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# **Education**

2011-2014	<b>Doctor of Philosophy</b> , <i>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i> , GPA 3.96/4.00 Major: Civil and Environmental Engineering
	Advisor: Robert Dodds, Jr.
	Dissertation: Micromechanical models of delamination in Al-Li alloys
	Computational Science and Engineering Certificate
2010-2011	Master of Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, GPA 3.96/4.00
	Major: Civil and Environmental Engineering
	Advisor: Robert Dodds, Jr.
	Computational Science and Engineering Certificate
2006-2010	Bachelor of Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, GPA 3.97/4.00
	Major: Civil and Environmental Engineering, Minor: German
	Degree awarded with Highest Honors and University Honors

# Appointments

2016-	Structural Mechanics Engineer, Argonne National Laboratory
	Research topics: High temperature structural materials, design of high temperature
	nuclear reactors, crystal plasticity, machine learning methods for material and material
	model design, design of concentrating solar power systems, qualification of AM nuclear
	components
	Supervised a team of 2-3 postdocs and 1-2 staff on several projects supported through
	the DOE:NE Advanced Reactor Technologies program
	Initiated projects on concentrating solar power and advanced manufacturing
2014-2016	Postdoctoral Researcher, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
	Supervisor: Nathan Barton
	Research topics: Multiscale material modeling of additively manufactured structured
	materials, modeling and optimization of lattice-structured meta-materials, multiscale
	modeling of HCP metals
2010-2014	Research Assistant, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
	Supervisor: Robert Dodds, Jr.
	Research topics: Parallel performance of WARP3D, crystal plasticity, mesoscale model-
	ing of fatigue/fracture processes, homogenization and multiscale damage calculations

# Honors/Awards

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2012-14	National Defense Science & Engineering Graduate Fellowship
2010-11	University Fellowship
2008-	Tau Beta Pi

### **Professional Affiliations**

2016-	ASME
2016-	ANS
2014-2016	APS
2006-	ASCE, EMI

### **Professional Service**

2018-	Generation IV Forum: Task Group on Advanced Manufacturing and Materials Engi-
	neering co-chair
2018-	ASME Boiler & Pressure Vessel Code committee chair: BPV III SWG on Inelastic Analysis
	Methods
2017-	ASME Boiler & Pressure Vessel Code committee member: BPV III SWG on Inelastic
	Analysis Methods, WG on Analysis Methods, WG High Temperature Flaw Evaluation,
	WG Creep-Fatigue and Negligible Creep; BPTCS/BNCS Special Committee on Use of
	Additive Manufacturing for Pressure Retaining Equipment
2017-2019	PVP Conference: co-Technical Program Representative, track co-chair
2018-2019	WCCM/USNCCM: track organizer
2019	Reviewer for (past year): Modelling and Simulation in Materials Science and Engineering,
	Acta Materialia, ASME Journal of Pressure Vessel Technology, Journal of Applied
	Mechanics, Journal of Additive Manufacturing, Journal of Mechanics of Materials and
	Structures, Materials Chemistry and Physics, Journal of Nuclear Materials, Nuclear
	Science and Engineering, ASME PVP Conference Proceedings
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# **Institutional and Community Service**

2015-2019	Volunteer at middle school/high school DOE Science Bowl
2017-2018	Undergraduate and graduate student summer research program mentor
2013-2014	Qualification exam review course, course organizer

# **Funding Awards**

2018-2020	DOE:EERE Gen3 CSP: Creep-fatigue design for CSP receivers – \$375k
2016	LLNL TechBase: Adaptive smart materials – \$65k
2015	LLNL TechBase: Material model library for lattice structured meta-materials – \$50k

# Other Skills and Qualifications

Security Clearance: DOE Q

Languages: German (Proficient)

# **Publications/Presentations**

### Refereed journal publications

- [1] M. C. Messner et al. "A Method for Including Diffusive Effects in Texture Evolution". In: Journal of the Mechanics and Physics of Solids (2019).
- [2] Julie A Jackson et al. "Field responsive mechanical metamaterials". In: Science advances 4.12 (2018), eaau6419.

- [3] H. D. Carlton et al. "Mapping local deformation behavior in single cell metal lattice structures". In: *Acta Materilia* 129 (2017), pp. 239–250.
- [4] M. C. Messner et al. "A crystal plasticity model for slip resistance and junction formation in HCP metals". In: *Modelling and Simulation in Materials Science and Engineering* 25.4 (2017), p. 044001.
- [5] Mark C Messner. "A fast, efficient direct slicing method for slender member structures". In: *Additive Manufacturing* 18 (2017), pp. 213–220.
- [6] J. A. Hawreliak et al. "Dynamic Behavior of Engineered Lattice Materials". In: Scientific Reports 6 (2016).
- [7] M. C. Messner. "Optimal lattice-structured materials". In: Journal of the Mechanics and Physics of Solids 96 (2016), pp. 162–183.
- [8] M. C. Messner, A. J. Beaudoin, and R. H. Dodds, Jr. "A grain boundary damage model for delamination". In: *Computational Mechanics* 56 (2015), pp. 1–20.
- [9] M. C. Messner, R. H. Dodds, Jr., and A. J. Beaudoin. "Consistent crystal plasticity kinematics and linearization for the implicit finite element method". In: *Engineering Computations* 32.6 (2015), pp. 1526–1548.
- [10] M. C. Messner et al. "Wave propagation in equivalent continuums representing truss lattice materials". In: *International Journal of Solids and Structures* 73-74 (2015), pp. 55–66.
- [11] M.C. Messner, A. J. Beaudoin, and R. H. Dodds, Jr. "An interface compatibility/equilibrium mechanism for delamination fracture in aluminum-lithium alloys". In: *Engineering Fracture Mechanics* 133 (2015), pp. 70–84.
- [12] M.C. Messner, A. J. Beaudoin, and R. H. Dodds, Jr. "Mesoscopic modeling of crack arrestor delamination in Al-Li: Primary crack shielding and T-stress effect". In: *International Journal of Fracture* 188.2 (2014), pp. 229–249.

#### Pending refereed journal publications

- [13] M. C. Messner. "Convolutional neural network surrogate models for the optimization of periodic structures". In: *Submitted for publication* (2019).
- [14] M. C. Messner, V.-T. Phan, and T.-L. Sham. "Evaluating and modeling rate sensitivity in advanced reactor structural materials: 316H, Gr. 91, and A617". In: *Submitted for publication* (2019).
- [15] M. C. Messner et al. "Combined Crystal Plasticity and Grain Boundary Modeling of Creep in Ferritic-Martensitic Steels, Part 2: The Effect of Stress and Temperature on Engineering and Microstructural Properties". In: Submitted for publication (2019).
- [16] Omar Nassif et al. "Combined Crystal Plasticity and Grain Boundary Modeling of Creep in Ferritic-Martensitic Steels, Part 1: Theory and Implementation". In: *Submitted for publication* (2019).

#### Refereed conference publications

- [17] M. C. Messner, R. I. Jetter, and T.-L. Sham. "Establishing Temperature Upper Limits for the ASME Section III, Division 5 Design by Elastic Analysis Methods". In: *ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018, V01BT01A016–V01BT01A016.
- [18] M. C. Messner, V.-T. Phan, and T.-L. Sham. "A Unified Inelastic Constitutive Model for the Average Engineering Response of Grade 91 Steel". In: *ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018, V01BT01A015–V01BT01A015.
- [19] M. C. Messner and T.-L. Sham. "Detection of Ratcheting in Finite Element Calculations". In: *ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018, V01BT01A013–V01BT01A013.
- [20] M. C. Messner, T.-L. Sham, and Yanli Wang. "N-bar Problems as Approximations to the Bree Problem". In: ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018.
- [21] M. C. Messner et al. "A Basis for Applying Elastic Perfectly-Plastic Design Methods to Cyclic Softening Materials". In: ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018.

- [22] M. C. Messner et al. "Assessment of Passively Actuated In-Situ Cyclic Surveillance Test Specimens for Advanced Non-Light Water Reactors". In: *ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018, V01BT01A018–V01BT01A018.
- [23] M. C. Messner et al. "The Mechanical Interaction of Clad and Base Metal for Molten Salt Reactor Structural Components". In: *ASME 2018 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. American Society of Mechanical Engineers. 2018, V01BT01A012–V01BT01A012.
- [24] M. C. Messner, T.-L. Sham, and R. I. Jetter. "Verification of the EPP code case for strain limits evaluations by inelastic analysis method". In: *Proceedings of the ASME 2017 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. Vol. PVP2017-65418. 2017, pp. 1–10.
- [25] M. C. Messner et al. "Modeling shocks in periodic lattice materials". In: *AIP Conference Proceedings.* 1793. 2017, p. 080012.
- [26] Y. Wang et al. "Combined load and displacement controlled testing to support development of simplified component design rules for elevated temperature service". In: *Proceedings of the ASME 2017 Pressure Vessels and Piping Conference*. PVP2017-65455. 2017, pp. 1–6.

#### **Patents**

- [27] Julie A Jackson et al. "Systems and methods for additive manufacturing to encapsulate transformative colloidal suspensions". 15/239,306 (United States). 2018.
- [28] Mark Christian Messner. "A fast, efficient direct slicing method for lattice structures". 15/683,953 (United States). 2018.

#### Non-refereed publications

- [29] M. C. Messner, V.-T. Phan, and T.-L. Sham. *Development of Grade 91 inelastic model for incorporation in ASME Division 5.* Tech. rep. Argonne National Lab.(ANL), Argonne, IL (United States), 2018.
- [30] M. C. Messner and T.-L. Sham. *Initial development and extension of EPP methods to Grade 91*. Tech. rep. Argonne National Lab.(ANL), Argonne, IL (United States), 2018.
- [31] M. C. Messner and Y. Yu. "Multiphysics Simulation of Thermal Striping for Determining Creep-Fatigue Life". In: *Transactions of the American Nuclear Society* 118 (2018), pp. 1439–1441.
- [32] M. C. Messner, X. Zhang, and T.-L. Sham. *Report on the completion of the development of processing map from as-cast Alloy 709 materials.* Tech. rep. Argonne National Lab.(ANL), Argonne, IL (United States), 2018.
- [33] M. C. Messner et al. Evaluation of statistical variation of microstructural properties and temperature effects on creep fracture of Grade 91. Tech. rep. Argonne National Lab.(ANL), Argonne, IL (United States), 2018.
- [34] M. C. Messner et al. *Finite element analysis of compliant cladding and base metal systems.* Tech. rep. Argonne National Lab.(ANL), Argonne, IL (United States), 2018.
- [35] R. I. Jetter et al. Report on an Assessment of the Application of EPP Results from the Strain Limit Evaluation Procedure to the Prediction of Cyclic Life Based on the SMT Methodology. Tech. rep. ANL-ART-96. Argonne National Laboratory, 2017.
- [36] M. C. Messner, V. T. Phan, and T.-L. Sham. FY17 Status Report on the Initial Development of a Constitutive Model for Grade 91 Steel. Tech. rep. ANL-ART-93. Argonne National Laboratory, 2017.
- [37] M. C. Messner and T.-L. Sham. FY17 Status Report on the Initial EPP Finite Element Analysis of Grade 91 Steel. Tech. rep. ANL-ART-94. Argonne National Laboratory, 2017.
- [38] M. C. Messner et al. FY17 Status Report on the Micromechanical Finite Element Modeling of Creep Fracture of Grade 91 Steel. Tech. rep. ANL-ART-95. Argonne National Laboratory, 2017.
- [39] Y. Wang, M. C. Messner, and T.-L. Sham. FY17 Status Report on Testing Supporting the Inclusion of Grade 91 Steel as an Acceptable Material for Application of the EPP Methodology. Tech. rep. ORNL/TM2017/388. Oak Ridge National Laboratory, 2017.

[40] Brian Healy et al. WARP3D release 17.0: 3-D dynamic nonlinear fracture analyses of solids using parallel computers. Civil Engineering Studies Structural Research Series No. 607. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2011.

#### **Invited talks**

- [41] M. C. Messner. "The mechanics of lattice-structured materials". In: ASME 2017 International Mechanical Engineering Congress & Exposition. 2017.
- [42] M. C. Messner. "Understanding the link between processing, structure, and performance in additively manufactured lattice materials". In: New Industrial and Scientific Opportunities for Structural Materials: Data, Modeling, Manufacturing. 2016.
- [43] M. C. Messner, A. J. Beaudoin, and R. H. Dodds, Jr. "A multiscale model for delamination fracture in Al-Li alloys". In: *IUTAM Symposium on Ductile Fracture and Localization*. 2015.

Numerous conference presentations.