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## EDUCATION

M.S.O.R., Operations Research, University of Alabama in Huntsville, 1977  
M.S., Computer Science, University of Alabama in Huntsville, 1979  
Ph.D., Operations Research, University of Alabama in Huntsville, 1981

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University of North Texas	2006–present
Professor of Computer Science & Engineering	
Tulane University	1987–2006
Professor of Computer Science (From 1990) and Yahoo! Founders Chair (From 2002)	
Taught Databases, Compiler Design, Artificial Intelligence, Data Structures, Analysis of Algorithms, Image Processing, and others	
University of Texas at Arlington	1981–87
Associate Professor of Computer Science	
(Tenured from 1986) Taught Data Structures, Survey of Algorithmic Languages, Discrete Mathematics, Artificial Intelligence, List Processing, Databases, Compiler Design	
University of Alabama in Huntsville	1972–81
Part-time Lecturer in Computer Science Department	
Taught Compiler Construction, Data Structures, Computer Organization Comparative Programming Languages, Operating Systems	
General Research Corporation	1978–81
Member Technical Staff	
Multi-computer software design techniques, computer emulation methods	
Science Applications Inc.	1975–78
Scientist	
Designed and developed software engineering tools including a software design language, static code analyzer, and relational database	
Computer Sciences Corporation	1968–75
Computer Scientist	
Developed Fortran compiler, graphics language interpreter, telecommunications systems, assembler and O/S for prototype computer, hardware instructions sets	
Lockheed-Georgia Corporation	1967–68
Associate Scientific Programmer	
Developed graphics applications.	

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11. D. Prabhu, B. P. Buckles, and F. E. Petry, “Genetic Algorithms for Scene Interpretation from Prototypical Semantic Description,” *Int. J. of Intelligent Systems* **15**, 10 (Oct. 2000) pp. 901–918.
12. James P. Buckley, Bill P. Buckles, and Fred E. Petry, “Processing Structured Textual Data with Uncertainty using a Fuzzy Matching Approach,” *Int. J. of Soft Computing* **4**, 4 (Dec. 2000) pp. 195–205.
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1. "Planning for and Responding to Emergencies - Who Needs to Know What?," One-half day tutorial, Annual Intern. Conf. on Digital Government Research, Montreal, Canada, May 18, 2008.
2. "Applications of Computational Intelligence to Electric Power Systems," One and one-half day tutorial, (to employees of) Entergy Corp., New Orleans, LA, July 29-30, 2002.
3. "Data Mining over Image Databases," One-half day tutorial, Artificial Neural Networks in Engineering (ANNIE 2000), St. Louis, MO, Nov. 5, 2000.
4. "Introduction to Data Mining: Concepts, Practices, and Research," One-half day short course, AeroSense: SPIE Symp. on Defense Sensing, Simulation, and Controls, Orlando FL, April 26, 2000. (Also at AeroSense in April 2001)
5. "Formal Methods for the Specification and Analysis of Concurrent Processes," One-day tutorial, Intern. Conf. on Parallel Processing, Full day tutorial, Chicago, IL, August 16, 1993.
6. "Software Design and Reliability," (10 lectures), National Central University, Chung-Li, Taiwan, R.O.C., August 1983.
7. "Mathematical Methods in Systems Design," IEEE Mini-tutorial, Miami, October 1982.

#### FUNDED RESEARCH

1. Principal Investigator – An Automated System for Deductive Reasoning Under Uncertainty – Univ. of Texas at Arlington Organized Research Fund – June 1983 – August 1983. (\$4,500)
2. Principal Investigator – Study of AI Techniques for Avionic Fault Interpretation – General Dynamics Corporation – October 1983 – September 1984. (\$22,405)
3. Co-Investigator – Reliability Modeling of Dataflow and Demand Driven Computer Systems – NASA/Ames – December 1983 – February 1985. (\$32,000)

4. Principal Investigator – Development of Retrieval Principles and Languages for Fuzzy Databases – National Science Foundation – June 1984 – May 1986. (\$53,283)
5. Principal Investigator – Group Travel to Sino – American Conference on Fuzzy Sets – National Science Foundation – June 1984 – December 1984. (\$20,500)
6. Co-Investigator – Applications of Artificial Intelligence to Helicopter Programs – Bell Helicopter Textron – October 1984 – August 1985. (\$42,879)
7. Principal Investigator – Models for the Design and Analysis of Parallel Processing Systems – Tulane Committee on Research – June 1988 – August 1988. (\$3,000), cancelled after subsequent award in same area.
8. Principal Investigator – General Principles for High Level Query Languages – Louisiana Board of Regents Education Quality Support Fund – June 1988 – June 1990. (\$112,107)
9. Principal Investigator – Parallel System Evaluation Methods – National Science Foundation – June 1989 – May 1990. (\$34,911)
10. Co-Investigator – Strengthening the Intelligent Machines Research Cluster – July 1990 – June 1993. (\$25,000 Tulane share)
11. Principal Investigator – Labeling and Tracking of Oceanic Features from Remotely-sensed Images – Naval Oceanographic Research and Development Activity – February 1989 – June 1992. (\$134,373)
12. Principal Investigator – Cloud Parameter Optimization – National Institute for Global Environmental Change – July 1992 – August 1992. (\$12,150)
13. Principal Investigator – Genetic Algorithms for Poorly Structured Problems – Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst – Sept. 1993 – Nov. 1993. (DM6,600)
14. Principal Investigator – Cloud Identification Using Genetic Algorithms and Massively Parallel Computation – NASA – January 1993 – December 1995. (\$90,000)
15. Co-Investigator – Content Based Search Prototype – Hughes Information Technology Systems – March 1997 – June 1998. (\$99,645)
16. Principal Investigator – Processing Optical Information Using Neural Nets and Evolutionary Computation – DoD EPSCoR/BMDO – March 1998 – March 2001. (\$389,037)
17. Co-Investigator – Advanced Methods for Storage and Retrieval in Image Databases – NASA Goddard Space Flight Center – June 1999 – May 2000. (\$100,000)
18. Principal Investigator – Remote Sensing of Forest Canopy Chemistry (Feasibility Study) – NIGEC/South Central Region – July 1999 – June 2000. (\$14,000)
19. Principal Investigator – Intergovernmental Personnel Act (IPA) Agreement: Neural Nets and Evolutionary Computation – NASA/Ames – May 1999 – August 2000. (\$70,112)
20. Principal Investigator – Gene Expression Workbench: A Web-based Toolkit – NASA/Ames via a subcontract from Institute for Human and Machine Cognition – Feb. 2001 – Oct. 2001. (\$78,556)

21. Principal Investigator – Multi-domain Network Learning Algorithms for Latent Variable Interpretation and Discovering Genetic Regulation – NASA/Ames via a subcontract from Institute for Human and Machine Cognition – Oct. 2001 – Sept. 2002. (\$83,627)
22. Principal Investigator – Advanced Research in Ballistic Missile Defense – Missile Defense Agency – Oct. 2001-Sept. 2002 – \$2.46M.
23. Principal Investigator – The Urban Data Warehousing/Data Mining (DW/DM) Component for ITS: Statewide Planning Phase – Louisiana Transportation Research Center – Sept. 2003-Sept. 2005 – \$170,000.
24. Principal Investigator – Communication Routing for Distributed Mobile Sensors – Army Research Lab (via subcontract with IHMC) – June 2004-August 2004 – \$8,099
25. Principal Investigator – SGER: A New Tool for Economic and Environmental Planning - Expanding the Boundaries of LiDAR – NSF (award #0722106) – July 2007-December 2008 – \$75,000
26. Principal Investigator – SGER: US/China Digital Government Collaboration: A New Tool for Economic and Environmental Planning - Expanding the Boundaries of LiDAR – NSF (award #073786) – Sept. 2007-February 2008 – \$49,808
27. Co-Investigator – Computer-aided Diagnosis for Gastrointestinal Bleeding using Wireless Capsule Endoscopy – Texas Advanced Research Program (TARP) – July 2008-June 2010 – \$112,944
28. Co-Investigator – Low Cost Wireless Network Camera Sensors for Data Collection and Traffic Monitoring – Texas Department of Transportation (TXDoT award 0-6432) – Sept. 2009-August 2011 – \$138,178

## **HONORS**

Fulbright Scholar, Guanajuato Mexico (2006)  
 Best Paper Award, European Workshop on Evolutionary Computing in Image Analysis and Signal Processing (2000)  
 Departmental Faculty Contribution Award (1998)  
 Golden Core Member, Computer Society of the IEEE (charter group, 1997)  
 Departmental Teaching Award (1983, 1993, 1999, and 2000)  
 NASA Technical Innovation Awards (1980 and 1982, cash awards)  
 IEEE Outstanding Branch Counselor/Advisor Award (1986, cash award)  
 University Outstanding Research Contribution Award (1987, cash award)  
 Pi Mu Epsilon, Mathematics Honor Society  
 Sigma Xi, Research Honor Society

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE**

IEEE (senior member)  
 Computer Society of the IEEE  
 Systems, Man and Cybernetics Society of the IEEE  
 Association of Computing Machinery (ACM)

## **Positions:**

Vice Chair, IEEE Computer Society Awards Committee, 1999-2003

Workshop Chair, IEEE Conference on Evolutionary Computation (CEC), 2001  
General Chair, IEEE Intern. Conf. on Distributed Computing Systems, 1999.  
Editor, special issue of *IEEE Trans. on Computers*, June 1997  
Program Co-Chair, IEEE Intern. Conf. on Distributed Computing Systems, 1996.  
Local Arrangements Chair, IEEE Intern. Conf. on Data Engineering, 1996.  
ACM Lectureship Program Spreader, 1993–1996.  
IEEE Computer Society Distinguished Visitor, 1991–1993.  
Chair, IEEE Technical Committee on Distributed Processing, 1991–1993.  
Editorial Board, *IEEE Trans. on Parallel and Distributed Systems*, 1990–1994.  
IEEE Computer Society Technical Committee on Distributed Processing  
Newsletter Editor, 1979–1984.  
Organizer and steering committee member, First IEEE Intern. Conf. on Distributed  
Computing Systems, 1979.  
Publicity Chairman, Third and Fourth Intern. IEEE Conf. on Distributed Computing  
Systems, 1983 and 1984  
Tutorial Chairman, Eleventh IEEE Intern. Conf. on Distributed Computing Systems, 1991  
Treasurer, North American Fuzzy Information Processing Society (NAFIPS), 1985–1987.  
IEEE Computer Society Tutorials Committee, 1985–1986.  
Editor, special issue of *Fuzzy Sets and Systems*, Nov. 1990

**Referee:**

*IEEE Trans. on Software Engineering; Systems, Man and Cybernetics; Computers;  
Knowledge and Data Engineering  
Intern. J. Man-Machine Studies; Fuzzy Sets and Systems; Intelligent Systems  
J. American Society of Information Science  
Int. J. of Smart Engineering System Design  
Knowledge and Information Systems: An Intern. J.*  
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**Reviewer:**

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**UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE**

**M.S. Theses Supervised:**

Segwork – An Image Segmentation Framework and Image  
Processing Toolbox Expansion Pack for use with Matlab  
– George Mauer, December 2006  
An Exploration of Separability Criterion for Oblique  
Decision Tree Induction  
– Kun Zhang, July 2003  
A Duality Problem in Support Vector Machines (SVMs)  
and DNA Sequence Classification SVMs

- Zujia Xu, June 2003
- Application of Evolutionary Strategies for Multi-scale  
Feature Identification
- Xiaojing Yuan, March 2002
- Unsupervised Texture Segmentation for Satellite Images
- Si Li, Nov. 1999.
- Self Organizing Map as a Clustering Tool in Monitoring  
Deterioration of Three-Phase Induction Motors
- Raul Saavedra, May 1999
- Wavelet-based Image Similarity Analysis
- Glen Qiu, May 1999
- Searching for Images using Statistical Metadata
- Tony Hieu Ngoc Mai, 1998.
- Supporting Fuzzy Logic Selection Predicates on a High Throughput Database System
- Robert Fleishmann (MIT), 1992.
- A Generalization of the Fitness Function and Crossover Operation Used in Genetic Algorithms
- K.C. Messa, 1990.
- Windowing Functions as an Interface Scheme Between an Expert System and Database
- J.P. Buckley, 1990.
- Automatic Translation of Heuristically Interpreted Query Languages
- Y.Y. Cheung, 1986.
- A Formal System for Data Specification and Queries
- W. Wilson, 1983.

**Dissertations Supervised:**

- Probability Estimation Trees: Empirical Comparison, Algorithm Extension and Applications
- Kun Zhang, Summer 2006
- Distributed Resource Coordination Strategies for Mobile Ad-hoc Networks
- Marco Carvalho, Spring 2006
- Search Space Reduction Methods for Active Learning
- Ibrahim Gokcen, Spring 2004
- Adaptive Image Fusion Using Noninformative Prior
- Xiaohui Yuan, Spring 2004
- Convergence Criteria for Evolutionary Algorithms Using Fitness Landscape Features
- Jian Zhang, Spring 2004
- Image Correspondence Feature Sets Using Principal Components
- Ivo Pineda, Spring 2002
- Sample Complexity and Generalization in Feedforward Neural Networks
- Arturo Hernández Aguirre, Fall 1999
- Supporting Array Types in Object-Oriented Databases
- Antonio Martinez Alcantara, Spring 1998
- A Study in Massively Parallel Genetic Algorithms with Application to Image Processing
- Devaraya Prabhu, 1996.
- A Fuzzy Database Approach to Handling Structured Textual Input with Uncertainty
- James P. Buckley, 1994.
- An Object Oriented Database Model for Deductive Querying

- Lon A. Smith, 1993
- Integrating Advanced Data Models for Large Knowledge-based Applications
- Adnan Yazici, 1991
- Uncertainty Management in Object-Oriented Databases
- Roy George, 1991
- Time Complexity of Genetic Algorithms and Theory of Recombination Operators
- Carolyn A. Ankenbrandt, 1990
- Theoretical Aspects of Design and Retrieval from Similarity-based Relational Database Systems
- Harvindar S. Sachar, 1986.

**Committees:**

- Graduate Advisor (1986–1987 at UTA)
- ACM/IEEE-CS Student Chapter Advisor at UTA (1982–1987)
- Tulane Educational Resource Center Advisory Board (1989)
- ACM Student Chapter Advisor (1988–1993)
- Tulane Select Committee on Conflict of Interest (1991)
- School of Engineering Strategic Planning Committee (1996)
- Dean’s Performance Review Committee (1996)
- School of Engineering Tenure and Promotion (1990–92, 1994–96, 1998–1999, 2004-05)
- Tulane Senate Standing Committee on Computing (1994–1996)
- School of Engineering’s Engineering Science Committee (1996–present)
- Undergraduate Advisor (1997–present)
- Search Committee Chair, Yahoo! Founder’s Chair (1997–1998)
- Dean Search Committee: School of Engineering (1998–1999)
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