#### Stephen C. Cooper

**EDUCATION:** Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY Ph.D., August 1997

Major: Computer Science

Dissertation Area: Theoretical and applied work in functional and

imperative programming.

Thesis:

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<u>7eed5020384e2fd250f8010f9abe207e4655</u>
"On linear types and imperative update"

Thesis advisor: Peter O'Hearn

Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY M.S., December 1991

Major: Computer Science

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY B.A., May 1988

Major: Mathematics and Chemistry

**EXPERIENCE:** UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA – LINCOLN

Lincoln, NE January 2016 – present

Chancellor's Professorship (1/16 – present)

Faculty Director, Jeffrey S. Raikes School of Computer Science and

Management (8/25 – present)

Executive Director, Jeffrey S. Raikes School of Computer Science and

Management (1/16 - 8/25)

Professor, School of Computing (8/21 – present)

Associate Professor, Computer Science and Engineering Department (1/16

-7/21)

Executive Director, Raikes School: Increased four-year student graduation from less than 60% to greater than 90%. Increased student applications from 130 to 300+. Increased number of students receiving 2+ summer internships from 60% to 99%. Converted \$300,000 annual budget deficit to \$600,000 annual surplus. Grew endowment from \$14,000,000 to greater than \$30,000,000. Grew faculty/staff from 0/5 to 6/10. Added required three-course data science sequence. Created entrepreneurship/startup course, and startup version of Design Studio capstone.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Stanford, CA Sept. 2010 – December 2015

Associate Professor (teaching), Department of Computer Science.

Associate Professor, School of Education (by courtesy).

PURDUE UNIVERSITY

West Lafayette, IN August 2009 – August 2010

Professor of STEM education, Computer Graphics Technology.

Professor, Computer Science (by courtesy).

#### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Arlington, VA

August 2007 – August 2009

Program Director, Division of Undergraduate Education, Education and Human Resources Directorate: Responsible for recommending grant proposals in the Course, Curriculum and Laboratory Improvement (CCLI) levels 1, 2, and 3, Advanced Technological Education (ATE), Federal Cyber Service: Scholarships for Service (SFS), National Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education Digital Library (NSDL), Cyber-Enabled Discovery and Innovation (CDI), and NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (S-STEM) programs. Managed a portfolio of nearly \$60,000,000 worth of projects. Served as co-lead for the SFS program. Led the effort to redefine the Centers for Academic Excellence in information assurance education. Re-wrote the SFS program solicitation and worked with others to re-write the CCLI program solicitation. Ran numerous grant-writing workshops for more than 200 faculty members from dozens of schools and worked with colleagues in the Computer and Information Science and Engineering Directorate on supporting projects of joint interest. Assisted in running the Federal Cyber Service: Scholarships for Service 2008 and 2009 Annual Job Fairs and Symposia. Served on Cyber-learning task force and on the SFS Interagency Coordinating Committee. Co-founder and co-organizer of Computational Thinking brown bag lunch group.

#### SAINT JOSEPH'S UNIVERSITY

Philadelphia, PA

August 1999 - August 2009

Assistant/Associate Professor: Taught 4-6 classes per year. Worked on developing a pre-CS1 course and text for CS majors with weak backgrounds. Advised students. Created and ran PAthways to Careers in Mathematics And Computer Science (PACMACS), an outreach program for attracting minority Philadelphia public school students to careers in mathematics and computer science. Tenured and promoted to associate professor: March 2003. University-wide merit award for teaching: December 2003. Temporary assignment at the National Science Foundation: August 2007 – August 2009.

<u>Director, Center for Visualization</u> (September 2005 – August 2009): Along with B. Conover, project manager, administered several NSF grants, coordinated and taught several national Alice workshops, and helped university, community college, and K-12 faculty with integrating Alice into their curricula. Our Alice materials have been used in more than 500 colleges, and over 1000 high/middle schools.

#### **RIVIER COLLEGE**

Nashua, NH

August 1997 - July 1999

Assistant Professor, Director of Computer Science programs: Taught 5 courses per year. Doubled the size of the graduate computer science program in two years (from 43 FTEs, full time equivalents, to 92 FTEs). Modified undergraduate curriculum to meet the ACM's 1991 standard, by adding some courses, and removing outdated ones. Designed an

undergraduate certificate program in modern computer technologies to be offered off-campus and piloted the program with 15 employees from a local high technology industry. Created a graduate certificate program in database technologies. Modernized the graduate curriculum by adding new courses and removing outdated ones. Won a \$30K grant to build a new PC lab on campus. Trained and hired several adjunct faculty. Coadvised 150 graduate students and 65 undergraduates. Designed and implemented a new service-learning option for undergraduate computer science majors. Served on numerous academic committees.

#### SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Syracuse, NY September 1992 - May 1996

<u>Graduate Teaching Assistant:</u> See teaching section for description.

<u>Graduate Student Organization Representative:</u> (Fall 1992 – Spring 1993):

Represented School of Computer and Information Science to graduate school student government.

#### INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES

Poughkeepsie, NY July 1988 – August 1997

Architect, MVS Component Broker Department (1/97-8/97): Worked on designing a System 390 implementation of the CORBA Object Transaction Service specification. Coordinated overall project strategy with architects from other CORBA implementation teams.

<u>Programmer, MVS JES3 Department (5/96-12/96):</u> Wrote test plan and automated test cases for one release of the MVS operating system's Job Entry Subsystem 3.

<u>Programmer, MVS Interactive Department (7/88-9/92):</u> Designed, developed, function tested, and serviced code written in assembler and in IBM's internal high-level language for the Time Sharing Option of IBM's MVS/ESA operating system. Worked on many small programming teams and team led several projects. Served as IBM's liaison for two vendor code contracts.

Promoted to Associate Programmer, 1/89. Promoted to Senior Associate Programmer, 1/92. Promoted to staff programmer 1/97. Awards for excellence 2/90, 6/92. Cost effectiveness recognition 2/91. On unpaid leave of absence to obtain Ph.D. 9/92-5/96.

#### TEACHING: University of Nebraska – Lincoln

RAIK 183H: CS1 (4 credits): Fall 2019. Taught the Raikes School's introductory computing course, on behalf of a colleague who was out on maternity leave.

RAIK 186H: Leadership 2 (1 credit): Spring 2023, Spring 2024, Spring 2025. Developed a case study approach towards teaching leadership. Worked with Management Department to include adequate management content so students would not need to take a separate management course.

RAIK 196H: Innovation Processes (3 credits): Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Fall 2019. Introduced design thinking and lean startup as an approach to solving ill-formed problems.

RAIK 372H: Business Law and Ethics (3 credits): Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020. Created this course as a technology law and ethics course.

#### **Stanford University**

CS105: Introduction to Computing (5 units): Fall 2010, Winter 2012, Winter, 2013, Winter 2014, Winter 2015. Modified this class to use Alice programming (rather than programming in Python, as had been done previously). In later iterations, used PHP as the programming component of the course. Incorporated the use of clicker questions to better engage this 200-student non-major class. In the winter 2013 offering, flipped the programming portion of the class, replacing lecture with paired laboratory exercises.

<u>CS106A: Programming Methodology (5 units):</u> Winter 2011, Spring, 2013. Taught this introductory CS1 class. Replaced the Yahtzee assignment (teaching one and two-dimensional arrays) with chess.

CS106B: Programming Abstractions (5 units): Spring 2011. CS2.

CS181(W): Computer Ethics and Public Policy (4 units): Fall, 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015. Changed the content of this course to increase focus on intellectual property and privacy. Increased the focus on information security as a theme through which to study other ethical and policy issues.

CS242: Programming Languages (4 units): Fall 2012.

<u>CS198 (1 unit)</u>: Fall 2014. Along with S. Grover, created this reading class, focused on computer science education.

#### **Purdue University**

<u>Tech 621: Research Applications of Visualization in STEM Education (3 credits):</u> Spring 2010. Designed and developed this doctoral seminar. The course introduces theories of learning as well as visualization and examines how visualization tools may and may not improve STEM education at the K-12 level.

#### Saint Joseph's University

Courses numbered 1xxx and 2xxx are undergraduate level. Courses numbered 4xxx and 5xxx are master's level.

<u>CSC1301: Virtual Worlds and Robots (3 credits):</u> Fall 2001, Spring 2002, Fall 2002, Spring 2004, Fall 2005, Spring 2007. Designed and developed

this class to teach non-majors and students who wish to be CS majors but have had a weak background in mathematics/computer science. Used Alice, a 3D interactive, animation environment for building virtual worlds, to teach students, with program visualization, basic object-oriented programming concepts.

CSC1401: Introduction to programming in Java (4 credits): Fall 1999, Fall 2000, Fall 2001, Fall 2002, Fall 2003, Fall 2004 (CSC1405 - university college), Fall 2005, Fall 2006. (Course taught in C++ 1999.) Created 14 weekly lab assignments and 7 programming assignments.

MAT 1571: Discrete Mathematics (3 credits): Spring 2005.

Added a programming in mL component to the course. Created several mL related assignments.

<u>CSC1601</u>: Intermediate programming in Java (4 credits): Spring 2000, Spring 2001. (Course taught in C++ 2000.) Created 14 weekly labs and 4 projects.

CSC2011: Computer organization and architecture (3 credits): Fall 1999.

CSC2301: Data Structures (3 credits): Spring 2005.

Added a weekly lab component to the course. Created the laboratories.

<u>CSC2371: Formal Languages and Compiler Construction (3 credits):</u> Spring 2007.

<u>CSC2481: Software engineering (3 credits):</u> Spring 2003, Spring 2004, Fall, 2004, Fall 2006. Modeled this course after CSC4085.

CSC2811: Program verification (3 credits): Spring 2006.

CSC2901: Computer Science Project (3 credits): Spring 2006.

CSC4015: Algorithms (3 credits): Spring 2000.

CSC4025: Operating systems (3 credits): Fall 2000, Spring 2001.

<u>CSC4085: Software engineering (3 credits):</u> Fall 1999, Spring 2000, Spring 2001, Spring 2002, Fall 2002, Spring 2004.

Designed a semester-long team project with several deliverables.

CSC5125: Program verification (3 credits): Spring 2003.

#### **Rivier College**

<u>S202: Programming in C part I:</u> Fall 1997, Fall 1998. Redesigned this course from a lecture class to a lecture, lab, and project class. Reduced the drop out rate of computer science students.

CS203: Programming in C part II: Spring 1998, Spring 1999.

CS550: Formal languages (graduate): Fall 1997.

<u>CS235: GUI programming using Visual Basic:</u> Spring 1998. Designed and developed this class, focussing on the technical issues involved in GUI design.

<u>CS699: Professional seminar (graduate):</u> Spring 1998, Fall 1998, Spring 1999. Changed the format of this final class in the master's program from a lecture to a seminar style. Supervised students' final projects.

CS445/CS585: Object-Oriented programming in Java: Summer 1998.

CS455: Programming in C and C++: Fall 1998.

#### **Syracuse University**

<u>CIS193: An introduction to programming in Fortran:</u> Fall 1992, Spring 1993.

<u>CIS197: An introduction to programming in Pascal:</u> Fall 1993, Fall 1994, Fall 1995.

CIS333: The UNIX operating system and the internet: Summer 1995.

<u>CIS700:</u> Graduate seminar in mathematical logic: Together with F. Dushin and R. Irwin, designed and developed this two-semester class, and prepared and led a portion of the lectures and discussions.

<u>CIS252</u>: Introduction to computer science II (Scheme): Teaching assistant for Spring 1994, Spring 1995. Responsible for running weekly labs, grading examinations and projects, holding weekly review sessions (in addition to office hours), and some lecturing.

#### **MOOCS CREATED:**

Introduction to Programming and Animation with Alice. 2020. With S. Rodger. Coursera. https://www.coursera.org/learn/introtoalice

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Development and initial findings. *Journal of Educational Technology Systems*, 41(2), 107-131.

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- 11) Naps, T., Cooper, S., Koldehofe, B., Leska, C., Rößling, G., Dann, W., Korhonen, A., Malmi, L., Rantakokko, J., Ross, R. J., Anderson, J., Fleischer, R., Kuittinen, M., and McNally, M. 2003. Evaluating the educational impact of visualization. In *Working Group Reports From ITiCSE on innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education* (Thessaloniki, Greece, June 30 July 02, 2003). D. Finkel, Ed. ITiCSE-WGR '03. ACM, New York, NY, 124-136.
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# PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MAGAZINES:

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- 2) Yadav, A. and Cooper, S. 2017. Fostering creativity through computing. *Communications of the ACM*, 60, 2, 31-33.

- 3) Cooper S. and Dann, W. 2015. Programming: a key component of computational thinking in cs courses for non-majors. *ACM Inroads*, 6, 1 (February 2015), 50-54.
- 4) Cooper, S., Grover, S., Guzdial, M., and Simon, B. 2014. A future for computing education research. *Communications of the ACM*, 57, 11 (October 2014), 34-36.
- 5) Cooper, S., Grover, S., and Simon, B. 2014. Building a virtual community of practice for k-12 cs teachers. *Communications of the ACM*, 57, 5 (May 2014), 39-41.
- 6) Cooper, S. and Sahami, M. 2013. Reflections on Stanford's MOOCs. *Communications of the ACM*, 56, 2 (February 2013), 28-30.
- 7) Cooper, S., Pérez, L., and Rainey, D. 2010. K--12 computational learning. *Communications of the ACM* 53, 11 (November 2010), 27-29.
- 8) Cooper, S. and Cunningham, S. 2010. Teaching computer science in context. *ACM Inroads*, 1, 1 (Mar. 2010), 5-8.
- 9) Dann, W. and Cooper, S. 2009. Alice3: Concrete to abstract. *Communications of the ACM*, 52(8), 27-29.

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- 2) Werum, R., Hill, P.W., Jochman, J.C., Johnson, A., Pérez, L.C., and Cooper, S. 2024. Institutional context matters: Linking characteristics of universities to the gender composition of engineering and computer science programs. In 2024 ASEE Annual Conference & Exposition.
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- 5) Jain, A., Bockmon, R., Bourke, C., and Cooper, S. 2023. Validating a language-independent cs1 learning outcomes assessment. In *Proceedings*

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- 6) Harper, C., Bockmon, R., and Cooper, S. 2023. Investigating themes of student-generated analogies. In *Proceedings of the ACM Conference on Global Computing Education Vol 1 (CompEd 2023)*, 64-70.
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- 9) Gopal, B., and Cooper, S. 2022. POGIL-like learning in undergraduate software testing and dev ops: A pilot study. In *Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 44th International Conference on Software Engineering:* Software Engineering Education and Training, 199-204.
- 10) Gopal, B., and Cooper, S. 2022. Peer instruction in online software testing and continuous integration: A replication study. In *Proceedings of the 27<sup>th</sup> annual acm conference on innovation and technology in computer science education (ITiCSE '22)*, 484-490.
- 11) Gopal, B., Cooper, S., and Bockmon, R. 2021. Industry partners' reflections on undergraduate software engineering students: An exploratory pilot qualitative study. *PPIG 2021 32nd Annual Workshop*.
- 12) Gopal, B., and Cooper, S. 2021. Peer instruction in online synchronous software engineering Findings from fine grained clicker data. *Frontiers in Education*, 1-8.
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- 18) Bockmon, R., Cooper, S., Gratch, J. and Dorodchi, M. 2020. Validating a cs attitudes instrument. In *Proceedings of the 51st ACM Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education (SIGCSE '20)*. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 899-904.
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- 38) "A hands-on introduction to programming with Alice". Presented at the Prentice Hall Information Technology conference, PA, April 2005.
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- 46) "Introduction to programming: Using Alice". Presented to computer science faculty at the Colorado School of Mines. April 2003.
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- 2) Annual summer outreach workshop run to teach programming to rising high school seniors. Two-week, residential. July 2017 present.
- 3) "Future Directions for Computer Science Education Research part 3" 25-person summit run at Stanford, January 2015.
- 4) "Future Directions for Computer Science Education Research part 2" 35-person summit run at Stanford, March 2014.
- 5) "Future Directions for Computer Science Education Research part 1" 50-person summit run in Orlando, FL, January 2014.
- 6) "Building a virtual community of practice to support NSF's 10K teacher project." 60-person workshop run at Stanford, November 2013.
- 7) "Experimenting with and integrating Alice 2.3 into many disciplines". SIGCSE 2013, Denver, CO., March 2013. Co-presenters: S. Rodger and W. Dann.
- 8) "CE21 Repository Workshop", CS21 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, February 2012. Co-presenters: M. Bienkowski, L. Cassel, & N. Brown.
- 9) "Teaching secure programming in introductory computing courses", Red Rocks Community College, February 2012. Co-presenter: J-A. Ashton.
- 10) "Alice 3", Omar Dengo Foundation of the Ministry of Education, San Jose, Costa Rica, November 2011. Co-presenters, W. Dann and D. Slater.
- 11) "Exploring Wonderland: Teaching with Alice and Media Computation". SIGCSE 2010, Milwaukee, WI, March 2010. Co-presenters: B. Ericson and W. Dann.

- 12) "Alice 3 and Java for CS1 & AP CS". SIGCSE 2010, Milwaukee, WI, March 2010. Co-presenters: W. Dann and D. Slater.
- 13) Five-day NSF-supported Alice Symposium presented at Duke University. June 2009. (Two 2-day workshops: Alice and Alice & Media Computation. See: <a href="http://www.cs.duke.edu/csed/aliceSymposium2009/">http://www.cs.duke.edu/csed/aliceSymposium2009/</a> for details.
- 14) "Writing more effective NSF proposals". SIGCSE 2009, Chattanooga, TN, March 2009. Co-presenters: T. Fossum and V. Piotrowski.
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- 21) "Writing more effective NSF proposals". SIGCSE 2008, Portland, OR, March 2008. Co-presenter: T. Fossum.
- 22) "Alice". Presented at the Girl Scouts Science and Technology Expo, Saint Joseph's University, PA, November 2007. Workshop given to middle school girls.
- 23) "Alice and Media Computation". Three-day workshop presented at Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, August 2007. Co-presenters: B. Ericson and W. Dann.
- 24) "Alice". Three-day workshop presented at California State University Dominguez Hills, CA, August 2007. Co-presenters: W. Dann and D. Slater.
- 25) "Learning to program with Alice". Five-day workshop presented at the CMU 2007 Summer Institute, Pittsburgh, PA, July 2007. Co-presenters: W. Dann and D. Slater.
- 26) "Alice and Media Computation". Three-day workshop presented at Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI, July 2007. Co-presenters: W. Dann and B. Ericson.
- 27) "Alice and animation". Science & Theatre Magic Program, Villanova University, Villanova, PA, July 2007.
- 28) "Alice and Scratch: Using animation to teach computing concepts". NECC 2007, Atlanta, GA, June 2007. Co-presenter: B. Ericson.
- 29) "Teaching Alice". Two-day workshop presented at Nassau County College, May 2007.

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- 34) "Programming with Alice". Presented at the Girls Go Tech IBM sponsored Girl Scouts Science and Technology Expo, Villanova University, PA, March 2007. Workshop given to middle school girls.
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- 36) "Alice". Presented as part of the CISE Workshop for Young Women, Gainesville, FL, July 2006. Workshop given to high school girls.
- 37) "Learning to program with Alice". Five-day workshop presented to the Virginia Beach School District, Virginia Beach, Va., June, 2006. A follow-on workshop on preparing curricular materials for teaching with Alice was presented in August 2006.
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- 41) "Learning to program with Alice". Presented at SIGCSE 2006, Houston, TX, March 2006. Co-presenter: W. Dann.
- 42) "Techniques and strategies for teaching with Alice". Presented at SIGCSE 2006, Houston, TX, March 2006. Co-presenter: W. Dann.
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- 4) Cooper, S. 2006. Alice. ATE Principal Investigator's Conference. Washington, DC.
- 5) Tew, A., and Cooper, S. 2006. Collaborative Research: Assessing Concept Knowledge and Attitudes in Introductory Computer Science Courses. ASA Principal Investigator's Conference. Washington, DC.
- 6) Craig, J.P., and Cooper, S. 2005. Alice's Footsteps. Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges (CCSC) 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Southeastern Conference, Hickory, NC.
- 7) Fasy, B., and Cooper, S. 2005. Expanding Alice. Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges (CCSC) 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Southeastern Conference, Hickory, NC.
- 8) Tacelosky, D., King Smith, C., Forman, S., and Cooper, S. 2005. Computational Model of Actin-Dependent Organelle Transport in Fish Retinal Pigment Epithelial Cells. Gordon Conference: Motile and Contractile Systems, Colby-Sawyer College.
- 9) Tacelosky, D., King Smith, C., Forman, S., and Cooper, S. 2005. Computational model of actin-dependent transport in fish retinal pigment epithelial (RPE) cells. 16th Annual Saint Joseph's University Sigma Xi Student Research Symposium, Philadelphia, PA.
- 10) Cooper, S. 2005. Alice. CCLI Principal Investigator's Conference. Washington, DC.
- 11) Cooper, S. 2004. Alice. ATE Principal Investigator's Conference. Washington, DC.
- 12) Cooper, S. 2003. Alice. ATE Principal Investigator's Conference. Washington, DC.

#### **GRANTS:**

- 1) Department of Agriculture-NRCS/Colorado State University. Coinvestigator. G-40773-03. Climate-Smart Advances in Ag Performance. \$539,202. 9/23 9/26.
- 2) Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy. Co-Principal Investigator. With C. Burr (PI) and M. Stockton. University of Nebraska-Lincoln Virtual Testing Ag Performance Solutions (VTAPS) & Curriculum Development. \$300,000. 8/1/23 7/31/26.

- 3) NSF-EHR-DUE. Principal Investigator. With J. Zhang and M. Dorodchi. 1711830. Collaborative Research: Spatial skills and success in introductory computing. \$200,000. 8/15/2017 7/31/2020.
- 4) NSF-EHR-DUE. Principal Investigator. With B. Simon (lead PI), M. Guzdial, L. Porter, and C. Lee. 1432815 Collaborative Research: A new computer science faculty teaching workshop. \$87,555. 1/1/2015 6/30/2018.
- 5) Anonymous. Principal Investigator. Democratizing CS Education. Project to offer professional development to teachers, and study various interventions with under-represented students from varied backgrounds. \$519,000. 11/2013.
- 6) NSF-CISE-CNS. Principal Investigator. With M. Guzdial and B. Simon. 1332686 Future Directions for Computer Science Education: A Workshop Proposal. \$172,855. 9/15/2013 9/14/2015.
- 7) NSF-CISE-CNS. Co-Principal Investigator. With R. Pea (PI). 1343227 EAGER: Foundations for Advancing Computational Thinking (FACT): Learning and Assessment through an Online Middle School Curriculum. \$252,656. 10/1/2013 9/30/2015.
- 8) NSF-EHR-DUE. Principal Investigator. With L. Perez (lead PI) and S. Sorby. 1323146/1640604 Collaborative Research: A Chautauqua Program for the 21st Century. \$145,285. 10/1/2013 9/30/2018.
- 9) Google. Principal Investigator. CS4HS: Two-day professional development workshop for teachers. \$13,000. 5/2013 8/2013.
- 10) Anonymous. Principal Investigator. Geek Girls. A summer introductory programming workshop for women and under-represented minorities who are rising 12th graders with strong math and science skills but with no previous programming experience. \$80,000. 5/2013.
- 11) NSF-EHR-DRL-ITEST. Principal Investigator. With S. Rodger (lead PI) and W. Dann. 1031351 Collaborative Research: Scaling up an Innovative Approach for Attracting Students to Computing. \$2,005,339. 6/1/2011 5/31/2018.
- 12) NSF-EHR-DUE-TUES2. Principal Investigator. With N. Adamo-Villani. 1022557 Building a serious game to teach secure coding in introductory programming. \$493,712.10/1/2010 9/30/2014.
- 13) NSF-EHR-DUE-TUES2. Principal Investigator. With L. Si. 1021975 Adding an Intelligent Tutoring System to Alice. \$348,089. 9/1/2010 8/31/2014.

- 14) NSF-CISE-CNS-CPATH. Principal Investigator. With M. Sahami and P. Blikstein. 1057270 Addressing the Shortcomings of Digital Libraries of Educational Materials. \$100,000. 9/1/2010 8/31/2013.
- 15) NSF-EHR-DUE-SFS. Principal Investigator. With M. Dark. 1023963 ITICSE 2010 Information Assurance Working Group. \$32,200. 7/1/2010 6/30/2011.
- 16) NSF-EHR-DRL-DRK-12. Co-principal Investigator. With C. Stephenson (PI). 0733379 Capacity Building in Computer Science. Grant to run workshops to create local leaders for CSTA chapters. \$199,800. 1/1/2008 12/31/2009.
- 17) NSF-EHR-DUE-CCLI Principal Investigator. With W. Dann and D. Slater. 0736697 Alice += Java. Integrating Alice 3.0 into a CS1 course using Java. \$50,636. 2/1/2008 8/31/2009.
- 18) NSF-CISE-CNS. Principal Investigator. With W. Dann. 0724890 Alice Workshop 2007, Southwestern US. \$24,000. 7/1/2007 6/30/2008.
- 19) NSF-EHR-S-STEM. Principal Investigator. With D. Lurie and E. Terry. 0630842 PACMACS Bridge Program. \$460,000. 8/1/2007 7/31/2011.
- 20) NSF-EHR-DUE-CCLI. Principal Investigator. With M. Guzdial, W. Dann, and B. Moskal. 0618461 Collaborative Research: Alice and Media Computation. \$224,397. 1/1/2007-8/31/2008.
- 21) NSF-EHR-ESIE-ITEST. Principal Investigator. With W. Dann, B. Moskal, C. Skokan, D. Lewis, F. Triefenbach, P. Lawhead, and S. Rodger. 0624654 An innovative approach for attracting students to computing: A comprehensive proposal. Collaborative grant to run professional development workshops for, and to partner with six school districts from around the country in introducing Alice in high school and middle school. \$622,902. 2/1/2007-12/31/2009.
- 22) NSF-EHR-DUE-CCLI-ASA. Principal Investigator. With B. Moskal (lead PI), M. Guzdial, and W. Dann. 0511940 Collaborative Research: Assessing Concept Knowledge and Attitudes in Introductory Computer Science Courses. Grant to develop and validate a set of assessment instruments for measuring outcomes in introductory computing courses. \$27,028. 8/1/2005-7/31/2008.
- 23) NSF-EHR-DUE-CCLI. Principal Investigator. With W. Dann, B. Moskal, R. Pausch. 0339734 Program Visualization Using Virtual Worlds. Project grant to expand Alice use to many four-year schools using different curricular models. \$454,977. 6/1/04-8/31/07. (0532711 \$7,050 supplement awarded, 6/2005)

- 24) NSF-DUE-ATE. Principal Investigator. With W. Dann, B. Moskal, W. Taylor, & E. Howd. 0302542 JABRWOC -- Java-based Animation: Building viRtual Worlds for Object-oriented programming in Community colleges. Grant to modify and develop materials for the use of Alice in different courses at the community college level. \$1,056,855. 8/1/2003-6/30/2007.
- 25) NSF-DUE-CSEMS. Co-Principal investigator. With E. Terry (PI), D. Lurie, A. Rash, and B. Forouraghi. 0220499 PAthways to Careers in MAthematics and Computer Science (PACMACS) Bridge Program. \$288,500. 9/1/2002-6/30/2006.
- 26) NSF EHR-DUE-CCLI. Principal Investigator. With W. Dann. 0126833 Decreasing Attrition Using Animated Virtual Worlds. Grant to develop curricular materials for a pre-CS1 class using the Alice programming environment. \$75,000. 1/1/2002-8/31/2003.
- 27) Saint Joseph's University. Summer grant to work on Alice textbook. \$4,000. 6/1/2002-8/15/2002.
- 28) Davenport Foundation. Principal Investigator. With D. Lurie and E. Terry. Grant to cover tuition, supplies, and transportation for 10 minority Philadelphia public high school students to take 4 mathematics and computer science classes at Saint Joseph's University as part of PACMACS. \$57,800. 8/1/2001-8/15/2003. (A Saint Joseph's University match enabled the program to run through 8/15/2007.)

### CONFERENCE

**REVIEWER:** ITICSE: 2001 - present.

SIGCSE: 2002 - present.

CCSCNE: 2003.

ICER: 2013 – 2017, 2022 – present.

ACE: 2010.

#### OTHER CONFERENCE

**ACTIVITY:** ITICSE program chair: 2026-2027

SIGCSE Doctoral Consortium steering committee: 2025 – present

ICER Senior Program Committee: 2025 SIGCSE Virtual program chair: 2024 CompEd Doctoral Consortium chair: 2023

ITiCSE Doctoral Consortium chair: 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025

CompEd program chair: 2019

SIGCSE session chair on visualization: 2002 Visualization workshop session chair: 2002 SIGCSE Birds of a Feather coordinator: 2003

SIGCSE judge for undergraduate research competition: 2003

SIGCSE doctoral discussant: 2005, 2015, 2016.

SIGCSE NSF CCLI Project showcase presenter: 2003, 2005, 2006.

SIGCSE Birds of a Feather co-facilitator: Teaching with Alice: 2007, 2008,

2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013.

SIGCSE Birds of a Feather co-facilitator: The Changing Face of Computing: Bringing Security into Traditional Computer Science Courses: Challenges and Support: 2013.

SIGCSE Birds of a Feather co-facilitator: Building partnerships across the

CS education spectrum: 2012.

SIGCSE TS Associate program chair: 2013, 2016-present. SIGCSE Panels and Special Sessions coordinator: 2014.

SIGCSE Evaluations coordinator: 2015.

ITiCSE Working Group leader: Addressing Information Assurance

Education Standards: 2009.

ITICSE Working Group leader: Towards information assurance (IA)

curricular guidelines, 2010.

ITiCSE Working Group co-leader: Information assurance education in two-

and four-year institutions, 2011.

Alice Symposium at Duke Chair: 2006, 2009, 2013, 2017 (co-chair).

Future Directions in Computer Science Education Research Summit: Chair:

2014.

**BOOK** 

**REVIEWS:** Fortran, 6<sup>th</sup> ed. by E. Koffman.

(4/2002) Computer Ethics by H. Tavani. (9/2002) Program Live by Gries and Gries. (10/2002) Operating Systems by Nutt.

(1/2005) An Introduction to Programming using Alice by Herbert. (4/2006) Object-Oriented Programming in Python by Goldwasser and

Letscher.

(11/2011) Java Programming, 1st edition, by Schildt.

WEBSITE: <a href="http://cse.unl.edu/~scooper">http://cse.unl.edu/~scooper</a>

**PROFESSIONAL** 

MEMBERSHIPS: ACM (including SIGCSE)

**OTHER** 

**PROFESSIONAL** 

**ACTIVITIES:** Co-editor, Special issue on computing in education, IEEE Transactions on

Education (with L.-K. Soh), 61(3), August 2018.

Chair, search committee to identify the editor(s) for ACM Transactions on

Computing Education journal, 2015.

Chair, CRA Computing Community Consortium committee to write a white paper framing the challenges and opportunities for CS education research,

2015.

Program review for computer science and entrepreneurship BS degree program, UNH – Manchester, November 2013.

Invited participant for the Interdisciplinary Computing Workshop, Washington, DC, November 2011.

National Visiting Committee Chair, ATE Cyber Security Education Center, 2010-2011.

Associate editorial board, ACM Inroads: 2010 – 2015.

Invited participant for the AP Computer Science Colloquium, Chicago, IL, October 2008.

Invited participant for the AP Computer Science Advisory meeting, Atlanta, GA, September 2008.

AP CS Reader, NJ, June 2007.

Invited participant for the NSF Northeast Workshop on Integrative Computer Education & Research, Boston, MA, November 2005. C. Keleman organizer.

Participant in NSF funded CS Educator's Scaffolding Workshop, Seattle, WA, June 2003, and June 2004.

<u>National Science Foundation</u> proposal reviewer for: ATE, CCLI/TUES, CE21, CSEMS/S-STEM, DR K-12, GRK-12, GRFP, ITWF, IUSE:CUE, SaTC, SFS, STEM-C, STEP

**Department of Education** proposal reviewer for: FIPSE

Computer Science Teachers Association (CSTA): Board of Directors

University Faculty Representative, 2006 – 2008

Vice President, 2008 – 2011

Chair, 2011 – 2013

Past-chair: 2013 - 2014

<u>The Alice e-Newsletter</u>: Editor, 2005-2011. Copies of this bi-monthly newsletter sent to our 2500+ member Alice educator community <u>Journal reviewer</u>:

ACM Transactions on Computing Education Canadian Journal of Administrative Sciences

**Computer Science Education** 

IEEE Transactions on Emerging Topics in Computing

**IEEE Transactions on Education** 

IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics

Inroads JERIC

Journal for Research in Mathematics Education

**HONORS:** ITICSE Outstanding Senior Program Committee member: 2025.

SIGCSE Outstanding Associate Program Chair: 2025.

UNL Parent's Recognition Award: 2020. ACM Distinguished Educator: 2012.

PHD STUDENTS: Current:

1) Rachel Michaela Mettenbrink (advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-

Lincoln, 2024-present.

- 2) Alex Enersen (co-advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2024-present.
- 3) Mohammad Fahim Shahriar (advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2025-present.
- 4) Azin Sabzian (advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, starting in 2026.

#### Graduated:

- 5) Colton Harper (advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2021-2025. Currently: postdoc at the University of Maryland.
- 6) Bhuvana Gopal (advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2018-2022. Currently: assistant professor of practice, University of Nebraska-Lincoln (https://cse-apps.unl.edu/facdb/users/94/details).
- 7) Ryan Bockmon (advisor), CS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2017 2022. Currently: assistant teaching professor, Roux Institute, Northeastern University (https://roux.northeastern.edu/people/ryan-bockmon/).
- 8) Shuchi Grover (co-advisor), Education, Stanford University, 2011 2014. Currently: independent consultant.

## PHD STUDENT COMMITTEES:

- 1) Allison Tew, 2010 (Georgia Institute of Technology, CS, Mark Guzdial advisor).
- 2) Wanda Kunkle, 2010 (Drexel University, CS, Bob Allen advisor).
- 3) Christian Chesanek (UNL, music).
- 4) Marcus Gubanyi, 2025 (UNL, CS, Leen-Kiat Soh advisor).

#### Committee Chair:

- a) Susan Biancani, Stanford, Education, 2015.
- b) Helen Craig, Stanford, Physics, 2015.
- c) Brian Edgar, Stanford, Education, 2014.
- d) David Kamran, UNL, Music, 2017.

#### STUDENT PROJECTS SUPERVISED:

#### **Undergraduate:**

- 1) Bethany Barnwell (Spring 2024). Student attitudes and introductory programming.
- 2) Savan Patel (Fall 2022, Spring 2023). Predicting Formula One winners.
- 3) Bethany Hage (Fall 2018, Spring 2019). Analysis and comparison of multiple approaches for software development management as applied to a design studio project.
- 4) Brandon Azad (Winter 2015). Developing a semantics for ASN.1.
- 5) Maya Israni (Summer 2014). CURIS. Integrating the teaching of spatial skills into introductory computing classes.
- 6) Karen Wang\* (Summer 2014). CURIS. Integrating the teaching of spatial skills into introductory computing classes.
- 7) Lisa Wang\* (Summer 2014). CURIS. Using real world examples to motivate students in CS2.

- 8) Reggy Long (Summer 2014). CURIS. Teaching a test-first approach in CS1.
- 9) Fraser Brown (Summer 2013, Fall 2013). CURIS. Finding bugs in concurrent programs.
- 10) Aaron Acosta (Fall, 2013). Secure Coding.
- 11) Anna Saplitski (Summer 2013). CURIS. Building an intelligent tutor for Alice.
- 12) April Yu (Summer 2013). CURIS. Secure Coding.
- 13) Sophia Westwood (Spring 2013). Web RTC.
- 14) Bree Burge (Spring, 2013). Web RTC.
- 15) Joe Gasparetti (Spring, 2013). Web RTC.
- 16) Pam Martinez (Winter 2013). Secure coding.
- 17) Ali Fauci (Winter 2013). Secure coding.
- 18) Feross Aboukhadijeh (Winter 2013). CDNs.
- 19) Nisha Garamilla (Winter 2013). Designing a social service organization project.
- 20) Sophi Newman (Winter 2013). User interfaces.
- 22) Rupa Shankar (Summer, 2012, Fall, 2012). CURIS. Building parse trees for Alice programs.
- 22) David (Wei) Jia (Summer 2012, Fall 2012). A distributed list-making tool.
- 23) Frank Chen (Spring, 2012). Coursera.
- 24) Yifan Mai (Spring, 2012). Coursera.
- 25) Zach Galant (Spring, 2012). Building a framework to teach online CS1.
- 26) Patrick Costello (Fall 2011, Fall, 2012). Building a serious game engine.
- 27) Dawson Zhou (Fall 2011, Fall, 2012). Building a serious game engine.
- 28) Yoon Jae Nam (Summer 2011). CURIS. Intelligent tutors and Alice.
- 29) Victoria Kwang (Summer 2011). CURIS. Building an interface for a digital library.
- 30) Su Hyun Kim (Summer 2011). CURIS. Designing secure coding modules.
- 31) John-Ashton Allen (Spring 2011). Designing secure coding modules.
- 32) Graham Herrli (Fall 2010). Building a middle school Scratch curriculum.
- 33) Jon Romvary (Fall 2007 Spring 2008). IP law and software engineering (senior year-long honors thesis).
- 34) Jeff Knauss (Fall 2007). GUIs and software engineering.
- 35) Desmond Broxton (Summer 2007). Digital libraries.
- 36) Jennifer Mung'Au (Summer 2007). Alice 3.0.
- 37) Brittany Fasy (Spring 2007). Algorithms and computability.
- 38) Julia Fox (Spring 2007). Algorithms and computational group theory.
- 39) Chris Kessler (Spring 2007 co-advisor: George Grevera). 3D game engines.
- 40) Brian O'Neill (Spring 2007 co-advisor: Jonathan Hodgson). Alloy and software requirements specification.
- 41) Sam Wissler (Spring 2007). Designing user interfaces.
- 42) Matt Wurst (Spring 2007). Software engineering for web applications.
- 43) Josh Wilvert (Spring 2006). Test-driven development.

- 44) Kristen Gerner (Spring 2005). Agile methodology for software engineering.
- 45) Evan Shea (Spring 2005). Design patterns.
- 46) Joe Correnti (Spring 2005). Software maintenance metrics.
- 47) Dan Henry (Spring 2005). Software engineering risk management.
- 48) Brittany Fasy (Summer 2004, Summer 2005)\*. Using Alice to visualize data structures.
- 49) John-Paul Craig (Summer 2004, Summer 2005)\*. Reviewing non-traditional introductory CS teaching tools.
- 50) Joe Flannick (Fall 2003). Window managers.
- 51) Kevin Conaway (Fall 2003). File systems and security.
- 52) Kevin Dietzler (Summer 2003)\*. Using Alice to teach geometry.
- 53) Robert Sciaraffo (Spring 2003). Z.
- 54) Steve Del Fra (Spring 2003). 3D graphics.
- 55) Kathleen Ryan\* (Summer 2002). Alice.
- 56) Kevin Dietzler\* (Summer 2002). Alice.
- 57) Jodi Holmes (Fall 2000). Designing user interfaces.

#### **Graduate (MS):**

- 1) Rachel Michaela Bradley (2022-2024). Autism and CS.
- 2) Casey Lafferty (Spring 2019). Games in education.
- 3) Patrick Costello (Spring 2013). Game design.
- 4) Dawson Zhou (Spring 2013). Game design.
- 5) John Hiesey (Spring 2013). Functional reactive programming.
- 6) Nikil Viswanathan (Spring 2012). Designing an iPhone app.
- 7) Bill Rowan (Fall 2011). Shaders and Webgl in Javascript.
- 8) Will Ito (Winter 2011). Alice 2 modifications.
- 9) Bipin Suresh (Fall 2010)\*. Building the infrastructure for a digital library.
- 10) Robb Cutler (Spring 2010). Introductory programming environments.
- 11) Wesley Flake (Spring 2007). Software testing for OO systems.
- 12) Baladitya Voleti (Spring 2007). Design patterns.
- 13) Patricia Hasson (Summer 2003). Case study using Z for software engineering requirements.
- 14) David Wei (Summer 2003). Software engineering architecture models.
- 15) Supachai Saewong (Spring 2003). Metrics for object-oriented software engineering.
- 16) Avinash Raghupathy (Summer-Fall 2001). User interfaces.
- 17) Sangeetha Narasimhan (Summer 2000). XML parsers.
- 18) Jun Ni (Spring 2000). Multimedia.
- 19) Jeiying Xiang (Spring 2000). Human-computer interactions.
- \* research supported by various NSF grants

UNIVERSITY/ COLLEGE/ DEPARTMENTAL

**COMMITTEES:** University of Nebraska-Lincoln:

College of Engineering Retooling of the Technical Writing Course: 2025-present

College of Engineering Ad Hoc Promotion & Tenure Criteria Committee: 2022-2024

Big Ten Academic Alliance Academic Leadership Program Fellow: 2022-2023

President's Excellence Awards committee: 2017-2019
CSE Raikes Curriculum subcommittee member: 2016 – 2018
Raikes School Associate Director of Academic Affairs: 2016-2018
Big Ten Academic Alliance Department Executive Officers Fellow: 2016-

2017

#### Stanford University:

CS Department curriculum committee: 2010 – 2013 CS Department Awards committee: 2012 - 2015

CS Department MS admissions committee: 2010 – 2015 CS Department "seed funding" grant review: 2011 CS Department Online Education Committee: 2012

University-wide Breadth Governance Board: 2012 - 2014

University-wide Office of Community Standards faculty panelist: 2014 - 2015

#### **Purdue University:**

Limited submission proposal review: 2009 – 2010

College of Technology Strategic Plan Implementation Team for Discovery

with Delivery – Research Areas and Funding: 2009 – 2010 CGT Graduate Curriculum Committee: 2009 – 2010

#### Saint Joseph's University:

Faculty Policies and Procedures: 2006-2007

Intellectual Property Draft Review Committee: 2003-2004

College Council Executive Committee: 2005-2006 Saint Joseph's University Math/CS Departmental:

Hiring Committee: 2001-2005

PACMACS: 2000-2007

Student recruitment and retention: 2003-2006