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### COMPLETED PUBLICATIONS

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- IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Center, " Mechanical Reliability of Integrated Circuits," (with L.B. Freund), \$48,500 1/1/92-12/31/92.
- N.S.F. MSS-921035 "Analysis of Failure Mechanisms in Thin Coatings," (PI) \$90,000, 9/92 -- 2/96
- N.S.F. DDM-9016568 "Development of Computational and Experimental Capability for the Simulation of High Speed Machining," (A. Needleman, P.I., with R. Clifton, M. Ortiz and J. Duffy), \$2,000,000. 9/91--22/95.
- NSF DMR-9302997 "Micro-- and Nano--Mechanics of Failure Resistant Materials, (R. Clifton, P.I.), \$71,499, 7/1/93/--8/30/96.
- ONR N00014-95-1-0239 "Mechanics of Materials: For Power--Electronics Control Devices," (L.B. Freund, PI) \$680,00 10/1/94--9/30/97.
- Sandia National Laboratories, "Development of Phase Field Models for the Simulation of Electromigration and Stress Voiding in Interconnect Lines," (Co PI with A. Kumar) \$70,000, 1/1/97 12/31/98
- Institute for Materials Engineering "Mechanics for Microelectronics," (Co- PI with L.B. Freund and K.S. Kim), \$200 000, 1/1/97-31/7/99.
- NSF-CMS 9871240, "Acquisition of a high performance parallel workstation cluster for research in mechanics of materials,"(co PI, with R. Clifton, L. Freund, A. Needleman, R. Phillips) \$171,000, 7/30/98--6/30/01
- Semiconductor Research Corporation, "Mechanics of Defects at Interconnect Interfaces," (co PI with A. Needleman and V. Shenoy) \$180,000, 8/1/99 12/31/01;
- NIST "Micro-mechanics of creep and corrosion crack growth in advanced ceramics," \$40 000 6/1/00 - 5/31/02
- NSF DMR-9632534 "Micro-- and Nano--Mechanics of Materials, (W. Curtin, P.I.), \$ 6 000 000, 9/1/00/--8/30/05.
- NSF CMS 0210095 "Study of self-organization in strained heteroepitaxial nanostructures: multi-scale modeling, simulation and experiment," (co PI with V. Shenoy, E. Chason and L.B. Freund), \$1 100 000, July 15 2002-June 30 2007.

- Intel Corporation, 'Fundamental studies of electromigration reliability for future copper interconnects' \$140,000 9/1/02-06
- Microstructure-based multi-scale modeling of the deformation behavior of Advanced High Strength Steels, Arcelor Mittal Corporation \$114 000, 1/11/11-30/10/13,
- NSF DMR-9632534 "Micro-- and Nano--Mechanics of Materials, (IRG2 Thrust leader, with W. Curtin, director and E. Chason, IRG1 thrust leader), \$ 9 000 000, 9/1/05/--8/30/13
- NSF-GR526071 "Conference: Industry/University Collaborations and the Materials Genome Initiative" \$20 000 2012

#### **EXTERNAL SERVICE (Current only)**

External Examiner, Mechanical and Building Services Engineering, University of Hong-Kong 2010-  
 Vietnam Education Foundation panel reviewer, 2014  
 Co Chair, Society of Engineering Science 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Technical Meeting, 2013  
 Panel and Proposal Reviewer for numerous funding agencies in US and abroad  
 Reviewer for numerous journals

#### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Advisory Committee on Honorary Degrees, 1992-1994, Chair 1994  
 Committee on Admissions and Financial Aid, 1992-96  
 Engineering Executive Committee, 1997-99  
 Concentration Advisor, B.A. Engineering, 1995-98  
 Faculty Advisor, National Society of Black Engineers, 1992-97  
 Advisory Committee on University Planning, 1996-00, vice chair 2000  
 Concentration Advisor, Mechanical Engineering, 1998-2007. Prepared program for ABET visit 2001.  
 TEAM advisor (advisor to students with unusual advising needs), 2010 and 2011.  
 Steering Committee, MRSEC 2005-13 (thrust leader)  
 Freshman and Sophomore Advisor, 1991- (Currently advise 8 freshmen, 13 sophomores)  
 PhD Thesis committees (typically 3-5 per year)  
 Director, General Motors/Brown Collaborative Research Laboratory, 2004-  
 ABET accreditation coordinator, 2007-8, 2013-14  
 Chair, Engineering Concentration Committee 2007-2014  
 Director of graduate programs for solid mechanics 2012-2014  
 Director of Undergraduate Programs in Engineering, 2015-

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Teaching with Technology Award, Brown (2015)  
 Midwest Mechanics Seminar Speaker (2013)  
 Dedicated Faculty Award (presented by engineering class of 2013)  
 General Motors 'Most Valuable Colleague' award (2009)  
 Brown University Philip J Bray Teaching Award, (2003)  
 Institution of Mechanical Engineers Bronze Medal for Tribology, (1989)  
 Institution of Mechanical Engineers Thomas Stephen Prize, (1989)  
 Best Paper Award, Tribology Division, ASME (1988).

#### **TEACHING**

##### **Undergraduate Courses, with typical enrollments. (2015 course shown bold)**

- EN0003 Introduction to Engineering (freshman course, 5x as lead instructor, enrollment 160)
- **EN0040 Intro to Dynamics and Vibrations (freshman course, 10x lead instructor, enrollment 164)**
- EN0310 Mechanics of Solids (Junior course, 3x, twice as lead instructor, enrollment 70)
- EN1370 Advanced Dynamics (Junior/Senior course, 2x, enrollment 30)
- EN1310 Operations Research Projects (Senior course, 1x, enrollment 20)
- EN0175 Advanced Solid Mechanics (Senior course 3x, enrollment 25)
- EN0230 Surveying (Senior course, 1x, enrollment 5)
- EN1970 Independent studies (multiple – honors theses or independent design projects)



### **Graduate Courses**

- EN02240 Elasticity (4x, Advanced grad course, enrollment 13)
- EN02210 Continuum Mechanics (1x Intro grad course, Enrollment 21)
- EN0222 Mechanics of solids (Intro grad course, 4x, enrollment 15)
- EN0229 Plasticity (3x, Advanced grad course, enrollment 11)
- **EN2340 Computational Mechanics** (advanced grad course 3x, enrollment 17)
- EN2920 Mechanics of Contact and Friction (special topics, 1x, enrollment 20)

### **Postdoctoral research associates**

1. Yong-Wei Zhang 1996-1997, now program manager at Inst. for High Performance Computing, Singapore
2. Guy Genin 1997-1998 now associate professor at University of Washington St. Louis
3. Yanfei Gao 2003-2005, now associate professor at University of Tennessee
4. Yujie Wei, 2007-2008, now professor at Institute for Mechanics, China
5. Fan Zhang, 2006-2009, now Mechanical Engineer at Center for Reliable Energy Systems (CRES)
6. Eric Buchovecky (2011-2012) now Senior Research Engineer at Saint-Gobain USA.
7. Shyam Keravallarma (2011-2-13) now assistant professor at IIT Madras
8. Giovanna Bucci (2012-13) now research associate at MIT
9. Ankit Srivastava (2013-2015), now assistant professor at U.T. Austin
10. Ravi Yellavajjala (2015-)
11. Srivatsan Hulikal (2015-)

### **Ph.D. Students**

1. Chijoke Mgbokwere, 1996 “Experimental study and micromechanical modelling of shear banding in an AISI 4340 VAR steel” Deceased.
2. Sonia Oliveira, 1996, “Failure mechanisms in coated solids under contact loading”
3. Deepali Bhate, 2001, “Diffuse interface model of void growth and migration in microelectronic interconnect lines,” GE Research (India)
4. Daniel Fridline, 2001 “Finite element modeling of electromigration and stress voiding in microelectronic interconnects,” Assistant Professor, SUNY maritime college
5. Narendra Singh, “Numerical simulations of stress and electromigration in copper low-k interconnects,” Ph.D., graduation date May 2006, Caterpillar.
6. NingNing Du “Multiscale simulations of warm formability of Al alloys,” Ph.D. 2009, Senior Engineer at Medtronic.
7. Juan Tello, “Numerical simulations of stress evolution during deposition of thin metallic films,” Ph.D., May 2007, Ansys Corp.
8. David Cipoletti, 2011 “Deformation and microstructure evolution in polycrystalline Mg alloys,” Ph.D., May 2011, now Visiting Assistant Professor of Engineering, Bucknell
9. Eric Buchovecky, 2010 “Stress relaxation and whisker formation in Sn films on Cu substrates”, Senior Research Associate, Brown.
10. Viswanath Chintapenta “Theoretical modeling of lattice strain partitioning in nanocrystalline FCC metals,” 2012 now faculty member at IIT Kanpur
11. Peng Chen, “Microstructural modeling of deformation of dual-phase steels,” 2014 now at Intel Corp.
12. Daniel Gerbig “Measuring and modeling the behavior of high-strength steels,” estimated graduation date May 2016

### **Sc.M. Students**

1. Michael Jandron “Application of Energy Finite Element Analysis to Submerged Structures,” 2014
2. Zehan Deng “Multi-scale modeling of the influence of microstructural inhomogeneity on strain banding and formability in a TRIP assisted steel” 2016