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## ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

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**University of Nebraska-Lincoln** Lincoln, NE  
*Associate Professor, School of Computing (formerly Computer Science and Engineering)* 2016 – present  
*Faculty Fellow, National Strategic Research Institute* 2020 – present  
*Faculty Fellow, University of Nebraska Public Policy Center* 2019 – present  
*Faculty Fellow, Robert B. Daugherty Water for Food Institute* 2014 – present  
*Courtesy Appointment, Mechanical and Materials Engineering* 2014 – present  
*Assistant Professor, Computer Science and Engineering* 2010 – 2016

**Nebraska Intelligent MoBile Unmanned Systems (NIMBUS) Lab**  
*Co-Director and Co-Founder* 2010 – present

## EDUCATION

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**Massachusetts Institute of Technology** Cambridge, MA  
*Ph.D., Electrical Engineering and Computer Science* Sep. 2006 – Sep. 2010  
Thesis: Decentralized Sensor Placement and Mobile Localization on an Underwater Sensor Network with Depth Adjustment Capabilities  
Adviser: Daniela Rus

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology** Cambridge, MA  
*M.S., Electrical Engineering and Computer Science* Sep. 2004 – Sep. 2006  
Thesis: Passive Mobile Robot Localization within a Fixed Beacon Field  
Adviser: Daniela Rus

**Middlebury College** Middlebury, VT  
*B.A., Joint CS and Mathematics Major; Minor in Physics* Sep. 2000 – May 2004  
Magna Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa  
Thesis: Structure from Motion and Non-Linear Minimization Techniques (*Best Thesis Award*)  
Advisers: Amy Briggs and Daniel Scharstein

## OTHER EMPLOYMENT

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**Drone Amplified, INC** Lincoln, NE  
*CEO and Co-Founder* 2015 – present  
Drone Amplified sells drone-based aerial ignition systems and software based on technology developed at the University of Nebraska and exclusively licensed by Drone Amplified.

**Expert Witness**  
*Deposition and Trial Experience*

CURRENT EXTERNAL FUNDING AS  
PRINCIPAL OR CO-PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

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1. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, NASA ULI-80NSSC20M0162, *Real-time Weather Awareness for Enhanced Safety Assurance in UTM*, UNL Portion \$805,406, Sept. 2020-Aug. 2024, PI: Jacob (Oklahoma State University), Co-PIs: Bailey (University of Kentucky), Brewster (University of Oklahoma, Norman), Chilson (University of Oklahoma), Elbing (Oklahoma State University), Fala (Oklahoma State University), Faruque (Oklahoma State University), Jensen (NCAR), Pinto (NCAR), Sobash (NCAR), Smith (University of Kentucky), Woolsey (Virginia Tech), Epperson (Vigilant Aerospace Systems), UNL PI: Detweiler, UNL Co-PI Houston.
2. National Science Foundation, IIS-1925052, *Raining Drones: Mid-Air Release & Recovery of Atmospheric Sensing Systems*, \$643,600, Oct. 2019-Sept. 2022, PI: Detweiler, Co-PI: Houston.
3. National Science Foundation, IIS-1925368, *Leveraging Environmental Monitoring UAS in Rainforests*, \$722,804, Oct. 2019-Sept. 2022, PI: Duncan, Co-PI: Detweiler.
4. National Science Foundation, CNS-1757908, *REU Site: Undergraduate Research Opportunities in Unmanned Systems Foundations and Applications*, \$360,649, March 2018-Feb. 2022, PI: Duncan, Co-PIs: Detweiler, and Bradley.

PRIOR EXTERNAL FUNDING AS PRINCIPAL OR CO-PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

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1. National Strategic Research Institute, *Fixed Wing VTOL Sensor Emplacement*, \$740,798 Jun. 2019-Sept. 2021, PI: Detweiler, Co-PIs: Bradley and Duncan.
2. National Science Foundation, OAC-1762034, *Spokes: MEDIUM: MIDWEST: Smart Big Data Pipeline for Aging Rural Bridge Transportation Infrastructure (SMARTI)*, UNL Portion \$476,933, Sept. 2018-Aug. 2021, Lead PI: Gandhi (University of Nebraska-Omaha), Co-PIs: Khazanchi, Linzell, Ricks, Sim, Senior Personnel: Detweiler, Faller, Rilett, Sharif-Kashani, Wittich, Wood, Zhu.
3. USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture (National Robotics Initiative), 2017-67021-25924, *At the Water's Edge: Installation and Optimization of Robotic Sensing Systems*, \$949,716, Nov. 2016-Nov. 2020, PI: Detweiler, Co-PI (UNL): Bradley; Co-PI (University of the Pacific, subaward \$362,400): Basha.
4. National Science Foundation, IIS-1638099, *Enabling Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) Fire Ignitions in Complex Firefighting Contexts*, \$995,470, Aug. 2016-July 2020, PI: Detweiler, Co-PIs: Allen, Bradley, Duncan, Pytlik-Zillig, and Twidwell.
5. National Science Foundation EPSCoR, OIA-1539070, *RII Track-2 FEC: Unmanned Aircraft System for Atmospheric Physics*, Detweiler portion: \$400,000 (approx), Sept. 2015-Aug. 2020, UNL PI: Houston (lead PI Jacobs, Oklahoma State University, total \$6M).
6. National Strategic Research Institute, *COTS Autonomous Tracking and Indicating Prototype*, \$911,086 Jan. 2018-Dec. 2019, PI: Detweiler, Co-PIs: Elbaum, Bradley, and Duncan.
7. National Strategic Research Institute, *Detection of Nuclear Threats using Deployable Sensors*, \$484,266 Feb. 2017-Aug. 2019, PI: Detweiler, Co-PIs: Elbaum, Bradley, and Duncan.
8. National Science Foundation, CCF-1718040, *Holistic Analysis: Integrating the Semantics of the World and the Code*, Aug. 2017-July 2018, PI: Elbaum, Co-PIs: Detweiler.
9. USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture (National Robotics Initiative), 2013-67021-20947, *Co-Aerial-Ecologist: Robotic Water Sampling and Sensing in the Wild*, \$956,210, Sept. 2013-Aug. 2017, PI: Detweiler, Co-PIs (UNL): Elbaum, Burgin, Waite; Co-PIs (U.C. Berkeley, subaward \$142,857): Thompson, Hamilton.

10. National Science Foundation, CNS-1217400, *CSR: Small: Collaborative Research: Adaptive and Autonomous Energy Management on a Sensor Network Using Aerial Robots*, UNL Portion: \$390,000, Sept. 2012-Aug. 2016, PI: Detweiler, (with PI Basha, University of the Pacific).
11. National Science Foundation, Award: IIS-1116221, *RI: Small: Collaborative Research: Adaptive Sampling with Robots for Marine Observations*, Sept. 2011-Aug. 2015, UNL Portion: \$249,971, PI: Detweiler, (with PI Rus, MIT).
12. Ascending Technologies UAV Sponsorship Competition, *AscTec UAVs in the Wild*, 2011-2012, 7,500€, PIs: Detweiler, Elbaum.

#### PRIOR INTERNAL FUNDING AS PRINCIPAL OR CO-PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

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1. Robert B. Daugherty Water for Food Institute Graduate Fellowship, *Advancing long-term monitoring of crop and water systems with UASs*, Aug. 2019-July 2020, \$17,000, PI: Detweiler, Student PI Daniel Rico
2. UNL Undergraduate Creative Activities and Research Experiences Program (UCARE), *Flying by Fire: Using UAVs for Close Observation of Wildfires*, Aug. 2015-May 2017, \$4,000, PI: Detweiler, Student PI Rebecca Horzewski.
3. Robert B. Daugherty Water for Food Institute Graduate Fellowship, *Enabling Sub-Surface Aerial Water Sampling for Water Management and Quality Analysis*, Aug. 2014-July 2016, \$72,310, PI: Detweiler, Student PI James Higgins.
4. UNL Undergraduate Creative Activities and Research Experiences Program (UCARE), *Wireless Power Transfer for Underwater Sensors*, Aug. 2014-May 2015, \$2,000, PI: Detweiler, Student PI Greenwood.
5. UNL Research Office, Phase II Planning Grant from the Pathway to Interdisciplinary Research Centers, *Autonomous Aerial Instruments*, Sept. 2012-Dec. 2014, \$193,000, PIs: Elbaum, Detweiler.
6. UNL Undergraduate Creative Activities and Research Experiences Program (UCARE), *AquaNode Motor Control System*, Aug. 2013-May 2014, \$2,000, PI: Detweiler, Student PI Greenwood.
7. NASA Nebraska Space Grant Fellowship, *Wireless Power Transfer*, Sept. 2012-May 2013 \$3,500, PI: Detweiler, Student PI: Goeser.
8. NSF Nebraska EPSCoR FIRST, *Aerial Robots for Scientific Sensing*, April 2012-March 2013 \$20,000, PI: Detweiler.
9. UNL Undergraduate Creative Activities and Research Experiences Program (UCARE), *Wireless Power Transfer*, Aug. 2012-May 2013, \$2,000, PI: Detweiler, Student PI Berggren.
10. UNL Research Office, Phase I Planning Grant from the Pathway to Interdisciplinary Research Centers, *Workshop on Autonomous Aerial Instruments*, May 2012-Dec. 2012, \$10,000, PIs: Detweiler, Elbaum.
11. UNL Research Council Faculty Seed Grant, *Falling Bricks and Flying Balls: Real-time Dynamic Obstacle Avoidance on Flying Robots*, 2011, \$10,000, PI: Detweiler.

#### AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

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1. Elected to the National Academy of Inventors as a Senior Member (2021)

2. Awarded the University-wide Susan J. Rosowski Professorship (2018-2023)
3. Faculty Fellow, National Strategic Research Institute (2021-current)
4. Faculty Fellow, University of Nebraska Public Policy Center (2019-current)
5. Faculty Fellow, UNL Robert B. Daugherty Water for Food Institute (2014–current)
6. New York Times 2020 Good Tech Award Winner for Drone Amplified (2020)
7. College Of Engineering Senior Salute Student Recognition (2020)
8. NUTech Startup Company of the Year (2019)
9. Awarded Journal of Unmanned Vehicle Systems Editor’s Choice Award (2019)
10. Awarded IEEE/RSJ IROS Best Paper on Safety, Security, and Rescue Robotics in memory of Motohiro Kiso (2018)
11. US Department of the Interior “Top 12 Made in America” innovations (2017)
12. UNL Parents Association “Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students” (2017)
13. ISSTA Best Tool Demonstration Award for “Phriky-Units: A Lightweight, Annotation-Free Physical Unit Inconsistency Detection Tool” (2017)
14. College of Engineering Edgerton Innovation Award (2016)
15. Outstanding Service Award as Technical Program Co-Chair for the Tenth ACM International Conference on Underwater Networks and Systems (WUWNet 2015)
16. College of Engineering Henry Y. Kleinkauf Family Distinguished New Faculty Teaching Award (2014)
17. CSE Department Student Choice Outstanding Teaching Award: Graduate Level (2011-2012)
18. Visiting Researcher, Singapore-MIT Alliance for Research and Technology (SMARTS) Future of Mobility Project, Singapore (July, 2011)

#### PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES<sup>1</sup>

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1. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and S. Elbaum, “An empirical study on type annotations: Accuracy, speed, and suggestion effectiveness,” *ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology (TOSEM)*, vol. 30, no. 2, pp. 1–29, 2021
2. A. Islam<sup>2</sup>, A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, A. Houston, and C. Detweiler, “University of nebraska unmanned aerial system (UAS) profiling during the LAPSE-RATE field campaign,” *Earth System Science Data*, vol. 13, no. 6, pp. 2457–2470, 2021
3. A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, “Towards in-flight transfer of payloads between multirotors,” *IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters*, vol. 5, no. 4, pp. 6201–6208, 2020
4. P. L. F. Albuquerque<sup>2</sup>, V. Garcia, A. d. S. O. Junior, T. Lewandowski, C. Detweiler, A. B. Gonçalves, C. S. Costa, M. H. Naka, and H. Pistori, “Automatic live fingerlings counting using computer vision,” *Computers and Electronics in Agriculture*, vol. 167, pp. 1–9, 2019

<sup>1</sup>In my publications I place myself as last author (organizing author) on papers with students, unless I did the super-majority of the work. The following subscripts are used to indicate student and other co-authors under my supervision:

- 1: Undergraduate student
- 2: Masters student
- 3: Ph.D. student

5. J. Walther, L. PytlikZillig, C. Detweiler, and A. Houston, "How people make sense of drones used for atmospheric science (and other purposes): hopes, concerns, and recommendations," *Journal of Unmanned Vehicle Systems*, vol. 7, no. 3, pp. 219–234, 2019 **Editor's Choice Award**
6. A. Islam<sup>2</sup>, A. L. Houston, A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, and C. Detweiler, "Design and evaluation of sensor housing for boundary layer profiling using multirotors," *Sensors*, vol. 19, no. 11, p. 2481, 2019
7. C. Fernando<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and J. Bradley, "Co-regulated consensus of cyber-physical resources in multi-agent unmanned aircraft systems," *Electronics*, vol. 8, no. 5, p. 569, 2019
8. L. Barbieri, S. Kral, S. Bailey, A. Frazier, J. Jacob, J. Reuder, D. Brus, P. Chilson, C. Crick, C. Detweiler, A. Doddi, J. Elston, H. Foroutan, J. Gonzalez-Rocha, B. Greene, M. Guzman, A. Houston, A. Islam<sup>2</sup>, O. Kemppinen, D. Lawrence, E. Pillar-Little, S. Ross, M. Sama, D. S. III, T. Schuyler, A. Shankar<sup>2</sup>, S. Smith, S. Waugh, C. Dixon, S. Borenstein, and G. de Boer., "Small unmanned aircraft systems (sUAS) in atmospheric science: Measurement intercomparison for LAPSE-RATE," *Sensors*, 2019
9. L. M. PytlikZillig, B. Duncan, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "A drone by any other name: Purposes, end-user trustworthiness, and framing, but not terminology, affect public support for drones," *IEEE Technology and Society Magazine*, vol. 37, no. 1, pp. 80–91, 2018
10. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup> and C. Detweiler, "Sensing water properties at precise depths from the air," *Journal of Field Robotics*, vol. 35, no. 8, pp. 1205–1221, 2018
11. K. Song, A. Brewer, S. Ahmadian, A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and A. J. Burgin, "Using unmanned aerial vehicles to sample aquatic ecosystems," *Limnology and Oceanography: Methods*, vol. 15, no. 12, pp. 1021–1030, 2017
12. N. W. Najeeb<sup>3</sup> and C. Detweiler, "Extending wireless rechargeable sensor network life without full knowledge," *Sensors*, vol. 17, no. 7, p. 1642, 2017
13. D. Anthony<sup>3</sup> and C. Detweiler, "UAV localization in row crops," *Journal of Field Robotics*, vol. 34, no. 7, pp. 1275–1296, 2017
14. H. Jiang<sup>2</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Inferring and monitoring invariants in robotic systems," *Autonomous Robots*, vol. 41, no. 4, pp. 1027–1046, 2017
15. D. Twidwell, C. R. Allen, C. Detweiler, J. Higgins<sup>2</sup>, C. Laney<sup>1</sup>, and S. Elbaum, "Smokey comes of age: unmanned aerial systems for fire management," *Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment*, vol. 14, no. 6, pp. 333–339, 2016
16. M. Chung, C. Detweiler, M. Hamilton, J. Higgins<sup>2</sup>, J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, and S. Thompson, "Obtaining the thermal structure of lakes from the air," *Water*, vol. 7, no. 11, pp. 6467–6482, 2015
17. C. Detweiler, J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, D. Anthony<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, A. Burgin, and A. Lorenz, "Environmental reviews and case studies: Bringing unmanned aerial systems closer to the environment," *Cambridge Journal of Environmental Practice*, vol. 17, pp. 188–200, 2015
18. E. Basha, M. Eiskamp, J. Johnson, and C. Detweiler, "UAV recharging opportunities and policies for sensor networks," *International Journal of Distributed Sensor Networks*, vol. 11, no. 8, p. 10, 2015
19. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, A. Burgin, and C. Detweiler, "Autonomous aerial water sampling," *Journal of Field Robotics*, vol. 32, no. 8, pp. 1095–1113, 2015
20. C. Detweiler, S. Banerjee<sup>2</sup>, M. Doniec, M. Jiang, F. Peri, R. Chen, and D. Rus, "Adaptive decentralized control of mobile underwater sensor networks and robots for modeling underwater phenomena," *Journal of Sensor and Actuator Networks*, vol. 3, no. 2, pp. 113–149, 2014

21. D. Anderson, C. Winters, R. Estell, E. Fredrickson, M. Doniec, C. Detweiler, D. Rus, D. James, and B. Nolen, "Characterising the spatial and temporal activities of free-ranging cows from GPS data," *The Rangeland Journal*, vol. 34, no. 2, pp. 149–161, 2012
22. C. Detweiler, M. Doniec, I. Vasilescu, and D. Rus, "Autonomous depth adjustment for underwater sensor networks: Design and applications," *IEEE/ASME Transactions on Mechatronics*, vol. 17, no. 1, pp. 16–24, 2012
23. I. Vasilescu, C. Detweiler, and D. Rus, "Color-accurate underwater imaging using perceptual adaptive illumination," *Autonomous Robots*, vol. 31, no. 2, pp. 285–296, 2011
24. I. Vasilescu, C. Detweiler, M. Doniec, D. Gurdan, S. Sosnowski, J. Stumpf, and D. Rus, "AMOUR V: A hovering energy efficient underwater robot capable of dynamic payloads," *The International Journal of Robotics Research*, vol. 29, no. 5, pp. 547–570, 2010
25. M. Doniec, C. Detweiler, I. Vasilescu, M. Chitre, M. Hoffmann-Kuhnt, and D. Rus, "Aquaoptical: A lightweight device for high-rate long-range underwater point-to-point communication," *Marine Technology Society Journal*, vol. 44, no. 4, pp. 55–65, 2010
26. M. Schwager, C. Detweiler, I. Vasilescu, D. M. Anderson, and D. Rus, "Data-Driven identification of group dynamics for motion prediction and control," *Journal of Field Robotics*, vol. 25, no. 6-7, pp. 305–324, 2008
27. C. Detweiler, M. Vona, Y. Yoon, S.-k. Yun, and D. Rus, "Self-assembling mobile linkages," *IEEE robotics & automation magazine*, vol. 14, no. 4, pp. 45–55, 2007
28. A. J. Briggs, C. Detweiler, Y. Li, P. C. Mullen, and D. Scharstein, "Matching scale-space features in 1D panoramas," *Computer vision and image understanding*, vol. 103, no. 3, pp. 184–195, 2006
29. A. J. Briggs, C. Detweiler, D. Scharstein, and A. Vandenberg-Rodes, "Expected shortest paths for landmark-based robot navigation," *The International Journal of Robotics Research*, vol. 23, no. 7-8, pp. 717–728, 2004

#### PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

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1. D. Rico<sup>2</sup>, F. Munoz-Arriola, and C. Detweiler, "Trajectory selection for power-over-tether atmospheric sensing UAS," in *Proceedings of IEEE/RSJ of Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, 2021
2. P. Fletcher<sup>2</sup>, C. Detweiler, and B. Duncan, "Investigation of unmanned aerial vehicle gesture perceptibility and impact of viewpoint variance," in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 1–7, 2021
3. A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Freyja: A full multirotor system for agile & precise outdoor flights," in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 1–7, 2021
4. A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Multirotor docking with an airborne platform," in *International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER)*, pp. 1–12, 2020
5. A. Plowcha<sup>3</sup>, J. Hogberg, C. Detweiler, and J. Bradley, "Online soil classification using a UAS sensor emplacement system," in *International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER)*, pp. 1–11, 2020
6. A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Dynamic path generation for multirotor aerial docking in forward flight," in *IEEE Conference on Decision and Control (CDC)*, pp. 1564–1571, 2020
7. C. Fernando<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and J. Bradley, "Co-regulated information consensus with delays for multi-agent UAS," in *IEEE Conference on Decision and Control (CDC)*, pp. 180–187, 2020

8. M. E. Lussier<sup>2</sup>, J. M. Bradley, and C. Detweiler, "Extending endurance of multicopters: The current state-of-the-art," in *AIAA Scitech 2019 Forum*, pp. 1–13, 2019
9. C. Fernando<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and J. Bradley, "Co-regulating communication for asynchronous information consensus," in *IEEE Conference on Decision and Control (CDC)*, pp. 6994–7001, 2018
10. Y. Sun, A. Plowcha<sup>3</sup>, M. Nail<sup>1</sup>, S. Elbaum, B. Terry, and C. Detweiler, "Unmanned aerial auger for underground sensor installation," in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 1374–1381, 2018
11. A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Towards aerial recovery of parachute-deployed payloads," in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 4700–4707, 2018
12. N. W. Najeeb<sup>3</sup> and C. Detweiler, "UAV based wireless charging of sensor networks without prior knowledge," in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 3151–3158, 2018
13. E. Beachly<sup>2</sup>, C. Detweiler, S. Elbaum, B. Duncan, C. Hildebrandt, D. Twidwell, and C. Allen, "Fire-aware planning of aerial trajectories and ignitions," in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 685–692, 2018 **Awarded Best Paper on Safety, Security, and Rescue Robotics in memory of Motohiro Kiso**
14. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, C. Detweiler, and L. Karkazis<sup>1</sup>, "Assessing the type annotation burden," in *Automated Software Engineering (ASE)*, pp. 190–201, 2018
15. A. Plowcha<sup>3</sup>, Y. Sun, C. Detweiler, and J. Bradley, "Predicting digging success for unmanned aircraft system sensor emplacement," in *International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER)*, pp. 153–164, Springer, 2018
16. A. Shankar<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "In-air exchange of small payloads between multirotor aerial systems," in *International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER)*, pp. 511–523, Springer, 2018
17. B. A. Duncan, E. Beachly<sup>2</sup>, A. Bevins, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Investigation of communicative flight paths for small unmanned aerial systems," in *IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 602–609, 2018
18. E. Beachly<sup>2</sup>, C. Detweiler, S. Elbaum, D. Twidwell, and B. Duncan, "UAS-Rx interface for mission planning, fire tracking, fire ignition, and real-time updating," in *IEEE International Symposium on Safety, Security and Rescue Robotics (SSRR)*, pp. 67–74, 2017
19. E. Basha, T. Watts-Willis, and C. Detweiler, "Autonomous meta-classifier for surface hardness classification from UAV landings," in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 3503–3509, 2017
20. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Dimensional inconsistencies in code and ros messages: A study of 5.9M lines of code," in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 712–718, 2017
21. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup> and C. Detweiler, "Sensing water properties at precise depths from the air," in *International Conference on Field and Service Robotics (FSR)*, vol. 5, p. 205, Springer, 2017
22. N. Sharma<sup>2</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, "Rate impact analysis in robotic systems," in *IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 2089–2096, 2017
23. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and S. Elbaum, "Lightweight detection of physical unit inconsistencies without program annotations," in *ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on Software Testing and Analysis (ISSTA)*, pp. 341–351, 2017

24. E. Beachly<sup>2</sup>, J. Higgins<sup>2</sup>, C. Laney<sup>1</sup>, S. Elbaum, C. Detweiler, C. Allen, and D. Twidwell, “A micro-UAS to start prescribed fires,” in *International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER)*, pp. 12–24, Springer, 2016
25. A. Taylor<sup>2</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, “Co-diagnosing configuration failures in co-robotic systems,” in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 2934–2939, 2016
26. J. Higgins<sup>2</sup> and C. Detweiler, “The waterbug sub-surface sampler: Design, control and analysis,” in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 330–337, 2016
27. C. Welch, S. Akbarisamani, C. Detweiler, and C. Nelson, “Leightweight, low-cost, compliant grasper for UAV-based pick-and-place operations,” in *Proceedings of ASME International Design Engineering Technical Conference & Computers and Information In Engineering Conference*, p. 7, 2015
28. D. Anthony<sup>3</sup>, E. Basha, J. Ostdiek<sup>1</sup>, J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, and C. Detweiler, “Surface classification for sensor deployment from UAV landings,” in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 3464–3470, 2015
29. J. Palmer, N. Yuen, J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and E. Basha, “On air-to-water radio communication between UAVs and water sensor networks,” in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 5311–5317, 2015
30. S. Banerjee<sup>2</sup> and C. Detweiler, “Path planning algorithms for robotic underwater sensing in a network of sensors,” in *Proceedings of the International Conference on Underwater Networks & Systems (WUWNet)*, pp. 1–5, 2014
31. E. Basha, N. Yuen, M. O’Rourke, and C. Detweiler, “Analysis of algorithms for multi-modal communications in underwater sensor networks,” in *Proceedings of the International Conference on Underwater Networks & Systems (WUWNet)*, pp. 1–8, 2014
32. D. Anthony<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, A. Lorenz, and C. Detweiler, “On crop height estimation with UAVs,” in *Proceedings of IEEE/RSJ of Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 4805–4812, 2014
33. A. Mittleider<sup>2</sup>, B. Griffin<sup>2</sup>, and C. Detweiler, “Experimental analysis of a UAV-based wireless power transfer localization system,” in *Proceedings of International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER)*, pp. 357–371, 2014
34. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, S. Elbaum, A. Burgin, B. Zhao, and C. Detweiler, “Autonomous aerial water sampling,” in *International Conference on Field and Service Robotics (FSR)*, (Brisbane, Australia), p. 14, 2013
35. H. Jiang<sup>2</sup>, S. Elbaum, and C. Detweiler, “Reducing failure rates of robotic systems though inferred invariants monitoring,” in *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)*, pp. 1899–1906, 2013
36. J. Johnson, E. Basha, and C. Detweiler, “Charge selection algorithms for maximizing sensor network life with UAV-based limited wireless recharging,” in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Intelligent Sensors, Sensor Networks and Information Processing (ISSNIP)*, pp. 159–164, 2013
37. M. O’Rourke, E. Basha, and C. Detweiler, “Multi-modal communications in underwater sensor networks using depth adjustments,” in *ACM International Conference on Underwater Networks & Systems (WUWNet)*, (Los Angeles, California), pp. 1–5, 2012
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6. J.-P. Ore<sup>3</sup>, C. Detweiler, and S. Elbaum, *Towards Code-Aware Robotic Simulation*. 1st International Workshop on Robotics Software Engineering (RoSE), 2018
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## TEACHING

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### Courses<sup>2</sup>

<b>CSCE 496/896: Special Topics: Robotics: Unmanned Aerial Systems</b> 23 Students	Fall 2020
<b>CSCE 439/839: Robotics Algorithms and Applications</b> 34 Students	Spring 2020
<b>CSCE 990: Robotics Today</b> 10 Students	Fall 2019
<b>CSCE 990: Robotics Today</b> 9 Students	Fall 2018
<b>CSCE 236: Introduction to Embedded Systems</b> 11 Students	Fall 2017
<b>CSCE 236: Introduction to Embedded Systems</b> 40 Students	Spring 2016
<b>CSCE 439/839: Robotics Algorithms and Applications</b> 20 Students (at capacity)	Fall 2015
<b>CSCE 236: Introduction to Embedded Systems</b> 44 Students (at capacity)	Spring 2015
<b>CSCE 990: Robotics Today</b> 16 Students	Fall 2014
<b>CSCE 236: Introduction to Embedded Systems</b> 45 Students (at capacity)	Spring 2014
<b>CSCE 439/839: Robotics Algorithms and Applications</b> 21 Students	Fall 2013
<b>CSCE 236: Introduction to Embedded Systems</b> 30 Students	Spring 2013
<b>CSCE 990: Robotics Today</b> 12 Students	Fall 2012
<b>CSCE 236: Introduction to Embedded Systems</b> 36 Students	Spring 2012
<b>CSCE 990: Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (1 credit)</b> 5 Enrolled Students, 16 Attend Meetings	Spring 2012
<b>CSCE 496/896: Robotics<sup>3</sup></b> 11 Students	Fall 2011

<sup>3</sup>CSCE 496/896: Robotics is now CSCE 439/839.

<b>CSCE 990: Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (1 credit)</b> 5 Enrolled Students, 14 Attend Meetings	Fall 2011
<b>CSCE 436/836: Advanced Embedded Systems</b> 14 Students	Spring 2011
<b>CSCE 990: Robotics: Algorithms and Applications</b> 21 Students	Fall 2010
<b>MIT 6.141: Robotics Science and Systems Teaching Assistant</b> 30+ Students	Spring 2009

## SERVICE AND SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES

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### Selected Program Committees, Editorial Boards, and Session Chairs

- Program Committee, International Conference on Field and Service Robotics (FSR-PC 2015, 2017, 2019)
- Program Committee, Robotics Science and Systems (RSS-PC 2017, 2018, 2020)
- Associate Editor, IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA-AE 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022)
- Session Chair, IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (2020)
- Technical Program Committee, ACM International Conference on Underwater Networks & Systems (WUWNet 2019)
- Session Chair, IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (2018)
- Panel Reviewer, National Science Foundation (2011, 2012, 2014, 2015(x2), 2016, 2018(x2), 2019)
- Ad-hoc Reviewer, National Science Foundation (2013, 2020, 2022)
- Ad-hoc Reviewer, United States Department of Agriculture (2018)
- Associate Editor, IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS-AE 2015, 2016)
- Technical Program Committee, International Symposium on Safety, Security and Rescue Robotics (SSRR 2017)
- Co-Chair Program Committee, ACM International Conference on Underwater Networks & Systems (WUWNet 2015)
- Program Committee, Distributed Autonomous Robotic Systems (DARS-PC 2010, 2016)
- Program Committee, ROBOT (ROBOT-PC 2015)
- Program Committee, International Conference on Distributed Computing in Sensor Systems (DCOSS-PC 2015)
- Co-organized workshop on Robotic Monitoring at Robot Science and Systems (RSS) (2014)
- Session Chair, ACM International Conference on Underwater Networks & Systems (WUWNet 2010, 2014)
- Program Committee, Workshop on the Algorithmic Foundations of Robotics (WAFR-PC 2012)

### Selected Journal and Conference Reviews

- IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA) (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018, 2019, 2020)
- IEEE Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS) (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022)
- Robotics Science and Systems (RSS) (2017, 2018, 2020)
- International Conference on Field and Service Robotics (FSR) (2015, 2017, 2019)
- IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters (RAL) (2017, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022)
- Journal of Field Robotics (JFR) (2010, 2017, 2018)
- IEEE Transactions on Automatic Control (TACON) (2010, 2017, 2021, 2022)
- IEEE Transactions on COnTrol of NEtwork Systems (CONES) (2020)
- IEEE Robotics and Automation Magazine (RAM) (2015, 2016)
- IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (2011)
- IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing (2010, 2011, 2012, 2014)
- IEEE Transactions on Mechatronics (2014)
- IEEE Transactions on Robotics (2011, 2012, 2013)
- IEEE Transactions on Sensor Networks (2012, 2013)
- International Journal of Robotics Research (2014)
- Journal on Advances in Signal Processing (2010)
- Journal of Distributed Sensor Networks (2014)
- Journal of Intelligent and Robotic Systems (2010, 2015, 2016)
- Journal of Sensors (2010, 2011, 2012, 2014)
- Journal of Mechanical Engineering Science (2012)

### Professional Membership

- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
- IEEE Robotics and Automation Society (RAS)
- IEEE Agricultural Robotics and Automation Technical Committee
- National Academy of Inventors, Senior Member

### University and Departmental Activities

- CoE Faculty Awards Committee (2022)
- SoC Faculty Search Committee (2021–2022)
- Goldwater Scholarship Reviewer (2021)
- SoC Computer Users Committee (2021–current)
- Nebraska Technology Initiative, Higher Education Committee (2019–current)
- Advisory Board Member for the CAS Inquire Program (2021–2022)
- CSE Faculty Search Committee (2020–2021)
- CSE Qualifying Exam Committee (2020–2021)

- UNL Federal Relations Director Search Committee (2020)
- CSE Advisory Committee (2016–2020)
- Nebraska Hall of Computing Committee (2018–2021)
- UNL VEX Robotics Club Faculty Advisor (2017–current)
- Chair, CSE Qualifying Exam Committee (2018–2020)
- UNL Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Search Committee (2019)
- Nebraska Commission of 150, Internal Operations and Infrastructure Subcommittee Member (2018)
- Chair, CSE AdHoc Qualifying Exam Reorganization Committee (2018)
- College of Engineering Dean Search Committee Member (2018)
- Chair, CSE Awards Committee (2017–2018)
- CSE 50th Anniversary Committee (2017–2018)
- University of Nebraska-Lincoln UAS Committee (2016–current)
- CSE Curriculum Committee (2017)
- College of Arts and Science Executive Committee (appointed; 2015–2016)
- College of Arts and Science Awards Committee (2015–2016)
- University of Nebraska UAS Policy Working Group (2015–2016)
- ACM Regional Programming Contest UNL Site Director (2012–2015)
- CSE Graduate Admissions Committee (2010–2012; 2015–2016)
- CSE Colloquium Chair (2013–2015)
- Graduate CE Program Committee (2013–2015)
- Faculty Search Committee (2012, 2014)
- COE *Engineering 10* Computer Engineering Overview Presentation (Fall 2012, Fall 2013)
- CSE Academic Integrity & Grading Appeals Committee (2013–2014)
- Faculty Search Committee, Evaluation of Robotics Candidates (2013)
- CSE Innovation Lab Committee (2011–2013)
- Grad CS Program Committee (2012–2013)
- Undergrad CE Program Committee (2010–2013)
- Space & Computing Facilities Committee (2011–2012)

## MENTORING AND ADVISING

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### Graduate Advisor

1. Mohamed Aly (M.S. in progress)
2. Chandima Fernando (with Dr. Bradley, Ph.D. in progress)
3. Paul Fletcher (with Dr. Duncan, M.S. in progress)
4. Ashraful Islam (M.S. in progress)

5. Karissa Jelonek (with Dr. Duncan, Ph.D. in progress)
6. Ji Young Lee (with Dr. Lee, Ph.D. in progress)
7. Adam Plowcha (with Dr. Bradley, Ph.D. in progress)
8. Daniel Rico (with Dr. Munoz-Arriola, Ph.D. in progress)

#### Graduated Students

1. Ajay Shankar (with Dr. Elbaum, Ph.D., 2021)  
Now working at: Post-doc at the University of Cambridge, UK
2. Daniel Rico (M.S., 2021)  
Continuing onto Ph.D. at UNL
3. John-Paul Ore (with Dr. Elbaum, Ph.D., 2019)  
Now working at: Assistant Professor, North Carolina State University
4. Najeeb Najeeb (Ph.D., 2019)  
Now working at: Cruise Automation
5. Pedro Albuquerque (M.S., 2019)  
Now working at: Microsoft
6. Ashraful Islam (M.S. in MME, 2019)  
Now in CS MS Program
7. Marc Lussier (with Dr. Bradley, M.S., 2019)  
Now working at: Aerovironment
8. Minal Khatri (M.S., 2019)
9. Evan Beachly (with Dr. Elbaum, M.S. 2017)  
Now working at: Drone Amplified
10. Nishant Sharma (with Dr. Elbaum, M.S. 2017)  
Now working at: Cruise Automation
11. David Anthony (Ph.D., 2016)  
Now working at: Southwest Research Institute (SwRI)
12. William Wells (M.S., 2016)
13. James Higgins (M.S. in MME, 2016)  
Now working at: Drone Amplified
14. Sreeja Banerjee (M.S., 2014)  
Now working at: Mathworks
15. Jinfu Leng (M.S., 2014)  
Now working at: Facebook
16. Andrew Mittleider (with Dr. Elbaum, M.S., 2014)  
Now working at: Microsoft
17. John-Paul Ore (with Dr. Dwyer, M.S., 2014)
18. Jayasri Janardanan (M.S., 2013)  
Now working at: Paypal
19. Brent Griffin (M.S. in MME, 2012)  
Now working at: University of Michigan
20. Shuai Xie (M.S., 2011)



### Committee Member

1. Alisha Bevins (M.S., in progress)
2. Matthew Wilson (Ph.D. in Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, in progress)
3. Siya Kunde (Ph.D., in progress)
4. Xinkai Zhang (Ph.D. in ECE, 2021)
5. Nathan Jensen (M.S. in MME, 2020)
6. Mitchell Bruckner (M.S. in MME, 2020)
7. Zhexiong Shang (M.S. in CS, 2019)
8. Thomas Ammon (M.S. in MME, 2018)
9. Urja Acharya (M.S. in CS, 2018)
10. Michaella Chung (Ph.D. at UC Berkeley, 2018)
11. Hossein Dehghani (Ph.D. in MME, 2017)
12. Seth Doebbeling (M.S. in MME, 2017)
13. Pengbo Li (Ph.D. in MME, 2017)
14. Tao Shen (Ph.D. in MME, 2016)
15. Ross Welch (M.S. in MME, 2016)
16. Adam Taylor (M.S., 2015)
17. Beau Christ (Ph.D., 2015)
18. Baoliang Zhao (Ph.D. in MME, 2015)
19. Justin Burnett (M.S. in MME, 2015)
20. Michael Eiskamp (M.S. at University of the Pacific, 2015)
21. Jake Palmer (M.S. at University of the Pacific, 2015)
22. Jennifer Johnson (M.S. at University of the Pacific, 2015)
23. Abolfazl (Sina) Pourghodrat (Ph.D. in MME, 2014)
24. Hengle Jiang (M.S., 2014)
25. Mamur Hossain (CS Minor Advisor, Ph.D. in MME, 2014)
26. Nicholas Yuen (M.S. at University of the Pacific, 2013)
27. Heath Roehr (M.S., 2013)
28. Dave Anthony (M.S., 2012)
29. Javier Darsie (M.S., 2012)
30. Michael O'Rourke (M.S. at University of the Pacific, 2012)

### Current Undergraduate Research

1. Brandon Ramos (Research Project, 2022–current)
2. Nathan Simms (Research Project, 2021–current)
3. Jayden Carlon (Research Project, 2021–current)

### Past Undergraduate Research

1. Andrew Wiedenmann (Research Project, 2019–2021)
2. Mark Nail (Research Project, 2017-2020)  
Attending University of Michigan PhD program
3. Greg Nail (Research Project, 2017-2020)
4. Lambro Karkazis (Research Project, 2018-2019)
5. Chris Morse (REU Project, 2019)
6. Karissa Jelonek (REU Project, 2019)
7. Alex Yen (REU Project, 2019)
8. Christina Youn (REU Project, 2019)
9. Jason Finnegan (REU Project, 2018)
10. Amy Guo (REU Project, 2018)
11. Rebecca Horzewski (UCARE Research Project, 2015-2017)
12. Levi Amen (Research Project, 2015-2016)
13. Christian Laney (Research Project, 2013-2016)
14. Jacob Greenwood (UCARE and other Research Project, 2013-2016)
15. Jared Ostdiek (Research Project, 2013-2014)  
NSF GRFP recipient, attended Stanford University
16. Daniel Rogge (Research Project, 2014)
17. Caleb Bergg (UCARE Research Project, 2012-2013; Research Project, 2013–2014)
18. Dylan Fromm (Research Project, 2013-2014)
19. Nick Goeser (Summer Research, 2012; Undergraduate Research NASA NE Space Grant, 2012–2013)
20. Andrew Rasmussen (Senior Thesis Project, ME, 2011)
21. Tim Echtenkamp (Summer Research Project, 2011)
22. Tyler Lemburg (Summer Research Project, 2011)

### Other Personnel Supervised

1. Paul Fletcher (Nimbus Lab Research Engineer, 2022-current)
2. Jacob Hogberg (Nimbus Lab Research Engineer, 2018-2021)
3. Andrew Rasmussen (Nimbus Lab Manager, 2016-2018)
4. Christian Amelinckx (Nimbus Lab Applications Engineer, 2014-2015)
5. Seth McNeill, Ph.D. (Nimbus Lab Applications Engineer, 2013-2014)