 years, starting Aug. 2014).
- National Science Foundation. “Massively Parallel Adaptive Computational Methods for Improved Predictions of Atmospheric Flows over Complex Terrain” PI : Inanc Senocak (Dept. of Mech. Eng., BSU). Co-PIs : Donna Calhoun, Grady Wright (Dept. of Math., BSU), Elena Sherman (Dept. of Comp. Sci., BSU). Program in Sustainable Software Infrastructure (SSI) Award # SSE-1440638. Award Amount \$500, 000). Funded (3 years, starting Sept. 2014).
- National Science Foundation. “Pacific Northwest Numerical Analysis Seminar 2012” (PNWNAS 2012). Award covered speakers and a limited number of students travel costs. PI : Donna Calhoun; Co-PIs : Grady Wright and Jodi Mead (Dept. of Math., BSU). Award Amount \$8,200. Funded (July 2012).

## GRADUATE STUDENTS SUPERVISED

- Patricia Azike, PhD Computing. Work focused on developing ForestClaw for wildfire applications (Fall 2021-present). Work funded through NSF-DMS Award: #2111585 Role : Research supervisor.
- Brian Kyanjo, PhD Computing. Work focused on developing ForestClaw for atmospheric applications (Fall 2020-present). Work funded through NASA Sub-award (80NSSC20K0495). Role : Research supervisor.
- Damyn Chipman, PhD Computing. Work focused on direct elliptic solver using the HPS approach (Fall 2019-present). Work funded through NSF-DMS Award: #1819257 Role : Research supervisor.
- Talin Mirzakhanian, Master’s student, BSU Dept. of Mathematics. (Spring, 2017). *Multi-rate Runge-Kutta-Chebyshev Time Stepping for Parabolic Equations on Adaptively Refined Meshes*. Funded as Master’s student through NSF-DMS Award: #1419108. *Role : Supervisor and Chair of Master’s Degree Committee*
- Yuan-Hsian (Melody) Shih, Research Assistant (former Columbia University Master’s student; current NYU PhD student). (January-July, 2017). Simulation of volcanic ash cloud modeling using ForestClaw. Joint with with the USGS, Vancouver, WA. Funded through NSF-DMS Award: #1419108. *Role : Research supervisor*
- John Hutchins, Master’s student, BSU Department of Mathematics (July, 2013). *Computing curvature and curvature normals on smooth logically Cartesian surface meshes*. Current position : Staff researcher, Dept. of Chemical Engineering, University of Utah. *Role : Supervisor and Chair of Master’s Degree Committee*
- Jean Schneider, Master’s student, BSU Department of Mathematics (May, 2012). *Perfect stripes from a general Turing model in different geometries*. Current position : Lecturer, Department of Mathematics, Boise State University. *Role : Supervisor and Chair of Master’s Degree Committee*

## SUPERVISORY COMMITTEES

- Sandra Babyale, PhD in Computing, BSU. (2021-present), *Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Jodi Mead, Dept. of Mathematics*
- Yao Gahounzo, PhD in Computing, BSU. (2021-present), *Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Michal Kopera, Dept. of Mathematics*

- Michael Chiwere, PhD in Computing, BSU. (2021-present), *Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Grady Wright, Dept. of Mathematics*
- Eddie Davis, PhD student, BSU Dept. of Computer Science (2018-present) *Polyhedral Dataflow Graphs, Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Cathy Olschanowsky, Dept. of Computer Science*
- Diego Domenzain, PhD student, BSU Dept. of Geosciences. (2016-present) *Imaging by joint inversion of electromagnetic waves and DC currents. Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Jodi Mead*
- Katherine Drake, Master's student, BSU Dept. of Mathematics. (Spring, 2017). *A Stable Algorithm for Divergence-Free and Curl-Free Radial Basis Functions in the Flat Limit. Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Grady Wright.*
- Joseph McNeal, Master's student, BSU Dept. of Biomechanical Engineering, (Fall 2015-Spring 2017), Funded NSF project : "SI2-SSE: GEM3D: Open-source Cartesian adaptive complex terrain atmospheric flow solver for GPU clusters". *Role : co-PI on funded NSF project; supervised Joseph on project work.*
- David Sanchez, Master's student, BSU Dept. of Mathematics. (Spring 2014). *A projection method using radial basis functions for incompressible Navier-Stokes on the rotating sphere. Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Grady Wright.*
- Micah Johnson, Master's student, BSU Dept. of Mechanical and Biomedical Engineering, (Spring 2015). *A numerical investigation of a solidification model for snow micro-structure metamorphosis. Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Inanc Senocak*
- Kevin Aiton, Master's student, BSU Dept. of Mathematics. (Fall 2013). *A radial basis function partition of unity method for transport on the sphere. Role : Member, Thesis committee. Supervisor : Grady Wright.*

#### UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS SUPERVISED

- Antone Chacartegui, Undergraduate, Dept. of Mathematics. HERC Fellowship Recipient, Senior Project. Work supported by HERC (\$3,000) and Mathematics Department scholarship. *Role : Faculty Mentor (Spring 2020; Fall 2022)*
- Anthony Jimenez, Undergraduate, Dept. of Mathematics. Senior Project, *Role : Faculty Mentor (Fall 2022).*
- Tyler Qualls, Undergraduate, Dept. of Mathematics. *Role : Mathematics Senior project supervisor (Spring 2021).*
- Hannah Spero, Undergraduate, Dept. of Geosciences Develop computational model of the 1976 Teton Dam Failure. Worked supported by NSF-DMS: #1819257 Grant *Role : Research Supervisor. (Fall 2019-present).*
- Scott Aiton, Undergraduate Research, BSU Dept. of Mathematics, Dept. of Computer Science. Develop direct solver for 3d adaptive octree meshes. Worked supported by NSF. *Role : Research supervisor, (Fall 2016-present).*
- Brenten Peck, Undergraduate Research, BSU Dept. of Mathematics, Develop direct solver for 3d adaptive octree meshes. Worked supported by NSF GEM3d grant. *Role : Research group member (Spring 2018).*

- Jordan Engstrom, Senior Thesis, BSU Dept. of Geosciences. "Petrogenesis and Thermodynamic Modeling of Magmas from the Los Nevados Cones: Villarrica Volcano, Southern Chile" *Role : Senior Thesis Supervisor* (Fall 2017).
- Aaron Solt, Undergraduate, BSU Dept. of Mathematics. Senior Thesis project on implementing schemes for maintaining conservation in the parallel, adaptive ForestClaw code. *Role : Senior Thesis supervisor* (Fall, 2015).
- Ryan Camacho, Undergraduate, BSU Dept. of Mathematics. Student project on developing animations for curves traced out by cycloids. *Role : Supervisor* (Fall, 2015).
- Cody Casteneda, Undergraduate, BSU Dept. of Mechanical Engineering. Work with Idaho National Laboratory to develop flooding models using GEOCLAW and FORESTCLAW. Funded as undergraduate research through NSF Award # 1419108. *Role : Research supervisor* (April 2015 – Dec. 2015).
- Stephanie Potter, Undergraduate, BSU Department of Mathematics. Recipient of BSU SRI Grant (\$500) for undergraduate research. "Google Earth visualization of tsunami activity". Current position : Graduate student, Dept. of Mathematics, Boise State. *Role : Research supervisor*, (Oct 2013 - Spring 2015).

## DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS SERVICE

- (2019-present) Undergraduate Applied Mathematics Committee Member.
- (2019-present) Master's Program in Mathematics Committee Member.
- (2017-2018; 2020-2022) Personnel and Budget Committee, Department of Mathematics. (elected to two-year term).
- (2017-2018) Hiring committee member, Dept. of Mathematics.
- (2013-2018) Undergraduate Internship Coordinator, Dept. of Mathematics.
- (2013-2014) Member, Applied Math Working Group, to develop new course in Applied Mathematics for Scientists and Engineers (Math 427/527). Presented the new course to math dept. faculty, and to the University Curriculum committee. This effort was lead by Inanc Senocak, Dept. of MBE.

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- (2019-2022) Computing Colloquium Series Committee Chair.
- (2017-present) Coordinator, Minor Degree in Computational Science and Engineering.
- (2015-2018; 2019-2021) One of two College of Arts and Sciences Representatives to the university Graduate Council.
- (2015-2016) Member of the Honor's College committee to review and assist students in their Marshall Scholars Applications.
- (2013-2014) Member, Applied Math Working Group, to develop new course in Applied Mathematics for Scientists and Engineers (Math 427/527). Presented the new course to math dept. faculty, and to the University Curriculum committee. This effort was lead by Inanc Senocak, Dept. of MBE.

- (2014) Part of working group, led by Inanc Senocak (formerly MBE), to design the CSE (Computational Science and Engineering) Minor degree at BSU.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND MEMBERSHIP

- Vice President, SIAM Pacific Northwest Chapter (2022-present). Responsible for organizing biennial meeting, likely to be held in Boise, Fall of 2023.
- Panel member : Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Science grant proposals.
- Panel member : National Science Foundation (NSF) grant proposals.
- Technical Program Member, International Conference on Parallel Programming (2022).
- Technical Program Member, Supercomputing (2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022).
- Technical Program Member, Finite Volume Methods for Complex Applications (FVCA9) (2019-2020)
- Technical Program Member, PDESoft (2018)
- Member of Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM).
- Editorial Board, Special Issue : SIAM Journal of Scientific Computing. (2017)
- Review for numerous journals in numerical software development, and partial differential equations, including *Journal of Computational Physics*, *SIAM Journal of Scientific Computing*, *Advances in Computational Mathematics*, *IMA Journal of Numerical Analysis*; *Numerical Mathematics : Theory, Methods and Applications*, *ACM Transactions on Mathematical Software*, *Computers & Fluids*, *Communications in Applied Mathematics and Computational Science*. *Journal of Computational Physics Combustion Theory and Modeling*
- External member of thesis evaluation committee two PhDs (Florence Drui, Université Paris-Saclay; Mani Chandan Naru, Institut Jean Le Rond d'Alembert)
- External hiring committee member for position in Scientific Computing, Uppsala University.

## OUTREACH

- (April, 2015) Worked with the GEMSET Girls Club, organized by the Discovery Center in Boise to introduce girls to STEM fields. I presented the project “Bunny Hop!”, an introduction to fractals using hopping bunnies as the motivation.
- (January, 2011) Presented poster on computational methods for pattern formation at the Boise State Discover Engineering Day (January 24, 2011)