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## EDUCATION:

- **Ph.D., Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University, Clemson, SC**, August 2007. Advisors: Vincent J. Ervin and Hyesuk Lee. Thesis: *Numerical Approximation of Shear-Thinning and Johnson-Segalman Viscoelastic Fluid Flows*.
- M.S., Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University, Clemson, SC, May 1998. Advisor: Shuhong Gao. Project: *The Index Calculus Algorithm for Discrete Logarithms*.
- B.S., Mathematics, College of Charleston, Charleston, SC, December 1996. (Summa Cum Laude)

## ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

- Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, College of Charleston, Charleston, SC August 2012 present. (Courtesy appointment June 2012 August 2012.)
- Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY August 2010 - June 2012. Faculty Affiliate, Clarkson University Institute for a Sustainable Environment, September 2010 - June 2012.
- Postdoctoral Associate, Center for Nonlinear Analysis, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA September 2007 July 2010.
- Summer Scholar, Institute for Scientific Computing Research, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, CA May 2004 - August 2004, May 2005 - September 2005, May 2006 - June 2006.
- Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Mathematical Sciences Clemson University, Clemson, SC August 2004 - August 2007.
- Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University, Clemson, SC January 1997 May 1999, August 2003 May 2004.
- Visiting Instructor, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University, Clemson, SC August 2002 August 2003.
- Research Associate/Database Administrator, Clemson Apparel Research, Pendleton, SC May 1999 August 2002.

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS:**

- **Current Activities:** Finite Element Methods for Fluids and Structures; Applications of Differential Equations in the Natural and Social Sciences; Direct Solution Methods for Large Sparse Linear Systems; Numerical and Computational Analysis of Arterial Blood Flow; Numerical Methods for Coupled Multiscale Problems in Fluid/Fluid and Fluid/Structure Interaction.
- General Interests: Numerical and Computational Analysis; Numerical Solution of Partial Differential Equations; Computational Fluid Dynamics; Finite Element Methods; Saddle Point Problems; Inf-Sup Conditions; Temporal Integration Methods for Systems of Ordinary Differential Equations; Operator-Splitting Methods; Defect Correction Methods; Continuation Methods; Newtonian and Non-Newtonian Fluid Flow; Reaction-Diffusion Equations; Flow in Porous Media; Iterative Linear and Nonlinear Solvers.

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

Annotations: \* = undergraduate student co-author, C= based on work done at the College of Charleston, L= based on work done at Clarkson University, M= based on work done at Carnegie Mellon University, G= based on work done as a graduate student at Clemson University

- 21. (C) J. S. Howell, M. R. Roesing\*, and D. S. Boucher. *A functional approach to solubility parameter computations*. Submitted to Journal of Mathematical Chemistry, July 2016.
- (C) N. Kuthirummal, G. Smith, L. Lopez\*, R. Podila, J. Howell, C. Dun, and A. M. Rao. Early stage ZnO nanorod growth facilitated by thermal anneal of CVD-grown ZnO nanoparticles. Submitted to Applied Physics Letters, July 2016.
- 19. (C) C. A. Fletcher\* and J. S. Howell. *Dynamic modeling of nontargeted and targeted advertising strategies in an oligopoly.* Submitted to Journal of Dynamics and Games, May 2016.
- 18. (C) J. S. Howell. *Prestructuring sparse matrices with dense rows and columns via null space methods.* Submitted to Numerical Linear Algebra and Applications, May 2016.
- 17. (C) J. S. Howell, M. Neilan, and N. J. Walkington. *A dual-mixed finite element method for the Brinkman problem*. SMAI J. Comput. Math., 2, 2016, 1-17.
- 16. (C) J. S. Howell and D. S. Boucher. *Temperature dependence of the convex solubility parameters of organic semiconductors.* J. Polym. Sci. Part B: Polym. Phys., 54(1), 2016, 81-88.
- 15. (C) J. S. Howell, B. O. Stephens\*, and D. S. Boucher. *Convex solubility parameters for polymers*. J. Polym. Sci. Part B: Polym. Phys., 53(16), 2015, 1089-1097.
- 14. (LC) J. S. Howell, H. Lee, and S. Xu. *Finite element approximation of viscoelastic flow in a moving domain*. Elect. Trans. Numer. Anal., 41, 2014, 306–327.
- (LC) J. S. Howell, H. Lee, and S. Xu. Numerical study of a viscoelastic flow in a moving domain. Proceedings of the 8th International Conference on Scientific Computing and Applications, Contemp. Math. Series no. 586, Amer. Math. Soc., 2013, 181–188.
- 12. (LC) J. S. Howell and N. J. Walkington. *Dual-mixed finite element methods for the Navier-Stokes equations*. ESAIM: Mathematical Modelling and Numerical Analysis, 47, 2013, 789–805.
- 11. (ML) J. M. Connors, J. S. Howell, and W. J. Layton. *Decoupled timestepping methods for fluid-fluid interaction*. SIAM J. Numer. Anal. 50(3), 2012, 1297–1319.
- 10. (ML) J. M. Connors and J. S. Howell. *A fluid-fluid interaction method using decoupled subproblems and differing time steps.* Numer. Methods PDE 28(4), 2012, 1283-1308.
- 9. (ML) J. S. Howell and N. J. Walkington. *Inf-sup conditions for twofold saddle point problems*. Numer. Math. 118(4) 2011, 663–693.
- 8. (ML) J. S. Howell. Approximation of generalized Stokes problems using dual-mixed finite elements without enrichment. Inter. J. Numer. Meth. Fluids 67(2) 2011, 247-268.
- 7. (M) J. M. Connors, J. S. Howell, and W. J. Layton. *Partitioned timestepping for a parabolic two domain problem*. SIAM J. Numer. Anal. 47(5) 2009, 3526–3549.
- 6. (GM) J. S. Howell. Dual-mixed finite element approximation of Stokes and nonlinear Stokes problems using trace-free velocity gradients. J. Comput. Appl. Math. 231(2) 2009, 780–792.
- 5. (G) J. S. Howell. Computation of viscoelastic fluid flows using continuation methods. J. Comput. Appl. Math. 225(1) 2009, 187–201.
- 4. (G) V. J. Ervin, J. S. Howell, and I. Stanculescu. *A dual-mixed approximation method for a three-field model of a nonlinear generalized Stokes problem.* Comput. Meth. Appl. Mech. Engrg. 197(33–40) 2008, 2886–2900.
- 3. (G) V. J. Ervin, J. S. Howell, and H. Lee. *A two-parameter defect-correction method for computation of steady-state viscoelastic fluid flow.* Appl. Math. Comput. 196(2) 2008, 818-834.
- 2. (G) S. Gao, J. S. Howell. *A general polynomial sieve*. Designs and codes—a memorial tribute to Ed Assmus. Des. Codes Cryptogr. 18 (1999), no. 1-3, 149–157.
- 1. (G) S. Gao, J. S. Howell, D. Panario. *Irreducible polynomials of given forms*. Finite fields: theory, applications, and algorithms (Waterloo, ON, 1997), 43–54, Contemp. Math., 225, Amer. Math. Soc., Providence, RI, 1999.

### 08/16/2016 RESEARCH ACTIVITIES WITH UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS:

- Spencer Wilder (Math & Chemistry Major), numerical methods for aeroelastic flutter, May 2016-present (with J. Webster).
- Katelynn Huneycutt (Math & Physics Major), numerical methods for aeroelastic flutter, May 2016-present (with J. Webster).
- Miranda Roesing (Chemistry & Biochemistry Major), computation of functional solubility parameters for polymers, January 2016-present (with D. Boucher).
- Ben Stephens (Chemistry & Biochemistry Major), solubility parameters for polymers, January 2015-May 2015 (with D. Boucher).
- Tyler Perini (Math Major), modeling social trends using differential equations, January 2014-May 2016.
- Danielle Massé (Math & Physics Major), computational analysis of blood flow in abdominal aortic aneurysms, May 2014-May 2016.
- Chloe Fletcher (Data Science Major), modeling and analysis of advertising strategies using differential equations, January 2014-May 2015.
- Allison Conger (Math Major), computational analysis of blood flow in intracranial aneurysms, May 2014-August 2014.

COURSES TAUGHT: (As Instructor of Record, \* indicates graduate course, ° indicates new course)

| SEM/YR                             |
|------------------------------------|
| S13                                |
| F12(2), F13(3), F14, F15, S16, F16 |
| S13(2), S14, Su14                  |
| F14, S15, F15, S16                 |
| F16                                |
| F16                                |
| F13                                |
| S15                                |
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#### Department of Mathematics, Clarkson University

| COURSE  | SEM/YR |
|---|--------|
| MA131 (Calculus I)                                    | F10    |
| MA231 (Calculus III)                                  | S11    |
| MA311 (Abstract Algebra)                              | F11    |
| MA330 (Advanced Engineering Mathematics)              | F11    |
| MA339 (Applied Linear Algebra)                        | S12    |
| MA346 (Applied Algebra and Discrete Structures)       | S11    |
| MA511* (Algebraic Structures)                         | S12    |
| MA571* (Numerical Methods for Differential Equations) | S11    |
| MA572* (Finite Element Methods)                       | F11    |
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#### Department of Mathematical Sciences, Carnegie Mellon University

| COURSE   | SEM/YR                 |
|--|------------------------|
| 21-120 (Differential and Integral Calculus)    | S10                    |
| 21-123 (Calculus of Approximation)             | F08                    |
| 21-126 (Introduction to Mathematical Software) | F08(3)                 |
| 21-127 (Concepts of Mathematics)               | S08                    |
| 21-236 (Mathematical Studies II)               | S09                    |
| 21-369 (Numerical Methods)                     | F07, F08(Indep. Study) |
| 21-762* (Finite Element Methods)               | F09                    |

Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson UniversityCOURSESEM/YRMTHSC 106 (Calculus I)F97, F98(2)MTHSC 108 (Calculus II)S98, S99, F02(2), S03(2), Su03MTHSC 206 (Multivariate Calculus)F02, S03, F03MTHSC 208 (Ordinary Differential Equations)S04

HONORS AND AWARDS: (\* indicates activities since June 2012)

- \*College of Charleston Award for Outstanding Service to First-Year Students, 2013-2014.
- \*College of Charleston Award for Outstanding Service to First-Year Students, 2012-2013.
- Clarkson University Phalanx Commendable Service Award, 2011-2012.
- Clarkson University Office of Accommodative Services RESPECT Award nomination, Fall 2011.
- SIAM Student Travel Grant, February 2007.
- Outstanding Citizenship Award 2006-2007, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University.
- Outstanding Graduate Student Presentation, Joint Meeting of the MAA Southeastern Section and the SIAM Southeast Atlantic Section, Auburn, AL, March 31 April 1, 2006.
- Clemson University Graduate Student Government Travel Award, April 2006.
- Outstanding Citizenship Award 2005-2006, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University.
- Outstanding Service to the Department Award 2003-2004, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University.
- Graduate Teaching Assistant of the Year 1998-1999, College of Engineering and Science, Clemson University.
- Outstanding Service to the Department Award 1998-1999, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University.
- Dean's Scholar Fellowship, College of Engineering and Science, Clemson University, 1998-1999.
- Outstanding Master's Student 1997-1998, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University.
- Graduation honor *Summa Cum Laude*, College of Charleston, 1996.
- Ewa Wojcicka Mathematics Award (Outstanding Mathematics Major) 1995-1996, Department of Mathematics, College of Charleston.

# FUNDED AND UNFUNDED GRANT PROPOSALS: (\* indicates activities since June 2012)

- \*NSF CAREER Grant Proposal, "CAREER: Compatibility Conditions and Solvers for Dual-Mixed Finite Element Methods with Applications in Fluids and Structures," Submitted July 2016, pending.
- \*College of Charleston SURF Grant Proposal, "Numerical Methods for Aeroelastic Flutter," Submitted February 2016, funded, \$6000.
- \*College of Charleston RPG Grant Proposal, "Newtonian and Non-Newtonian Fluid Dynamics in Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms," Submitted October 2014, funded, \$250.
- \*College of Charleston RPG Grant Proposal, "Analysis of nontargeted and targeted advertising strategies in an oligopoly setting," Submitted September 2014, funded, \$450.
- \*NSF CAREER Grant Proposal, "CAREER: Compatibility Conditions and Solvers for Dual-Mixed Finite Element Methods with Applications in Continuum Mechanics," Submitted July 2014, unfunded.
- \*Howard Hughes Medical Institute Summer Undergraduate Research Grant Proposal, "Computational analysis of wall shear stress in arterial aneurysms," Submitted March 2014, funded, \$6000.
- \*College of Charleston SURF Grant Proposal, "Computational analysis of wall shear stress in arterial aneurysms," Submitted February 2014, funded, \$4000.
- \*Simons Foundation Travel Grants for Mathematicians Proposal, "Numerical Methods for Coupled Multiscale Problems in Fluid Dynamics," Submitted January 2014, unfunded.
- \*College of Charleston Honors College New Course Development Stipend, May 2013, \$750.
- \*College of Charleston Faculty R&D Grant Proposal, "Numerical Methods for Hemodynamical Flows," Submitted January 2013, funded, \$4000.

- \*Simons Foundation Travel Grants for Mathematicians Proposal, "Numerical Methods for Coupled Multiscale Problems in Fluid Dynamics," Submitted January 2013, unfunded.
- NSF Single Investigator Grant Proposal, "Numerical Approximation of Non-Newtonian Flows with Applications to Hemodynamics," Submitted December 2011, unfunded.
- NSF Single Investigator Grant Proposal, "Accurate Approximation of Newtonian and Non-Newtonian Fluid Stresses Using Dual-Mixed Finite Element Methods," Submitted December 2010, unfunded.
- NSF Single Investigator Grant Proposal, "Analysis of Dual-Mixed Finite Element Methods for Nonlinear Problems in Continuum Mechanics," Submitted December 2009, unfunded.

### SERVICE ACTIVITIES: (\* indicates activities since June 2012) Department and School

- \*College of Charleston Department of Mathematics Committees:
  - \*Calculus Committee, 2012-present.
  - \*Math 111 Committee, 2012-2013.
  - \*Faculty Research and Development Committee, 2013-present.
  - \*Student Activities and Major Recruitment Committee, 2012-present (chair 2013-present).
  - \*Assessment Committee, 2013-present.
  - \*Faculty Recruitment Committee, 2013-2014.
  - \*Committee on the Major, 2014-present.
- \*Co-webmaster of the department website, 2012-present.
- \*Volunteer, College of Charleston Math Meet high school mathematics competition, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016.
- \*Exhibitor, School of Science and Mathematics STEM Education Day activities, April 2014 (Charleston Riverdogs), February 2015 (Lady Cougars), February 2016 (Lady Cougars).
- \*Exhibitor, Charleston STEM Festival, February 2015.
- \*Member, School of Science and Mathematics Scholarship Committee, Spring 2013, Spring 2014.
- \*Undergraduate major advisor (currently 13 students), Department of Mathematics, College of Charleston, 2013-present.
- Faculty Advisor, Clarkson University SIAM Student Chapter, Spring 2012.
- Ph.D. advisor, Jay Appleton, Department of Mathematics, Clarkson University, 2011-2012.
- Undergraduate major advisor (5 students), Department of Mathematics, Clarkson University, 2011-2012.
- Organizer and speaker, Numerical Analysis Seminar, Clarkson University Department of Mathematics, Fall 2011.
- Member, Undergraduate Committee, Calculus Subcommittee, Mathematics Department, Clarkson University 2010-2012.
- Speaker, Clarkson University Math Club Seminar, Clarkson University Department of Mathematics Applied Mathematics Seminar, Fall 2010.
- Co-organizer, Center for Nonlinear Analysis Working Group on Recent Advances in Analysis and Approximation of Fluids, Carnegie Mellon University, Fall 2009.
- Speaker, Carnegie Mellon University Department of Mathematical Sciences Undergraduate Colloquium, Fall 2008, Fall 2009.
- Co-organizer, Graduate Student Seminar 2003-2004, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Clemson University.
- Treasurer, Clemson University SIAM Student Chapter 1997-1998.

### College/University

- \*Senator (SMM at-large), Faculty Senate, Fall 2016-Spring 2017.
- \*Member, Presidential Advisory Committee, Fall 2016-Spring 2017.
- \*Member, General Education Assessment Reading Group in Math/Logic, Fall 2013-Fall 2015.

- \*Member, College of Charleston Committee on the Assessment of Institutional Effectiveness, 2013-2015 (Secretary 2013-2014).
- \*Volunteer, Organized Chaos Student Move-In Program, College of Charleston, August 2013, August 2014.
- \*Parent Group Facilitator, Family Orientation, College of Charleston, June-August 2013, July-August 2014, August 2015 (12 orientation sessions).
- \*Facilitator, Convocation, College of Charleston, August 2013, August 2014, August 2015, August 2016.
- Faculty Advisor, Clarkson University chapter of Omega Lambda Tau service fraternity 2010-2012.
- Senator, Graduate Student Government 2006-2007, Clemson University. Member, Finance Committee, Constitution Committee, Parking Review Board.
- Member, organization and examination committees, Clemson Calculus Challenge (high school mathematics competition) 2003, 2004, Clemson University.

# **Professional**

- \*Local organizer, AMS Southeastern Section Meeting, March 2017.
- \*NSF Computational Mathematics Panel Reviewer, March 2014.
- \*Session Chair, AMS/MAA Joint Mathematics Meetings, January 2014.
- \*Journal Reviewer/Referee:

| <ul> <li>*Advances in Applied Mathematics and Me-<br/>chanics</li> </ul>                               | Dynamics<br>– Journal of Aerospace Engineering   |
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| <ul> <li>Advances in Numerical Analysis</li> <li>AMS Mathematical Reviews</li> </ul>                   | <ul> <li>Journal of Applied Mathematics</li> <li>*Journal of Complex Networks</li> </ul> |
| <ul> <li>*Applicable Analysis</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Journal of Computational and Applied Mathe-</li> </ul>                          |
| <ul> <li>*Applied Mathematics and Computation</li> <li>*Applied Mathematical Modeling</li> </ul>       | <ul><li>matics</li><li>*Mathematics in Computers and Simulation</li></ul>                |
| <ul> <li>*Applied Numerical Mathematics</li> <li>*Computer Methods in Applied Machanics and</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>- *Mathematics of Computation</li> <li>- *Numerical Algorithms</li> </ul>       |
| Engineering  | <ul> <li>- *Numerical Methods for Partial Differential</li> </ul>                        |
| <ul> <li>*Computers and Mathematics with Applica-<br/>tions</li> </ul>                                 | Equations – *Numerische Mathematik   |
| - International Journal of Computational Fluid   | <ul> <li>*SIAM Journal on Numerical Analysis</li> </ul>                                  |

- Triage Judge, Moody's Mega Math Challenge, March 2011, March 2012.
- Reviewer: Prentice-Hall (3 calculus textbooks).
- Member, AMS (since 1998), SIAM (since 1997), SIAM Activity Group on Computational Science and Engineering.

# Community

- \*Math week content provider and teacher training, Engaging Creative Minds Summer 2014 STEAM Institute.
- Volunteer, Animal Rescue League of Western Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, PA, September 2008-June 2010.
- Founder and President, Clemson Card Players Club (student organization at Clemson University, organized fundraising activites for Big Brother/Big Sisters, Anderson County (SC) Humane Society, American Cancer Society, Camp Happy Days), February 2004-June 2006.

**PRESENTATIONS:** (\* indicates activities since June 2012)

33. \**Prestructuring sparse matrices with dense rows for direct solvers,* AMS Southeastern Sectional Meeting, Athens, GA, March 2016.

- 32. \*Dual-mixed finite element methods for the Brinkman problem, SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering (CSE15), Salt Lake City, UT, March 2015.
- 31. \**An early course on modeling and computation with differential equations,* AMS/MAA Joint Mathematics Meetings, Baltimore, MD, January 2014.
- 30. \**Inf-sup conditions and mixed finite element methods,* Computational Mathematics Seminar, Clemson University, May 2013.
- 29. \**To Be Continued...A Brief Introduction to Continuation Methods,* Colloquium, Department of Mathematics, College of Charleston, November 2012.
- 28. Dual-mixed finite element methods for the Navier–Stokes Equations, 8th International Conference on Scientific Computing and Applications (SCA2012), Las Vegas, NV, April 2012.
- 27. *Numerical analysis and computation of hemodynamical flows,* Colloquium, Department of Mathematics, College of Charleston, February 2012.
- 26. *Dual-mixed finite element methods for the Navier-Stokes equations,* Analysis and PDE Seminar, University of Delaware, Newark, DE, May, 2011.
- 25. *Dual-mixed finite element methods for the Stokes and Navier-Stokes equations*, Minisymposium on Algorithm Analysis, Design and Computation for Turbulent Flows, SIAM Annual Meeting (AN10), Pittsburgh, PA, July, 2010.
- 24. *Compatible dual-mixed finite element methods for fluids,* Computational and Applied Mathematics Seminar, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, March 2010.
- 23. *Dual-mixed finite element methods for fluids*, Mathematics Colloquium, Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY, February 2010.
- 22. *Modeling and simulation of problems in fluid dynamics,* Colloquium, The Wilkes Honors College of Florida Atlantic University, Jupiter, FL, January 2010.
- 21. *Dual–mixed finite element methods for fluids*, Colloquium, Missouri University of Science & Technology, Rolla, MO, January 2010.
- 20. *Dual–mixed finite element methods for fluids*, Special Guest Lecture, Louisiana State University Center for Computation & Technology, Baton Rouge, LA, January 2010.
- 19. Analysis and approximation of coupled fluid/elastic structure models arising in vascular fluid dynamics, CNA Working Group on Recent Advances in Analysis and Approximation of Fluids, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, September 2009.
- 18. *Inf-sup conditions for twofold saddle point problems*, BCAM Seminar, Basque Center for Applied Mathematics, Derio, Spain, July 2009.
- 17. Dual-mixed finite element methods for the steady Stokes problem using Arnold–Winther tensors, Finite Element Circus, University of Delaware, Newark, DE, April 2009.
- 16. Dual-mixed finite element approximation of Stokes and generalized Stokes problems, SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, (CSE09), Miami, FL, March 2009.
- 15. *Low-order finite element approximation of nonlinear generalized Stokes problems*, 10th Copper Mountain Conference on Iterative Methods, Copper, CO, April 2008.
- 14. *Approximating the stress tensor in nonlinear generalized Stokes problems*, Finite Element Circus and Rodeo, Louisiana State University Center for Computation & Technology, Baton Rouge, LA, March 2008.
- 13. *Saddle point problems and inf-sup conditions,* US-Chile Workshop: New Developments in Partial Differential Equations II, Universidad de Chile, Santiago, Chile, January 2008.
- 12. *A brief introduction to viscoelastic fluids,* Center for Nonlinear Analysis Working Group on Complex Fluids and Transport, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2007.
- 11. *Dual-mixed approximation of generalized Stokes problems,* Computational and Applied Mathematics Seminar, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, September 2007.
- 10. *Computing viscoelastic fluid flows at high Weissenberg number,* SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, (CSE07), Costa Mesa, CA, February 2007.

- 9. Cost of accuracy for coupled diffusion and reaction systems, SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, (CSE07), Costa Mesa, CA, February 2007.
- 8. *Finite element approximation of partial differential equations using FreeFEM++*, USC SIAM Student Chapter Seminar, Columbia, SC, February 2007.
- 7. Defect–correction methods for finite element computations of viscoelastic fluid flow, AMS-MAA Joint Mathematics Meetings, New Orleans, LA, January 2007.
- 6. *Computing viscoelastic fluid flows at high Weissenberg number,* South Eastern Atlantic Mathematical Sciences Workshop (Cha-Cha Days), Charleston, SC, October 2006.
- 5. *Implementation and performance of a two-grid method for nonlinear reaction-diffusion equations,* Ninth Copper Mountain Conference on Iterative Methods, Copper, CO, April 2006.
- 4. *Iterative defect-correction strategies for viscoelastic fluid flow,* Joint Meeting of the MAA Southeastern Section and the SIAM Southeast Atlantic Section, Auburn, AL, April 2006.
- 3. *A defect-correction method for viscoelastic fluid flow,* CASC Work In Progress seminar, Center for Applied Scientific Computing, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, August 2005.
- 2. *Applying a defect correction method to viscoelastic fluid flow,* SIAM-Southeastern Atlantic Region Annual Meeting, Charleston, SC, March 2005.
- 1. *Irreducible polynomials of given forms*,  $\mathbb{F}_{q^4}$  The Fourth International Conference on Finite Fields and Applications, Waterloo, ON, August 1997.

## OTHER CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED: (\* indicates activities since June 2012)

- \*Finite Element Circus, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, October 2014.
- \*IMA Workshop on Structure-Preserving Discretizations of Partial Differential Equations, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, October 2014.
- \*Faculty Technology Institute, College of Charleston, March 2013.
- \*Finite Element Circus, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2012.
- AMS-MAA Joint Mathematics Meetings, Boston, MA, January 2011.
- Finite Element Circus, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, November 2010.
- IMA Workshop on Numerical Solutions of Partial Differential Equations: Novel Discretization Techniques, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, November 2010.
- AMS-MAA Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Francisco, CA, January 2010.
- Finite Element Circus, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN, October 2009.
- Workshop on Hybridization of Discontinuous Galerkin Methods, Basque Center for Applied Mathematics, Bilbao, Spain, July 2009.