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Curriculum Vitae

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1 Summary

My leadership experience spans my years in industry (IBM) and in academia (Rice, Georgia Tech), during which I led large teams of computing-related researchers and staff. My administrative experience at IBM includes serving as Senior Manager of the Programming Technologies department in IBM Research during 2000–2007, a department that grew from fifteen to over forty members during that period. Multiple accomplishments from my team during that period are still hailed as top accomplishments for IBM Research. More recently, I served as Chair of the Department of Computer Science at Rice during 2013–2016, a period during which I oversaw the doubling of the number of CS undergraduate majors with an increase in the fraction of women from 23% to 35% at the same time, and growth in our on-campus MS CS program to become the second-largest master’s program on campus. After moving to Georgia Tech in 2017, my administrative experience includes serving as Chair of the School of Computer Science (SCS) since August 2020. During this period, I focused on rebuilding our community after the pandemic through the creation of the SCS Graduate Student Association, which has become the social hub for our school, and on faculty recruiting with ten new faculty hires since 2021. I also focused on strategic research directions, including the creation of the Foundations of AI area in our school, encouraging interested faculty to participate in larger multi-PI research projects, and supporting the creation of the new School of Cybersecurity and Privacy in our college.

My research experience has led to wide-ranging technical and leadership accomplishments related to program-ming model, compiler, runtime, and verification systems for parallel computing. I led the parallel programming models, tools, and productivity thrust in the DARPA HPCS IBM PERCS project during 2002–2007; this included the creation of the X10 language which received a most influential paper award in 2015. During 1998–2001, I led the creation of the Jikes Research Virtual Machine, a unique JVM design and open-source implementation that has been used by over a hundred universities worldwide for research and teaching, and received the 2012 ACM SIGPLAN Programming Languages Software Award. Since 2007, I have obtained sponsored research grants of over \$20M (excluding subcontracts for partners) for my Habanero Extreme Scale Software Research Laboratory at Rice and Georgia Tech, which have resulted in a number of research contributions as well as influences on industry standards for parallelism. At IBM, my contributions were recognized by major awards, induction into the IBM Academy of Technology in 1995, and my appointment in relationship management roles with senior customer executives. I am an ACM Fellow, an IEEE Fellow, and recipient of the 2020 ACM-IEEE CS Ken Kennedy Award.

My external service includes serving as a member of the US Department of Energy’s Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee (ASCAC) since 2009, on CRA’s Board of Directors during 2015-2022, and on the ACM Council since 2022. Since 2021, I have been a founding co-chair of the new CRA-Industry standing committee, which has the goal of bringing together industry partners in computing research to convene discussions and actions on topics of mutual strategic interest with CRA’s academic and government constituents.

2 Education

1987 PhD, Computer Systems Laboratory, Dept. of Electrical Engineering, Stanford University.
Thesis: “Partitioning and Scheduling Parallel Programs for Execution on Multiprocessors”.
Advisor: Professor John L. Hennessy.

1982 MS, Computer Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

1981 BTech, Electrical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India.
Project title: “Command Language Processor Generator”.
Advisor: Professor Kesav V. Nori.

3 Professional Experience

3.1 2017-present: College of Computing, Georgia Institute of Technology

My move to Georgia Tech in August 2017 was partly motivated by the opportunity to collaborate more closely on large-scale research projects with world-class experts in computing. These opportunities were realized by the successful transition of my lab from Rice, and its expansion into software-hardware codesign research topics as evidenced by my group’s recent publications in hardware-focused venues as well as the broader set of research grants that I have been able to obtain with my colleagues. I have led multiple collaborative projects during my time at Georgia Tech, the most recent one being the \$16M FORZA project in the IARPA AGILE program.

2020-present: Chair, School of Computer Science

The School of Computer Science (SCS) currently consists of 33+ tenure-track/tenured (TT) faculty members with 100% or majority appointments, and another 10+ TT faculty with minority appointments in our school. They lead Georgia Tech’s College of Computing in seven foundational areas of Computer Science – Architecture, Databases, Foundations of AI, Networking, Programming Languages & Software Engineering, Systems and Theory. After becoming Chair of the School of Computer Science (SCS) in August 2020, my priorities included: 1) rebuilding community as we returned to campus from the COVID-19 pandemic, 2) ensuring the successful launch of our new School of Cybersecurity and Privacy (SCP), and 3) creating an AI strategy for our school.

For 1), I encouraged our schools graduate students to become the anchor of our schools community, mentored them into becoming a formal student organization (named SCS GSA), and helped them with support for a wide range of social events (e.g., welcome picnics, end-year galas, fireside chats) and thought-provoking panels (e.g., panels on academic career paths and on learning from setbacks and failures). I also ensured that all SCS GSA events were open to all members of our college and institute.

For 2), I realized that the creation of SCP was a potential source of anxiety and uncertainty for many faculty members, and I worked to reassure them that the creation of SCP was a major step

forward for Georgia Tech and not a negative. For seven faculty members who were moving from SCS to SCP and had concerns about how the SCP governance model would evolve, I assured them that they would always have a home in SCS and supported their requests for joint appointments. For the faculty who remained in SCS, I assured them that the departure of seven faculty members in Fall 2021 would not limit our schools future growth, and I backed my words with action by hiring three new faculty members who started in AY 2021-22 followed by six new faculty members who started in AY 2022-23. I also worked closely with the interim SCP chair and the founding SCP chair to assist them with faculty recruiting in every way that I could from the SCS side.

For 3), I recognized that it is vital for SCS to contribute to Georgia Tech's overall leadership in AI, and I used faculty meetings and an off-site retreat to foster the creation of a new research area in our school named Foundations of AI, which includes advances in Algorithms, Architecture, Data Analytics, and Systems for AI. The creation of this area has brought together AI experts in our school who were previously housed in different research areas, and has created a community to help meet the growing numbers of PhD students in our school who want to study AI.

2018-2020: Co-director, Center for Research into Novel Computing Hierarchies

The premise underlying the Center for Research into Novel Computing Hierarchies (CRNCH), an Interdisciplinary Research Center at Georgia Tech, is that we are at the forefront of a new computing revolution as Moore's Law comes to an end, and that it is time to rethink all foundations of computing technology. The center was created by my colleague, Tom Conte, an expert in computer Architecture who is also co-chair of IEEE's Rebooting Computing Initiative. After my arrival at Georgia Tech, Tom recommended to the dean that I be appointed co-director to lead the software directions in the center. I appreciated being welcomed into this role, and one of my priorities has been to further enhance collaborations among CS and ECE faculty whose research overlaps with the scope of the center. My PI role in one IARPA and two DARPA projects is also highly synergistic with advancing the goals of CRNCH.

2018-2019: Principal Investigator, DDARING project in DARPA Software Defined Hardware program

The DDARING project was funded in 2018 as a software-focused TA2 effort within the Software Defined Hardware (SDH) program, which is part of DARPA's recent Electronics Resurgence Initiative (ERI). As PI, my responsibility includes coordinating the work of all the co-PIs, Tom Conte and Rich Vuduc from Georgia Tech, Deming Chen and Wen-Mei Hwu from UIUC, Scott Mahlke from U.Michigan, and Viktor Prasanna from USC, and their team members, towards a unified vision of the project goals. In addition, my group contributes directly to the programming model and compiler aspects of this project. The DDARING project aims to develop a novel programming system to accelerate data-intensive workflows with the productivity levels that analysts have come to expect from modern problem-solving environments such as using Python with Jupyter notebooks. Our approach encapsulates a unification of software compilation and hardware reconfiguration.

techniques. It includes a new Python-based programming model, called Intrepydd, that is suitable for ahead-of-time compilation on current and future hardware platforms and accelerators, thereby enabling performance programming in a lightweight Python syntax. It also includes extensions for matrix, tensor, graph, and deep learning computations that expose opportunities for dynamic data-aware code optimizations and hardware reconfiguration. Intrepydd is not intended for writing complete/main programs. Instead, code generated from Intrepydd programs can be compiled so as to be integrated within a Python application or a C++ application. The DDARING system also includes a static code optimizer, a dynamic code optimizer, an auto-tuner for selecting code-and-configuration pairs, and a knowledge base that learns and stores information on the mapping of workflow steps to compiler/library generated kernels, and the mapping of kernels to available hardware configurations.

2017-present: Professor, School of Computer Science, Stephen Fleming Chair for Telecommunications, College of Computing, Georgia Institute of Technology

I lead the Habanero Extreme Scale Software Research Laboratory, which moved from Rice University to Georgia Tech in 2017 and currently includes eleven PhD students, one postdoctoral researcher, and four research scientists. After the move, I continued our group's prevailing research thrusts related to software foundations for extreme-scale computing, but also expanded our research into software-hardware codesign topics. In the area of software foundations, my group has continued research on advancing the state of the art in programming models, optimizing compilers, runtime systems, and debugging for homogeneous and heterogeneous parallel systems. Our group's expansion into software-hardware codesign research topics is evidenced by our recent publications in hardware-focused venues such as ISCA'18, MICRO'18, FCCM'19 and MICRO'19, and algorithms-focused venues such as NeurIPS'18.

With respect to internal impact in Georgia Tech, I became Co-Director of the Center for Research into Novel Computing Hierarchies (CRNCH) in 2018. In addition, I served on the Search Committee for the new Dean of the College of Computing; in this role, I paid special attention to recruiting top diversity candidates to apply, one of whom emerged as a finalist. Since 2018, I have served as our school's representative on the college-level Reappointment, Promotion, and Tenure (RPT) committee. In Spring 2018, I served on our school's Faculty Recruiting Committee (FRC), and played an active role in encouraging five faculty candidates to accept Georgia Tech's offer that year; I now chair our school's FRC for the 2019-20 academic year. I was also elected by my faculty colleagues to be Chair of the SCS School Advisory Committee (SAC), and I served on the committee that selects candidates in the College of Computing to nominate for recognition as Regents Professors. As listed in Section 10, my teaching responsibilities include the undergraduate compilers class (CS 4240) and advanced graduate-level classes in compilers (CS 6245) and programming languages (CS 6390).

3.2 2007-present: Department of Computer Science, Rice University

My move from IBM to Rice University was motivated in part by the ubiquitous adoption of parallel computing with the end of Dennard Scaling. I believed that academia offered unique opportunities for a broader impact of my parallel computing research through partnerships with multiple industry partners, as well as the creation of teaching material for the new era of mainstream parallel computing. These opportunities were realized by the creation of the Habanero Extreme Scale Software Research Laboratory which has served as a wellspring for advances in the foundations of parallel computer software during the last decade. Our lab's research has also enabled technology transfer to industry partners and open standards, and provided the context for introducing a new undergraduate course (COMP 322) at Rice University and a related online specialization on Coursera.

2017-present: Adjunct Professor, Department of Computer Science, Rice University

This appointment has enabled the transition of my lab from Rice to Georgia Tech to occur smoothly with minimal disruption on students and research staff members in my lab.

2014-2019: Principal Investigator, Pliny project in DARPA MUSE program

The core Pliny project was funded by the DARPA program on Mining and Understanding Software Enclaves (MUSE) for four years at \$11.1M in 2014. In 2018, we obtained funding for an extension effort until December 2019 to focus on technology transfer activities with GitHub as a primary transition partner. As PI, my responsibility includes coordinating the work of all the co-PIs from Rice University (Swarat Chaudhuri, Chris Jermaine), GrammaTech (David Melski), University of Wisconsin (Tom Reps, Ben Liblit), and UT Austin (Isil Dillig, Thomas Dillig), and their team members. Our proposal addressed Technical Areas 2–4 of the BAA to create a system that leverages “big code” to achieve orders-of-magnitude productivity gains for important software engineering tasks, including code search, bug-finding, code repair and code synthesis. At the heart of our approach is the creation of new statistical models that correlate program syntax with program semantics and informal specifications that users of programming tools may have in mind. Code search is enabled by extraction of software features that go beyond what is typically used in text mining. Anomaly detection is enabled by computing anomaly scores as a statistical distance between the inferred distribution of program behaviors, and the actually observed behavior of the input program. In practice, statistical anomalies correspond to software defects or non-standard coding practices, both of which provide valuable information to the software development process. Our project also explored both search-based and learning-based approaches to code synthesis. In search-based synthesis, our code search technology is used to find candidate code fragments that can be used to complete code sketches. In learning-based synthesis, our approach works by first generating a latent variable that summarizes the user input (for example, a set of types, API calls, keywords, or natural language) and returning candidate code fragments by sampling the learned distribution of programs previously ingested from the corpus, while being conditioned on

the specification. Finally, the Pliny project also included the development of the PlinyCompute platform, a scalable distributed system for developing high-performance, data-intensive, distributed computing tools and libraries, such as those needed by the search, anomaly detection, and synthesis tools in the Pliny project.

2013-2016: Chair, Department of Computer Science, Rice University

The Rice CS department is unique in many ways. When I started as department chair, it was a small department with 19 faculty members, and also a relatively young department created in 1984. The report that I created for our advancement review committee in my first semester as chair made a data-driven case for significantly growing the department. During my term as chair, we continued to lead in our historical areas of strengths, which included programming languages and parallel computing, while also growing our research portfolio in strategic areas such as bioinformatics, machine learning and data analytics. As department chair, I oversaw a significant increase in the number of CS majors, making CS the largest undergraduate major at Rice, and, more importantly, an increase in the percentage of women CS undergraduate majors from 23% to over 35% (the highest in our department's history) at the same time. I also made a strategic push to significantly grow our on-campus Professional Master of Computer Science to become the second-largest professional program at Rice.

One of my major priorities when I became CS department chair was to focus on building a sense of community among all members of the department — academic faculty, teaching faculty, research faculty, administrative staff, graduate students, and undergraduate students. I initiated a tradition of “all hands” meetings where all members of these groups were invited, updates were shared from all the units represented, and recognitions were announced. I also made a point of meeting regularly with the engineering dean, Ned Thomas, so as to understand his priorities and gain his trust as a contributor to the school's goals not just the department goals. I sought multiple sources of revenue to support our community building goals and our challenges with booming enrollments in CS; these included local companies, as well as a strategy to increase the number of Professional Masters students. The additional revenue also enabled me to subsidize summer research internships for students in underrepresented groups who were interested in majoring in CS, and to provide funding to the graduate students to form a graduate student association.

As department chair at Rice, I interacted with leaders of graduate and undergraduate student organizations, helping shape their initiatives and connecting them with potential sponsors. My rapport with graduate students followed naturally from the fact that my lab had the largest number of graduate students in the department, and I got to know many of their colleagues in other groups as a result. I supported and funded the formation of a new CS Graduate Student Association (CS-GSA) at Rice in my first semester as department chair. A side-benefit of teaching the sophomore-level COMP 322 when I was department chair was that I also got to know most CS undergraduates well. When discussing important departmental issues with leaders of undergraduate CS clubs, it was rewarding to experience the high level of trust they had in me because of our past interactions

in COMP 322. I advised and supported the rapid growth of club events, especially Hack Rice which grew from about 50 to over 300 participants while I was chair. Finally, I helped identify resources to support the activities of CSters, a club for undergraduate and graduate women CS students at Rice, which enabled a large number of them to attend the Grace Hopper Conference every year.

2007-2017: Professor of Computer Science, Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering (joint appointment), E.D. Butcher Chair in Engineering, Rice University

Responsible for creating and leading the Habanero Extreme Scale Software research laboratory that aspires to unify elements of high-end computing, multicore, and embedded software stacks so as to produce portable software that can run unchanged on a range of homogeneous and heterogeneous extreme scale platforms. The research agenda for the Habanero project includes the creation of new parallel language, compiler, runtime, and verification technologies with a common execution model foundation.

PI or co-PI of multiple research projects funded by DOE, DARPA, DOD, MARCO, and NSF. Co-PI and Associate Director of NSF Expeditions Center for Domain-Specific Computing started in 2009 (PI is Prof. Jason Cong at UCLA). Recipient of funding from multiple industry sponsors and partners including AMD, BHP Billiton, Halliburton Services, IBM Research, IBM Toronto laboratory, Intel, Microsoft, Samsung and Shell. Recipient of equipment donation from AMD, IBM, NVIDIA, Samsung, Texas Instruments, Samsung, and Sun Microsystems.

Soon after joining Rice, I worked with the vice provost for information technology to make the case to IBM to donate new resources for Rice's research computing center. I was able to communicate a win-win strategy for IBM to invest in Rice so as to increase their connections with the Texas Medical Center. This led to a \$7.6M Shared University Research (SUR) equipment award in 2010 for a POWER7 system dubbed BlueBioU. At that time, the compute power of BlueBioU exceeded the combined total of Rice's existing supercomputers, and it was used very productively for eight years thereafter.

As listed in Section 10, my teaching responsibilities include the creation of a new undergraduate class on the fundamentals of parallel programming (COMP 322), and advanced graduate-level classes which included COMP 422 (Introduction to Parallel Computing), COMP 515 (Advanced Compilation for Vector and Parallel Processors, formerly taught by Prof. Ken Kennedy), and COMP 635 (Seminar on Heterogeneous Processors).

3.3 1987-2007: International Business Machines Corporation

I started my career at IBM Research in the glory days of industry research labs, and had Fran Allen and Alfred Spector as mentors who helped me grow as a leader. My career took shape in a climate that placed a high priority on recruiting, retaining, and nurturing technical and leadership talent. Each advance at IBM broadened my horizons, from a focus on individual research contributions, to my group's research agenda as a first-line manager, my department's technical strategy as a second-line manager, then to goals for the Programming Languages and Software Engineering technical

area which included 100+ researchers at IBM locations worldwide, and finally, to the scale of IBM combined with its partners and customers. During 2000-07, as Senior Manager for the Programming Technologies Department, I led its growth from about fifteen to forty PhD-level CS research staff members (with qualifications comparable to those of CS faculty members), and an operating budget of over \$12M/year. I was responsible for raising a significant fraction of my department's budget from IBM product groups and external sources. For example, collaborating with colleagues in hardware systems, I raised funding for R&D in the DARPA HPCS program and, as one of six key personnel, was instrumental in the success of IBM's proposals for funding in Phase 1 (\$3M), Phase 2 (\$53M) and Phase 3 (\$244M). I also focused on developing technical and management talent in my organization. It has been very satisfying to see some of my department members grow into management roles and achieve recognition for their technical achievements as ACM Fellows and Distinguished Members. These include David Bacon, Evelyn Duesterwald, Stephen Fink, David Grove, Michael Hind, and Frank Tip, among others.

My responsibilities at IBM went beyond my line management commitments in multiple ways. After my first three years in the PTRAN research group, Fran Allen recommended to our product division that I lead a product group at IBM's Santa Teresa Laboratory to build the new high-level ASTI compiler optimizer from scratch. Six years in IBM's Software Group, 1991-96, immersed me in a real-world environment during an especially challenging time for IBM as a company. In addition to executing successfully as product team lead and becoming a first-line manager, I became part of the inner circle of a strategy group created by Steve Mills, Senior Vice President, who depended on us to spearhead cultural changes needed for IBM to become more agile and competitive in a new era of fast-paced software development. In 1995, about 8 years after earning my doctorate, I was inducted into IBM's Academy of Technology. CEO Lou Gerstner viewed the Academy as his 300-person CTO and, at annual meetings with us, he spoke very candidly about IBM's strategic challenges and what kept him awake at night.

These product and business related experiences stood me in good stead when I returned to IBM Research in 1998 and was asked to take on IBM Research's Relationship Manager role for IBM's Rational Software division in addition to my line management responsibilities. I learned the importance of seeing challenges and priorities from the perspectives of my strategic partners, and was able to gain the trust of business unit executives that I would help them succeed instead of just pushing the funding needs of the Research division. When I learned of their plans to release Eclipse as an open-source platform in 2001, I proposed an initiative in which Research could help increase university adoption of Eclipse for research and teaching. In response to my proposal, I was given a budget of \$2M/year for three years which I used to lead the creation of an Eclipse Innovation Grants program and worldwide community in academia. During this period (2002-2004), Eclipse evolved from being completely unknown into a ubiquitous platform for software development on most college campuses. I also served as IBM Research's Relationship Manager for the Aerospace and Defense industry sector, where I would assist sales teams, working on multi-million dollar contracts, by meeting with customers to discuss their future strategic needs and to identify areas of overlap with IBM's solutions and future research directions. I learned to become an advocate

for all the CS research being undertaken at IBM, not just the research in my area.

2002-2007: Team Lead, PERCS Programming Models, Tools, and Productivity, IBM Research

Responsible for creating and leading the programming models, tools, and productivity research agenda in the DARPA-funded IBM PERCS project, and representing this area in all DARPA milestone reviews until June 2007. I was one of six key personnel for the project from the start, and contributed to the creation of IBM's proposals and their selected for funding in Phase 1 (\$3M), Phase 2 (\$53M) and Phase 3 (\$244M) of the DARPA HPCS program. Two major outcomes of this effort have been the creation of the X10 language for future parallel systems which I co-led with Vijay Saraswat during 2004–2007, and the creation of the Eclipse Parallel Tools Platform open source project with LANL and other partners. In Phase 2, my role also included funding and coordinating work performed by multiple university partners – UC Berkeley (Ras Bodik), MIT (Saman Amarasinghe), U. Delaware (Guang Gao), UT Austin (Jim Browne), U. Illinois (Ralph Johnson), Purdue University (Jan Vitek). I received two IBM Research Division awards and one IBM Outstanding Technical Achievement award at IBM for my work on PERCS.

2000-2007: Senior Manager, Programming Technologies Department, IBM Research

Responsible for initiating and overseeing research projects carried out by a department with approximately forty permanent researchers, additional temporary researchers, and an annual budget of over \$12 million. These research projects spanned the areas of Programming Models (X10, XJ, Collage), Tools (Eclipse Parallel Tools Platform, Advanced Refactorings in Eclipse, Scalable And Flexible Error detection, Security analysis, Scripting analysis), and Optimized Execution Environments (Jikes RVM, Metronome, Progressive Deployment Systems). During this period, I personally led the open-source release of the Jikes Research Virtual Machine (RVM), and initiated multiple new projects including PERCS, X10, XJ, and DOMO/WALA. I received an IBM Outstanding Technical Achievement Award at IBM for my work on Jikes RVM, which included the leadership of the design and implementation of the Jikes RVM dynamic optimizing compiler. Jikes RVM has been used by over a hundred universities worldwide for research and teaching, and received the 2012 ACM SIGPLAN Programming Languages Software Award. As IBM's Research Relationship Manager for Aerospace and Defense, I interacted with multiple customers in that industry to discuss their future strategic needs and synergies with IBM's solutions to help them achieve their strategic goals. My Senior Manager responsibilities also included defining and coordinating IBM Research strategy around the open source Eclipse framework for programming tools (www.eclipse.org) and the Eclipse Innovation Grants program.

1998-2000: Manager, Dynamic Compilation Group, IBM Research

Conducted research in and led the group in the design and implementation of a new dynamic optimizing compiler for the Java language, as part of the Jalapeno project which resulted in the

Jikes Research Virtual Machine. The design built on my personal research in the areas of Linear Scan register allocation, load/store elimination of heap references using Array SSA form, BURS-based register-sensitive instruction selection, and Array Bounds Check elimination on Demand (ABCD). The dynamic optimizing compiler also provided the foundation for research on adaptive optimization.

1996-1998: Visiting Associate Professor, MIT EECS department (on leave from IBM)

Restructured and taught MIT's main compilers class (6.035) in Fall 1996 and 1997. Co-invented the Array SSA form and Linear Scan register allocation analyses and optimizations. Founding member of the RAW project. Supervised PhD, Masters, and undergraduate students.

1995-2007: Member, IBM Academy of Technology

The IBM Academy is the top technical advisory group in the company. Academy membership is permanent and is a recognition of sustained technical contributions. Academy membership is limited to 300 people, less than 1% of IBM employees, who are recognized as the top technical leaders from IBM in areas that span software, hardware, manufacturing, applications, and services.

1994-1996: Manager, Application Development Technology Institute (ADTI), IBM Software Group

Managed the ADTI technology-transfer department with the mission of working with multiple research groups to invent, harvest, and transfer high priority technologies to IBM's programming language products. I personally led the design and implementation of automatic and OpenMP parallelization in IBM's XL Fortran product compilers and runtime systems for SMP systems, which built on the ASTI optimizer.

1991-1993: Project Leader, ASTI Optimizer, IBM Santa Teresa Laboratory

Conducted research in and led a 10-person team in the design and implementation of the ASTI optimizer, IBM's first high-level product optimizer for performing loop and data transformations for cache locality, efficient scalarization of Fortran 90 array language, SMP parallelization, and HPF compilation. The ASTI optimizer is still shipped as a key component of IBM's XL Fortran product compilers. I received an Outstanding Innovation Award at IBM for my work on ASTI.

1987-1990: Research Staff Member, PTRAN project, IBM Research

Conducted research on automatic partitioning of program dependence graphs into parallel tasks, and on new representations and uses of the control dependence relation, leading to a new foundation for selecting useful parallelism in program dependence graphs. Also contributed to the design and implementation of the PTRAN research system led by Fran Allen (recipient of 2006 ACM Turing Award).

4 Professional Awards

2023	SCALE Challenge Award. May 2023.
2022	Distinguished Alumnus Award, Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur
2020	ACM - IEEE CS Ken Kennedy Award
2020	IEEE Fellow
2019	Best paper award, 15th International Workshop on OpenMP (IWOMP 2019).
2015	Most Influential OOPSLA Paper Award for OOPSLA 2005 paper on X10
2012	ACM SIGPLAN Programming Languages Software Award for Jikes RVM
2010	Best paper award, Runtime Verification conference (RV 2010)
2010	First Decade High Impact Paper, CASCON conference
2010	Outstanding Faculty Associate, Wiess College, Rice University
2008	ACM Fellow
2008	IBM Outstanding Technical Achievement Award, PERCS project (Phase 3)
2006	ACM Distinguished Scientist
2006	IBM Research Division Award, PERCS project (Phase 2)
2006	Honorable Mention, HPC Challenge Class 2 Award, Supercomputing 2006
2005	IBM Outstanding Technical Achievement Award, Jikes Research Virtual Machine
2003	IBM Research Division Award, PERCS project (Phase 1)
2001	IBM Research Division Award, Jikes Research Virtual Machine
1998	Third Invention Achievement Award, IBM
1998	Best paper, LCPC workshop (one of three best papers)
1998	Second Invention Achievement Award, IBM
1997	IBM Outstanding Innovation Award, ASTI optimizer
1997	Best paper, International Conference on Parallel Processing
1996	First Invention Achievement Award, IBM
1994	Best IBM paper, CASCON '94
1985	First place, ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest
1981	Best BTech project, IIT Kanpur

5 Research Awards

- IARPA AGILE award, September 2022 - September 2025), “Flow-Optimized Reconfigurable Zones of Acceleration (FORZA)”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PIs: Tom Conte, Alex Daglis, Akihiro Hayashi, Hyesoon Kim, Rich Vuduc (Georgia Tech), Scott Beamer (UC Santa Cruz), Peter Kogge (U. Notre Dame), Dean Chester, Gunnar Gunnarsson, Todd Inglett, Brian Smith (Cornelis Networks), Marty Deneroff, Tim Dysart (Lucata), Dave Donofrio, John Leidel (Tactical Computing Labs). Total Award Amount: \$15,847,862 (shared among six institutions).
- IBM subcontract, July 2021 - November 2022, “CORAL 1 NRE Project”. PI: Vivek Sarkar,

co-PI: Jeffrey Young(both at GT). Total Award Amount: \$100,000.

- Los Alamos National Lab subcontract, May 2021 - December 2023, “Simulation and Barrier Points expanded to OpenMP and OpenMPI”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PI: Jeffrey Young(both at GT). Total Award Amount: \$100,000.
- NSF PPOSS planning grant, October 2020 - September 2023, “Collaborative Research: PPOSS: Planning: Integrated Scalable Platform for Privacy-aware Collaborative Learning and Inference”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PIs: Tushar Krishna, Alexey Tumanov (all at GT). Total Award Amount at Georgia Tech: \$150,000.
- Argonne National Lab subcontract, May 2020 - January 2023, “LLVM and HIP support for Intel GPUs”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PI: Jisheng Zhao (both at GT). Total Award Amount: \$179,691.
- DARPA PAPPA award, November 2019 - May 2021, “AutoMPHC: Automating Massively Parallel Heterogeneous Computing”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PIs: Taesoo Kim, Sukarno Mertoguno, Jun Shirako, Alexey Tumanov (all at GT). Total Award Amount: \$1,000,000 (for Phases 1 and 2).
- Army Research Office contract, September 2019 - September 2023, “ Runtime Systems and Programming Tools for Resilient Computing with Extreme Heterogeneity”. PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total Award Amount: \$700,000.
- DARPA Software Defined Hardware (SDH) award, July 2018 - December 2019 (Phase 1), “DDARING: Dynamic Data-Aware Reconfiguration, INtegration and Generation”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PIs: David Bader, Tom Conte, Rich Vuduc (Georgia Tech), Deming Cheng, Wenmei Hwu (U. Illinois), Scott Mahlke (U. Michigan), Viktor Prasanna (USC). Total Award Amount: \$1,893,566 (shared among four institutions for Phase 1).
- Co-PI in NSF SPX collaborative research award for “Scalable Heterogeneous Migrating Threads for Post-Moore Computing”, PI: Peter Kogge (Notre Dame), July 2018 - June 2021. Award Amount: \$150,000 per year for 3 years.
- PI for DOE subcontract from Sandia National Laboratory for “Infrastructure Development for Analyzing Resilience with Asynchronous Many Task Parallelism”, May 2018 – present. Total Award Amount: \$50,000 in 2018 and \$100,000 in 2019.
- PI for DOE subcontract from Oak Ridge National Laboratory for “CAASCADE: Understanding HPC Applications for Evidence-based Co-design”, December 2017 – July 2018. Total Award Amount: \$76,487.
- PI for DOE subcontract from Oak Ridge National Laboratory for “Instrumentation and Analysis of Memory Accesses in Accelerator Code”, May 2018 – August 2018. Total Award Amount: \$38,394.

- PI for subcontract from Brookhaven National Laboratory for DOE ECP project, “Scaling OpenMP via LLVM for Exascale Performance and Profitability (SOLLVE)”. September 2016 – August 2019. Award Amount: \$103,666 per year for 3 years.
- Co-PI in NSF XPS collaborative research award for “Parallel and Distributed Circuit Programming for Structured Prediction”, PI: Jason Eisner (JHU), August 2016 – December 2019. Award Amount: \$137,081 per year for 3 years.
- PI for DOE subcontract from Los Alamos National Laboratory for “Extending OpenSHMEM to Support an Asynchronous Execution Model”, February 2016 – present. PI: Vivek Sarkar. Award Amount: \$250,000/year.
- Industry contract from Shell International Exploration & Production, Inc. for “Scalable Parallel Pore-scale Multi-phase Flow Simulation”, September 2015 – August 2018. PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total Award Amount: \$300,000.
- DARPA MUSE award, September 2014 – November 2018, “Pliny: An End-to-End Framework for Big Code Analytics”. PI: Vivek Sarkar, co-PIs: Swarat Chaudhuri, Chris Jermaine (Rice University), Isil Dillig, Thomas Dillig (UT Austin), Ben Liblit, Tom Reps (U. Wisconsin – Madison), Dave Melski (GrammaTech). Total Award Amount: \$11,142,361 (shared among four institutions)
- Co-PI in NSF InTrans award for “Accelerator-Rich Architectures with Applications to Healthcare”, PI: Jason Cong (UCLA), January 2014 – December 2016. Total Award Amount: \$225,000
- Industry contract from Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd for “JavaScript: Ahead-of-Time Compilation with LLVM”, August 2013 – March 2015. PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total Award Amount: \$300,000.
- NSF award CCF-1302570, April 2013 – April 2017, “Collaborative Research: A Static and Dynamic Verification Framework for Parallel Programming”, PI: Ganesh Gopalakrishnan (U. Utah), co-PIs: Eric Mercer (BYU), Vivek Sarkar (Rice). Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar for first two years: \$200,000 (additional \$200,000 for Years 3 and 4 is pending).
- Department of Defense contract for “Advanced Computing Runtime”, April 2013 – April 2015, PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total amount: \$1,994,965 (\$1,049,292 for Prof. Sarkar’s group at Rice, and \$945,673 for a subcontract to Intel, co-PI: Tim Mattson.)
- Industry contract from Halliburton Corporation for “Optimization of Lattice Boltzmann (LB) Simulations on Multicore CUP and Manycore GPU Processors”, April 2013 – December 2013. PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total amount: \$250,000.
- Industry contract from Samsung Advanced Institutes of Technology for “Rice Tizen Analysis for Security (RTAS)”, October 2012 – October 2013. PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total amount: \$259,999

- DOE X-stack contract DE-SC0008883 for “DEGAS : Dynamic, Exascale Global Address Space”, September 2012 – August 2016. Overall PI: Kathy Yelick (LBL). PI for Rice subcontract: Vivek Sarkar. Co-PI for Rice subcontract: John M Mellor-Crummey. Award amount for Rice: \$450,000/year.
- Intel DOE Traleika Glacier X-Stack subcontract, September 2012 – August 2016, PI: Vivek Sarkar. Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar (only co-PI from Rice): \$1,000,000.
- DOE X-stack contract DE-SC0008882 for “Domain Specific Language Support for Exascale (D-TEC)”, September 2012 – August 2016. Overall PI: Dan Quinlan (LLNL). PI for Rice subcontract: John M Mellor-Crummey. Co-PI for Rice subcontract: Vivek Sarkar. Award amount for Rice: \$575,000/year.
- Intel UHPC subcontract for “Scalable Runtimes and CnC Implementations for Extreme Scale Systems”, October 2011 – June 2012, PI: Vivek Sarkar. Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar: \$180,000.
- DOE/LLNS contract for “Data Abstractions for Portable HPC Performance”, October 2011 – September 2013, PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total amount: \$200,000.
- DOE/LLNS contract for “Program Analyses for Rose”, September 2011 – June 2013, PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total amount: \$150,000 (Phase 1), \$100,000 (Phase 2).
- DOE/LLNS contract for “ROSE Extensions for Java”, July 2011 – September 2014, PI: Vivek Sarkar. Total amount: \$150,000 (Phase 1), \$165,548 (Phase 3).
- NSF award CCF-0964520, June 2010 – May 2013, “Collaborative Research: Chorus: Dynamic Isolation in Shared- Memory Parallelism”, PI: Swarat Chaudhuri (PSU), co-PI: Vivek Sarkar (Rice). Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar: \$653,918.
- NSF Expeditions award CCF-0926127, September 2009 – August 2014, “Customizable Domain-Specific Computing”. This research is conducted by the multi-institute Center for Domain-Specific Computing (Center Director: Jason Cong, UCLA, Center Associate Director: Vivek Sarkar, Rice.) Total amount: \$9,999,997. Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar: \$1,610,000.
- MARCO award for Multiscale Systems Center, September 2009 – August 2012, “Automated Modeling and Management of Energy in Managed Runtime Systems”, PI: Jan Rabaey (UC Berkeley). Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar (Rice): \$184,134.
- Intel contract, December 2009 – December 2010, “Scheduling Policies and Patterns for Intel’s Concurrent Collections Parallel Programming Model”, PI: Vivek Sarkar (Rice). Total amount: \$75,000.
- NSF award CCF-0938018, September 2009 – August 2012, “Collaborative Research: Programming Models and Storage System for High Performance Computation with Many- Core Processors”,

PI: Vivek Sarkar (Rice), co-PIs: Jack Dennis (MIT), Guang Gao (U. Delaware). Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar: \$300,000.

- DARPA AACE award, AFRL Contract FA8650-09-C-7915, March 2009 – September 2013, “Platform-Aware Compilation Environment (PACE)”, PI: Keith Cooper (Rice), co-PIs: John Mellor-Crummey (Rice), Krishna Palem (Rice), Vivek Sarkar (Rice), Linda Torczon (Rice). Total amount: \$16,000,000.
- NSF award, CCF-0833166, September 2008 – August 2011, “Collaborative Research: Programming Models, Compilers, and Runtimes for High-End Computing on Manycore Processors”, PI: Vivek Sarkar (Rice), co-PI: Guang Gao (U. Delaware). Amount awarded to Vivek Sarkar: \$405,999.
- AMD contract, September 2007 – September 2008, “Integration and Evaluation of Lightweight Profiling (LWP) in Java Runtime Environments for Multicore Processors”, PI: Vivek Sarkar (Rice). Total amount: \$125,000.
- DARPA HPCS program, IBM PERCS project, 2003 – 2010. Contributed to IBM’s proposals being selected for funding in Phase 1 (\$3M), Phase 2 (\$53M) and Phase 3 (\$244M) of the DARPA HPCS program, as one of six key personnel in the proposals. *This was the only external funding that I applied for while at IBM during 1987–2007.*

6 Industry Gifts

- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “XL Compiler and Runtime Extensions for GPU Platforms (continuation)” by PhD student, Prithayan Barua and research scientist, Jun Shirako, 2018, \$22,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “Extending OMR with Automatic CPU/GPU Parallelization (continuation)” by PhD student Ankush Mandal and research scientist, Akihiro Hayashi, 2018, \$22,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “XL Compiler and Runtime Extensions for GPU Platforms (continuation)” by PhD student, Prasanth Chatarasi and research scientist, Jun Shirako, 2017, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “Extending OMR with Automatic CPU/GPU Parallelization” by PhD student Max Grossman and research scientist, Akihiro Hayashi, 2017, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “XL Compiler and Runtime Extensions for GPU Platforms (continuation)” by PhD student, Prasanth Chatarasi and research scientist, Jun Shirako, 2016, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “GPU Enablement of Java Applications (continuation)” by PhD student Max Grossman and research scientist, Akihiro Hayashi, 2016, \$28,000.

- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “XL Compiler and Runtime Extensions for GPU Platforms (continuation)” by PhD student, Deepak Majeti and research scientist, Jun Shirako, 2015, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “GPU Enablement of Java Applications (continuation)” by Postdoctoral Researcher, Akihiro Hayashi, 2015, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “XL Compiler and Runtime Extensions for GPU Platforms” by PhD student, Deepak Majeti and research scientist, Jun Shirako, 2014, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “GPU Enablement of Java Applications” by Postdoctoral Researcher, Akihiro Hayashi, 2014, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “OpenMP and PGAS Enhancements for Manycore Processor (continuation)” by PhD student, Sanjay Chatterjee, 2013, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “OpenMP and PGAS Enhancements for Manycore Processor (continuation)” by PhD student, Sanjay Chatterjee, 2012, \$28,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “OpenMP and PGAS Enhancements for Manycore Processors” by PhD student, Sanjay Chatterjee, 2011, \$28,000.
- Intel grant, December 2010, for research on “CnC-Python”, \$75,000.
- Co-PI for IBM SUR donation of 18-node POWER7 BlueBioU system at Rice, valued at \$7.6M (March 2010).
- IBM X10 Innovation grant, March 2010, \$20,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “Scalable and Efficient Scheduling of OpenMP Tasks (continuation)” by PhD student, Yi Guo, 2010, \$28,000.
- IBM Open Collaboration Research grant for Multicore Software, January 2009, \$200,000.
- IBM CAS Fellowship for research on “Scalable and Efficient Scheduling of OpenMP Tasks” by PhD student, Yi Guo, 2009, \$28,000.
- BHP Billiton gift for Numerical Optimization of Java Codes in Seismic Applications, June 2008, \$100,000.
- IBM Open Collaboration Research grant for Multicore Software, January 2008, \$200,000.

7 Graduate Student and Other Mentoring

I consider the mentoring of students and junior colleagues to be among the most satisfying experiences of my career. I currently supervise eleven PhD students at Georgia Tech since 2017, after supervising sixteen PhD students at Rice University during 2007-16. (All graduate student mentoring prior to 2007 was performed in a co-advisor role when I was at IBM Research.) I regularly seek out opportunities for my graduated PhD students and post-doctoral researchers to serve on program committees for major conferences and workshops, and to advise them on career transitions. While it remains a major challenge, I always make it a high priority to increase diversity in my research group. Members of my group at Rice originated from more than ten different countries, and the 16 PhD students that I supervised at Rice during 2007-2017 included one African-American student (Mack Joyner) and one female student (Alina Sbirlea). I currently have one female student in my group at Georgia Tech (Sana Damani).

I also take special pride in my record of mentorship of junior researchers in both industry and academia. At Georgia Tech, in my role as SAC chair, I have focused on meeting regularly with junior faculty to mentor them on different aspects of their career, and to reassure them during periods of uncertainty in our school and college, such as the recent transition of both our school chair and college dean. I also had the privilege of recruiting and mentoring a large number of researchers during my career at IBM. Many of my mentees from that period have now become world-class leaders in the Programming Languages research community; notable examples include Evelyn Duesterwald (appointed as a first-line manager in my department in 2006, became an ACM Distinguished Scientist in 2010), Stephen Fink (transferred to my department in 1999, appointed as team lead for WALA project in 2002, became ACM Senior Member in 2008, and ACM Distinguished Scientist in 2011), David Grove (recruited by me in 1998 after his PhD, appointed as team lead for Jikes RVM after the open source release in 2001, became ACM Senior Member in 2006, ACM Distinguished Scientist in 2010, and ACM Fellow in 2012), Michael Hind (transferred to my department in 1998, became my successor as first-line manager in 2000, and second-line manager in 2007, and an ACM Distinguished Scientist in 2009), Frank Tip (transferred to my department in 2000, appointed as first-line manager in 2003, became ACM Distinguished Scientist in 2008), and Eran Yahav (recruited by me in 2004 after his PhD, joined Technion as a tenure-track faculty member in 2010). While at IBM, I would meet with my mentees regularly (often on a biweekly basis) to discuss all aspects of their career at IBM. Even after I left IBM in 2007, I remained involved in assisting with their award nominations and advising them on their future career transitions.

The graduate students whom I have mentored include the following:

- Supervised Sriraj Paul (Rice PhD, 2018) on his PhD research on mapping high level parallel programming models to asynchronous many-task runtime systems.
- Supervised Kumud Bhandari (Rice PhD, 2018) on his PhD research on programming techniques for systems with non-volatile byte-addressable random access memory (NVRAM).

- Supervised Nick Vrvilo (Rice PhD, 2017) on his PhD research on data and task abstractions for extreme-scale runtime systems.
- Supervised Rishi Surendran (Rice PhD, 2017) on his PhD research on debugging, repair, and synthesis of task-parallel programs.
- Supervised Max Grossman (Rice PhD, 2017) on his PhD research on programming systems for heterogeneous supercomputers.
- Supervised Alina Sbirlea (Rice PhD, 2015) on her PhD research related to high-level execution models for multicore architectures.
- Supervised Sagnak Tasirlar (Rice PhD, 2015) on his PhD research related to optimized event-driven runtime systems.
- Supervised Shams Imam (Rice PhD, 2015) on his PhD research related to cooperative scheduling of parallel tasks with synchronization constraints.
- Supervised Drago Sbrlea (PhD, 2015) on his PhD research related to memory and communication optimizations for macro-dataflow programs.
- Supervised Deepak Majeti (PhD, 2015) on his PhD research related to portable programming models for heterogeneous platforms.
- Supervised Kamal Sharma (Rice PhD, 2014) on his PhD research related to locality transformations of computation and data.
- Supervised Sanjay Chatterjee (Rice PhD, 2013) on his PhD research related to runtime systems for extreme scale platforms.
- Supervised Raghavan Raman (Rice PhD, 2012) on his PhD research related to dynamic data race detection in parallel programs.
- Supervised Yi Guo (Rice PhD, 2010) on his PhD research related to runtime systems for multicore processors.
- Supervised Rajkishore Barik (Rice PhD, 2009) on his PhD research related to register allocation and analysis and optimization of explicitly parallel programs.
- Supervised Mackale Joyner (Rice PhD, 2008) on his PhD research related to optimization of array accesses in high-productivity languages (Chapel, Fortress, X10).
- Co-supervised Igor Peshansky (NYU PhD, 2003) on his PhD research on optimistic program optimization.
- Co-supervised Massimiliano Poletto (MIT PhD, 1999) on his PhD research related to Linear Scan register allocation.

- Co-supervised Kourosh Gharachorloo (Stanford PhD, 1995) on his graduate research related to implementation of Sisal programs, prior to his PhD research.
- In addition to the above, I co-supervised and mentored the following graduate students while they were at IBM, and have co-authored papers with each of them: Radhika Thekkath (U.Washington PhD, 1995), Ras Bodik (U.Pittsburgh PhD, 1999), Chandra Krintz (UCSB PhD, 2001), Jan-Willem Maessen (MIT PhD, 2002), Matthew Arnold (Rutgers PhD, 2002), Keunwoo Lee (U.Washington PhD, 2006), Alexey Loginov (U.Wisconsin PhD, 2006), John Whaley (Stanford PhD, 2006), Matthew Harren (PhD, UC Berkeley, 2007), Vincent Cave (MS, INRIA, 2007), Kartik Agaram (PhD, UT Austin, 2008), Yuan Zhang (PhD, U.Delaware, 2008), Shivali Agarwal (PhD,TIFR, India, 2009).
- I also collaborated with the following graduate students while I was on sabbatical at MIT during 1996–1998: Rajeev Barua, Jacob Harris, Kathleen Knobe, Walter Lee, Devabhaktuni Srikrishna, Michael Taylor, Eliot Waingold.

8 Professional Service

I believe that service is leadership and leadership is service. Over the years, I have found myself assuming an increasing number of leadership roles across the broad CS community. While these include multiple Program Chair and General Chair roles for major CS conferences, the roles that I have found especially rewarding are those where I have had to work on leading and motivating academic colleagues towards a common vision and set of goals. One example of this was as co-PI of the DARPA HPCS project at IBM, where my role in Phase 2 (2003-06) was akin to that of a program manager and included funding and coordinating work performed by six university partners towards a common vision of improving productivity in developing high performance applications. It was satisfying to see groundbreaking research emerge from this initiative, including the early sketch-based work on program synthesis led by Ras Bodik and Armando Solar-Lezama at UC Berkeley, as well as the StreamIt domain-specific programming environment led by Saman Amarasinghe's research group at MIT.

After moving to academia, I was asked by DARPA to lead a new study on Exascale Software during 2008-2009. I formed a team of 24 world-class leaders across multiple areas of CS in academia, government and industry. We produced a report in 2009 that was considered to be highly influential by program managers in DARPA, DOE, and NSF. I have also served as a member of DOE's ASCAC advisory committee since 2009, and have chaired subcommittees related to future directions for high performance computing. Finally, by serving on CRA's board since 2015, I have gained a deeper appreciation of the challenges facing CS departments in North America.

A common theme in my CS community leadership is a collaborative approach, that includes gaining the trust of my peers that I will work towards consensus but also use my best judgment to make timely decisions when a consensus is not emerging.

8.1 Conference Committees

Program Chair and General Chair roles

- General Co-chair, IEEE International Conference on Rebooting Computing (ICRC), November 2019.
- Workshop Co-chair, 32nd Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), October 2019.
- General Chair, ACM Federated Computing Research Conference (FCRC), June 2019.
- Co-chair, 2018 CRA Conference at Snowbird, July 2018.
- Program Co-chair, Twenty-third International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems (ASPLOS), March 2018.
- General Chair, 2017 ACM SIGPLAN Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP), February 2017.
- Workshop Co-chair, Second Workshop on Runtime Systems for Extreme Scale Programming Models and Architectures (RESPA), co-located with SC16, November 2016.
- Program Co-chair, 2016 Virtual Execution Environments (VEE) conference, co-located with ASPLOS 2016, April 2016.
- Workshop Co-chair, First Workshop on Runtime Systems for Extreme Scale Programming Models and Architectures (RESPA), co-located with SC15, November 2015.
- Plenary Speaker Chair, ACM Federated Computing Research Conference (FCRC), June 2015.
- Program Co-chair, 29th International Conference on Supercomputing (ICS), June 2015.
- Program Vice-chair (Software), 29th IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS), May, 2015.
- General Chair, Eighteenth International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems (ASPLOS), March 2013.
- Program Co-chair, Systems Software area, SC11, November 2011.
- Program Chair, PACT 2011: Twentieth International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques (PACT), October 2011.
- General Co-chair, Partitioned Global Address Space (PGAS) conference, October 2011.
- Program Co-chair, Fourth workshop on Programming Language Approaches to Concurrency and Communication-centric Software (PLACES), April 2011.

- General Co-chair, 7th International Conference on Distributed Computing and Internet Technologies (ICDCIT), February 2011.
- Workshop Co-chair, 23rd Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), October 2010.
- Vice Chair, Programming Models, Languages and Compilers track, International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP), September 2009.
- Program Chair, 2009 ACM SIGPLAN Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP), February 2009.
- Conference Co-chair, IBM Academy Conference on Software Engineering for Tomorrow (SWEFT), October 2006.
- General Chair, ACM SIGPLAN '05 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 2005.
- Program Co-chair, PACT 2003: Twelfth International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques, September 2003.
- General Chair, PLAN-X: First Workshop on Programming Language Technologies for XML, October 2002 (co-located with ACM PLI 2002).
- Conference Chair, IBM Academy Conf. on Best Practices in Multi-Site Software Development, May 2002.
- Program Chair, ACM SIGPLAN '94 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 1994.

Program Committees

- Program Committee member, IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS), May 2019.
- Program Committee member, IEEE International Conference on Rebooting Computing (ICRC), November 2018.
- Program Committee member, 31st Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), October 2018.
- External Program Committee member, ACM SIGPLAN '17 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 2017.
- Program Committee Member, IA³ Workshop on Irregular Applications: Architectures and Algorithms, co-located with SC14, November 2014.

- Program Committee Member, International Conference on Principles and Practice of Programming on the Java platform: virtual machines, languages, and tools (PPPJ), September 2014.
- External Review Committee member, OOPSLA conference, October 2012.
- Program Committee member, Third International Conference on Runtime Verification (RV), September 2012.
- Program Committee member, 25th Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), September 2012.
- Program Committee member, 2012 IEEE International Parallel & Distributed Processing Symposium (Software Track), May 2012.
- Program Committee member, CC 2012: Twenty-first International Conference on Compiler Construction, March 2012.
- Program Committee member, IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS), April 2011.
- Program Committee member, 2nd Workshop on Determinism and Correctness in Parallel Programming (WoDet), March 2011.
- External Review Committee member, Sixteenth International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems (ASPLOS 2011), March 2011.
- External Review Committee member, 2011 ACM SIGPLAN Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP), February 2011.
- Program Committee member, PACT 2010: Nineteenth International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques (PACT), September 2010.
- Program Committee member, TOOLS EUROPE 2010: International Conference on Objects, Models, Components, Patterns, June 2010.
- Program Committee member, ACM SIGPLAN '10 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 2010.
- Program Committee member, 2nd USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Parallelism (HotPar '10), June 2010.
- Program Committee member, ACM International Conference on Computing Frontiers (CF), May 2010.
- Program Committee member, 2010 International Symposium on Code Generation and Optimization (CGO), April 2010.

- Program Committee member, CC 2010: Nineteenth International Conference on Compiler Construction, March 2010.
- Program Committee member, 3rd workshop on Programming Language Approaches to Concurrency and communication-centric Software (PLACES 2010)
- Program Committee member, 6th International Conference on Distributed Computing and Internet Technologies (ICDCIT), February 2010.
- Program Committee member, Supercomputing 2009 (SC09), November 2009.
- Program Committee member, 22nd Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), October 2009.
- Program Committee Member, Second International Workshop on Parallel Programming Models and Systems Software for High-End Computing (P2S2), co-located with ICPP 2009, September 2009.
- Program Committee Member, IFIP Working Conference on Domain Specific Languages (DSL WC), July 2009.
- External Review Committee member, ACM SIGPLAN '09 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 2009.
- Program Committee Member, ACM SIGOPS Operating System Review Special Issue on the Interaction among the OS, Compilers, and Multicore Processors, April 2009.
- Program Committee Member, DAMP 2009 Workshop (Declarative Aspects of Multicore Programming), co-located with POPL, January 2009.
- Member of Editorial Board, Encyclopedia of Parallel Computing, Springer, 2009.
- Program Committee Member, First International Workshop on Parallel Programming Models and Systems Software for High-End Computing (P2S2), co-located with ICPP 2008, September 2008.
- Program Committee Member, 20th ACM Symposium on Parallelism in Algorithms and Architectures (SPAA), June 2008.
- Program Committee Member, 2008 Workshop on Software and Hardware Challenges of Manycore Platforms (SHCMP'08), co-located with ISCA'08, June 2008.
- Program Committee Member, Workshop on Software Tools for Manycore Systems (STMS'08), June 2008.
- Program Committee Member, International Workshop on Multi-Core Computing System (MuCoCoS'08), March 2008.

- Program Committee Member, Workshop on Parallel Programming on Accelerator-Based Systems (PPABS), co-located with PPOPP 2008, February 2008.
- Program Committee Member, ICDCIT 2007: Fourth International Conference on Distributed Computing and Internet Technology, December 2007.
- Program Committee Member, PACT 2007: Sixteenth International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques, September 2007.
- Program Committee Member, Workshop on Programming Models for Ubiquitous Parallelism (PMUP), September 2006 (co-located with PACT 2006).
- Program Committee Member, 2006 International Conference on High Performance Computing and Communications (HPCC), September 2006.
- Program Committee Member, IBM Academy Conference on Software Engineering for Tomorrow (SWEFT), November 2005.
- Guest Editor, IBM Systems Journal special issue on Open Source Software, Volume 44, Number 2, June 2005.
- Program Committee Member, ACM SIGPLAN Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming 2005 (PPOPP), June 2005.
- Program Committee Member, PODC Workshop on Concurrency and Synchronization in Java Programs, July 2004.
- Program Committee Member, CC 2003: Twelfth International Conference on Compiler Construction, April 2003.
- Program Committee Member, ACM International Conference on Supercomputing, June 2001.
- Program Committee Member, ACM Java Grande Conference, June 2000.
- Program Committee Member, Second Workshop on Java for High-Performance Computing, June 2000.
- Program Committee Member, International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP), August 1996.
- Program Committee Member, 28th Annual IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO), November 1995.
- Program Committee Member, PACT 1994: Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques, August 1994.
- Program Committee Member, Twenty-first ACM Symposium on Principles of Programming Languages (POPL), January 1994.

- Program Committee Member, ACM SIGPLAN '93 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 1993.
- Program Committee Member, ACM SIGPLAN '91 Conference on Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI), June 1991.

8.2 Advisory/Award/Review/Steering Committees

2019: External Review Committee Member, Department of Computer Science, UVA

I served on the 2019 external review committee for the Department of Computer Science at U.Virginia with Sandhya Dwarkadas (U.Rochester), Kevin Jeffay (UNC-Chapel Hill), Don Fussell (UT Austin), and Xiaodong Zhang (OSU). Our committee visited U.Virginia for a day and a half in May 2019, during which we had multiple meetings with department faculty, students and staff, and also met with the department chair, Kevin Skadron, and the dean of UVA Engineering, Craig Benson. Though no one was formally designated to be the chair of the committee, I took the lead on coordinating our out-brief presentation at the end of the site visit in May, and the creation of our 12-page report which was submitted in July.

2019, 2015, 2013: CRD and CS Area Review Committee Member, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

I have served as a committee member on three strategy-related reviews for the Computing Sciences area and Computational Research Division at LBNL — a review of the CS area strategy and CRD capabilities in February 2019, a review of the strategic plan of the CS area in September 2015, and a review of CRD in January 2013. In addition to contributing to the review reports, I engaged in mentoring discussions with postdocs and junior research staff to both encourage them in their career directions at the lab and to take back their concerns to share at ASCAC meetings.

2015-present: Member, CRA Board of Directors

CRA's mission is to strengthen research and advanced education in computing, and includes membership of Computer Science departments in the USA and Canada. By serving on CRA's board since 2015, I have gained a deeper appreciation of the challenges facing CS departments in North America. My most significant CRA activity thus far has been to serve as co-chair of the committee for the highly successful CRA Snowbird 2018 conference; the other committee members include Lorenzo Aviso, Carla Brodley, Kim Hazelwood (co-chair), Chris Johnson, Mario Nascimento, and Jaime Teevan. I am proud of what we achieved as a team in building the conference program. Notable highlights include selection of "Diversity of Leadership" and "Ubiquity of AI" as major conference themes, in addition to focusing on specific topics that are most relevant to CS departments, such as Faculty Growth, Department Rankings, Faculty Recruiting, Schools/Colleges of Computing, Industrial Research in CS, and Development of Teaching Faculty.

2015-2017: Member, ACM/IEEE CS Ken Kennedy Award Selection Committee

The ACM/IEEE CS Ken Kennedy Award is given annually for outstanding contributions to programmability or productivity in high-performance computing together with significant community service or mentoring contributions. It was established in memory of Ken Kennedy, the founder of Rice University's computer science department and one of the world's foremost experts on high-performance computing. It was my privilege to have Ken as a mentor, and to serve on this committee for three years. In 2016, I served as chair of this committee, and as a voting member of the IEEE CS Awards Committee.

2015-present: Member, ORNL Computing and Computational Sciences Directorate Advisory Committee

The advisory committee for Oak Ridge National Lab's Computing and Computational Sciences Directorate (CCSD) is responsible for reviewing current and future activities in the directorate, with respect to different focus areas of strategic importance each year.

2015-2016: Member, UCSB Computer Engineering Advisory Board

The UCSB Computer Engineering Advisory Board (CEAB) advises the ECE and CS departments at UCSB on future directions for their Computer Engineering Program.

2013-2015: Member, ASPLOS Steering Committee

After serving as General Chair of the ASPLOS 2013 conference (Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems) in Houston, I became a member of the ASPLOS Steering Committee, and chaired the committee in 2015.

2009-present: Member, Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee (ASCAC), US Department of Energy

The Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee (ASCAC) provides advice to the Department of Energy on a variety of scientific and technical issues related to its Advanced Scientific Computing Research program. ASCAC's recommendations include advice on long-range plans, priorities, and strategies to address more effectively the scientific aspects of advanced scientific computing including the relationship of advanced scientific computing to other scientific disciplines, and maintaining appropriate balance among elements of the program. The Committee, which formally reports to the Director, Office of Science, primarily includes representatives of universities, national laboratories, and industries involved in advanced computing research. I have participated in multiple ASCAC subcommittees including one on exascale computing in 2010. I chaired an ASCAC subcommittee formed in 2012 in response to a charge by Dr. William F. Brinkman, Director of the Office of Science, Department of Energy, asking ASCAC to examine the potential synergies between

the challenges of data-intensive science and exascale. I also chaired a subcommittee formed in 2017 to examine future technologies for high performance computing in the post-Moore era.

2005-2007: Consultant, US Army Science Board

Helped review the US Army's future technology programs, and participated in briefings in Fort Leavenworth on new challenges faced by terrorist tactics. Hosted a meeting at IBM related to software modernization in future Army initiatives.

9 Keynote Talks, Invited Talks, Panels (Selected)

- Keynote speaker, IEEE International Conference on High Performance Computing, Data and Analytics (HiPC), “Data Flow Execution Models – a Third Opinion”, December 2019.
- Invited speaker in U.Illinois Computer Science Distinguished Lecture Series, “Data Flow Execution Models – a Third Opinion”, October, 2019
- Keynote speaker, 11th Workshop on Programming Language Approaches to Concurrency and Communication-centric Software (PLACES), co-located with ETAPS, April 2019
- Panelist, “Exascale Runtime Systems”, SC18, Dallas, Texas, November, 2018.
- Invited speaker, 31st International Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), “ Programming Model and Compiler Extensions for Unifying Asynchronous Tasks, Futures, and Events”, October 2018.
- Invited speaker, University of Vienna, Austria, “Software Challenges for Extreme Heterogeneity”, August 2018.
- Invited speaker, TU Vienna, Austria, “Why the End-Game for Moore’s Law will be driven by a Compiler Renaissance”, August 2018.
- Invited speaker, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India, “Software Challenges for Extreme Heterogeneity”, March 2018.
- Invited speaker, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay, India, “Software Challenges for Extreme Heterogeneity”, March 2018.
- Keynote speaker, Compiler, Architecture and Tools Conference (CATC), Haifa, Israel, “Software Challenges for Extreme Heterogeneity”, December 2017.
- Invited speaker, Technion, Haifa, Israel, “Unstructured Parallelism Considered Harmful – Improving Software Reliability and Performance through Structured Parallelism”, December 2017.

- Keynote speaker, Workshop on Memory Centric Programming for HPC (MCHPC'17), co-located with SC17, “Compiler and Runtime Challenges for Memory Centric Programming”, November 2017.
- Keynote speaker, 30th International Workshop on Languages and Compilers for Parallel Computing (LCPC), “Software Challenges for Extreme Heterogeneity”, October 2017.
- Invited speaker, Second Workshop of Mission-Critical Big Data Analytics (MCBDA 2017), “Programming Model Challenges for Extreme Scale Computing and Analytics”, May 2017.
- Keynote speaker, 26th International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC), “Why the End-Game for Moore’s Law will be driven by a Compiler Renaissance”, February 2017.
- Computer Engineering Seminar Series, University of Southern California (USC), “Software Challenges for Extreme Scale Systems, or how to play the End-Game for Moore’s Law”, October 2016.
- Distinguished Speaker Colloquium Series, U. Virginia, Department of Computer Science, “Software Challenges for Extreme Scale Systems, or how to play the End-Game for Moore’s Law”, September 2016.
- Keynote speaker, Partitioned Global Address Space (PGAS) conference, “The Role of Global Address/Name Spaces in Extreme Scale Computing and Analytics”, September 2015.
- Invited speaker, ORNL Smoky Mountains Computational Sciences and Engineering Conference, “Programming Model Challenges for Extreme Scale Computing and Analytics”, September 2015.
- Invited speaker, INRIA Paris, “Structured Parallel Programming Primitives and their use in Compilers, Runtimes and Debuggers for Parallel Systems”, June 2015.
- Keynote speaker, International Conference on Principles and Practice of Programming on the Java platform: virtual machines, languages, and tools (PPPJ), “Beyond Multicores: Parallel Computing on GPUs and clusters with Java 8”, September 2014.
- Distinguished lecturer, “Hybrid Programming Challenges for Extreme Scale Software”, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Texas A&M University, September 2014.
- Invited speaker, “Test-Driven Detection and Repair of Data Races in Structured Parallel Programs”, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore, India, August 2014.
- Invited speaker, “Test-Driven Detection and Repair of Data Races in Structured Parallel Programs”, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai, India, August 2014.
- Invited speaker, “Leveraging Structured Parallelism for Improved Programmability and Scalability”, U. Alberta, July 2014.

- Invited speaker, “Software Challenges for Extreme Scale Systems”, Princeton University, May 2014.
- Keynote speaker, “Hybrid Programming Challenges for Extreme Scale Software”, 12th Annual Workshop on Charm++ and Application, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, April 2014.
- Invited speaker, “Why Runtime Systems and System Software Must Work Together for Future HPC Applications”, 2014 DOE Salishan Conference on High Speed Computing, Gleneden Beach, Oregon, April 2014.
- Invited speaker, “Software Challenges for Extreme Scale Systems”, Intel Labs, Santa Clara, April 2014.
- Keynote speaker, “Hybrid Programming Challenges for Extreme Scale Software”, First OpenSHMEM Workshop: Experiences, Implementations and Tools, Annapolis, Maryland, March 2014.
- Panelist, “Exascale Runtime Systems”, SC13, Denver, Colorado, November, 2013.
- Keynote speaker, “The Role of OpenMP in Extreme Scale Software”, International Workshop on OpenMP (IWOMP) 2013, Canberra, Australia, September 2013.
- Invited lecture, “Analysis and Transformation of Programs with Explicit Parallelism”, Seoul National University, August 2013.
- Invited colloquium speaker, “Software Challenges for Extreme Scale Systems”, U. Utah School of Computing, July 2013.
- Invited lecture, “Analysis and Transformation of Programs with Explicit Parallelism”, ENS Lyon, June 2013.
- Invited Lecture, “Synergistic Challenges in Data-Intensive Science and Extreme Scale Computing”, ISI Kolkata and TIFR Mumbai, May 2013.
- Organizer and presenter, SC12 Birds of a Feather Session on “Open Community Runtime (OCR)”, November 2012.
- Invited colloquium speaker, Harvey Mudd College, “Determinacy and Data Races in Task-Parallel Programs”, September 2012.
- Distinguished Lecture, “Programming Challenges for Multicore Processors”, UC Riverside, February 2012.
- Invited lecture, “Towards a Portable Execution Model for Extreme Scale Multicore Systems”, CSIRO, Perth, Australia, December 2011.
- Panelist, PGAS 2011 conference, October 2011.

- Panelist, DFM 2011 workshop, October 2011.
- Keynote speaker, APPT Conference, “Software Challenges for Extreme Scale Systems”, Shanghai, China, September 2011.
- Panelist, Supercomputing 2010 (SC10), “Advanced HPC Execution Models: Innovation or Disruption”, November 2010.
- Panelist, IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS) 2010, “Unconventional Wisdom in Multicore Computing”, April 2010.
- Invited speaker, ACM SIGPLAN/SIGBED Conference on Languages, Compilers and Tools for Embedded Systems (LCTES), “Towards a Unified Execution Model for Mainstream and Embedded Multicore Systems”, April 2010.
- Invited speaker, 4th Joint Symposium on Radiotherapy Research, “High Performance Computing in Biomedical Research”, April 2010.
- UT San Antonio Distinguished Lecture Series in Computer Science, “Multicore Programming Models and their Implementation Challenges”, March 2010.
- U. Michigan Distinguished Lecture Series in Computer Science and Engineering, “Multicore Programming Models and their Implementation Challenges”, January 2010.
- Panelist, HPCA 2010 and PPOPP 2010 conferences, “Extreme Scale Computing: Challenges and Opportunities”, January 2010.
- Panelist, Disruptive Technologies Panel, Supercomputing 2009 (SC09) conference, “Software Challenges in Extreme Scale Systems”, November 2009.
- Invited speaker, 3rd workshop on Virtual Machines and Intermediate Languages (VMIL) co-located with OOPSLA 2009, “Virtual Machine and Intermediate Language Challenges for Parallelism”, October 2009.
- Keynote speaker, 2009 European Joint Conferences on Theory and Practice of Software (ETAPS), “Challenges in Code Optimization of Parallel Programs”, March 2009.
- ISTec Distinguished Lecturer, Colorado State University, “Multicore Programming Models and their Implementation Challenges” and “A Quick Tour of Modern Multicore Programming Models”, December 2008.
- Panelist, “Can Developing Applications for Massively Parallel Systems with Heterogeneous Processors Be Made Easy(er)?”, Supercomputing 2008.
- Invited talk, Supercomputing 2008 Workshop on Bridging Multicore’s Programmability Gap, “Multicore Programming Models and their Implementation Challenges”.

- Keynote speaker, U. Washington and Microsoft Research 2008 Summer Institute on The Concurrency Challenge, “Multicore Programming Models and their Implementation Challenges”, August 2008.
- Invited speaker, IBM Austin Research Lab Distinguished Seminar Series, “Multicore Programming Models and their Implementation Challenges”, July 2008.
- Invited speaker, GCOE Ambient SoC Symposium, Waseda University, Japan, “Programming Challenges for Multicore Parallel Systems”, July 2008.
- Invited talk, 2008 Workshop on Exploiting Concurrency Efficiently and Correctly (co-located with CAV 2008), “Static and Dynamic Analysis of Parallel Programs”, July 2008.
- Invited colloquium speaker, U. Maryland ECE department, “Programming Challenges for Multicore Parallel Systems”, May 2008.
- Keynote speaker, 2008 International Symposium on Code Generation and Optimization (CGO), “Code Optimization of Parallel Programs”, April 2008.
- Panelist, IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS), “How to avoid making the same Mistakes all over again — what the parallel-processing Community has (failed) to offer the multi/many-core Generation?”, April 2008.
- Invited colloquium speaker, UT Austin CS Department, “Programming Challenges for Multicore Parallel Systems”, April 2008.
- Invited talk, Workshop on Architectures and Compilers for Multithreading, “Compiler Challenges for Multicore Parallel Systems”, December 2007, IIT Kanpur, India.
- Keynote speaker, High Performance Computation Conference (HPCC), “Programming Challenges for Petascale and Multicore Parallel Systems”, September 2007.
- Plenary speaker, Third International Conference on Distributed Computing and Internet Technology, “The Role of Programming Languages in Future Data-Centric and Net-Centric Applications”, December 2006.
- Panelist, ”Wish List: Architectural Support and Tool Infrastructure for Improving Software Dependability”, Workshop on Architectural and System Support for Improving Software Dependability (ASID) co-located with ASPLOS, October 2006.
- Panelist, “Opportunities and Challenges in Partitioned Global Address Space Languages”, Los Alamos Computer Science Institute (LACSI) Symposium, October 2006.
- Keynote speaker, Workshop on Software Challenges for Multicore Architectures, “X10: A High-Productivity Approach to Programming Multi-Core Systems”, September 2006.

- Panelist, "High Productivity Languages for HPC: Compiler Challenges", LCPC 2005 workshop, October 2005.
- Invited speaker, Ninth Annual Workshop on High Performance Embedded Computing (HPEC), "X10 Programming: Towards High Productivity High Performance Systems in the post-Moore's Law Era", September 2005.
- Panelist, panel discussion on "Will Software Save Moore's Law?", HPEC 2005 workshop, September 2005.
- Invited speaker, AHPARC DARPA PGAS Programming Model Conference, "X10: An Object-Oriented Approach to PGAS Programming", September 2005.
- Invited speaker, Workshop in programming models for HPCS ultra-scale applications (PMUA 2005), "X10 — a New Programming Model for Productive Scalable Parallel Programming", June 2005.
- Invited speaker, Seventh Workshop on Languages, Compilers, and Run-time Support for Scalable Systems (LCR), "X10: Addressing Language, Compiler, and Runtime Challenges for Scalable Systems in 2010", October 2004.
- Invited speaker, 2nd International Conference on the Principles and Practice of Programming in Java (PPPJ), "Java Innovation in Industry and Academia: Current Synergy and Future Challenges", June 2003.
- Keynote speaker, High Performance Computing (HiPC) conference, "Scalable High-Performance Java Virtual Machines", December 2001.
- Invited speaker, Workshop on Cutting Edge Computing, "End-to-end Adaptive Optimization: Towards Autonomic Virtual Machines", December 2001.
- Keynote speaker, 2nd Workshop on Java for High-Performance Computing (held in conjunction with ACM ICS 2000 conference), "The Evolution of Optimization and Parallelization technologies for Java, or why Java for High-Performance Computing is not an oxymoron", June 2000.
- Panelist, panel discussion on Dynamic Compilation at ACM Dynamo 2000 workshop held in conjunction with ACM POPL 2000 conference, Jan 2000.
- Invited speaker, ISCOPE conference, "Evolution of Optimization and Parallelization technologies from Fortran to Java — why High-Performance Object-Oriented Computing need not be an oxymoron", December 1999.
- Invited speaker, Workshop on Scheduling Algorithms for Parallel/Distributed Computing, "Static Scheduling with Communication Weights — Theory and Practice", June 1999.

- Panelist, Workshop on Challenges for Parallel Processing (co-located with ICPP), “Issues in Distributed Memory Systems”, August 1995.
- Invited speaker, IXth Distinguished Lecture Series, University Video Communications, “Don’t Waste Those Cycles: An In-Depth Look at Scheduling Instructions in Basic Blocks and Loops”, August 1994 (with Barbara Simons).
- Lecturer, ACM Lectureship Series, “Program Optimization — a Quantitative Approach”, “Compiling for Parallelism”, and “A General Framework for Iteration-Reordering Loop Transformations”, 1992-93.
- Panelist, Third Workshop on Compilers for Parallel Computers, “How good are parallelizing compilers in practice?”, July 1992.
- Panelist, International Workshop on Multithreaded Computers (co-located with Supercomputing ’91 conference), “Programming, Compilation, and Resource Management Issues for Multithreading”, November 1991.
- Invited speaker, ACM International Conference on Supercomputing, “Compiling for Parallel Computers”, June 1989.
- Panelist, ACM International Conference on Supercomputing, “Delivering Supercomputer Performance to the User”, June 1989.
- Keynote speaker, Fourth Parallel Processing Circus, “The Programming Problem for General-purpose Multiprocessors”, December 1988.
- Panelist, International Conference on Supercomputing, “Future of Parallel Programming”, May 1988.

10 Teaching

My experiences in teaching and curriculum development include teaching three different courses at Georgia Tech (CS 4240, CS 6245, CS 6390), four different courses at Rice University during 2007-2017 (COMP 211, COMP 322, COMP 422, COMP 515), one course at MIT during in 1996 and 1997 (6.035), and one half-semester course at Harvey-Mudd College in 2012. The experience of independently teaching 6.035 at MIT in Fall 96 and Fall 97 (while on leave from IBM) was a stimulating experience for me; I recall having to rise to multiple challenges, such as ensuring that I verbally read out everything that I wrote on the board to make my lectures fully accessible to a visually impaired student (who, to my great satisfaction, would then ask questions about what I wrote). Finally, I have developed or co-developed material for several short courses and tutorials that have been given at leading international conferences, summer schools, and institutions over the last twenty-five years.

I believe that development of new pedagogic material goes hand-in-hand with conducting world-class research, and one of my hopes when moving to academia in 2007 was that I would be able to contribute to the creation of teaching material for the new era of mainstream parallel computing. This goal was realized by my creating a new undergraduate class, COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming) targeted at sophomores, in response to curriculum guidelines from ACM and other organizations to introduce parallel programming at the undergraduate level. COMP 322 is now a required course for all CS undergraduate majors at Rice. Thus far, COMP 322 has been taught at Rice in every Spring semester since 2011, and its material has been used in courses at other institutions including Brigham Young University, Harvey-Mudd College and Washington University. Programming assignments in COMP 322 make extensive use of the Habanero-Java library developed in my research group. I have created 80+ short, 5-7 minute videos to enable a “blended” experience for students: in-class discussions and worksheets combined with asynchronous learning through the videos. I have also written over 200 pages of lecture handout material, and have initiated discussions with publishers about textbook publication opportunities. A three-course online specialization based on COMP 322 was launched by Rice Online on Coursera in July 2017.

Overall, I consider teaching students to be a privilege, and among the most rewarding experiences of my career. In all my years in academia, I have never “bought out” of a teaching commitment even though I had the research funds to do so.

Courses

- Three-course online specialization on Parallel, Concurrent and Distributed Programming, Coursera, July 2017 – present.
- CS 6245 (Compiling for Parallelism), Georgia Tech, Fall 2020.
- CS 4240 (Compilers), Georgia Tech, Spring 2020.
- CS 6390 (Programming Languages), Georgia Tech, Fall 2019.
- CS 4240 (Compilers), Georgia Tech, Spring 2019.
- CS 6245 (Compiling for Parallelism), Georgia Tech, Fall 2018.
- CS 4240 (Compilers), Georgia Tech, Spring 2018.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2017.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2016.
- COMP 515 (Advanced Compilation for Vector and Parallel Processors), Rice University, Fall 2015.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2015.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2014.

- COMP 515 (Advanced Compilation for Vector and Parallel Processors), Rice University, Fall 2013.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2013.
- Co-instructor for CS 181E (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Harvey Mudd College, Fall 2012.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2012.
- Three-day course on “Introduction to Parallel Programming”, CSIRO, Perth, Australia, December 2011.
- COMP 515 (Advanced Compilation for Vector and Parallel Processors), Rice University, Fall 2011.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Spring 2011.
- Invited short course on “Multicore Programming Models and their Compilation Challenges”, ACACES 2010 Sixth International Summer School on Advanced Computer Architecture and Compilation for High-Performance and Embedded Systems, July 2010.
- COMP 211 (Principles of Program Design), Rice University, Spring 2010.
- COMP 322 (Fundamentals of Parallel Programming), Rice University, Fall 2009.
- COMP 515 (Advanced Compilation for Vector and Parallel Processors), Rice University, Spring 2009.
- Independent Study courses: COMP 590 (3 CAAM PhD students), COMP 490 (1 CS Undergraduate student), Fall 2008.
- Invited short course on “Multicore Programming Models”, Second International School on Trends in Concurrency, June 2008.
- COMP 422 (Introduction to Parallel Computing), Rice University, Spring 2008.
- COMP 635 (Seminar on Heterogeneous Processors), Rice University, Fall 2007.
- 6.035 (Computer Language Engineering), MIT, Fall '96 & Fall '97.
Sole instructor for the main compilers class at MIT. Restructured curriculum to use Java as the language foundation instead of CLU.
- Code Optimization in Modern Compilers, Western Institute for Computer Science (WICS), Stanford University, August '94, August '95, August '96.
This one-week overview class on code optimization was designed for industry professionals and overseas students (taught jointly with Prof. Krishna Palem from the NYU Courant Institute).

- Compiling for Parallelism, Indian Institute of Science, March 1990.
This intensive two-week course was sponsored by the United Nations Development Programme.
- CS 302, U. Wisconsin-Madison, Fall '81 & Spring '82.
Sole lecturer for introductory programming course in Pascal and Fortran,

Conference Tutorials

- “HCLib: A Task-based Parallel Programming Model” (with Vivek Kumar), given at HiPC 2018.
- “Habanero-Java: Multicore Programming for the Masses” (with Shams Imam), given at PPOPP 2014.
- “Compiler Challenges for Task-Parallel Languages”, given at PLDI 2011.
- “The Concurrent Collections Parallel Programming Model - Foundations and Implementation Challenges” (with Kathleen Knobe), given at PLDI 2009.
- “Analysis and Optimization of Parallel Programs” (with Sam Midkiff), given at PLDI 2008.
- “Programming using the Partitioned Global Address Space (PGAS) Model” (with Tarek El-Ghazawi), given at Supercomputing 2007.
- “X10: Concurrent Object-Oriented Programming for Modern Architectures” (with Vijay Saraswat), given at OOPSLA 2006 and PPOPP 2007.
- “Programming Internet-Scale Distributed Applications in the 21st Century: BPEL and Beyond” (with John Field), given at ECOOP 2004 and OOPSLA 2003 conferences.
- “Optimized Compilation of Java Programs”, given at ACM PLDI 2000 and ACM Java Grande 2001 conferences.
- “Static and Dynamic Optimized Compilation of Java Programs”, given at the workshop on Java for High-Performance Computing, held in conjunction with ICS '99 (with Manish Gupta).
- “Code Optimization in Modern Compilers” given at the ASPLOS '96, HPCA '96, POPL '96, HiPC '95 conferences (with Krishna Palem).
- “Advanced Optimizations for Memory Hierarchies” given at the PLDI '93 and CASCON '94 conferences.
- “Instruction Scheduling” given at the SPDP '93 conference (with Barbara Simons). This tutorial was extended into an invited video lecture in University Video Communications' Distinguished Lecture Series.

11 Publications

I believe that my CS research accomplishments and my standing in the field contribute an essential dimension of experience and credibility to my leadership roles in general. As a researcher, I am fascinated by the challenge of advancing the foundations of high-level programming systems (which include languages, compilers, and runtimes) so as to fully exploit the latest advances in computing systems. While there has been a long tradition of research in this area since the dawn of computing, the rapid evolution of hardware has continuously fueled a need for new software technologies as old approaches quickly become obsolete, especially as we approach the end of Moore's Law. This has motivated the expansion of my group's research into software-hardware codesign research topics as evidenced by our recent publications in hardware-focused venues and algorithms-focused venues.

11.1 Refereed Conference and Journal Publications

1. Concrete Type Inference for Code Optimization Using Machine Learning with SMT Solving. Fangke Ye, Jisheng Zhao, Jun Shirako, Vivek Sarkar. *SPLASH/OOPSLA 2023, October 2023*.
2. Towards Safe HPC: Productivity and Performance via Rust interfaces for a Distributed C++ Actors library. John T. Parrish, Nicole Wren, Tsz Hang Kiang, Akihiro Hayashi, Jeffrey Young, Vivek Sarkar. *20th International Conference on Managed Programming Languages & Runtimes (MPLR, co-located with SPLASH), October 2023*.
3. Dynamic Determinacy Race Detection for Task-Parallel Programs with Promises. Feiyang Jin, Lechen Yu, Tiago Cogumbreiro, Jun Shirako, and Vivek Sarkar. *European Conference on Object-Oriented Programming (ECOOP), July 2023*.
4. Highly Scalable Large-Scale Asynchronous Graph Processing using Actors. Youssef Elmougy, Akihiro Hayashi, Vivek Sarkar. *IEEE TCSC International Scalable Computing Challenge (SCALE 2023, co-located with CCGRID23). Recipient of Best SCALE Challenge Award. May 2023*.
5. A Fine-grained Asynchronous Bulk Synchronous parallelism model for PGAS applications. Sri Raj Paul, Akihiro Hayashi, Kun Chen, Youssef Elmougy, Vivek Sarkar. *Journal of Computational Science, April 2023*.
6. ReACT: Redundancy-Aware Code Generation for Tensor Expressions. Tong Zhou, Ruiqin Tian, Rizwan Ashraf, Gokcen Kestor, Roberto Gioiosa, Vivek Sarkar. *31st International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques (PACT), October 2022*.
7. Automatic Parallelization of Python programs for Distributed Heterogeneous Computing. Jun Shirako, Akihiro Hayashi, Sri Raj Paul, Alexey Tumanov, and Vivek Sarkar. *28th International European Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing (EuroPar), August 2022*.

8. A Productive and Scalable Actor-based Programming System for PGAS Applications. Sri Raj Paul, Akihiro Hayashi, Kun Chen, and Vivek Sarkar. *22nd International Conference on Computational Science (ICCS 2022)*, June 2022.
9. Memory Access Scheduling to Reduce Thread Migrations. Sana Damani, Prithayan Barua, Vivek Sarkar. *ACM SIGPLAN 2022 International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC 2022)*.
10. Linear Promises: Towards Safer Concurrent Programming. O Rau, C Voss, V Sarkar. *35th European Conference on Object-Oriented Programming (ECOOP 2021)*.
11. Task-graph scheduling extensions for efficient synchronization and communication. S Bak, O Hernandez, M Gates, P Luszczek, V Sarkar. *Proceedings of the 2021 ACM International Conference on Supercomputing*.
12. ARBALEST: Dynamic Detection of Data Mapping Issues in Heterogeneous OpenMP Applications. L Yu, J Protze, O Hernandez, V Sarkar. *2021 IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing Symposium (IPDPS)*.
13. An ownership policy and deadlock detector for promises. C Voss, V Sarkar. *Proceedings of the 26th ACM SIGPLAN Symposium on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP 2021)*.
14. Towards Chapel-based Exascale Tree Search Algorithms: dealing with multiple GPU accelerators. T Carneiro, N Melab, A Hayashi, V Sarkar. *The 2020 International Conference on High Performance Computing & Simulation (HPCS 2020)*.
15. Intrepydd: Performance, Productivity, and Portability for Data Science Application Kernels. Tong Zhou, Jun Shirako, Anirudh Jain, Sriseshan Srikanth, Thomas Conte, Richard Vuduc, Vivek Sarkar. *Proceedings of the 2020 ACM SIGPLAN International Symposium on New Ideas, New Paradigms, and Reflections on Programming and Software, Onward! 2020, November 2020*.
16. Vyasa: A High-Performance Vectorizing Compiler for Tensor Convolutions on the Xilinx AI Engine. Prasanth Chatarasi, Stephen Neuendorffer, Samuel Bayliss, Kees Vissers, and Vivek Sarkar. *Proceedings of the 24th IEEE High Performance Extreme Computing Conference (HPEC20)*, September 2020.
17. OmpMemOpt: Optimized Memory Movement for Heterogeneous Computing. Prithayan Barua, Jisheng Zhao, Vivek Sarkar. *27th International European Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing (EuroPar)*, August 2020.
18. MAESTRO: A Data-Centric Approach to Understand Reuse, Performance, and Hardware Cost of DNN Mappings. Hyoukjun Kwon, Prasanth Chatarasi, Vivek Sarkar, Tushar Krishna, Michael Pellauer, Angshuman Parashar. *IEEE Micro Vol. 40, no. 3, May-June 2020*.

19. Experimental Insights from the Rogues Gallery. Jeffrey S Young, Jason Riedy, Thomas M Conte, Vivek Sarkar, Prasanth Chatarasi, Sriseshan Srikanth. *2019 IEEE International Conference on Rebooting Computing (ICRC)*, November 2019.
20. Understanding Reuse, Performance, and Hardware Cost of DNN Dataflows: A Data-Centric Approach. Hyoukjun Kwon, Prasanth Chatarasi, Michael Pellauer, Angshuman Parashar, Vivek Sarkar, Tushar Krishna. *The 52nd Annual IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO)*, October 2019. (Selected as IEEE Micro Top Pick for 2019.)
21. Enabling Resilience in Asynchronous Many-Task Programming Models Authors Sri Raj Paul, Akihiro Hayashi, Nicole Slattengren, Hemanth Kolla, Matthew Whitlock, Seonmyeong Bak, Keita Teranishi, Jackson Mayo, Vivek Sarkar. *26th International European Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing (Euro-Par)*, August 2019.
22. Optimized Execution of Parallel Loops via User-Defined Scheduling Policies Seonmyeong Bak, Yanfei Guo, Pavan Balaji, Vivek Sarkar. *The 48th International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP)*, August 2019.
23. T2S-Tensor: Productively Generating High-Performance Spatial Hardware for Dense Tensor Computations. Nitish Kumar Srivastava, Hongbo Rong, Prithayan Barua, Guanyu Feng, Huanqi Cao, Zhiru Zhang, Vivek Sarkar, Wenguang Chen, Paul Petersen, Geoff Lowney, Christopher Hughes, Timothy Mattson, Pradeep Dubey. *27th IEEE International Symposium On Field-Programmable Custom Computing Machines (FCCM)*, April 2019.
24. Transitive Joins: A Sound and Efficient Online Deadlock-Avoidance Policy. Caleb Voss, Tiago Cogumbreiro, Vivek Sarkar. *ACM Conference on Principles and Practice of Parallel Programming (PPoPP)*, February 2019.
25. Valence: Variable Length Calling Context Encoding. Tong Zhou, Michael R. Jantz, Prasad A. Kulkarni, Kshitij A. Doshi, Vivek Sarkar. *28th International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC)*, February 2019.
26. Topkapi: Parallel and Fast Sketches for Finding Top-K Frequent Elements. Ankush Mandal, He Jiang, Anshumali Shrivastava, Vivek Sarkar. *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 31 (NeurIPS)*, December 2018.
27. Detecting MPI usage anomalies via partial program symbolic execution. Fangke Ye, Jisheng Zhao, Vivek Sarkar. *The International Conference for High Performance Computing, Networking, Storage, and Analysis (SC18)*, November 2018.
28. Cost-driven thread coarsening for GPU kernels. Prithayan Barua, Jun Shirako, Vivek Sarkar. *27th International Conference on Parallel Architectures and Compilation Techniques (PACT)*, November 2018.

29. In-Register Parameter Caching for Dynamic Neural Nets with Virtual Persistent Processor Specialization. Farzad Khorasani, Hodjat Asghari Esfeden, Nael Abu-Ghazaleh, Vivek Sarkar. *The 51st Annual IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO)*, October 2018.
30. Using Dynamic Compilation to Achieve Ninja Performance for CNN Training on Many-Core Processors. Ankush Mandal, Raj Barik, Vivek Sarkar. *25th International European Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing (Euro-Par)*, August 2018.
31. GT-Race: graph traversal based data race detection for asynchronous many-task parallelism. Lechen Yu, Vivek Sarkar. *25th International European Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing (Euro-Par)*, August 2018.
32. RegMutex: Inter-Warp GPU Register Time-Sharing. Farzad Khorasani, Hodjat Asghari Esfeden, Amin Farmahini-Farahani, Nuwan Jayasena, Vivek Sarkar. *2018 ACM/IEEE 45th Annual International Symposium on Computer Architecture (ISCA)*, June 2018.
33. Parallel Sparse Flow-Sensitive Points-to Analysis. Jisheng Zhao, Michael G. Burke, Vivek Sarkar. *Proceedings of the 2018 International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC 2018)*, February 2018.
34. Modeling the Conflicting Demands of Multi-Level Parallelism and Temporal/Spatial Locality in Affine Scheduling. Oleksandr Zinenko, Chandan Reddy, Sven Verdoolaege, Jun Shirako, Tobias Grosser, Vivek Sarkar, Albert Cohen. *Proceedings of the 2018 International Conference on Compiler Construction (CC 2018)*, February 2018.
35. Deadlock Avoidance in Parallel Programs with Futures: Why parallel tasks should not wait for strangers. Tiago Cogumbreiro, Rishi Surendran, Francisco Martins, Vivek Sarkar, Vasco T. Vasconcelos, and Max Grossman. *ACM SIGPLAN International Conference on Object-Oriented Programming, Systems, Languages, and Applications (OOPSLA)*. ACM, 2017.
36. DAMMP: A Distributed Actor Model for Mobile Platforms. Arghya Chatterjee, Srdjan Milakovic, Bing Xue, Zoran Budimlic, Vivek Sarkar. *14th International Conference on Managed Languages and Runtimes (ManLang'17)*, September 2017.
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13 Software Artifacts (Selected)

- Co-led software releases of Habanero-C programming system and Open Computing Runtime (OCR) since 2012.
- Led Habanero-Java (HJ) releases starting in 2009 (<http://habanero.rice.edu/hj>). HJ is used by multiple institutions for research and teaching. At Rice, this software is used for laboratory and programming assignments in COMP 322, and for research in the Habanero Extreme Scale Software research project.
- Co-led first open source release of X10 in December 2006 (<http://x10-lang.org>).
- Led first open source of Jikes Research Virtual Machine in October 2001 (<http://jikesrvm.org/>).
- Led development of ASTI optimizer component, which has been shipping as part of IBM's XL Fortran product compilers since 1996.
- Contributed to development of PTRAN research prototype compiler (led by Fran Allen).

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