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NPRE, Students Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching

American Nuclear Society, Young Member Excellence Award

UIUC, Teachers Ranked as Excellent

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National Energy Research Scientific Computing Allocation, Senior Investigated Science Fellowship, Berkeley Institute for Data Science, UC Berkel Nuclear Science and Security Consortium Postdoctoral Fellowship, UC In DOE Office of Science Laboratory Graduate Appointment, Argonne Nat Roy G Post Foundation Nuclear Waste Management Graduate Scholarship, John Randall Memorial Scholarship, American Nuclear Society FCWMI J.A McDeavitt Scholarship, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL University Scholar Award, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL Los Alamos Distinguished Student Performance Award, Los Alamos Nat	ey 2014–2016 Berkeley 2013–2016 bional Lab 2011–2013 hip 2011 0 2009 2007–2008 2004–2008
Nuclear Science and Security Consortium  Source: DOE-NNSA Office of DNN R&D  Role: Consortium Co-PI, UIUC PI, Thrust Area Lead	Period: 2021–2026 Award Total: \$25,000,000 Huff Allocation: <b>\$625,000</b>
Evaluation of micro-reactor requirements and performance in a well-characterized micro-grid Source: DOE-NEUP Role: Co-PI	Period: 2020–2022 Award Total: \$800,000 Huff Allocation: \$265,000
Enabling Load Following Capability in the Transatomic Power $Source:$ ARPA - E - MEITNER $Role:$ Principal Investigator	MSR Period: 2018–2021 Award Total: \$999,694 Huff Allocation: \$205,000
US Research Software Sustainability Institute (URSSI) Source: NSF - OAC - SI2 - S2I2 Conceptualization Role: Senior Personnel	Period: 2017–2018 Award Total: \$499,999 Huff Allocation: <b>N/A</b>
Dynamic Transition Analysis with TIMES Source: I <sup>2</sup> CNER Role: Co-PI	Period: 2018–2019 Award Total: \$76,359 Huff Allocation: <b>\$76,359</b>
Investigation of Agricultural Uses of Nuclear Waste Heat Source: Exelon Role: Co-PI	Period: 2017–2018 Award Total: \$151,257 Huff Allocation: <b>\$11,678</b>
Consortium for Verification Technology Source: DOE-NNSA Office of DNN R&D Role: Consortium Co-PI, UIUC PI, CVT Investigator	Period: 2015–2020 Award Total: \$25,000,000 Huff Allocation: <b>\$347,000</b>
Consortium for Nonproliferation Enabling Capabilities Source: DOE-NNSA Office of DNN R&D Role: Consortium Co-PI, UIUC PI, Thrust Area Lead	Period: 2014–2019 Award Total: \$25,000,000 Huff Allocation: <b>\$648,000</b>
Collaborative, Open-Source Curriculum Development Source: UIUC Strategic Instructional Innovations Program Role: Principal Investigator	Period: 2017–2018 Award Total: \$19,347 Huff Allocation: <b>\$13,000</b>
REU Site: INCLUSION at U. Illinois Source: NSF - ACI Role: Senior Personnel	Period: 2017–2020 Award Total: \$380,036 Huff Allocation: <b>N/A</b>
Demand-Driven Cycamore Archetypes Source: DOE, NEUP R&D	Period: 2016–2019 Award Total: \$800,000

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Role: Co-PI

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Invited	American Nuclear Society, NPT at 50 Years Webinar Invited Panelist.	Feb 15,	2021
Talks	U.C. Berkeley, Nuclear Engineering Colloquium.	Jan 22,	2021
	GAIN-EPRI-NEI, Microreactor Program Virtual Workshop, Invited Panelist.	Aug 19,	2020
	Society of Women Engineers, Graduate Community Virtual Seminar.	May 20,	2020
	SIAM CSE 2019, Spokane, WA, Invited Minisymposium Speaker	Feb 25,	2019
	SciFOO, Google X, Invited Camper.	Jun 23,	2018
	U. Illinois, Hack Illinois, Keynote.	Feb 24,	2018
	U. Michigan, Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences Seminar.	Feb 9,	2018
	PyData, Meetup, Ann Arbor, MI Invited Tech. Talk.	Feb 8,	2018
	Olin College of Engineering, Seminar.	Oct 31,	2017
	Argonne National Laboratory, NNSA Nuclear Nonproliferation, Seminar.	Sep 21,	
	SciPy 2017, Scientific Python Conference, Austin, TX, Keynote.	Jul 12,	2017
	ANS Annual, Young Members Group, Workforce Transition, Panel.	Jun 13,	2017
	ANS Annual, Mathematics and Computation Division, Current Issues, Panel.	Jun 12,	
	Oak Ridge National Laboratory, RPNSD, Seminar.	Jun 29,	
	PyCon 2017, Portland, OR. Keynote.	May 19,	2017
	U. California, Davis, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Seminar.	April 20,	2017
	U. Illinois, Computational Science and Engineering, Seminar.	Feb 2,	$\boldsymbol{2017}$
	U. Illinois, AE3 Lightning Symposium, Lightning Talk.	Mar 2,	2017
	U. Illinois, Nuclear, Plasma, & Radiological Engineering, Undergraduate Seminar	. Feb 14,	2017
	U. California, Berkeley, Berkeley Institute for Data Science, Symposium.	Jan 27,	2017
	U. Illinois, Informatics, Seminar.	Oct 13,	2016
	PyData 2016, Chicago, IL. Keynote.	Aug 27,	2016
	Oak Ridge National Laboratory, RPNSD, Seminar.	Mar 3,	2016
	U. Tennessee, Knoxville, Nuclear Engineering, Seminar.	Mar 2,	2016
	Michigan State, Computational, Mathematics, Science, and Engineering, Semina	r. <b>Dec 15</b> ,	2015
	U. Illinois, Nuclear, Plasma, & Radiological Engineering, Seminar.	Dec 8,	2015
	SC15, Austin TX, Python in High Performance Computing workshop, Keynote.	Nov 15,	2015
	U. Illinois, National Center for Supercomputing Applications, Colloquium.	Nov 6,	2015
	North Carolina State University, Nuclear Engineering, Colloquium.	Oct 15,	2015
	Texas A&M University, Nuclear Engineering, Colloquium.	Sep 29,	2015
	Rensselaer Polytechnic Inst, Mechanical and Nuclear Engineering, Colloquium.	Sep 21,	2015
	U. Washington, What Can Academia Learn from Open Source?, Panel.	Feb 2,	2015

Engineering Teaching

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Dept. of Nuclear, Plasma, and Radiological Engineering NPRE 247, Modeling Nuclear Energy Systems

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NPRE 446, Radiation Interactions with Matter I	Fall 2019
NPRE 555, Reactor Theory I	Spring 2018 Fall 2020
NPRE 560, Reactor Kinetics and Dynamics	Spring 2019
University of California, Berkeley, Dept. of Nuclear Engineering NE 100, Introduction to Nuclear Engineering Nuclear Fuel Cycle, Advanced Reactors	Nov 10, 2020
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University of Split, Split, Croatia G-Node Advanced Scientific Programming in Python Summer School	Sep 8–13, 2014
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University of Chicago, Graduate School, Chicago, IL Computational Literacy Workshop	Jan 12–13, 2013
University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA Department of Statistics Scientific Computing Workshop	Oct 20–21, 2012
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA Software Carpentry Python Workshop	Oct 17–18, 2012
International Center for Theoretical Physics, Trieste, Italy UNESCO/IAEA Advanced School on Scientific Software Development	Feb 20–Mar 2, 2012
University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, Canada SciNet Consortium For High Performance Computing Software Carpentry Boo	Nov 7–8, 2011
American Nuclear Society Winter Meeting, Washington, D.C. Young Professionals Congress Hacker Within Scientific Computing Tutorial	Nov 1, 2011

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Teaching

SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING	Berkeley Institute for Dat Managing Databases in SQL	a Science, Berkeley, CA	Jan 14–15, 2015
TEACHING	Berkeley Institute for Dat Testing for Scientific Software		Jun 4–5, 2015
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	The University of Wisconsin, Hack		<b>Jan 12–15, 2009</b>
Postdoctoral Researchers	Name Mehmet Turkmen Alexander Lindsay	<u>DATES</u> 2019–2020 2016–2017	Role Advisor Advisor
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SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING SKILLS	Languages Build Systems Databases Test Frameworks Version Control Other Tools Doxy	gen, Sphinx, GoldS		CMake, automake HDF5, SQL , GoogleTest, nose cvs, git, hg, svn
EDITING AND REVIEWING	Editorial Board		Journal of Open Source Softwar Journal of Open Source Educatio Nuclear Technolog	<del>-</del>
			Nuclear Engineering and Design	n 2020 – present
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	Procee	edings of the SciPy	Scientific Python Conference 201	13, 2015, & 2017
	Manuscript Referee	Journal of Nuclea	r Energy Science and Power Gen Nuclear Engir Nuclear Scienc I	of Nuclear Energy eration Technology neering and Design ce and Engineering Nuclear Technology in Nuclear Energy
	Grant Proposal Referee		ept. of Energy Nuclear Energy U lept. of Energy Technology Comm Blue Water	
			Alfred P.	Sloan Foundation
	Book Proposal Referee			O'Reilly Media Elsevier
Professional Service	Advisory Committee, Dig Chair, Nonproliferation and Executive Committee, Ma Vice Chair, Nonproliferation	Policy Division, Anathematics and Con	NS apputation Division, ANS	$2019\text{-}2021 \\ 2020\text{-}2021 \\ 2020\text{-}2021 \\ 2019\text{-}2020$

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DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE	Faculty Advisor, UIUC ANS Student Section Undergraduate Committee Graduate Committee, Qualifying Exam Sub-Committee Admissions Sub-Committee Admissions Sub-Committee Advisory Committee, Faculty Search Committee, Faculty Advisor, UIUC WiN Student Section	2016-present 2019-present 2017-2019 Spring 2017 Fall 2016 2017-2018 2017-2018 2017-2018
College Service	Member, Instructional Facility Working Group, Selection Committee, Clare Boothe Luce (CBL) Research Scholars, Member, Engineering IT Governance Education Working Group, Faculty Mentor, ARISE program Member, ENG/TE Liaison Committee Member, Instructional Facility Working Group Faculty Advisor, UIUC CSE The Hacker Within Scientific Computing Group	2017-2018 2020-2021 2020-2021 2019-2020 2020-present 2017-2018 2016-2017
Campus Service	Steering Committee Member, Illinois Data Science Initiative Hack Mentor, Hack Illinois	2018 2017
Consulting	Thomas Edison State University Trenton, NJ Subject Matter Expert Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO) Academic Program Review	2018-2019