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**28th Annual Conference**

**Drury University**  
**April 1 - April 2, 2022**

**Conference  
Program**



**Scott Sigman , Ph.D.**  
**2022 CCSC Central Plains**  
**Conference Chair**



## 2022 CCSC Conference Welcome

Welcome to the 28th Annual CCSC Central Plains Regional conference, to Drury University and to Springfield, Missouri. Our program features two distinguished speakers, Michael Newton, Software Scientists/Chief Engineer at L3Harris Technologies, and Mark Garton, SR Director of IT Governance and Data Strategy at O'Reilly Auto Parts Stores, Inc. The conference features an engaging program of paper presentations, tutorials, panels, "Nifty Assignments", Lightning Talks, student poster presentations, student papers, and a student programming contest. Activities begin on Friday morning with a pre-conference workshop and conclude on Saturday afternoon with our annual student programming contest.

A wide range of topics are addressed by conference presentations. Topics vary from preparing students to work as developers and IT professionals in a post-pandemic work environment to teaching functional programming remotely. In addition to technical sessions, time for networking has been provided during numerous breaks. Take time to be challenged by our presenters, to glean new ideas for use in your classroom and to visit with others who have a passion for improving computing education.



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## Friday Opening Keynote Speaker



Michael Newton  
L3Harris Corporation

Michael Newton is a Software Scientist at L3Harris Technologies leading system engineering and software engineering teams in the development of mission system software. He is a graduate of Southwest Baptist University with a B.S. in Computer Science/Mathematics and a M.S in Software Engineering from Texas Christian University. His career includes technically leading geographic disparate, embedded software engineering teams at Motorola Solutions for 28 years. In addition, he taught Computer Science courses from a practitioners perspective at Southwest Baptist University during the 2002-2003 school year.

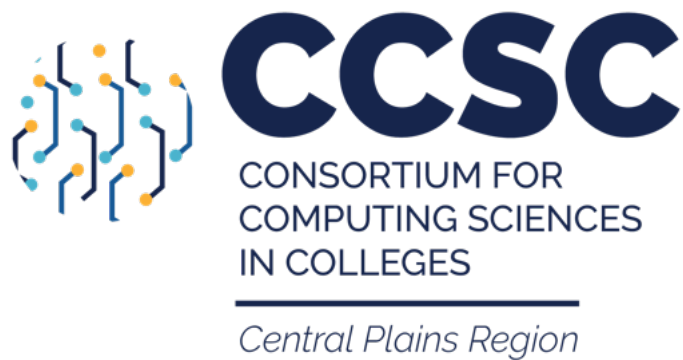
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## Dinner Keynote Speaker

Mark Garton is the Senior Director of IT Governance and Data Strategy at O'Reilly Auto Parts Stores, Inc. He leads teams responsible for information security, software quality assurance, and data strategy. With over 24 years of experience as an IT professional, he has worked in information technology from software development to establishing a cyber security program. He is passionate about developing leaders and created a leadership development program for new technology managers. He holds a BA in Mathematics from Drury University and a Master's Degree in Computer Information Systems from Missouri State University.



Mark Garton  
O'Reilly Auto Parts Stores, Inc.

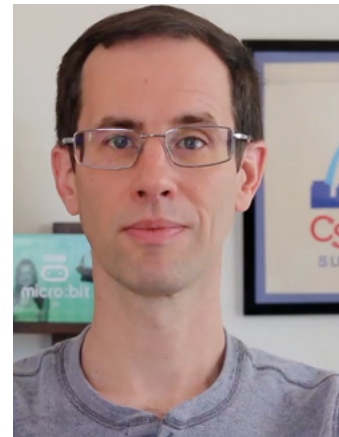


## Pre-conference Workshop



Michael P. Rogers, Ph.D.  
Assistant Professor,  
University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh

Michael is an Assistant Professor at the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh where, among other things, he teaches courses in Mobile App Development, Web Software Development, and Software Engineering. He has published numerous apps, including his most recent Flutter app The G.R.E.A.T. App (not a boast, rather an acronym for General Revenue, Expenditures, And Taxes).



Bill Siever, Ph.D.  
Teaching Professor,  
Washington University, St Louis

Bill is a Teaching Professor at Washington University in St. Louis, where he teaches courses in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, and the Internet of Things. Bill's consulting has included embedded systems and app development.

# Schedule of Events

## Friday, April 1, 2022

<b>9:00 am - Noon</b>	<b>Pre-conference Workshop</b> Flutter: n Platforms, 1 Codebase, 0 Problems Michael Rogers, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh; Bill Siever, Washington University in St. Louis <b>LOCATION: Springfield Hall (second floor) Lab A</b>		
<b>1:00 - 2:00 pm</b>	<b>Opening Assembly</b> A Software Engineering Career from the Perspective of Availability, Reliability and Maintainability Keynote: Michael Newton, L3Harris Corporation <b>LOCATION: Lay Auditorium</b>		
<b>2:00 - 5:00 pm</b>	<b>Vendor Fair</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech Vestibule</b>		
<b>2:15 - 3:15 pm</b>	<b>Papers</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech 103</b> Moderator TBD <b>Integrating Data Science Into a Computer Science Curriculum</b> <i>Kian Pokorny/McKendree University</i> <b>How to Secure ABET Accreditation for a Cybersecurity Program: A Case Study</b> <i>Xiaodong Yue, Belinda Copus, Hyungbae Park/University of Central Missouri</i>	<b>Panels</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech 102</b> Moderator TBD <b>Challenges Developing and Teaching Online Professional Courses for Technical Graduate Programs</b> <i>Denise Case, Ajay Bandi, Nathan Elo, Aziz Fella, Charles Hoot/Northwest Missouri State University</i>	<b>Vendor's Presentations</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech 105</b>
<b>3:15 - 4:00 pm</b>	<b>Break and Vendor's Exhibits</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech Student Lounge</b>		
<b>4:00 - 5:00 pm</b>	<b>Papers</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech 103</b> Moderator TBD <b>A Snapshot of Current and Trending Practices in Mobile Application Development</b> <i>Michael Rogers/University of Wisconsin Oshkosh; Jonathan Gratch/ Texas Woman's University</i> <b>Web Accessibility: An Evaluation of CCSC Central Plains Participant's University Homepages</b> <i>Michael Whitney, Stephen Dannelly Winthrop University</i>	<b>Panels</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech 102</b> Moderator TBD <b>Teaching Multiple Graduate Sections with Large Class Sizes</b> <i>Nathan Elo, Ajay Bandi, Denise Case, Aziz Fella, Charles Hoot/Northwest Missouri State University</i>	<b>Vendor's Presentations</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech 105</b>
<b>5:00 - 5:30 pm</b>	<b>Meet and Greet</b> <b>LOCATION: Breech Student Lounge</b>		
<b>5:45 - 8:00 pm</b>	<b>Banquet</b> How the Pandemic Has Changed Talent Management Keynote: Mark Garton, O'Reilly Auto Parts Stores, Inc. <b>LOCATION: The Robert W Plaster Family Gallery/O'Reilly Event Center</b>		



# Schedule of Events

## Saturday, April 2, 2022

**8:30 - 9:00 am**

**Poster Contest Setup**

**LOCATION: Wilhoit Theatre Vestibule (South entrance Breech)**

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**9:00 - 10:00 am**

**Student Papers**

**LOCATION: Breech 105**

Moderator TBD

**Poster Contest**

**LOCATION: Wilhoit Theatre Vestibule (Breech)**

Moderator TBD

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**10:00 - 10:30 am**

**Break and Vendor's Exhibits**

**LOCATION: Breech Student Lounge**

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**10:30 - 11:30 am**

**Papers**

**LOCATION: Breech 103**

Moderator TBD

**A Literature Review on User  
Acceptance of AI-Enabled  
Application**

*Gary Yu Zhao/Dakota State University*

*Cindy Zhiling Tu/Northwest Missouri*

*State University*

**A Functional Programming  
Course In Remote Learning  
Model: An Experience Report**

*Fahmida Hamid/New College of  
Florida*

**"Nifty Assignments"/Lightning Talks**

**LOCATION: Breech 102**

Moderator TBD

**A Way to Visualize Higher Dimensional  
Arrays, Matrices and Spaces**

*Cong-Cong Xing/Nicholls State University*

*Jun Huang/Baylor University*

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**11:45 am - 12:45 pm**

**CCSC Business Meeting/Luncheon**

**LOCATION: The Robert W Plaster Family Gallery/O'Reilly Event Center**

**Programming Contest Meeting/Luncheon**

**LOCATION: The Robert W Plaster Family Gallery/O'Reilly Event Center**

**1:00 - 5:00 pm**

**Programming Contest**

**LOCATION: Springfield Hall (second floor) Lab A**

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