

Curriculum Vitae
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APPOINTMENTS

2017–present Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Iowa State University
2012–2017 Associate Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Iowa State University
2006–2012 Assistant Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Iowa State University
2001–2006 Graduate Research Assistant, Northwestern University

PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION

Northwestern University	Evanston, IL	Electrical and Computer Engineering	Ph.D.	2006
Northwestern University	Evanston, IL	Electrical and Computer Engineering	M.S.	2002
Northwestern University	Evanston, IL	Computer Engineering	B.S.	2001

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Computer architecture and compilers
- Application acceleration, reconfigurable computing, and FPGAs
- Computer security, cryptography, and software protection
- Embedded systems and high-level design methodologies
- Low-power and power-aware computing

HONORS AND AWARDS

February 2024	IEEE Computer Society Distinguished Contributor
September 2021–present	Ross Martin Mehl and Marylyne Munas Mehl Professorship
May 2019	Engineering Outstanding Achievement in Teaching Award, Iowa State University
October 2016	Warren B. Boast Undergraduate Teaching Award, Iowa State University
November 2014	Research feature in NSF’s “Perspectives on Broader Impacts” publication
August 2012	IEEE Senior Membership
June 2012	ACM SIGDA Distinguished Service Award
May 2012	ISU Award for Early Achievement in Teaching
April 2012	ISU College of Engineering Faculty Member of the Year
2012–2016	National Science Foundation CAREER Award
May 2011	Warren B. Boast Undergraduate Teaching Award, Iowa State University
September 2010	Article featured in IEEE’s “Computing Now” research highlights
March 2010	Article featured in IEEE’s “Computing Now” research highlights
May 2009	Warren B. Boast Undergraduate Teaching Award, Iowa State University
June 2006	EECS Department Best Dissertation Award, Northwestern University

2005–2006	Northwestern University Graduate Research Fellowship
2002–2005	National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship
2001–2002	Walter P. Murphy Fellowship
June 2001	Graduation with distinction <i>summa cum laude</i> , Northwestern University
2000–2001	Motorola Undergraduate Research Award
2000–present	Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honors Society
2000–present	Eta Kappa Nu Electrical and Computer Engineering Honors Society

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1. CybE 2310 - *Cyber Security Concepts and Tools*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F24.
2. CprE 1610 - *Programming Practice for Engineers*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F22, W23, S23, F23, S24, F24, S25, F25.
3. EE 285 - *Problem Solving Methods and Tools for Electrical Engineering*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F21, F22, F23.
4. CprE+EE 599 - *Creative Component Projects*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F18, S19, F19, S20, F20, S21, F21, S22, F23, S24, F24.
5. EE+SE 491 - *Senior Design Project I and Professionalism*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F17, S18, F18.
6. CprE 488 - *Embedded Systems Design*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: S14 (with P. Jones), F14, F15, S17.
7. CprE 480 - *Graphics Processing and Architecture*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: S11, S12, S13, S21, S22, S23.
8. CprE 185 - *Introduction to Computer Engineering and Problem Solving I*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: S10.
9. CprE 594 - *Embedded Systems Research Skills*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: S09 (with P. Jones).
10. CprE 381 - *Computer Organization and Assembly Level Programming*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F08, F09, F10, F11, S12, F16, F19, F20.
11. CprE 588 - *Embedded Computer Systems*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: S07 (with D. Rover), S08, S09, S10.
12. CprE 583 - *Reconfigurable Computing*, Iowa State University. Semesters taught: F06, F07, F12, F13, F14, F15.
13. ECE 510 - *Computer Security and Information Assurance*, Northwestern University. Quarters taught: S05 (with A. Choudhary), S04 (with A. Choudhary).
14. ECE 362 - *Computer Architecture Projects*, Northwestern University. Quarters taught: W05 (with A. Choudhary), W04 (with A. Choudhary).

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Technical and Organizing Committees

- Technical Program Committee, Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI (GLSVLSI), 2015–2017
- Technical Program Committee, IEEE/ACM International Workshop on System-Level Interconnect Prediction (SLIP), 2016
- Technical Program Committee, IEEE International Symposium on Hardware-Oriented Security and Trust (HOST), 2011–2016
- Publications Chair, IEEE/ACM International Workshop on System-Level Interconnect Prediction (SLIP), 2015
- Technical Program Committee, IFIP/IEEE International Conference on Very Large Scale Integration (VLSI-SoC), 2015
- Technical Program Committee, IEEE International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD), 2013, 2017
- Technical Program Committee, IEEE International Conference on Networking, Architecture, and Storage (NAS), 2013
- Technical Program Committee, International Conference on High Performance Computing (HiPC), Student Research Symposium, 2009–2013
- Technical Program Committee, International Conference on Contemporary Computing (IC3), 2011
- Technical Program Committee, IEEE International Conference on Microelectronic Systems Education (MSE), 2009
- Technical Program Committee, ACM SIGDA Student Research Competition at the Design Automation Conference (SRC@DAC), 2012
- Technical Program Committee, ACM SIGDA Student Research Competition at the International Conference on Computer Aided Design (SRC@ICCAD), 2013
- SIGDA University Booth Organizer, Design Automation Conference (DAC), 2008–2013
- Publicity Chair + Technical Program Committee, IEEE International Conference on Electro/Information Technology (EIT), 2008
- Student Advocate, International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO), 2007
- Technical Program Committee, International Workshop on High Performance Data Mining (HPDM), 2007

Proposal Reviewing

- NSF Panelist, Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) Program, 2021
- NSF Panelist, Faculty Early Career Development Program (CAREER) Program, 2020
- NSF Panelist, Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP), 2020
- NSF Reviewer, Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP), 2019
- NSF Panelist, Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP), 2017
- NSF Panelist, Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program, Education Technologies and Applications, 2020
- NSF Panelist, Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program, Cybersecurity, 2019
- NSF Panelist, Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program, Image and Video, 2016

- NSF Panelist, Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program, Advanced Data Analytics, 2016
- NSF Panelist, Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS) Program, 2015
- NSF Panelist, Computer Systems Research (CSR) Program, 2015
- NSF Panelist, Secure, Trustworthy, Assured and Resilient Semiconductors and Systems (STARSS) Program, 2015
- NSF Panelist, Trustworthy Computing (TC) Program, 2009

Other Reviewing Activities

- ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems (TECS)
- ACM Transactions on Design Automation of Electronic Systems (TODAES)
- ACM Transactions on Reconfigurable Technology and Systems (TRETs)
- IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking (TNET)
- IEEE Transactions on Computers (TC)
- IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems I (TCAS-I)
- IEEE Transactions on Very Large Scale Integration Systems (TVLSI)
- IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (TCAD)
- IEEE Transactions on Dependable and Secure Computing (TDSC)
- IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems (TPDS)
- IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security (TIFS)
- IEEE Design & Test of Computers (DT)
- IEEE Embedded Systems Letters
- IEEE Computer
- IEEE Micro
- EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing
- IEE Proceedings on Information Security
- International Journal of Computers and Applications (IJCA)
- International Journal of Computers and Electrical Engineering
- Journal of Systems and Software (JSS)
- The Journal of Supercomputing (TJS)
- Journal of Microprocessors and Microsystems
- International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems (ASPLOS)
- International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO)
- International Symposium on High-Performance Computer Architecture (HPCA)
- International Conference for High Performance Computing, Networking, Storage, and Analysis (SC)
- Design Automation Conference (DAC)
- International Conference on VLSI Design (VLSID)
- International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD)
- Asia and South Pacific Design Automation Conference (ASP-DAC)
- IEEE International Symposium on Network Computing and Applications (NCA)
- International Symposium on Information Processing in Sensor Networks (IPSN)

Professional Memberships

- IEEE (M'02, SM'12)
- IEEE Computer Society (2004–present)
- ACM (2011–present)
- ACM SIGDA (2011–present)
- ASEE (2014–present)

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Book Chapters

1. A. Pande and **J. Zambreno**. *Embedded Multimedia Security Systems*, Springer-Verlag, London, 146 pages, 2013.

Journal Papers

2. M. Yushkova, **J. Zambreno**, A. Sanchez, A. de Castro, “Convolutional neural network for subharmonics detection in Hardware-In-the-Loop”, *IETE Journal of Research*, 2025.
3. J. Bertram, **J. Zambreno**, and P. Wei, “Efficient Unmanned Aerial Systems Navigation With Collision Avoidance in Dense Urban Environments”, *IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems (T-ITS)*, vol 24, no. 8, 2023.
4. U. Ezeobi, H. Olufowobi, C. Young, **J. Zambreno** and G. Bloom, “Reverse Engineering Controller Area Network Messages using Unsupervised Machine Learning”, *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine*, vol. 11, no. 1, 2022.
5. J. Bertram, P. Wei, and **J. Zambreno**, “A Fast Markov Decision Process based Algorithm for Collision Avoidance in Urban Air Mobility”, *IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems (T-ITS)*, vol. 23, no. 9, 2022.
6. M. Qasaimeh, K. Denolf, A. Khodamoradi, M. Blott, J. Lo, L. Halder, K. Vissers, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “Benchmarking Vision Kernels and Neural Network Inference Accelerators on Embedded Platforms”, *Journal of Systems Architecture*, vol. 113, 2021.
7. S. Saha, H. Duwe and **J. Zambreno**, “CyNAPSE: A Low-power Reconfigurable Neural Inference Accelerator for Spiking Neural Networks”, *Journal of Signal Processing Systems*, vol. 92, 2020.
8. H. Olufowobi, C. Young, **J. Zambreno**, and G. Bloom, “SAIDuCANT: Specification-based Automotive Intrusion Detection using Controller Area Network (CAN) Timing”, *IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology*, vol. 69, no. 2, 2020.
9. C. Young, H. Olufowobi, G. Bloom and **J. Zambreno**, “Survey of Automotive Controller Area Network Intrusion Detection Systems”, *IEEE Design and Test*, vol. 36, no. 6, 2019.
10. A. Grieve, M. Davies, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “ARMOR: A Recompile and Instrumentation-free Monitoring Architecture for Detecting Memory Exploits”, *IEEE Transactions on Computers (TC)*, vol. 67, no. 8, 2018.

11. P. Zhang, A. Mills, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, "The Design and Integration of a Software Configurable and Parallelized Coprocessor Architecture for LQR Control", *Journal of Parallel and Distributed Computing (JPDC)*, vol. 106, pp. 121-131, 2017.
12. C. Nelson, K. Townsend, O. Attia, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, "RAMPS: A Reconfigurable Architecture for Minimal Perfect Sequencing", *IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems (TPDS)*, vol. 27, no. 10, 2016.
13. X. Wang, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, "A Configurable Architecture for Sparse LU Decomposition on Matrices with Arbitrary Patterns", *ACM Computer Architecture News (CAN)*, vol. 43, no. 4, 2015.
14. T. Johnson, D. Roggow, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, "An FPGA Architecture for the Recovery of WPA/WPA2 Keys", *Journal of Circuits, Systems, and Computers (JCSC)*, vol. 24, no. 7, 2015.
15. M. Monga, D. Roggow, M. Karkee, S. Sun, L. K. Tondehal, B. Steward, A. Kelkar and **J. Zambreno**, "Real-time Simulation of Dynamic Vehicle Models using a High-performance Reconfigurable Platform", *Microprocessors and Microsystems*, vol. 39, no. 8, pp. 720-740, 2015.
16. O. Attia, K. Townsend, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, "A Reconfigurable Architecture for the Detection of Strongly Connected Components", *ACM Transactions on Reconfigurable Technology and Systems (TRETS)*, vol. 9, no. 2, 2015.
17. K. Townsend, O. Attia, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, "A Scalable Unsegmented Multi-port Memory for FPGA-based Systems", *International Journal of Reconfigurable Computing (IJRC)*, vol. 2015, December, 2015.
18. C. Kumar, S. Vyas, R. Cytron, C. Gill, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones. "Hardware-Software Architecture for Priority Queue Management in Real-time and Embedded Systems", *International Journal of Embedded Systems (IJES)*, vol. 6, no. 4, pp. 319-334, 2014.
19. S. Vyas, C. Kumar, **J. Zambreno**, C. Gill, R. Cytron and P. Jones. "An FPGA-based Plant-on-Chip Platform for Cyber-Physical System Analysis", *IEEE Embedded Systems Letters (ESL)*, vol. 6, no. 1, pp. 4-7, 2014.
20. A. Pande, S. Chen, P. Mohapatra and **J. Zambreno**. "Hardware Architecture for Video Authentication using Sensor Pattern Noise", *IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology (TCSVT)*, vol. 24, no. 1, pp. 157-167, 2014.
21. S. Vyas, A. Gupte, C. Gill, R. Cytron, **J. Zambreno**, and P. Jones. "Hardware Architectural Support for Control Systems and Sensor Processing", *ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems (TECS)*, vol. 13, no. 2, 2013.
22. A. Pande, P. Mohapatra, and **J. Zambreno**. "Securing Multimedia Content using Joint Compression and Encryption", *IEEE MultiMedia (MM)*, vol. 20, no. 4, pp. 50-61, 2013.

23. A. Pande and **J. Zambreno**. “A Chaotic Encryption Scheme for Real-time Embedded Systems: Design and Implementation”, *Telecommunication Systems*, vol. 52, no. 2, pp. 551-561, 2013.
24. A. Pande, **J. Zambreno**, and P. Mohapatra. “Comments on ‘Arithmetic Coding as a Non-Linear Dynamical System’”, *Communications in Nonlinear Science and Numerical Simulation (CNSNS)*, vol. 17, no. 12, pp. 4536-4543, 2012.
25. A. Pande and **J. Zambreno**. “Poly-DWT: Polymorphic Wavelet Hardware Support For Dynamic Image Compression”, *ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems (TECS)*, vol. 11, no. 1, 2012.
26. S. Sun, M. Monga, P. Jones, and **J. Zambreno**. “An I/O Bandwidth-Sensitive Sparse Matrix-Vector Multiplication Engine on FPGAs”, *IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems I (TCAS-I)*, vol. 59, no. 1, pp. 113-123, 2012.
27. S. Sun and **J. Zambreno**. “Design and Analysis of a Reconfigurable Platform for Frequent Pattern Mining”, *IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems (TPDS)*, vol. 22, no. 9, pp. 1497-1505, 2011.
28. A. Pande and **J. Zambreno**. “Efficient Mapping and Acceleration of AES on Custom Multi-Core Architectures”, *Concurrency and Computation: Practice and Experience*, vol. 23, no. 4, pp. 372-389, 2011.
29. A. Baumgarten, M. Steffen, M. Clausman, and **J. Zambreno**. “A Case Study in Hardware Trojan Design and Implementation”, *International Journal of Information Security (IJIS)*, vol. 10, no. 1, pp. 1-14, 2011.
30. A. Pande and **J. Zambreno**. “Reconfigurable Hardware Implementation of a Modified Chaotic Filter Bank Scheme”, *International Journal of Embedded Systems (IJES)*, vol. 4, no. 3, pp. 248-258, 2010.
31. A. Pande and **J. Zambreno**. “The Secure Wavelet Transform”, *Springer Journal of Real-Time Image Processing (RTIP)*, 2010.
32. A. Baumgarten, A. Tyagi, and **J. Zambreno**. “Preventing Integrated Circuit Piracy using Reconfigurable Logic Barriers”, *IEEE Design and Test of Computers*, vol. 27, no. 1, pp. 66-75, January 2010.
33. G. Bloom, B. Narahari, R. Simha, and **J. Zambreno**. “Protecting Secure Execution Environments with a Last Line of Defense Against Trojan Circuit Attacks”, *Computers and Security*, vol. 28, no. 7, pp. 660-669, October 2009.
34. S. Sun, Z. Yan, and **J. Zambreno**. “Demonstrable Differential Power Analysis Attacks on Real-World FPGA-Based Embedded Systems”, *Integrated Computer-Aided Engineering*, vol. 16, no. 2, pp. 119-130, April 2009.

35. J. Sathre and **J. Zambreno**. “Automated Software Attack Recovery using Rollback and Huddle”, *Springer Journal of Design Automation for Embedded Systems (DAES)*, vol. 12, no. 3, pp. 243-260, September 2008.
36. D. Nguyen, A. Das, **J. Zambreno**, G. Memik, and A. Choudhary. “An FPGA-Based Network Intrusion Detection Architecture”, *IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security (TIFS)*, vol. 3, no. 1, pp. 118-132, March 2008.
37. A. Das, S. Ozdemir, G. Memik, **J. Zambreno**, and A. Choudhary. “Microarchitectures for Managing Chip Revenues under Process Variations”, *IEEE Computer Architecture Letters*, vol. 6, no. 2, pp. 29–32, July 2007.
38. **J. Zambreno**, D. Honbo, A. Choudhary, R. Simha, and B. Narahari. “High-Performance Software Protection using Reconfigurable Architectures”, *Proceedings of the IEEE*, vol. 94, no. 2, pp. 1–13, February 2006.
39. **J. Zambreno**, A. Choudhary, R. Simha, B. Narahari, and N. Memon. “SAFE-OPS: An Approach to Embedded Software Security”, *ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems (TECS)*, vol. 4, no. 1, pp. 189–210, February 2005.

Conference and Workshop Papers

40. B. Welte and **J. Zambreno**, “An FPGA Implementation of SipHash”, *Proceedings of the Reconfigurable Architectures Workshop (RAW)*, May, 2023.
41. M. Qasaimeh, **J. Zambreno**, and P. Jones, “An Efficient Hardware Architecture for Sparse Convolution using Linear Feedback Shift Registers”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Application-specific Systems, Architectures and Processors (ASAP)*, July, 2021.
42. J. Bertram, **J. Zambreno**, and P. Wei, “Scalable FastMDP for Pre-departure Airspace Reservation and Strategic De-conflict”, *Proceedings of the AIAA SciTech Forum*, January, 2021.
43. B. Kempa, P. Zhang, P. Jones, **J. Zambreno** and K. Y. Rozier, “Embedding Online Runtime Verification for Fault Disambiguation on Robonaut2”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Formal Modeling and Analysis of Timed Systems (FORMATS)*, September, 2020.
44. M. Pivezhandi, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “ParaHist: FPGA Implementation of Parallel Event-Based Histogram for Optical Flow Calculation”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Application-specific Systems, Architectures and Processors (ASAP)*, July, 2020.
45. E. Frickey, D. Rover, **J. Zambreno**, A. Khokhar, D. Jacobson, L. Larson and M. Shelley, “Changing an Electrical and Computer Engineering Department Culture from the Bottom Up: Action Plans Generated from Faculty Interviews”, *Proceedings of the Annual Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE)*, June 2020.

46. C. Young, J. Svoboda and **J. Zambreno**, “Towards Reverse Engineering Controller Area Network Messages Using Machine Learning”, *Proceedings of the IEEE World Forum on Internet of Things (WF-IoT)*, April, 2020.
47. S. Saha, H. Duwe and **J. Zambreno**, “An Adaptive Memory Management Strategy Towards Energy Efficient Machine Inference in Event-Driven Neuromorphic Accelerators”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Application-specific Systems, Architectures and Processors (ASAP)*, July, 2019.
48. M. Qasaimeh, K. Denolf, J. Lo, K. Vissers, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “Comparing Energy Efficiency of CPU, GPU and FPGA Implementations for Vision Kernels”, *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Embedded Software and Systems (ICESS)*, June, 2019.
49. H. Olufowobi, U. Ezeobi, E. Muhati, G. Robinson, C. Young, **J. Zambreno** and G. Bloom, “Anomaly Detection Approach Using Adaptive Cumulative Sum Algorithm for Controller Area Network”, *Proceedings of the ACM Workshop on Automotive Cybersecurity (AutoSec)*, March, 2019.
50. C. Young, H. Olufowobi, G. Bloom and **J. Zambreno**, “Automotive Intrusion Detection Based on Constant CAN Message Frequencies Across Vehicle Driving Modes”, *Proceedings of the ACM Workshop on Automotive Cybersecurity (AutoSec)*, March, 2019.
51. J. Avey, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “An FPGA-based Hardware Accelerator for Iris Segmentation”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on ReConfigurable Computing and FPGAs (ReConFig)*, December, 2018.
52. M. Cauwels, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “HW/SW Configurable LQG Controller using a Sequential Discrete Kalman Filter”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on ReConfigurable Computing and FPGAs (ReConFig)*, December, 2018.
53. X. Zhu, R. Wernsman and **J. Zambreno**, “Improving First Level Cache Efficiency for GPUs Using Dynamic Line Protection”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP)*, August, 2018.
54. M. Qasaimeh, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “A Runtime Configurable Hardware Architecture for Computing Histogram-based Feature Descriptors”, *Proceedings of the International Symposium on Field-Programmable Logic and Applications (FPL)*, August, 2018.
55. H. Olufowobi, G. Bloom, C. Young and **J. Zambreno**, “Work-in-Progress: Real-Time Modeling for Intrusion Detection in Automotive Controller Area Network”, *Proceedings of the IEEE Real-Time Systems Symposium (RTSS)*, December, 2018.
56. P. Zhang, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “An Embedded Scalable Linear Model Predictive Hardware-based Controller using ADMM”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Application-specific Systems, Architectures and Processors (ASAP)*, July, 2017.
57. D. Rover, **J. Zambreno**, M. Mina, P. Jones, D. Jacobson, S. McKilligan and A. Khokhar, “Riding the Wave of Change in Electrical and Computer Engineering”, *Proceedings of the Annual Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE)*, June 2017.

58. M. Qasaimieh, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “A Modified Sliding Window Architecture for Efficient BRAM Resource Utilization”, *Proceedings of the Reconfigurable Architectures Workshop (RAW)*, May, 2017
59. C. Young, **J. Zambreno**, and G. Bloom, “Towards a Fail-Operational Intrusion Detection System for In-Vehicle Networks”, *Proceedings of the Workshop on Security and Dependability of Critical Embedded Real-Time Systems (CERTS)*, November, 2016.
60. X. Zhu, M. Awatramani, D. Rover, and **J. Zambreno**, “ONAC: Optimal Number of Active Cores Detector for Energy Efficient GPU Computing”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD)*, October, 2016.
61. X. Wang and **J. Zambreno**, “Parallelizing Latent Semantic Indexing Using an FPGA-based Architecture”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD)*, October, 2016.
62. D. Rover, **J. Zambreno**, M. Mina, P. Jones, and L. Chrystal, “Evidence-Based Planning to Broaden the Participation of Women in Electrical and Computer Engineering”, *Proceedings of the Frontiers in Education Conference (FIE)*, October, 2016.
63. A. Mills, P. Jones, and **J. Zambreno**, “Parameterizable FPGA-based Kalman Filter Coprocessor using Piecewise Affine Modeling”, *Proceedings of the Reconfigurable Architectures Workshop (RAW)*, May, 2016.
64. O. Attia, A. Grieve, K. Townsend, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “Accelerating All-Pairs Shortest Path Using A Message-Passing Reconfigurable Architecture”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on ReConFigurable Computing and FPGAs (ReConFig)*, December, 2015.
65. P. Zhang, A. Mills, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “A Software Configurable and Parallelized Coprocessor Architecture for LQR Control”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on ReConFigurable Computing and FPGAs (ReConFig)*, December, 2015.
66. A. Mills, P. Zhang, S. Vyas, **J. Zambreno** and P. Jones, “A Software Configurable Coprocessor-Based State-Space Controller”, *Proceedings of the International Symposium on Field-Programmable Logic and Applications (FPL)*, September, 2015.
67. M. Awatramani, X. Zhu, **J. Zambreno** and D. Rover, “Phase Aware Warp Scheduling: Mitigating Effects of Phase Behavior in GPGPU Applications”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques (PACT)*, October, 2015.
68. X. Wang, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “A Configurable Architecture for Sparse LU Decomposition on Matrices with Arbitrary Patterns”, *Proceedings of the International Symposium on Highly-Efficient Accelerators and Reconfigurable Technologies (HEART)*, June, 2015.
69. D. Roggow, P. Uhing, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “A Project-Based Embedded Systems Design Course Using a Reconfigurable SoC Platform”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Microelectronic Systems Education (MSE)*, May, 2015.

70. K. Townsend, S. Sun, T. Johnson, O. Attia, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**, “k-NN Text Classification using an FPGA-Based Sparse Matrix Vector Multiplication Accelerator”, *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Electro/Information Technology (EIT)*, May, 2015.
71. K. Townsend and **J. Zambreno**, “A Multi-Phase Approach to Floating-Point Compression”, *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Electro/Information Technology (EIT)*, May, 2015.
72. A. Mills and **J. Zambreno**, “Estimating State of Charge and State of Health of Rechargeable Batteries on a Per-Cell Basis”, *Proceedings of the Workshop on Modeling and Simulation of Cyber-Physical Energy Systems (MSCPES)*, April, 2015.
73. K. Townsend, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**. “A High Performance Systolic Architecture for k-NN Classification”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Formal Methods and Models for Codesign (MEMOCODE)*, October 2014.
74. C. Kumar, S. Vyas, R. Cytron, C. Gill, **J. Zambreno**, and P. Jones. “Cache Design for Mixed Critical Real-Time Systems”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD)*, October 2014.
75. M. Awatramani, D. Rover and **J. Zambreno**. “Perf-Sat: Runtime Detection of Performance Saturation for GPGPU Applications”, *Proceedings of the International Workshop on Scheduling and Resource Management for Parallel and Distributed Systems (SRMPDS)*, September 2014.
76. X. Wang, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**. “A Reconfigurable Architecture for QR Decomposition Using A Hybrid Approach”, *Proceedings of the IEEE Computer Society Annual Symposium on VLSI (ISVLSI)*, July 2014.
77. A. Mills and **J. Zambreno**. “Towards Scalable Monitoring and Maintenance of Rechargeable Batteries”, *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Electro/Information Technology (EIT)*, June 2014.
78. X. Wang and **J. Zambreno**, “An FPGA Implementation of the Hestenes-Jacobi Algorithm for Singular Value Decomposition”, *Proceedings of the Reconfigurable Architectures Workshop (RAW)*, May 2014.
79. O. Attia, T. Johnson, K. Townsend, P. Jones and **J. Zambreno**. “CyGraph: A Reconfigurable Architecture for Parallel Breadth-First Search”, *Proceedings of the Reconfigurable Architectures Workshop (RAW)*, May 2014.
80. X. Wang and **J. Zambreno**. “An Efficient Architecture for Floating-Point Eigenvalue Decomposition”, *Proceedings of the International Symposium on Field-Programmable Custom Computing Machines (FCCM)*, May 2014.
81. A. Krishna, **J. Zambreno**, and S. Krishnan. “Polarity Trend Analysis of Public Sentiment on YouTube”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Management of Data (COMAD)*, December 2013.

82. M. Awatramani, **J. Zambreno**, and D. Rover. “Increasing GPU Throughput using Kernel Interleaved Thread Block Scheduling”, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD)*, October 2013.
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- **J. Zambreno**. “ChatGPT and Related Technologies: The Future is Now!”, multiple venues, 2023.
- **J. Zambreno**, panelist. “Lessons Learned in Senior Design”, ECEDHA Summit Series, December 2020.
- **J. Zambreno**. “The Promise and Practice of Reconfigurable Application Acceleration”, University of Missouri Kansas-City, November 2018.
- **J. Zambreno**. “An FPGA-based Embedded Vision System for Real Time Motor-Grader Blade Tracking”, John Deere ISG, May 2016.
- **J. Zambreno**, “Reconfigurable Computing at Iowa State: Research and Educational Activities”, John Deere ISG (April 2015), Vermeer Corporation (May 2015).
- **J. Zambreno**. “How to use NVIDIA’s GPUs on the Cyence Cluster”, HPC Training Workshop Series, Iowa State University, February 2016, October 2015.
- **J. Zambreno**. “The Security and Software Engineering Research Center (S2ERC) at Iowa State”, Workiva (May 2014), John Deere ISG (September 2014), Sandia National Labs (January 2015), Resilient (January 2015), InfraGuard Iowa (August 2015).
- **J. Zambreno**, panelist. “Opportunities and Challenges of Research Collaboration between Industry and IS Academia”, Big XII+ MIS Research Symposium, April 2015.
- **J. Zambreno**. “The Promise and Practice of Reconfigurable Application Acceleration”, ECpE Faculty Seminar Series (March 2015), ECSEL Seminar (February 2018), Iowa State University.
- **J. Zambreno**. “Engaging Students through Innovative Course Design”, CELT Award-Winning Faculty Series, Iowa State University, January 2014.
- **J. Zambreno**. “Architectural Approaches to Embedded Program Flow Protection”, Motorola Workshop on Security (held at Northwestern University), October 2006.

- **J. Zambreno** and B. Narahari. “Protecting Critical Computing Systems: A Hardware/Software Codesign Approach”, Institute for Defense Analyses, March 2006.
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- **J. Zambreno** and A. Choudhary. “Hardware/Software Co-Design for System Security”, Institute for Defense Analyses (DARPA Workshop on Research Opportunities for Trusted ICs), August 2005.

SPONSORED RESEARCH FUNDING

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- “Collaborative Research: WI-ECSEL Scholarship Program (Women in Electrical, Computer, and Software Engineering as Leaders)” (PI with D. Jacobson, S. Rajala, D. Rover, M. Shelley, U. Tobey, J. Emmerson, K. Hensen, C. Sheller, M. Bausman, and H. Conley). *National Science Foundation (NSF), Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) Program*. Total funding - \$4,999,954 (ISU share, \$4,054,476), 2016–2023.
- “Design Review of an FPGA-based Valve Control System” (PI). *Ag Leader Technology*. Total funding - \$18,292, 2019–2020.
- “CPS: Breakthrough: Collaborative Research: Track and Fallback: Intrusion Detection to Counteract Carjack Hacks with Fail-Operational Feedback” (PI with G. Bloom). *National Science Foundation (NSF), Cyber Physical Systems (CPS) Program*. Total funding - \$425,000 (ISU share, \$190,449 + \$16,000 REU supplement), 2016–2019.
- “CAREER:Architectural Support for CPU/GPU Hybridization” (PI). *National Science Foundation (NSF), CAREER Program*. Total funding - \$466,310, 2012–2019.
- “An FPGA-Based Embedded Vision System for Real Time Motor-Grader Blade Tracking” (PI with co-PI P. Jones). *Deere and Company*. Total funding - \$88,128, 2016.
- “CSR:Small:Hardware Architectures for Data Mining at the Exascale” (PI). *National Science Foundation (NSF), Computer Systems Research Program*. Total funding - \$449,998 + \$16,000 REU supplement, 2011–2016.
- “Industry Support for the Security and Software Engineering Research Center (S2ERC)” (PI). Various companies. Total funding - \$120,000, 2014–2016.
- “An Adaptive Property-Aware HW/SW Framework for DDDAS” (Co-PI with P. Jones, N. Elia, R. Cytron, and C. Gill). *Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFOSR), Dynamic Data Driven Application Systems Program*. Total funding - \$299,987 (ISU share, \$168,656), 2011–2013.
- “EAGER:Collaborative Research:Seamless Integration of Conjoined Cyber-Physical System Properties” (Co-PI with P. Jones, R. Cytron, and C. Gill). *National Science Foundation*

(NSF), *Cyber-Physical Systems Program*. Total funding - \$299,917 (ISU share, \$149,928), 2010–2013.

- “CT-M: Hardware Containers for Software Components - Detection and Recovery at the Hardware/Software Interface” (Co-PI with R. Simha, B. Narahari, and A. Choudhary). *National Science Foundation (NSF), CyberTrust Program*. Total funding - \$980,000 (ISU share - \$200,000 + \$16,000 REU supplement), 2009–2012.
- “Architectural Support for Detection and Recovery using Hardware Wrappers” (Co-PI with B. Narahari and R. Simha). *Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFOSR)*. Total funding - \$479,390 (ISU share - \$172,083), 2009–2012.

Equipment and Software

- Donation of 1 Zynq UltraScale+ RFSoc ZCU111 evaluation kit. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$8,995, 2018.
- Donation of 2 Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoC ZCU106 evaluation kits. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$3,990, 2018.
- Donation of an NVIDIA GeForce GTX TITAN X GPU. *NVIDIA Hardware Grant Program*. Total commercial value - \$999, 2015.
- Donation of Alpha-Data high performance reconfigurable computing platform and SDAccel software. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$1,750, 2015.
- Donation of 10 Virtex 5 and 5 Virtex 6 FPGAs for use in high performance reconfigurable computing platform. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$64,410, 2014.
- Donation of 4 Digilent Zedboards. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$1,580, 2013.
- Donation of 5 DIGILAB-Atlys and 5 DIGILAB-Nexys3 boards. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$2,740, 2012.
- Donation of 14 DIGILAB-XUP-V5 boards. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$27,986, 2010.
- Donation of 15 Virtex 5 FPGAs for use in high performance reconfigurable computing platform. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$57,268, 2010.
- Donation of 2 XUPV5-LX110T boards. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$3,998, 2009.
- “A Strategic Vision for Autonomous Vehicle Research at Iowa State University” (PI with A. Stoytchev and A. Tyagi). *ECpE Strategic Planning and Execution Committee, Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$25,000, 2008.
- “Comparative Studies on Using Multi-Core Processors in High-Performance Computing and Emerging Applications” (Co-PI with M. Chang, M. Sosonkina, and Z. Zhang). *ECpE Strategic Planning and Execution Committee, Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$30,500, 2008.
- Donation of 16 Virtex 4 FPGAs for use in logic emulation platform. *Xilinx University Program*. Total commercial value - \$75,000, 2007.
- “Laboratory for Trusted Embedded Systems” (Co-PI with T. Daniels, A. Tyagi, and Z. Zhang). *ECpE Strategic Planning Committee, Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$50,000, 2007.

Internal Funding

- “Addressing Increasing Undergraduate Enrollment in ECpE with High-Capacity and High-Throughput Labs” (PI with D. Jacobson, S. Kovarik, M. Govindarasu, and D. Jiles). *Dean’s Educational Initiatives, Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$89,500 + \$89,500 departmental match, 2012.
- “Enabling Real-time Vehicle Simulation with VR Interface using HW/SW Accelerators” (PI with B. Steward and A. Kelkar). *Information Infrastructure Institute (ICube), Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$5,000, 2010.
- “Real-Time Management of Integrated Information, Physical, and Human Networks” (Co-PI with P. Jones). *Information Infrastructure Institute (ICube), Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$5,000, 2009.
- “Enhancing Realism and Flexibility of VR-Based Real-Time Dynamic Simulation Framework with Operator and Hardware-in-the-loop Interface” (Collaborator with A. Kelkar and B. Steward). *Virtual Reality Applications Center (VRAC), Iowa State University*. Personal share of funding - \$50,000, 2008–2010.
- “Acceleration and Efficiency Exploration of Cryptographic Kernels on Multi-Core Processing Platforms” (PI). *Center for Information Protection (CIP), Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$25,000, 2007–2008.
- “CODELESS: Configurable DEvices for Large-scale Energy System Simulation” (Co-PI with D. Aliprantis). *Information Infrastructure Institute (ICube) and Electric Power Research Center (EPRC), Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$29,000, 2008–2009.
- “Architectural Approaches to Embedded Program Flow Protection” (PI). *Center for Information Protection (CIP), Iowa State University*. Total funding - \$25,000, 2006–2007.

STUDENT SUPERVISION

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- Joseph Krejchi, M.S. student
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- Kynara Fernandes, M.S. student
- Adnan Khan, M.S. student
- Srihith Dhulipala, M.S. student
- Meghana Korada, M.S. student
- Jason Xie, M.S. student
- Sonia Hugar, M.S. student
- Samarth Begari, M.S. student
- Alexander Kronau, M.S. student
- Gaurav Pandey, M.S. student
- Gavin Patel, M.S. student
- Nathan Reff, M.S. student
- Sunil Savana, M.S. student

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Previous Students

- Joshua Bertram, Ph.D. 2022, *Applying FastMDP to Complex Aerospace-Related Problems*. Currently at Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory (APL).
- Clinton Young, Ph.D. 2020, *Techniques for Utilizing Classification Towards Securing Automotive Controller Area Network and Machine Learning Towards the Reverse Engineering of CAN Messages*. Currently at BAE Systems.
- Mihir Awatramani, Ph.D. 2017 (with D. Rover), *Workload-aware Scheduling Techniques for General Purpose Applications on Graphics Processing Units*. Currently at NVIDIA.
- Xinying Wang, Ph.D. 2016, *Using Reconfigurable Computing Technology to Accelerate Matrix Decomposition and its Applications*. Currently at Intel.
- Jeremy Bennett, Ph.D. 2016 (with J. Oliver), *Massive Model Visualization: A Practical Solution*. Currently at Siemens PLM Software.
- Dossay Oryspayev, Ph.D. 2016 (with P. Maris), *Performance Analysis and Acceleration of Nuclear Physics Application on High-Performance Computing Platforms using GPGPUs and Topology-Aware Mapping Techniques*. Currently at the University of Connecticut.
- Aaron Mills, Ph.D. 2016, *Design and Implementation of an FPGA-based Piecewise Affine Kalman Filter for Cyber-Physical Systems*. Currently at BAE Systems.
- Kevin Townsend, Ph.D. 2016, *Sparse Matrix Vector Multiplication on FPGA-based Platforms*. Currently at Google.
- Sudhanshu Vyas, Ph.D. 2015 (with P. Jones), *Design Exploration of Hardware Accelerators for Mitigating the Effects of Computational Delay on Digital Control Loops*. Currently at Analog Devices.
- Michael Steffen, Ph.D. 2012, *A Hardware-Software Integrated Solution for Improved Single-Instruction Multi-Thread Processor Efficiency*. Currently at AMD.
- Song Sun, Ph.D. 2011, *Analysis and Acceleration of Data Mining Algorithms on High Performance Reconfigurable Computing Platforms*. Currently at Fortinet.
- Amit Pande, Ph.D. 2010, *Algorithms and Architectures for Secure Embedded Multimedia Systems*. Currently at Target.
- Raksha Deshpande, M.S. 2025, *An Advanced Email Phishing Simulation Tool*.
- Lokesh Buragadda, M.S. 2025, *Medical Image Captioning Using CNN and LSTM*.
- Akshay Balasundaram, M.S. 2025, *Homomorphic Encryption in Practice: A Beginner-Friendly Analysis of Microsoft SEAL, OpenFHE, and TenSEAL*.
- Juno Robertson, M.S. 2024 (with D. Rover), *Beginner's Trap - A Qualitative Study Of Common Antipatterns In An Introductory Embedded C Course*. Currently at Safran Federal Systems.
- Chandrakala Jadaldinni, M.S. 2024, *Design and Simulation of a Superheterodyne Receiver at 5.25GHz in ADS*.
- James Bonner, M.S. 2024, *Cognitive Radio Network Startup Transient Sensing*.
- Bryce Snell, M.S. 2024, *Implementing a big.LITTLE Architecture with Architecturally Diverse Cores*. Currently at IBM.
- Abir Mojumder, M.S. 2023, *ROP Gadget Generation on the Xtensa LX7*. Currently at Bifold Technologies.

- Daeyoo Kim, M.S. 2023, *5G Throughput Prediction Using Machine Learning*. Currently at OSI Engineering.
- Cheyenne Smith, M.S. 2023, *An Analysis of the Arduino Software Supply Chain*. Currently at Sterling Systems.
- Pawan Namagiri, M.S. 2023, *Peer-to-Peer Hybrid File Sharing Application*. Currently at AMD.
- Rajesh Karampudi, M.S. 2023, *Loop Categorization Analysis for Memory Leak Detection in the Linux Kernel*.
- Veronica Torres, M.S. 2023, *A Survey on Non-Player Character Believability*. Currently at Goldman Sachs.
- Matt Dwyer, M.S. 2022, *GeMM Enabled Batch Ray-Triangle Intersections*. Currently at NVIDIA.
- Benjamin Welte, M.S. 2022, *An FPGA implementation of SipHash*. Currently at USPTO.
- Cristian George, M.S. 2022, *Towards the Reverse Engineering of DNN Structures on Heterogeneous Shared Cache Systems*. Currently at NVIDIA.
- Justin Merkel, M.S. 2022, *Quantized Recurrent Neural Networks on FPGA*.
- Yueyi Jiao, M.S. 2021 (with H. Ceylan), *Inertial-Based Pavement Surface Smoothness Measurement Smart Box*. Currently at Cadence.
- Arnoldo Montoya, M.S. 2020, *Benchmarking Kotlin and Java in Android Runtime Environment*. Currently at Google.
- Chenhang Xu, M.S. 2020, *Human Activity Recognition Using Smartphones*.
- Shelby Pickering, M.S. 2020, *Developing a Distribution-Level Microgrid with Limited Data*. Currently at Alliant Energy.
- Wei Xu, M.S. 2020, *Analyzing Social Media Data and Performance Comparison with Traditional Database, Data Warehouse, and MapReduce Approaches*. Currently at Iowa State University.
- Nischay Venkatram, M.S. 2020, *Benchmarking AssemblyScript for Faster Web Applications*. Currently at LinkedIn.
- Joshua Bertram, M.S. 2019 (with P. Wei), *A New Solution for Solving Markov Decision Processes and its Applications to Aerospace Problems*. Currently at Johns Hopkins APL.
- Saunak Saha, M.S. 2019 (with H. Duwe), *Towards Energy-Efficient Hardware Acceleration of Memory-intensive Event-driven Kernels on a Synchronous Neuromorphic Substrate*. Currently at Apple.
- Robert Wernsman, M.S. 2019, *Analyzing Energy Savings in an FPGA Video Processing System using Dynamic Partial Reconfiguration*. Currently at Zoox.
- Han Liao, M.S. 2019, *New Heuristic Algorithm to improve the Minimax for Gomoku Artificial Intelligence*.
- Chengrui Yang, M.S. 2019 (with N. Neihart), *Evaluation of Antenna Design and Energy Harvesting System of Passive Tags in UHF RFID Applications*. Currently at Qorvo.
- Resy Verma, M.S. 2019, *Assessing Coexistence of IEEE 802.15.4 Networks and IEEE 802.11b/g/n Networks - A Study of Interference Effects*. Currently at Eximis Surgical.
- Shangxuan Han, M.S. 2019, *Stock Prediction with Random Forests and Long Short-term Memory*.
- Yifu Zhou, M.S. 2019, *Self-configured Elastic Database with Deep Q-Learning Approach*. Currently at Huawei.

- Yue Zhang, M.S. 2019, *Evaluation of CNN Models with Fashion MNIST Data*.
- Mengying Shu, M.S. 2019, *Deep Learning for Image Classification on Very Small Datasets Using Transfer Learning*. Currently at Collins Aerospace.
- Nathan Gilbert, M.S. 2019, *Using Reinforcement Learning to Tackle the Autonomous Recharging Problem*. Currently at Vermeer.
- Garrett Lies, M.S. 2019, *A Configurable General Purpose Graphics Processing Unit for Power, Performance, and Area Analysis*. Currently at Texas Instruments.
- Quinn Murphy, M.S. 2018, *Accelerating Structured Light Surface Reconstruction with Motion Analysis*. Currently at Garmin.
- Joseph Avey, M.S. 2018, *An FPGA-based Hardware Accelerator for Iris Segmentation*. Currently at Garmin.
- Ben Williams, M.S. 2017, *Evaluation of a SoC for Real-time 3D SLAM*. Currently at NVIDIA.
- Daniel Roggow, M.S. 2017, *Real-time Ellipse Detection on an Embedded Reconfigurable SoC*.
- Alex Grieve, M.S. 2016, *A Recompile and Instrumentation-Free Monitoring Architecture for Detecting Heap Memory Errors and Exploits*. Currently at John Deere.
- Piriya Hall, M.S. 2016, *Adaptation of a GPU Simulator for Modern Architectures*. Currently at ARM.
- Matt Hinrichsen, M.S. 2014, *Reliable Authentication Using the Anderson PUF*. Currently at Workiva.
- Blake Vermeer, M.S. 2014 (with D. Jacobson), *Creating a Releasable Version of ISERink*. Currently at Keysight.
- Amar Krishna, M.S. 2014 (with L. Miller), *Polarity Trend Analysis of Public Sentiment on YouTube*. Currently at Matrice.AI.
- Tyler Johnson, M.S. 2014, *An FPGA Architecture for the Recovery of WPA/WPA2 Keys*.
- Zhong Hu, M.S. 2013 (with T. Bigelow), *Comparison of Gilmore-Akulichev Equation and Rayleigh-Plesset Equation on Therapeutic Ultrasound Bubble Cavitation*. Currently at Meta.
- Lakshmi Kiran Tondehal, M.S. 2013, *Optimization of Sparse-Matrix Vector Multiplication on Convey HC-1*. Currently at Altera.
- Michael Patterson, M.S. 2013, *Vulnerability Analysis of GPU Computing*. Currently at Google.
- Aaron Mills, M.S. 2012, *Design and Evaluation of a Delay-Based FPGA Physically Unclonable Function*. Currently at BAE Systems.
- Chad Nelson, M.S. 2012, *RAMPS: Reconfigurable Architecture for Minimal Perfect Sequencing using the Convey Hybrid Core Computer*. Currently at Everfox.
- Justin Rilling, M.S. 2011, *Persistent Monitoring of Digital ICs to Verify Hardware Trust*. Currently at Collins Aerospace.
- Madhu Monga, M.S. 2010, *Real-Time Simulation of Dynamic Vehicle Models using High Performance Reconfigurable Computing Platforms*. Currently at AMD.
- Joel Millage, M.S. 2010, *GPU Integration into a Software Defined Radio Framework*. Currently at Legion.
- Dustin Counsell, M.S. 2010, *Evaluation of High-Level Hardware/Software Embedded System Design Flows*. Currently at MITRE.
- Jacob Braegelmann, M.S. 2009, *An Independent Analysis of High-Level System Modeling and Design Languages*. Currently at New Wave Design and Verification.

- Alex Baumgarten, M.S. 2009, *Preventing Integrated Circuit Piracy using Reconfigurable Logic Barriers*. Currently at Uber.
- Jesse Sathre, M.S. 2008, *Architectural Support for Secure and Survivable Software*. Currently at Microsoft.

Service on Ph.D. Graduate Student Committees

- Vishak Narayanan (advisor - H. Duwe), Ph.D. TBD, committee member
- Tracy La Van (advisor - D. Jacobson), Ph.D. TBD, committee member
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- Megan Ryan (advisor - D. Jacobson), Ph.D., 2023, committee member
- Pei Zhang (advisor - P. Jones), Ph.D., 2021, committee member
- Murad Qasaimah (advisor - P. Jones), Ph.D., 2020, committee member
- Tim Garrett (advisor - R. Radkowski), Ph.D., 2020, committee member
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- Augusto Souza (advisor - S. Birrell), Ph.D., 2019, committee member
- Piyush Lakhawat (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2018, committee member
- Hao Ren (advisor - R. Kumar), Ph.D., 2018, committee member
- Parijat Shukla (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2017, committee member
- Teng Wang (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2016, committee member
- Dan Gieseman (advisor - T. Daniels), Ph.D., 2015, committee member
- Yanan Cao (advisor - Z. Zhang), Ph.D., 2015, committee member
- Zhiming Zhang (advisor - M. Chang), Ph.D., 2015, committee member
- Chetan Kumar (advisor - P. Jones), Ph.D., 2015, committee member
- Pavan Kumar (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2014, committee member
- Long Chen (advisor - Z. Zhang), Ph.D., 2014, committee member
- Sparsh Mittal (advisor - Z. Zhang), Ph.D., 2013, committee member
- Meng Li (advisor - R. Kumar), Ph.D., 2013, committee member
- Sharhabeel Al Nabelsi (advisor - A. Kamal), Ph.D., 2012, committee member
- Hao Chen (advisor - D. Aliprantis), Ph.D., 2012, committee member
- Prasad Avirneni (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2012, committee member
- Tyler Sondag (advisor - H. Rajan), Ph.D., 2011, committee member
- Ramon Mercado (advisor - D. Rover), Ph.D., 2011, committee member
- Prem Ramesh (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2011, committee member
- Zijun Yan (advisor - C. Chu), Ph.D., 2011, committee member
- Abhinav Sarje (advisor - S. Aluru), Ph.D., 2010, committee member
- Abhishek Das (Northwestern University, advisor - A. Choudhary), Ph.D., 2010, committee member
- Benjamin Jackson (advisor - S. Aluru), Ph.D., 2009, committee member
- Viswanathan Subramanian (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2009, committee member
- Michael Frederick (advisor - A. Somani), Ph.D., 2008, committee member
- Pubali Banerjee (advisor - D. Jacobson), Ph.D., 2007, committee member

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- Jonathan Tan (advisor - P. Jones), M.S. TBD, committee member
- Joseph Zuber (advisor - A. Jannesari), M.S. 2025, committee member
- Jian Kai Lee (advisor - L. Ben Othmane), M.S. 2022, committee member
- Matthew Cauwels (advisor - P. Jones), M.S. 2019, committee member
- Jeramie Vens (advisor - D. Qiao), M.S., 2015, committee member
- Eric Rodine (advisor - D. Jacobson), M.S., 2015, committee member
- Christopher Farrington (advisor - D. Jacobson), M.S., 2015, committee member
- Arielle Czalowski (advisor - D. Jacobson), M.S., 2015, committee member
- Yang Yang (advisor - T. Daniels), M.S., 2013, committee member
- Pooja Mhapsekar (advisor - P. Jones), M.S., 2013, committee member
- Matthew Sullivan (advisor - D. Jacobson), M.S., 2013, committee member
- Zhang Zhang (advisor - A. Tyagi), M.S., 2013, committee member
- Christian Fredrickson (advisor - D. Jacobson), M.S., 2013, committee member
- Moin Sayed (advisor - P. Jones), M.S., 2012, committee member
- J. Chargo (advisor - S. Kothari), M.S., 2012, committee member
- T. Meyer (advisor - Y. Guan), M.S., 2011, committee member
- D. Graziano (advisor - T. Daniels), M.S., 2011, committee member
- Preethika Kalyanasundaram (advisor - G. Manimaran), M.S., 2011, committee member
- Adwait Gupte (advisor - P. Jones), M.S., 2011, committee member
- Wade Paustian (advisor - T. Daniels), M.S., 2010, committee member
- Jeffrey Schmidt (advisor - Z. Zhang), M.S., 2009, committee member
- Andrew Riha (advisor - D. Rover), M.S., 2008, committee member
- Kenneth McVicker (advisor - D. Jacobson), M.S., 2007, committee member

Undergraduate Student Supervision

- Rafat Momin, 2025
- Divya Lidder, 2025–2026 (Boeing Fellow)
- William Griner, 2025
- Nicholas Vazquez, 2024 (Honors program)
- Tasman Grinnell, 2024
- James Minardi, 2024
- Megan Phinney, 2022
- Mitchell Anderson, 2022
- Morgan Ambourn, 2021
- Joshua Guyer, 2021
- Noah Thompson, 2020
- Stephen Brooks, 2020–2021
- Ryan Foster, 2020 (IINSPIRE LSAMP program)
- Rose Druce-Hoffman, 2020 (First-Year Honors program)
- Joseph Zuber, 2020 (First-Year Honors program)
- Jorge Ortiz, 2020 (First-Year Honors program)
- Kyung-Tae Kim, 2019 (REU)
- Sarah Wick, 2019 (APEX-E program)

- Jessica Bader, 2019 (Honors program)
- Jordan Svoboda, 2018–2019 (REU)
- Bryan Friestad, 2019
- Nithin Sebastian, 2019 (First-Year Honors program)
- Rachel Vallier, 2019 (First-Year Honors program)
- Nicholas Krabbenhoft, 2019 (First-Year Honors program)
- Nairah Saldana, 2018 (APEX-E program)
- Michael Davies, 2017
- Victory Omole, 2017
- Bijan Choobineh, 2017 (REU)
- Zachary Glanz, 2016 (REU)
- Eric Middleton, 2016–2017 (REU)
- Dane Larson, 2016 (REU)
- Yazan Okasha, 2016–2017
- Nathan Kent, 2016
- Kevin Angeliu, 2016 (First-Year Honors program)
- Noah Ertz, 2016 (First-Year Honors program)
- Joshua Steffensmeier, 2016
- Michael Sgroi, 2015 (REU)
- Seth Rickard, 2015
- Alberto Di Martino, 2015
- Diva Agarwal, 2015
- Daniel Keith, 2015
- Quinn Murphy, 2015 (REU)
- Joseph Avey, 2015–2016 (REU)
- Bryce Wilson, 2014
- Joseph Meis, 2014
- Rohit Zambre, 2014
- Lamin Ceesay, 2014 (HHMI summer research program)
- Darren Hushak, 2014
- David Callen, 2014
- Grant Kamin, 2014 (First-Year Honors program)
- Jonathan Schmidt, 2014 (First-Year Honors program)
- Garret Meier, 2014 (First-Year Honors program)
- Kevin Engel, 2013 (REU)
- Mason Berhenke, 2013 (First-Year Honors program)
- Chris Rogers, 2013 (First-Year Honors program)
- Tanner Borglum, 2012–2013 (REU)
- Ryan Scheel, 2012 (REU)
- Robert Ray, 2012
- Matthew Rench, 2012
- Christopher Sabotta, 2011
- Kyle Peterson, 2011
- Max Mayfield, 2011–2012 (REU)
- Kevin Pope, 2011 (REU)

- Taehyun Park, 2010
- Jamin Hitchcock, 2010
- Mikhail Drob, 2010 (REU)
- Michael Patterson, 2010 (REU)
- Stephen LeBlanc, 2010 (First-Year Honors program)
- Abhishek Vemuri, 2010 (First-Year Honors program)
- Michael Carter, 2010 (First-Year Honors program)
- Bailey Steinfadt, 2010
- Greg Hogan, 2010
- Christopher Morgan, 2009 (First-Year Honors program)
- Gregory Gholson, 2009 (First-Year Honors program)
- Michael Svendsen, 2008 (First-Year Honors program)
- Dave Peters, 2008 (First-Year Honors program)
- Tim Meyer, 2007–2008 (First-Year Honors program)
- Cole Anagnost, 2007 (First-Year Honors program)

Senior Design Supervision

- Clair Riley, Andy Fung, Landon Siegfried, Nathan Young, Cameron Schweder, Zach Kehoe, “Automated Jupyter Submission Management”, 2025-2026
- Mason Inman, James Minardi, Eli Ripperda, Lindsey Wessel, “Video Pipeline for Machine Computer Vision”, 2024-2025
- Tasman Grinnell, Josh Deaton, Ben Johnson, Cory Roth, Spencer Thiele, Zach Rapoza, Lincoln Kness, “Non-Euclidean Game”, 2024-2025
- Kevin Dickey, Christy Mettry, Nick Toothaker, Nicholas Vazquez, Eleen Mohd, “Interactive Lighting Display for Reiman Gardens Events”, 2024
- Hankel Haldin, Anthony Manschula, Alex Bashara, Joseph Dicklin, “Multicore Operational Analysis Tooling (MOAT)”, 2024
- Kareem Eljaam, Caleb Rock, Benjamin Meinders, Colsen Selk, Logan McDermott, “Pipelined Hardware Video Compressor and Decompressor”, 2023-2024
- Kristen Nathan, Sophie Waterman Hines, Cole Mullenbach, Patrick Demers, Kyle Rooney, “Discord Bot Integration for Replit Teams for Education”, 2023
- Aayush Chanda, Alexander Freiberg, Baganesra Bhaskaran, Brian Goode, Chau Wei Lim, Michael Roling, “Mobile Vehicle Cybersecurity with On-board Key Management”, 2022-2023
- Cody Stricker, Josue Torres, Levi Jansen, Drake Ridgeway, Riley Lawson, Ryan Campbell, Ryan Scehovic, “Mobile Vehicle Cybersecurity Using a Secure Bridge”, 2022-2023
- David Imhoff, Dawson Munday, Isaac Sachse, Jeet Nair, Luke Dirks, Nathan Bellows, Nathan Kelly, “Automated Chess System”, 2021-2022
- Benjamin Kelly, Elizabeth Nelson, Ami Ikanovic, Isaac Littler, Parth Padmanabhan, Scott Fank, Zahydee Machado, “Real-Time Map Data Visualizer”, 2021-2022
- Mitchell Anderson, Brady Solomon, Julio Torres, Seth Braddock, Stephen Brooks, Trey Wiegmann, Brandon Xicon, “Video Game Console”, 2021-2022
- Dillon Peters, Parker Bibus, Jake Aunan, Jamie Peterson, Brett Santema, Aidan Sherburne, “AR Chess Advisor”, 2020-2021

- Cobi Mom, Danny Yip, Durga Darba, Ismael Duran, Scott Vlasic, Evan Timmons, “Dash Cam Defender”, 2020
- Joseph Crowley, Jacob Campen, Casey Cierzan, Luke Schoeberle, Patrick Levings-Curry, Taylor Burton, Yung-Hsueh Lee, “Self-Solving Rubrik’s Cube”, 2019-2020
- Zachary Serritella, Bryan Johnston, Evan Mandle, Brian Shanders, Alexander Schneider, Alex Carpenter, “Networked Arcade Platform”, 2019
- Calvin McBride, Mitchell Freshour, Samuel Westerlund, and Douglas Kihlken, “Mars Rover”, 2018-2019
- Pierce Adajar, Benjamin Simon, Claudia Athens, Francisco Arreola, “Distributed Wild Bird Surveillance and Recognition System”, 2018-2019
- Gunnar Andrews, Gregory Harmon, Jacob Feddersen, Luke Heilman, Leo Freier, William Brandt, “MIDI Zuesaphone (Singing Tesla Coil)”, 2018-2019
- Vishal Joel, Jared Danner, Brian Bradford, Niki-Louis Hamilton, Nicholas Knuth, “Wide-band Full Stokes parameterised spectrometer for Xilinx RFSoc Platform”, 2018-2019
- Souparni Agnihotri, Fahmida Joyti, Eric Himmelbau, Ashley Dvorsky, and Bowen Zhang, “Use of Imaging Devices and Machine Learning Software to Assist in Autonomous Vehicle Path Planning”, 2017-2018
- Alexander Orman, Chris Kelley, Lixing Liu, Evan Lambert, Sean Jellison, and Lucas Ince, “Autonomous Vehicle Processor”, 2017
- Darren Davis, Bijan Choobineh, Tracy La Van, Jesse Luedtke, David Schott, and Robert Stemig, “Autonomous Learning Vehicle Integrating Neural Networks”, 2017
- Joseph Randazzo, Caleb Redman, Kit Kohl, Anthony Khounlo, Theim Nguyen, and Christopher Smit, “Arial Land Inspection System (ALIS), v2”, 2016-2017
- Matt Lee, Mike Croskey, Keane O’Kelley, Jordan Kauffman, and Samuel Oswalt, “Automotive Intrusion Detection System”, 2016-2017
- Katherine Gresback-Brock, David Orona, Jonathan Yeoh, Eric Riedl, “Binary LMS File Interpretation”, 2016
- Quinn Murphy, Brian Gillenwater, Bryce Poellet, Jonathan Schlueter, Nathan Kent, “Arial Land Inspection System (ALIS)”, 2015–2016
- Trevor Goodpasture, Kai Xiang Ching, Yufeng Jaing, Jongik Lee, “FPGA Signal Processing over Ethernet”, 2015–2016
- Alex Lende, Benjamin Williams, Joshua Steffensmeier, Nicholas Montelibano, Zachary Shaver, Ethan Brady, “Garmin Backboard: Computer Vision and Tracking Algorithm”, 2015–2016
- Caleb Van Dyke, Arlen Burroughs, Aaron Schafbuch, Mitch Meiss, Andrew Jiles, “SIDS Alert Device”, 2015
- Andy Heintz, Altay Ozen, Abe Devine, “Network Forensics User Interface”, 2014–2015
- Jake Bertram, Dan Smith, Kyle Tietz, Jacob Wallraff, Erich Kuerschner, Bryan Passini, “CoderLab: A Browser-based Sandbox for Real-Time Code Collaboration”, 2014–2015
- Dustin Amesbury, Brittany Oswald, Wallace Davis, Darren Hushak, John Tuohy, “Chiptune Synthesizer”, 2013
- Allison Thongvanh, Matt Dresser, Riley Swindell, Blake Vermeer, Jordan Jacobson, “Automated Chess System”, 2013
- Taylor Anderson, Patrick Clark, Austin Laugen, Andrew Montag, Alison Spiess, “Project Hestia: Embedded Cloud Control and Automation”, 2012–2013

- Kevin Pope, Steven Bruening, MatthewDavid Grove, Max Mayfield, Michael Yeager, “Virtual Pinball Experience”, 2011–2012
- Brandon Otto, Jonathan Henze, Kevin Moore, Marvin Toeung, Richard Rojas, “Multi-Arcade Emulation System”, 2011–2012
- David Gartner, John Alexander, Danny Funk, Tony Milosch, Cory Mohling. “FPGA-based Arcade Emulation System”, 2010–2011
- Ashley Good, David Graziano, Tim Meyer, Matt Saladin. “FPGA-based Emulation of the Nintendo Entertainment System”, 2009–2010
- Adam Ahrens, Amelia Gee, Joshua Mensah, Jonathan Salvador, Bailey Steinfadt. “College of Engineering iPhone Application”, 2009–2010
- Derek Baldus, Greg Hogan, David Kaiser, Scott Penick. “Web-based Thermostat Control System”, 2008–2009
- Alex Burds, Jin-Ning Tioh, Tony Ross, Dave Zajicek. “Logic Design Training Tool”, 2007–2008
- Brendan Campbell, Sean Godinez, Daniel Risse, Aaron Westphal. “CyRay: An Interactive Ray Tracer for the PlayStation 3”, 2007–2008

Other Student Project Mentoring

- Jeramie Vens, Sebastian Roe, Kristopher Burney, Justin Wheeler, Andrew Snawerdt. “uCube”, Texas Instruments Innovation Challenge, 2015

Supervised Student Awards

- Quinn Murphy, Brian Gillenwater, Bryce Poellet, Jonathan Schlueter, Nathan Kent, *ECpE Best Senior Design Project Award*, 2nd place, 2016
- Daniel Roggow, *ASEE Science, Mathematics, and Research for Transformation (SMART) Scholarship* (declined), 2015
- Matt Hinrichsen, Aaron Mills, *CSI CyberSEED Hardware Challenge*, 1st place entry, 2014
- Kevin Townsend, *ACM/IEEE International Conference on Formal Methods and Models for Codesign (MEMOCODE) Design Contest*, 1st place entry, 2014
- Daniel Roggow, *ISU Presidential Scholarship*, 2014
- Dustin Amesbury, Brittany Oswald, Wallace Davis, Darren Hushak, John Tuohy, *ECpE Best Senior Design Project Award*, 2013
- Amar Krishna, *International Conference on Management of Data (COMAD), Best Student Presentation Award*, 2013
- Chris Rogers, *University Honors Summer Research Grant*, 2013
- Taylor Anderson, Patrick Clark, Austin Laugen, Andrew Montag, Alison Spiess, *ECpE Best Senior Design Project Award*, 2013
- Chad Nelson and Kevin Townsend, *ACM/IEEE International Conference on Formal Methods and Models for Codesign (MEMOCODE) Design Contest*, 1st place entry, 2012
- Michael Patterson, Christopher Sabotta, Sudhanshu Vyas, and Aaron Mills, *Computer Security Awareness Week (CSAW) Embedded Systems Challenge*, 2nd place entry, 2011
- Amit Pande, *Zaffarano Prize for Graduate Research Research* (honorable mention), 2011
- Amit Pande, *Iowa State University Research Excellence Award (REA)*, 2010

- Amit Pande, *CRA/CCC Computing Innovation Fellow* (post-doctoral fellowship sponsored by NSF), 2010
- Michael Steffen and Veerendra Allada, *ACM/IEEE International Conference on Formal Methods and Models for Codesign (MEMOCODE) Design Contest*, 5th place entry, 2010
- David Graziano, Tim Meyer, Jamin Hitchcock, Xinying Wang, and Justin Rilling, *Computer Security Awareness Week (CSAW) Embedded Systems Challenge*, 2nd place entry, 2010
- Michael Steffen and Justin Rilling, *ACM/IEEE International Conference on Formal Methods and Models for Codesign (MEMOCODE) Design Contest*, 2nd place entry (performance category), 2009
- Amit Pande, *International Conference on VLSI Design (VLSID) Design Contest*, 3rd place entry, 2009
- Alex Baumgarten and Michael Steffen, *Computer Security Awareness Week (CSAW) Embedded Systems Challenge*, 1st place entry, 2008
- Michael Steffen, *National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellowship*, 2008–2011
- Michael Steffen, *Computer Security Awareness Week (CSAW) Embedded Systems Challenge*, 3rd place entry, 2007
- Jesse Sathre, *Computer Security Awareness Week (CSAW) Embedded Systems Challenge*, 2nd place entry, 2007
- Tim Meyer, *University Honors Summer Research Grant*, 2007

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2023–present	Chair, ECpE Curriculum Committee
2023–present	Chair, ECpE Honors and Awards Committee
2024–present	Member, ECpE Senior Design Coordination Committee
2018–2023	Associate Chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
2023–2025	Member, ECpE Promotion, Tenure, and Post Tenure Review Committee
2022–2025	Member, COACHE Action Team
2021–present	Member, Engineering College Curriculum Committee (ECCC)
2022–2023	Chair, ECpE Search Committee
2021–2022	Chair, ECpE Search Committee
2020–present	Member, ECpE Accreditation Committee
2020–present	Member, Cyber-Physical Systems Minor Committee
2019–2020	Member, ECpE Search Committee, Computing area
2018–2019	Chair, ECpE Search Committee
2018–2023	Chair, ECpE Infrastructure, Planning and Development Committee
2017–present	Member, ECpE Strategic Planning and Implementation Committee
2015–2020	Member, Certificate in Computing Applications Committee
2017–2019	Member, ECpE Promotion and Tenure Committee
2012–present	Member, ECpE Administrative Committee
2015–2017	Member, College Undergraduate Scholarships and Awards Committee
2016–2017	Chair, ECpE Search Committee, Computer / Software Engineering area
2014–present	Adviser, ISU chapter of Eta Kappa Nu (HKN)

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2012–2017	ECpE Director of Undergraduate Education (DoUGE)
2012–2017	Chair, ECpE Curriculum Committee
2011–2017	Member, ECpE Student Professional Development Committee
2010–2023	Director of Certificate Studies (DOCS), Certificate in Embedded Systems
2010–2023	Director of Certificate Studies (DOCS), Certificate in Computer Networking
2014–2016	Site Director, Security and Software Engineering Research Center (S2ERC)
2014–2015	Member, ECpE Search Committee, “Emerging Needs” area
2014–2015	Member, ECpE Higher Learning Commission (HLC) Committee
2009–2015	Volunteer, IT Olympics Competition
2013–2014	Member, Iowa State University Emerging Leaders Academy (ELA)
2012–2013	Member, Student Innovation Center Communications Committee
2011–2012	Member, ECpE Curriculum Committee
2010–2011	Member, ECpE Promotion and Tenure Committee
2009–2010	Member, ECpE Senior Design Committee
2009–2011	Member, ECpE Graduate Committee
2009–2011	Chair, ECpE Computing and Networking Systems Group
2009–2011	Mentor, Engineering Leadership Program
2008–2010	Member, ECpE Chair Search Committee
2008–2010	Member, ECpE Elections and Oversight Committee
2008–2009	Member, ECpE Undergraduate Recruiting Committee
2007–2009	Member, ECpE Strategic Planning and Execution Committee
2007–2009	Member, ECpE Curriculum Committee
2006–2008	Member, ECpE Graduate Admissions Committee
Spring 2007	Judge, ECpE EAB poster competition
2014–present	Presenter, Computer Engineering students in EE/CprE 166
2011–2012	Presenter, ECpE Friday Activities at Noon (FAN) event
2008–present	Presenter, Undeclared Engineering students in ENGR 101
2006–present	Participant, Take Your Professor To Lunch (TYPTL) program
Spring 2008	Judge, Iowa State Science and Technology Fair
Spring 2007	Judge, Iowa State Science and Technology Fair