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## 1. CONTACT INFORMATION

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## 2. EDUCATION

- Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering, University of California, San Diego, 2001 – 2006.  
Thesis title: *New Approaches for Placement and Benchmarking of CMOS and Gene Chips*.  
Thesis advisor: Professor Andrew B. Kahng.
  - M. Sc. in Electrical Engineering – Computer and Systems, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt, 1998 – 2000.  
Thesis title: *Combinational Equivalence Checking*.  
Thesis advisor: Professor Ashraf Salem.
  - B. Sc. (Distinction with Honors and highest GPA) in Electrical Engineering – Computer and Systems, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt, 1993 – 1998.
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## 3. RESEARCH INTERESTS

Broad interests in computer engineering areas including energy-efficient computing, design automation, embedded systems, computer architecture, reconfigurable computing and combinatorial optimization.

Current research themes:

- Energy-Efficient and Sustainable Computing
  - SW/HW co-design for AI
  - Molecular Computing
  - Electronic Design Automation
  - Combinatorial Optimization and Machine Learning
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## 4. WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Current title:**
  - Professor of Engineering and Computer Science, Brown University.
  - Amazon Scholar.
- **Full time positions:**
  - July 2019 – : Full Professor, School of Engineering, Brown University.

- July 2021 – August 2023 : Principal Scientist at Amazon. Experience: supply chain optimization, fulfillment optimization and network planning, and machine learning for business analytics.
- July 2013 – June 2019: Associate Professor with tenure, School of Engineering, Brown University.
- July 2006 – June 2013: Assistant Professor of Engineering, Brown University.
- March 2001 – June 2006: Teaching/Research Assistant, University of California, San Diego.
- September 1998 – December 2000: Teaching/Research Assistant, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt.

• **Consulting / Technical Adviser Experience:**

- Amazon Scholar: Consulting for Amazon Supply Chain Optimization Technologies (SCOT) team.
- Fish & Richardson law firm: Expert witness on power management patents for processors.
- Prince Lobel Tye: Expert witness on approximate computing patents.

• **Visiting and other positions:**

- Visiting scholar at Harvard School of Engineering and Applied Sciences (Spring 2015 sabbatical).
- Intel Design and Technology Group, Santa Clara (Summer 2005).
- IBM Austin Research Laboratory, Austin, Texas (Summer 2004).
- TIMA Laboratory, Grenoble, France (Summer 2000).
- Mentor Graphics Corporation, Cairo, Egypt (Fall 1998 – Fall 2000).

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## 5. AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

- 2026 Best artifact award at IEEE MLCAD symposium
- 2025 Best paper award at IEEE International Conference on LLM-Aided Design
- 2024 IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design Donald O. Pederson Best Paper award.
- 2024 AIIA (International Artificial Intelligence Industry Alliance) Fellow.
- 2023 Amazon Scholar.
- 2023 AAIA (Asia-Pacific Artificial Intelligence Association) Fellow.
- 2022 IEEE Fellow (class of 2023) for Contributions to Energy-Efficient and Approximate Computing.
- 2020 Best Paper Nomination, VLSI SoC Symposium.
- 2020 Best Paper Nomination, Design Automation Test in Europe (DATE) Conference.
- 2018 Best Paper Award, IEEE International Green and Sustainable Computing Conference (IGSC).
- 2016 National Academy of Sciences (NAS) US-Arab Frontiers Fellowship.
- 2015 Best Paper Nomination, International Conference on Computer-Aided Design (ICCAD)
- 2014 Elevated to IEEE Senior status
- 2010 Best Paper Award, International Symposium on Low-Power Electronic Design (ISLPED) (2 out of 203 papers)
- 2010 DAC A. Richard Newton award (1 out of 20 proposals)
- 2010 National Science Foundation CAREER award
- 2008 Best Paper Nomination, Asian South-Pacific Design Automation Conference (ASPDAC) (10 out of 350 papers)
- 2008 Brown University Richard B. Salomon Award
- 2005 Best Paper Nomination, International Conference on Computer-Aided Design (ICCAD)
- 2005 First Place Award, VLSI placement contest, ACM International Symposium on Physical Design (ISPD) (1 out of 9 teams)
- 2005 “Hot” (most downloaded) article in Operations Research Letters

- 2004 Best Poster Award, UCSD Jacobs School of Engineering Research Review Expo (10 out of 200 posters)
- 2003 Best Poster Award, UCSD Jacobs School of Engineering Research Review Expo (10 out of 180 posters)
- 2002 Best Paper Award, Design Automation and Test in Europe Conference (DATE) (3 out of 476 papers)
- 2001 Cal-(IT)<sup>2</sup> fellowship, University of California, San Diego
- 1998 First rank of graduating class among all engineering departments, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt
- 1993 High school valedictorian, El-Nasr English School, Cairo, Egypt

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## 6. PUBLICATIONS (H-INDEX = 43)

– Earlier publications coauthored with Ph.D advisor, Prof. A. B. Kahng, have their authors listed in alphabetical order.

### Books

- [1] S. Reda and A. N. Nowroz, “Power Modeling and Characterization of Computing Devices: A Survey,” Foundations and Trends in Electronic Design Automation, NOW Publishers, 2012. <https://www.amazon.com/dp/1601985606>.
- [2] S. Reda and M. Shafique (Eds), “Approximate Circuits: Methodologies and CAD”, Springer, 2019 <https://www.amazon.com/dp/3319993216>.

### Book Chapters

- [1] Z. Yuan, S. Reda, and A. K. Coskun, “Compact Thermal Modeling of Emerging Cooling Technologies for Processors”, in *Embedded Cooling of Electronic Devices*, to appear 2021.
- [2] S. Dai, C. R. Tulloss, X. Lian, K. Hu, S. Reda, and J. K. Rosenstein, “Low Power Current-Mode Relaxation Oscillators for Temperature and Supply Voltage Monitoring”, in *IFIP Advances in Information and Communication Technology*, pp. 25 - 44, Springer Nature, 2021.
- [3] S. Hashemi and S. Reda, “Approximate Multipliers and Dividers Using Dynamic Bit Selection”, in *Approximate Circuits: Methodologies and CAD*, pp. 25 - 44, Springer, 2019.
- [4] S. Hashemi, H. Tann and S. Reda, “Approximate Logic Synthesis Using Boolean Matrix Factorization”, in *Approximate Circuits: Methodologies and CAD*, pp. 141 - 154, Springer, 2019.
- [5] H. Tann, S. Hashemi and S. Reda, “Lightweight Deep Neural Network Accelerators using Approximate SW/HW Techniques”, in *Approximate Circuits: Methodologies and CAD*, pp. 289 - 305, Springer, 2019.
- [6] H. Tann, S. Hashemi, F. Buttafuoco, and S. Reda, “Approximate Computing for Iris Recognition Systems”, in *Approximate Circuits: Methodologies and CAD*, pp. 331 - 348, Springer, 2019.
- [7] A. B. Kahng and S. Reda and Q. Wang, “APlace: A High Quality, Large-Scale Analytical Placer,” *Modern Circuit Placement: Best Practices and Results*, Springer, 2007, J. Cong and G-J. Nam (ed.), pp. 163 – 187.
- [8] A. B. Kahng, I. Măndoiu, S. Reda, A. Zelikovsky and X. Xu, “Computer-Aided Optimization of DNA Array Design and Manufacturing,” *Design Automation Methods and Tools for Microfluidics-Based Biochips*, Springer, 2006, K. Chakrabarty (ed.), pp. 253 – 269.
- [9] A. B. Kahng and S. Reda, “Digital Layout - Placement,” *The CRC Handbook of EDA for IC Design*, CRC Press, 2005, G. Martin and L. Lavagno (ed.), Vol. 2., pp. 5.1 – 5.23.

## Papers in Archival Proceedings and Journals

- [1] T. Shaffee and S. Reda, “RobuMTL: Enhancing Multi-Task Learning Robustness Against Weather Conditions,” *Proceedings of the IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV)*, 2026.
- [2] M. Hajikhodaverdian, S. Reda, and A. K. Coskun, “Fast Chip Transient Temperature Simulation via Machine Learning,” *Proceedings of the 2024 AAAI/ACM Conference on AI, Ethics, and Society*, 2025. **Best Artifact Award.**
- [3] A. Agiza, M. Mostagir, and S. Reda, “PoliTune: Analyzing the Impact of Data Selection and Fine-Tuning on Economic and Political Biases in Large Language Models,” *Proceedings of the 2024 AAAI/ACM Conference on AI, Ethics, and Society*, 2025.
- [4] M. Abdelatty, J. Rosenstein, and S. Reda, “ChipXplore: Natural Language Exploration of Hardware Designs and Libraries,” *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on LLM-Aided Design (LAD)*, 2025. **Best Paper Award.**
- [5] J. Ma, P. Panda, and S. Reda, “FF-INT8: Efficient Forward-Forward DNN Training on Edge Devices with INT8 Precision,” *IEEE/ACM Design Automation Conference (DAC)*, 2025.
- [6] M. Abdelatty, J. Ma, S. Reda, “MetRex: A Benchmark for Verilog Code Metric Reasoning Using LLMs,” *IEEE Asia and South Pacific Design Automation Conference (ASP-DAC)*, 2025.
- [7] A. Agiza, M. Mostagir, and S. Reda, “PoliTune: Analyzing the Impact of Data Selection and Fine-Tuning on Economic and Political Biases in Large Language Models,” *Proceedings of the 2024 AAAI/ACM Conference on AI, Ethics, and Society*, 2024.
- [8] J. M. Abdelatty, J. Incandela, P. Raj, K. Hu, J. Larkin, S. Reda, J. Rosenstein, “Electrical Capacitance Tomography of Cell Cultures on a CMOS Microelectrode Array,” *IEEE Transactions on Biomedical Circuits and Systems*, 2024.
- [9] J. A. Agiza, S. Marriott, J. K. Rosenstein, E. Kim, and S. Reda, “pH-Controlled Enzymatic Computing for Digital Circuits and Neural Networks,” *Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics, Royal Society of Chemistry*, 2024.
- [10] A. Agiza, M. Neseem, S. Reda, “MTLoRA: Low-Rank Adaptation Approach for Efficient Multi-Task Learning,” *IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2024. **Highlight paper – 2.6% of submitted papers.**
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- [13] M. Abdelatty, J. Incandela, K. Hu, J. Larkin, S. Reda, J. Rosenstein, “Microscale 3-D Capacitance Tomography with a CMOS Sensor Array,” *IEEE Biomedical Circuits and Systems Conference (BioCAS)*, 2023.
- [14] J. Ma and S. Reda, “WeNet: Configurable Neural Network with Dynamic Weight-Enabling for Efficient Inference,” *ACM/IEEE International Symposium on Low Power Electronics and Design*, 2023.
- [15] A. Agiza, R. Roy, T. Ene, S. Godil, S. Reda and B. Catanzaro, “GraPhSyM: Graph Physical Synthesis Model,” *Proceedings of the 42nd International Conference on Computer-Aided Design (ICCAD)*, 2023.
- [16] J. A. Agiza, K. Oakley, J. K. Rosenstein, B. M. Rubenstein, E. Kim, M. Riedel and S. Reda, “Digital Circuits and Neural Networks based on Acid-Base Chemistry implemented by Robotic Fluid Handling,” *Nature Communications*, 2023.
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- [18] M. Neseem, A. Agiza, S. Reda, “AdaMTL: Adaptive Input-dependent Inference for Efficient Multi-Task Learning,” *Proceedings of IEEE/CVF Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Workshops (CVPRW – ECV)*, 2023.
- [19] J. Ma and S. Reda, “RUCa: RUnTime Configurable Approximate Circuits with Self-Correcting Capability,” *IEEE Asia and South Pacific Design Automation Conference*, 2023.

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- [34] <sup>J</sup> R I. Scarabottolo, G. Ansaloni, G. Constantinides, L. Pozzi and S. Reda “Approximate Logic Synthesis: A Survey”, to appear in *Proc. of the IEEE*, 2020
- [35] S. Dai, C. Tulloss, X. Lian, K. Hu, S. Reda and J. Rosenstein, “Temperature and Supply Voltage Monitoring with Current-mode Relaxation Oscillators”, to appear in *IEEE VLSI-SoC*, 2020. **best paper nominee**
- [36] X. Lian, S. Reda and J. Rosenstein, “CSimultaneous Estimation of Temperature and Voltage from Digital Delay Diversity”, to appear in *IEEE VLSI-SoC*, 2020.
- [37] <sup>J</sup> R. Azimi and S. Reda, “PowerCoord: Power Capping Coordination for Multi-CPU/GPU Servers using Reinforcement Learning,” to appear in *Elsevier Sustainable Computing: Informatics and Systems*, 2020.
- [38] <sup>J</sup> J. K. Rosenstein, C. Rose, S. Reda, P. M. Weber, E. Kim, J. Sello, J. Geiser, E. Kennedy, C. Arcadia, A. Dombroski, K. Oakley, S. L. Chen, H Tann, and B. M. Rubenstein, “Principles of Information Storage in Small-Molecule Mixtures,” to appear in *IEEE Transactions on NanoBioScience*, 2020.
- [39] Y. Zhao, G. Vaartstra, P. Shukla, Z Lu, E. Wang, S. Reda and A. Coskun “A Learning-Based Thermal Simulation Framework for Emerging Two-Phase Cooling Technologies,” to appear in *ACM/IEEE Design Automation Test in Europe (DATE)*, 2020. **Best Paper Nomination**

- [40] J S. Chetoui and S. Reda, "Coordinated Self-tuning Thermal Management Controller for Mobile Devices," to appear in *IEEE Design & Test*, 2020.
- [41] M. Neseem, J. Nelson and S. Reda, "AdaSense: Adaptive Low-Power Sensing and Activity Recognition for Wearable Devices," to appear in *IEEE/ACM DAC*, 2020.
- [42] M. Syed Nabavinejad, L. Mashayekhy and S. Reda, "ApproxDNN: Incentivizing DNN Approximation in Cloud," to appear in *IEEE/ACM CCGrid*, 2020.
- [43] J K. Rajan, S. Hashemi, U. Karpuzcu, M. Doggett and S. Reda, "Dual-precision fixed-point arithmetic for low-power ray-triangle intersections," to appear in *Elsevier Computer & Graphics*, 2020.
- [44] J C. Arcadia, E. Kennedy, J. Geiser, A. Dombroski, K. Oakley, S. L. Chen, L. Sprague, M. Ozmen, J. Sello, P. Weber, S. Reda, C. Rose, E. Kim, B. Rubenstein, and J. Rosenstein, "Multicomponent Molecular Memory," to appear in *Nature Communications*, 2020.
- [45] A. Hosny, S. Hashemi, M. Shalan and S. Reda, "DRiLLS: Deep Reinforcement Learning for Logic Synthesis", in *IEEE Asia and South Pacific Design Automation Conference*, 2020.
- [46] J M. Nabavinejad, Hassan Hafez-Kolahi and S. Reda, "Coordinated DVFS and Precision Control for Deep Neural Networks," in *IEEE Computer Architecture Letters*, 2019.
- [47] J H. Tann, H. Zhao and S. Reda, "A Resource-Efficient Embedded Iris Recognition System Using Fully Convolutional Networks" in *ACM Journal on Emerging Computing Technologies*, 2019.
- [48] Y. Zhao, P. Shukla, G. Vaartstra, E. Wang, S. Reda and A. Coskun "Modeling and Optimization of Chip Cooling with Two-Phase Vapor Chambers," to appear in *IEEE International Symposium on Low-Power Electronics & Design (ISLPED)*, 2019.
- [49] T. Ajayi, V. A. Chhabria, M. Fogaca, S. Hashemi, C. Holehouse, A. Hosny, A. B. Kahng, M. Kim, J. Lee, U. Mallappa, M. Neseem, G. Pradipta, S. Reda, M. Saligane, S. S. Sapatnekar, C. Sechen, M. Shalan, W. Swartz, L. Wang, Z. Wang, M. Woo and B. Xu, "Toward an Open-Source Digital Flow: First Learnings from the OpenROAD Project," *IEEE/ACM Design Automation Conference (DAC)*, 2019.
- [50] Y. Zhao, G. Vaartstra, P. Shukla, S. Reda, E. Wang and A. Coskun "Two Phase Cooling with Micropillar Evaporators: A New Approach to Remove Heat from Future High Performance Chips," to appear in *IEEE iTherm*, 2019.
- [51] J F. Kaplan, M. Said, S. Reda and A. Coskun "Modeling and Optimization of Chip Cooling with Two-Phase Vapor Chambers," to appear in *IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems*, 2019.
- [52] S. Hashemi and S. Reda, "Generalized Matrix Factorization Techniques for Approximate Logic Synthesis," in *IEEE /ACM Design Automation & Test in Europe (DATE)*, 2019, to appear.
- [53] R. Azimi, C. Jing and S. Reda, "PowerCoord: A Coordinated Power Capping Controller for Multi-CPU/GPU Servers," to appear in *IEEE International Green and Sustainable Computing Conference (IGSC)*, 2018. **Best Paper Award**.
- [54] M. Said, S. Chetoui, A. Belouchrani and S. Reda, "Understanding the sources of power consumption in Mobile SoCs," to appear in *IEEE International Green and Sustainable Computing Conference (IGSC)*, 2018.
- [55] J R. Azimi, T. Fox, W. Gonzalez and S. Reda, "Scale-out vs Scale-up: A Study of ARM-based SoCs on Server-class workloads," in *Transactions on Modeling and Performance Evaluation of Computing Systems (TOMPECS)*, 3(4), pp. 18:1-18:23, 2018.
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- [57] C. Arcadia, H. Tann, A. Dombroski, K. Ferguson, S. L. Chen, E. Kim, B. Rubenstein, C. Rose, S. Reda and J. Rosenstein, "Parallelized Linear Classification with Volumetric Chemical Perceptrons", in *IEEE Conference on Rebooting Computer (ICRC)*, pp. 1-9, 2018.
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## 7. GRANTS

### Active Grants

Title: **POSE: Phase I: Enabling Open-source Ecosystem for Rapid System-on-Chip Design and Programming**

Agency & Program: NSF

Total Amount: \$300,00K

Start Date: 08/2025

Role: co-PI (PI: P. Zhou )

1. Title: **Efficient Multi-Task Learning for Augmented Reality Systems**

Agency & Program: NSF

Total Amount: \$600,00K

Start Date: 07/2025

Role: PI

2. Title: **Machine Learning-based Combinatorial Optimization for Electronic Design Automation and Beyond**

Agency & Program: NSF

Total Amount: \$600,00K

Start Date: 06/2024

Role: PI

3. Title: **A Binary Quantization Research for Application Specific Machine Learning inferences**

Agency & Program: Google

Total Amount: \$50K

Start Date: 11/2023

Role: PI

### Completed Grants

1. Title: **A SemiSynBio-II: Hybrid Biofilm Semiconductor Information Systems**

Agency & Program: NSF

Total Amount: \$1.5M

Start Date: 10/2020

Role: co-PI (with J. Rosenstein, C. Rose, B. Rubenstein and J. Larkin)

2. Title: **Layered Approximate Hardware Computing with Meta-Reasoning Capabilities**

Agency & Program: DoD ARO

Total Amount / Brown Share: \$465K.

Start Date: 9/2019

Role: PI

3. Title: **Novel SW/HW Approximate Computing Methodologies with Case Studies on Biometric Security Systems**

Agency & Program: NSF SHF

Total Amount / Brown Share: \$331K

Start Date: 07/2018 - 06/2023

Role: sole PI

4. Title: **EAGER: Synthetic Chemical-Based Information Processing**  
Agency & Program: NSF  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$300K.  
Start Date: 8/2019  
Role: PI (co-PI: B. Rubstein, J. Rosenstein, J. Rose, J. Sello, E. Kim and P. Weber)
5. Title: **Analysis of Augmented Reality Applications on Mobile SoCs**  
Agency & Program: Facebook  
Total Amount: \$218K  
Start Date: 08/2020 - 07/2022.  
Role: PI
6. Title: **Modeling the Next-Generation Hybrid Cooling Systems for High-Performance Processors**  
Agency & Program: NSF CRI  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$696K / \$231K  
Start date: 06/2017 - 05/2021  
Role: PI (Lead PI: A. Coskun and E. Wang)
7. Title: **Chemical CPUs: Chemical Computational Processing via Ugi Reactions**  
Agency & Program: DARPA Molecular Informatics Program  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$4.15M  
Start Date: 01/2018 - 01/2022  
Role: co-PI (PI: B. Rubstein with J. Rosenstein, J. Rose, J. Sello, E. Kim and P. Weber)
8. Title: **A Canonical Learning-Based Approach for Thermal and Power Management for SoCs**  
Agency & Program: Samsung GRO Year 3  
Total Amount: \$100K.  
Start Date: 10/2019  
Role: PI
9. Title: **Thermal and Power Management for SoCs with Big, Medium and Little Clusters**  
Agency & Program Samsung GRO Year 2  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$100K  
Start Date: 11/2018  
Role: Sole PI
10. Title: **Research gift**  
Agency & Program: Facebook Research Labs  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$50K – gift.  
Start Date: 11/2018  
Role: Sole PI
11. Title: **OpenROAD: Foundations and Realization of Open, Accessible Design**  
Agency & Program: DARPA IDEA Program  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$11.38M / \$444K  
Start Date: 06/2018 - 07/2020  
Role: co-PI (PI: A. B. Khang at UCSD)

12. Title: **A SW/HW Sensory-Rich Monitoring System for SoC Designs**  
Agency & Program: DARPA POSH Program  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$371K  
Start Date: 06/2018 - 05/2020  
Role: PI (co-PI: J. Rosenstein)
13. Title: **Research in Energy Efficiency of Augmented Reality Headsets**  
Agency & Program: Oculus Research  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$25K – gift.  
Start Date: 02/2018  
Role: Sole PI
14. Title: **An Integrated Framework for Thermal / Power Sensing and Management**  
Agency & Program Samsung GRO Year 1.  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$100K  
Start Date: 11/2017 – 10/2018.  
Role: Sole PI
15. Title: **FPGA Implementation of Feature Extraction Algorithms for an Iris Recognition Scanner**  
Agency & Program: RI RICC with Videology  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$50K  
Start date: 2017  
Role: PI
16. Title: **Open Cloud-based Digital ASIC design Environment**  
Agency & Program: Egypt Academy of Scientific Research and Technology JESOR program  
Total Amount / Brown Share: EGP 980K / – (equivalent to \$111K at the time)  
Start date: 2016  
Role: co-PI Consultant with PI M. Shalan
17. Title: **Blind Source Separation for Improved Power Characterization through Infrared Imaging**  
Agency & Program: US National Academy of Science, Engineering & Medicine US-Arab Fellowship  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$2.5K  
Start date: 2016  
Role: PI with A. Belouchrani
18. Title: **Symbiotic Power Management for Integrated CPU - GPU Platforms**  
Agency & Program: NSF XPS  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$316K with REU.  
Start date: 2014  
Role: Sole PI.
19. Title: **Automatic High-Level Synthesis of Approximate Computing Circuits**  
Agency & Program: NSF SHF  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$458K with REU  
Start date: 2014  
Role: PI (with co-PI R. I. Bahar)
20. Title: **Enabling Autonomous Flight of Drones in Complex, Unpredictable Environments**  
Agency & Program: Brown Seed

- Total Amount / Brown Share: \$80K  
 Start date: 04/2014  
 Role: co-PI (with R. I. Bahar, J. Kellner and O. C. Jenkins)
21. Title: **Power Mapping and Modeling of a APU Using Thermal Infrared Emission Measurements**  
 Agency & Program: AMD Corporation  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$25K  
 Start date: 07/2013  
 Role: Sole PI
  22. Title: **II-NEW: A Platform to Advance Research in Energy-Efficient Computing**  
 Agency & Program: NSF CRI  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$190K  
 Start date: 2013  
 Role: Sole PI
  23. Title: **Processing of Large Wide Area Airborne Sensor Data Streams in Hardware**  
 Agency & Program: DoD ONR SBIR with Videology  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$26K  
 Start date: 2012  
 Role: co-PI (with R. I. Bahar)
  24. Title: **Power Mapping of Many-Core Processors**  
 Agency & Program: Intel Corporation  
 Amount: \$85K  
 Start date: 07/2011  
 Role: Sole PI
  25. Title: **Algorithmic Techniques for Post-Silicon Characterization Using Infrared Emissions**  
 Agency & Program: NSF SHF  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$400K / \$200K  
 Start date: 06/2011  
 Role: Lead PI (w. F. Koushanfar and G. Woods)
  26. Title: **CAREER: Transcending the Thermal Challenges of Tera-Scale Computing**  
 Agency & Program: NSF CAREER  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$443 with REU  
 Start date: 02/2010  
 Role: Sole PI
  27. Title: **Wide Area Video Motion Blur Elimination**  
 Agency & Program: DARPA SBIR with ObjectVideo Inc  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$180K  
 Start date: 03/2010  
 Role: co-PI (with R. I. Bahar and J. Mundy)
  28. Title: **Adaptive Hot Spot Cooling for Many-Core Processors**  
 Agency & Program: DAC Newton Award  
 Total Amount / Brown Share: \$24K.  
 Start date: 06/2010



Role: Sole PI

29. Title: **An Infrared System for Thermal-Driven Research in Computer Vision and Electronics**  
Agency & Program: DoD DURIP (ARL)  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$180K  
Start date: 07/2009  
Role: PI (with R. I. Bahar and J. Mundy)
  30. Title: **Yield Optimization Techniques for 3D Integrated Circuits**  
Agency & Program: Qualcomm Corporation  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$25K  
Start date: 05/2008  
Role: Sole PI
  31. Title: **ProHunter: A Platform to Accelerate Protein Identification from Mass-Spectrometry Data**  
Agency & Program: Brown Salomon award  
Total Amount / Brown Share: \$15K  
Start date: 12/2007  
Role: Sole-PI
  32. **Equipment Donations:**
    - Altera, equivalent of \$24K, 2006
    - Nvidia, equivalent of \$3.2K, 2015
  33. **UTRA grants (each at \$3.5K):**
    - J. Sriram 2010
    - R. Sailor 2011
    - M. Baxter 2012
    - J. Y. Wu 2014
    - W. Gonzalez 2016
    - M. Lee 2017
    - J. Vexler 2017
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## 8. INVITED TALKS AND TUTORIALS

1. Cirrus Logic, “Using GenAI to improve Hardware Design Productivity”, 7/17/2025.
2. NSF AI4HW and HW4AI Workshop at MICRO, “Using AI to Improve Hardware Design Productivity ,” 11/02/2024.
3. Apple, “Using AI to Improve Hardware Design Productivity,” 18/10/2024.
4. Georgia Tech, AI4OPT institute, “Using Machine Learning for Combinatorial Optimization (ML4OPT): Case Studies and Research Directions,” 2/9/2024.
5. TILOS Seminar, UCSD, “How to use Machine Learning for Combinatorial Optimization?,” 2022-07-20.
6. Design Automation Conference panel, “Approximate Synthesis: State-of-the-art and Future Directions”, 2022.
7. Amazon, “How to Use Machine Learning for Combinatorial Optimization? Research Directions and Case Studies”, 06/17/2021.
8. UC, Santa Cruz, “Energy-Efficient Design for Adaptive Approximate Computing,” 03/02/2021.
9. ISAT/DARPA Energy Resilient Systems Workshop (EGRESS); “Workload Power Trends and Power Resilience”, 20/1/2021.

10. VLSI-DAT, "Overview of the OpenROAD Digital Design Flow from RTL to GDS", 8/12/2020.
11. Air Force Studies Board Workshop, "Energy-Efficient Embedded Systems for Data-Rich Processing", 4/28/2020.
12. Facebook Labs, "Embedded Low-Power Processing: Ray Tracing and Neural Networks", Host: M. Doggett, 8/26/2019.
13. Quo Vadis, Logic Synthesis Workshop, "Systematic Approaches to Approximate Logic Synthesis," Florence, Italy, 3/29/2019.
14. Tufts University, "From milliWatts to megaWatts: Power Characterization and Control Techniques for Computing Systems", Boston MA, 3/15/2018.
15. The Ohio State University, "Energy Efficient Approximate Computing with Case Studies in Deep Learning and Biometric Security," Columbus, OH, 3/8/2018.
16. Samsung SARC, "An Integrated Framework for Thermal / Power Sensing and Management", Austin, TX, 10/22/2018.
17. Oculus Research, Facebook "Design of Resource-Efficient Hardware Accelerators," Seattle, WA, M. Douggett, 6/21/2018.
18. Samsung SARC Symposium, "Runtime Techniques for Thermal/Power Modeling and Management", Austin, TX, 10/17/2017.
19. Tufts University, "Energy-Efficient Approximate Computing", Medford, MA, 9/20/2017.
20. Samsung SARC, "Techniques for Thermal and Power Characterization and Modeling of Integrated Circuits", Austin, TX, 6/20/2017.
21. University of Rochester, "Energy-Efficient Approximate Computing", Rochester, NY, 3/16/2017.
22. WPI, "Energy-Efficient Approximate Computing: From Circuits to Systems", Worcester, MA, 1/1/2017.
23. NIST, "New Directions for Energy-Efficient Computing Systems: From Power Measurement to Control", Colorado, Boulder, 1/17/2017.
24. ICCAD Panel on Challenges and Opportunities of Stochastic Computing in the Dusk of Moore's Law and the Dawn of Big Data, "Approximate Accelerator Design", ICCAD, Nov 8, 2016.
25. Masdar Institute, "Energy-Efficient Nano-Scale Computing Using Approximate Circuits", National Academy of Sciences Arab-American Frontiers Symposium, 11/6/16.
26. ETSI Media Workshop, "Scheduling Challenges and Opportunities in Integrated CPU+GPU Processors", Oct 7, 2016.
27. Google Hardware Platform Engineering, "New Techniques for Power Capping and Management for Datacenters", Sept 12 2016.
28. System Design for Cloud Services Workshop, "Optimal Decentralized Power Management for Large-Scale Computing Clusters", Microsoft Faculty Summit, July 15 2016.
29. Keynote Speaker, Design Technology Workshop, "Taking Control of On-chip Process and Thermal Variations: From Sensors and Models to Runtime Management Techniques", University of Munich. 6/29/16.
30. Infineon Semiconductors, "Reducing the Cost of Variability Sensing," Munich. 6/29/16.
31. ARL, "New Directions for Energy-Efficient Computing", Army Research Lab, Aberdeen, MD. 3/1/16.
32. KAUST, "New Frontiers for Infrared Sensing for Electrical and Computer Engineering", National Academy of Sciences Arab-American Frontiers Symposium, 12/5/15.
33. Microsoft Research, "Dealing with the Performance and Power Challenges of Data Centers," 3/21/14.
34. AMD Research, "How Hot is Your Hot Chip? And How to Deal with It?," 7/22/13.
35. DAC tutorial, "Avoiding Core Meltdown! - Adaptive Techniques for Power and Thermal Management of Multi-Core Processors," 6/3/13.
36. University of California, Los Angeles, "Re-thinking Power Characterization and Management Techniques for Computing Systems," 7/27/12.

37. CMOS Emerging Technologies Conference “Addressing the Thermal Challenges in Emerging Computing Platforms”, 7/18/12.
38. Tutorial in International Green Computing Conference, “Thermal Imaging and Sensing”, 6/8/12.
39. University of Virginia, “Re-thinking Power Characterization and Management Techniques for Computing Systems”, 4/27/12.
40. University of Illinois, Chicago, “Re-thinking Power Characterization and Management Techniques for Computing Systems”, 4/20/12.
41. University of California, Berkeley, “Rethinking Power Characterization Techniques of Integrated Circuits”, 2/10/12.
42. University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, “From milliWatts to megaWatts: Re-thinking Power Characterization and Management Techniques for Computing Systems”, 12/13/11.
43. The CANDE (Computer-Aided Network DEsign) workshop, San Jose, “Using Infrared Imaging to Improve Integrated Circuit Design,” 11/10/11.
44. Qualcomm corporation, San Diego, “Rethinking Power Characterization Techniques of Computing Devices,” 6/1/11.
45. University of California, San Diego, CSE seminar “Rethinking Power Characterization Techniques of Computing Devices,” 6/1/11.
46. Intel Corporation, Portland, “Rethinking Power Characterization Techniques of Computing Devices,” 2/16/11.
47. Boston University, ECE seminar, “Addressing the Thermal and Power Challenges of Tera-Scale Computing,” 12/8/10.
48. Columbia University, CISL EE seminar, “Addressing the Thermal and Power Challenges of Tera-Scale Computing,” 12/3/10.
49. IBM T. J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown, “New Approaches for Thermal and Power Characterization,” 10/27/10.
50. Harvard University EE seminar series, “Addressing the Thermal and Power Challenges of Tera-Scale Computing,” 10/22/10.
51. Qualcomm Corporation, San Diego, “Thermal Characterization and Post-Silicon Power Validation: Techniques and Experimental Setup,” 7/6/10.
52. Waseda University, Tokyo, “Thermal Management Solutions for Tera-Scale Computing,” 9/7/09.
53. Qualcomm Corporation, San Diego, “Models for Variability Characterization and Yield Improvement for Planar and 3D ICs,” 8/20/09.
54. National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu City, Taiwan, “Yield Improvement Techniques for 3D IC Technology,” 9/9/08.
55. Freescale Semiconductor Corporation, Austin TX, “Yield Improvement Techniques for 3D IC Technology,” 8/26/08.
56. IBM Austin Research Lab, Austin, TX, “How Accurate Can Process Variations be Statistically Modeled and Analyzed?,” 8/25/08.
57. Intel Corporation, Bangalore, “3D IC Technology: Opportunities and Challenges,” 8/13/08.
58. University of California, Los Angeles, “Accurate Extraction and Statistical Modeling of Within-die Process Variations,” 6/4/08.
59. University of Rhode Island, “Maximizing the Physical Performance of Multi-Core Processors Under Thermal Constraints,” 6/2/08.
60. Seoul National University, “Economic Acceleration in SoC Designs Using Hardware Libraries,” 9/8/07.
61. Qualcomm Corporation, San Diego, “Addressing the Challenges of Process Variations Modeling and Yield Improvement in 3D Integrated Circuits,” 8/2/07.
62. Tufts University, Massachusetts, “VLSI Interconnects: Realistic Benchmarking of Optimizations and Accurate Estimation of Characteristics,” 10/5/06.

63. Iowa State University, “From VLSI Circuits to Gene Chips: New Approaches to Placement and Benchmarking,” 4/17/06.
  64. Boston University, “From VLSI Circuits to Gene Chips: New Approaches to Placement and Benchmarking,” 3/22/06.
  65. Brown University, “From VLSI Circuits to Gene Chips: New Approaches to Placement and Benchmarking,” 3/21/06.
  66. UC, Riverside, “From VLSI Circuits to Gene Chips: New Approaches to Placement Benchmarking,” 3/10/06.
  67. UC, Santa Cruz, “From VLSI Circuits to Gene Chips: New Approaches to Placement Benchmarking,” 2/15/06.
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## 9. OPEN-SOURCE RESEARCH SOFTWARE/ARTIFACT RELEASES

All releases are available at <http://scale.engin.brown.edu/tools/> and <http://github.com/scale-lab>.

- **OpenPhySyn:** A tool for physical synthesis of logic circuits.
  - **DRILLS:** A tool for automatic logic synthesis scripting.
  - **OpenROAD:** A full RTL-GDS digital design flow
  - **BLASYS:** A tool for approximate logic synthesis.
  - **CloudV:** A cloud service (<http://cloudv.io>) for IC design based on open-source EDA tools.
  - **LACore:** LACore is a linear algebra accelerator for RISC-V ecosystem.
  - **ClusterSoCBench:** A parallel benchmark set to evaluate clusters made of SoC ARM processors.
  - **BPI:** A blind power identification software for processors.
  - **DPC:** A software tool for decentralized power capping of computing clusters.
  - **ABACUS:** ABACUS is a high-level synthesis tool for approximate computing circuits.
  - **DRUM:** HDL for an approximate multiplier with a dynamic range and unbiased error distribution.
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## 10. MENTORING AND ADVISING

### Current Research Group Members:

1. Manar Abdelatty (ECE PhD program, Spring 2022 –)
2. Mahdi Boulila (ECE PhD program, Fall 2023 –)
3. Lisa Korver (ECE PhD program, Fall 2024 –)
4. Maryam Nouh (ECE PhD program, Fall 2024 –)
5. Tasneem Shaffee (ECE PhD program, Fall 2024 –)

### Supervised Completed PhD Theses:

1. Ryan J. Cochran, Ph.D. (2008 – 2012). First job position at Qualcomm.  
Thesis Title: “Techniques for Adaptive Power and Thermal Sensing and Management of Multi-core Processors”.
2. Nowroz Abdullah, Ph.D. (2009 – 2013). First job position at Intel.  
Thesis Title: “Power Mapping of Computing Devices: Fundamentals and Applications”.
3. Kumud Nepal, Ph.D. (2010 – 2015). Co-advised with R. I. Bahar. First job position at Oracle.  
Thesis Title: “New Directions for Design-Space Exploration of Low-Power Hardware Accelerators”.
4. Kapil Dev, Ph.D. (2011 – 2016). First job position at Nvidia.  
Thesis Title: “New Techniques for Power-Efficient CPU-GPU Processors”

5. Xin Zhan, Ph.D. (2012 – 2017). First job position at Apple.  
Thesis Title “Energy-Efficiency Optimization Techniques for Computing Clusters: Exploiting the Heterogeneities”.
6. Soheil Hashemi, Ph.D (2013 – 2018). First position at Fathom.  
Thesis title “Approximate Computing Techniques for Accuracy Energy Trade-offs”.
7. Reza Azimi, Ph.D. (2013 – 2018). First job position at Apple.  
Thesis title “Improving the Performance of Power Constrained Computing Clusters”.
8. Hokchhay Tann, Ph.D. (2014 – 2019). First job position at ARM Research.  
Thesis title “Hardware-Software Co-Design of Deep Neural Network Accelerators”.
9. Sofiane Chetoui, Ph.D. (2017 – 2022). First job at Nvidia.  
Thesis title “Thermal and Power Sensing and Management for Mobile System-On-a-Chip”.
10. Abdelrahman Hosny, Ph.D. (2018 – 2023). First job position at Apple.  
Thesis title “Machine Learning Methods for Combinatorial Optimization.”
11. Marina Neseem, Ph.D. (2019 – 2024). First job position at Nvidia.  
Thesis title “Approximate Computing Techniques: From Logic Synthesis to Deep Learning.”
12. Jingxiao Ma, Ph.D. (2019 – 2024).  
Thesis title “Machine Learning Methods for Combinatorial Optimization.”
13. Ahmed Agiza, Ph.D. (2019 – 2024). First job position at Meta.  
Thesis title “Optimizing Machine Learning Models through Parameter-Efficiency.”

#### **Supervised Completed ScM Students (thesis and projects):**

1. Jonathan Herbst, Sc.M. (CS project: HaShiFlex: A High-Throughput Hardened Shifter DNN Accelerator with Fine-Tuning Flexibility), 2024 – 2025.
2. Jingxiao Ma, Sc.M. (CS project: Approximate Logic Synthesis Using Boolean Matrix Factorization), 2019 – 2020.
3. Heng Zhao, Sc.M. (project: SW/HW co-design of iris recognition systems), 2018 – 2019.
4. Shuchen Zheng, Sc.M. (2015 – 2016).  
Thesis Title: “Maximizing the performance of Parallel Applications on Heterogeneous CPU-FPGA System”. First position at Facebook.
5. Kuiyuan Mao (Spring 2014)), project: synthesis of approximate circuits.
6. Yueting Li (Spring 2013), project: synthesis of approximate circuits.
7. Roto Le (Fall 2008, Spring 2009), project: design of 3D ICs.
8. Chakanetsa Zaraniyka (Fall 2008), project: modeling of process variability in CNT.
9. Brendan Hargreaves (Spring 2008), project: characterization of process variability in FPGAs.

#### **Supervised Postdocs / visiting PhDs:**

- Francesco Paterna (7/2012–12/2012).
- Morteza Nabavi Nejad (12/2016–5/2017)
- Chao Jing (10/2017 – 10/2018)
- Mostafa Said Abdelrehim (10/2017 – 12/2018)
- Soheil Hashemi (06/2018 – 05/2019)

#### **Supervised Undergraduate Honors Theses:**

- Thesis advisor for Austin Funk 2025.  
Thesis title: “Efficient Multi-Task Learning for Augmented Reality”.

- Thesis advisor for Jason Ho 2022.  
Thesis title: “Tools for Understanding Computational Behaviors of Bacterial Biofilms”.
- Thesis advisor for Andrew Duncombe 2021.  
Thesis title: “ASPENN: Approximate Spike Encoding Neural Networks”
- Thesis advisor for Jon Nelson 2020.  
Thesis title: “Robust Gait Recognition Techniques for Wearable Devices”.
- Thesis advisor for Krishna Rajan 2019.  
Thesis title: “Design of Low Power Ray Triangle Intersection Accelerators”.
- Thesis advisor for Samuel Steffl 2017.  
Thesis title: “LACore: A Large-Format Vector Accelerator for Linear Algebra Applications”.
- Thesis advisor for Tyler Fox 2017.  
Thesis title: “Revisiting The Case of ARM SoCs for High-Performance Computing Clusters”.
- Thesis advisor for Sriram Jayakumar 2013.  
Thesis title: “Dynamic Thermal Management for Processors Using Thermoelectric Coolers”.
- Thesis advisor for Natalie Serrino 2012.  
Thesis title: “Soft Power Capping for Improved Performance of Computing Systems”.
- Thesis advisor for Shi-Qing Poh 2010.  
Thesis title: “Thermal Measurements and Characterizations for Real Processors”.
- Thesis advisor for Michael Kadin 2008.  
Thesis title: “Performance Driven Frequency/Voltage Planning for Multi-Core Processors with Thermal Constraints”.
- Thesis advisor for Aaron Mandle 2008.  
Thesis title: “FPGA Based Hardware Acceleration: A Case Study in Protein Identification”.
- Thesis advisor for David Meisner 2007.  
Thesis title: “Design of a Shared Hardware Library for Multi-Core Environments in FPGA Fabrics”.

#### **Undergraduate Research Advising:**

- Jason Ho (Summer 2021 – Spring 2022)
- Andrew Duncombe (Summer 2020 – Spring 2021)
- Jon Nelson (Summer 2019 – Spring 2020)
- Krishna Rajan (Fall 2018 and Spring 2019)
- Jake Saferstein (Fall 2018)
- Samuel Oliphant (Summer 2017)
- Myungjin Lee (Summer 2017)
- Jonathan Vexler (Summer 2017)
- Samuel Steffl (Fall 2016 and Spring 2017)
- Tyler Fox (Summer 2016, Fall 2016 and Spring 2017)
- Nicholas Anthony (Summer 2016)
- Wendy Gonzalez (Summer and Fall 2016, Spring 2018)
- Lucas Salla Pagnan (Spring 2016)
- Abdul Tabish (Spring 2016).
- Adam Cooper (Summer 2015).

- Casey Meehan (Fall 2013).
- Jie Ying Wu (Summer - Fall 2013).
- Sriram Jayakumar (Summer 2010 / Brown UTRA, Spring 2012, Spring 2013).
- Margaret Baxter (Summer 2012 Brown UTRA – Undergraduate Teaching and Research Awards)
- Patipan Prasertsom (Spring 2012)
- Natalie Serrino (Summer 2011 – Spring 2012)
- Stefan Angelevski (Summer 2011 – Spring 2012)
- Ryan Sailor (Summer 2011 – Brown UTRA)
- Patrick Temple (Summer 2010 – Spring 2011 / NSF REU – Spring 2012).
- Shi-Qing Poh (Spring 2009 – Spring 2010).
- Aung Si (Summer 2008 – Summer 2009).
- Bryant Mairs (Spring 2008).
- Aaron Mandle (Spring 2008).
- Michael Kadin (Summer 2007 – Spring 2008).
- David Meisner (Spring 2007).

**PhD thesis committee:**

- C. Ferri (Brown University).
- Y. Shi (Brown University).
- J. Gaudette (Brown University).
- D. Papagiannopoulou (Brown University).
- O. Uluel (Brown University).
- F. Paterna (University of Bologna).
- H. Chen (Boston University).
- C. Hankendi (Boston University).
- F. Kaplan ((Boston University).
- M. Martins (Brown University).
- C. Heelan (Brown University).
- S. Dai (Brown University).
- C. Arcadia (Brown University).
- Z. Yuan (Boston University).

**PRIME program advising:** A. Rossi, B. Agma and A. Rathi.

**Freshmen and sophomore advising:** advisor for numerous freshmen and sophomore students.

**Outreach advising:**

- Research advisor for Allison Paul from Lasalle High School Academy (summer 2012 – Spring 2013).
- Research advisor for Christopher Chedid from Dartmouth High School Academy (summer 2016).

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## 11. COURSES

– Teaching assistant for courses in computer architecture (UCSD), compiler design (Ain Shams University), introduction to programming languages (Ain Shams University), and computing circuit design (Ain Shams University).

Semester	Class	Level	Enrollment	Plan	Lecture	HWs/Labs	Helpfulness	Average
Spring 2011*	EN164	undergraduate	37	4.56	4.60	4.36	4.88	4.60/5.00
Spring 2010*	EN52 <sup>†</sup>	undergraduate	80	4.31	4.29	4.12	4.21	4.23/5.00
Spring 2009*	EN52 <sup>†</sup>	undergraduate	89	4.10	4.14	3.89	4.06	4.05/5.00
Fall 2009*	EN2911X	graduate	6	4.16	4.33	4.33	4.83	4.41/5.00
Spring 2008*	EN160	undergraduate	8	4.40	4.40	4.40	4.80	4.50/5.00
Fall 2008*	EN2911C	graduate	7	3.50	3.33	3.00	3.83	3.41/5.00
Spring 2007*	EN160	undergraduate	8	4.43	4.43	4.00	5.00	4.46/5.00
Fall 2007*	EN2911X	graduate	11	4.63	4.27	4.72	4.45	4.52/5.00
Fall 2006*	EN291S40	graduate	5	4.60	4.60	4.60	5.00	4.45/5.00

Table 2: Class evaluations 2006 – 2012. scale: 5.00 (best) – 1.00. <sup>†</sup>class co-taught with H. Silverman. \*

Semester	Class	Enrollment	effectiveness of instructor
Spring 2019	ENGN1640 Design of Computing Systems	15	1.10
Fall 2018	ENGN 00031 Honors Introduction to Engineering <sup>†</sup>	41	1.22/1.43
Fall 2017	ENGN 00031 Honors Introduction to Engineering <sup>†</sup>	41	1.38/1.58
Spring 2017	ENGN1640 Design of Computing Systems	16	1.00
Fall 2016	ENGN 00031 Honors Introduction to Engineering <sup>†</sup>	39	1.93/2.07
Spring 2016	ENGN1640 Design of Computing Systems	14	1.38
Fall 2015	ENGN 2910A Advanced Computer Architecture	6	1.33
Fall 2014	ENGN 2911X Reconfigurable Computing	23	1.33
Spring 2014	ENGN1640 Design of Computing Systems	18	1.20
Fall 2013	ENGN 2910A Advanced Computer Architecture	12	1.17
Fall 2012	ENGN 2911X Reconfigurable Computing	17	1.31
Spring 2012	ENGN1640 Design of Computing Systems	14	1.33

Table 3: Class evaluations 2012 – present. Scale: 1.00 (best) – 5.0. <sup>†</sup>class co-taught C. Briant in 2016 and K. S. Kim in 2017 and 2018.

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## 12. BROWN UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Honors Program Co-chair (Fall '18 – Spring '21)
- Affirmative Action Representative (Fall '15 – Spring '18)
- Research Advisory Board (Fall '15 – Spring '18)
- Reviewer for Salomon grants (2015 round)
- Director of Graduate Studies, School of Engineering (Fall '14)
- Faculty Mentor for Assistant Professors (S. Tellex in Computer Science)
- Electrical Sciences and Computer Engineer graduate representative (Fall '12 – Spring '14)



- Member of the committee on core Engineering education (Fall '13)
- Member of the University committee on Master Education (Fall '13)
- Honors program co-chair (Fall '12 – Spring '13)
- Undergraduate fellowship advisor (Fall'12 and Fall '13). Secured NIST fellowships for four undergraduate students.
- Member of Computer Engineering Hiring Committee, 2011 - 2012 and 2010 - 2011.
- Freshmen and sophomore concentration fair advisor 2011.
- Discussion leader in OSP BEARCORE event 2011.
- Preparation (with R.I. Bahar and D. Pacifici) of the graduate brochures of the ESCE group 2011.
- Coordinator of the Computer Engineering Advisory board 2010.
- Vice Chair of Brown University Computing Advisory board (CAB / ITAB) Fall 2008 and Spring 2009.
- Member of Brown University Computing Advisory board (CAB / ITAB) Spring 2008, Fall 2008, Spring 2009, and Fall 2009.
- Member of Brown University Information Technology Project Review Committee (ITPRC) Fall 2008 and Spring 2009.
- Seminar organizer for the School of Engineering, 2009 – 2011.
- Advisor for IEEE Chapter at Brown University, 2009 – 2011.
- Freshmen/sophomore year advisor for academic years 2008 – 2011.
- Co-organizer for the 2008 ABET accreditation of the computer engineering program.
- Mentor for students in the Program on Innovation Management and Entrepreneurship Engineering (PRIME) 2007, 2008.

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## 13. SERVICE TO PROFESSION

- Chair:
  - General co-Chair for ACM/IEEE International Symposium on Low-Power Electronics and Design, 2021.
  - Technical Program co-Chair for ACM/IEEE International Symposium on Low-Power Electronics and Design, 2020.
  - Guest editor for IEEE Design & Test Special issue on Open-Source EDA Tools.
  - Co-founder and co-chair for the Workshop on Open-Source EDA Technology (WOSET) 2018, 2019.
  - Financial chair for IEEE Great Lakes VLSI Symposium 2016.
  - Local Arrangements Chair, IEEE International Symposium on Workload Characterization (IISWC) 2016.
  - General Chair for IEEE System Level Interconnect Prediction (SLIP) Workshop 2010
  - Technical Program Chair for IEEE System Level Interconnect Prediction (SLIP) Workshop 2009
  - Publicity Chair for IEEE System Level Interconnect Prediction (SLIP) Workshop 2007 – 2008
- Technical Program Committee Member:
  - AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-26).
  - IEEE Symposium on Low Power Electronics and Design (ISLPED), 2017 – 2019.
  - IEEE International Symposium on Computer Architecture (External PC), 2017.
  - IEEE International Symposium on Workload Characterization, 2016, 2018.
  - IEEE International Symposium on Physical Design (ISPD) 2014, 2015, 2016.
  - IEEE/ACM Design Automation Conference (DAC) 2011 – 2013 and 2017 – 2019. DAC 2012, 2013 best paper selection committee
  - IEEE Design, Automation and Test in Europe (DATE) 2011, 2012. DATE '2018 best paper selection committee.

- IEEE International Conference on Computer Design (ICCD) 2010 – 2016
- IEEE International Conference on VLSI Design 2010 – 2011
- IEEE International Conference on Very Large Scale Integration (VLSI) SoC 2011, 2012, 2014
- IEEE Asian and South Pacific Design Automation Conference (ASP-DAC) 2008 – 2010
- ACM/IEEE International Conference on Computer-Aided Design (ICCAD) 2008 – 2011 and 2017 – 2019. Sub-committee chair 2010-2011, best paper selection committee, 2016-2017.
- IEEE Great Lakes VLSI Symposium (GLSVLSI) 2007 – 2008
- IEEE International Design and Test (IDT) Workshop 2009 – 2010
- IEEE System Level Interconnect Prediction Workshop (SLIP) 2007 – 2010
- IEEE International Symposium on Defect and Fault Tolerance (DFT) in VLSI and Nanotechnology Systems 2015, 2016.
- Proposal Reviews:
  - National Science Foundation Panels: May 2008, Nov 2009, June 2012, February 2013, February 2016, March 2018, April 2019, Feb 2020.
  - Ralph E. Powe Junior Faculty Award review for Texas A&M University, 2017.
  - University of Texas, San Antonio, 2016.
  - Brown University Salomon Proposals 2015.
  - Canada’s NSERC, 2013.
  - Czech Science Foundation, 2020.
  - Autonomous Province of Bolzano, Italy 2012.
  - Davidson Institute for Talent Development 2010.
- ACM Outstanding PhD Dissertation Award committee, 2015
- Panelist in IEEE senior member review panel (Providence, RI 6/14/2014).
- IEEE Fellow Evaluation Committee 2023.
- Associate Editor
  - ElSevier, Integration, VLSI Journal (2011 – 2019)
  - IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems (2016 – 2022)
  - ASP Journal on Low Power Electronics
  - Guest Editor for special issue of IEEE Design and Test
- Reviewer for Conferences and Journals:
  - Nature
  - Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition
  - International Conference on Learning Representations
  - IEEE Solid-State Circuits Letters
  - IEEE Computer Architecture Letters.
  - IEEE Transactions on Cloud Computing
  - IEEE Transactions on Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology
  - IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices
  - IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing
  - IEEE Design & Test Magazine
  - IEEE Transactions on Nanobioscience
  - IEEE Transactions on Transactions on Information Forensics & Security
  - IEEE Transactions on Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits

- IEEE Transactions on Computers
- IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing
- IEEE Design and Test of Computers
- IEEE Journal on Emerging Topics in Circuits and Systems
- IEEE Transactions on Very Large Scale Integration
- IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems
- IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems
- IEEE Transactions on Semiconductor Manufacturing
- IEEE Transactions on Multi-Scale Computing Systems
- Communications of the ACM
- ACM Transactions on Design Automation of Electronic Systems
- ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems
- ACM Journal of Emerging Technologies in Computing
- ACM Transactions on Architecture and Code Optimization
- Japan’s IEICE journal
- IET Circuits, Devices & Systems
- Elsevier Integration: The VLSI Journal
- Springer Arabian Journal for Science and Engineering
- Kuwait Journal of Science and Engineering
- Journal of Universal Computer Science
- Springer Journal of Computational Electronics
- International Conference on Computer-Aided Design
- Design Automation Conference
- International Symposium on Physical Design
- International On-Line Test Workshop
- International Conference on Computer Design
- System Level Interconnect Prediction Workshop
- Asian and South Pacific Design Automation Conference
- International Symposium on Circuits and Systems
- VLSI Test Symposium
- International Symposium on Computer Architecture
- Amazon Machine Learning Conference
- Contributor to ACM SIGDA Newsletter
- Member of IEEE CEDA Council
- Fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)
- Member of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)