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Teaching Experience

Sep. 2026 – current: Teaching Professor, School of Engineering & Technology, UW Tacoma
Apr. 2020 – 2026: Associate Teaching Professor, SET, UW Tacoma
Sep. 2019 – 2020: Senior Lecturer, SET, UW Tacoma
Sep. 2018 – 2019: Full time Lecturer, SET, UW Tacoma
Sep. 2013 – 2018: Full time Lecturer, Institute of Technology, UW Tacoma
Sep. 2011 – 2013: Graduate Research Assistant, Institute of Technology, UW Tacoma

■ **Promoted to full Teaching Professor – effective Sep 16, 2026**

■ **Recipient of the SET 2026 Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award**

I teach in the SET programs: Bachelor of Science in Information Technology (BSIT), and Masters of Cybersecurity and Leadership (MCL). I have also taught ad hoc and Summer teaching in the Bachelor of Computer Science and Systems (BSCSS) as well as served as Faculty Advisor in the Masters of Computer Science and Systems MSCSS program.

I am responsible for delivery of undergraduate courses in Networking, Routing and Switching, System Administration, and Programming (C# .NET, ASP.NET). I teach Cybersecurity Incident Response and Network and Internet Security in the Masters of Cybersecurity and Leadership Program, a Masters program split between the SET School and the Milgard Business School. I have served as faculty advisor for undergraduate readings, undergraduate research projects, undergraduate student industry internships in the BSIT program as well as graduate level projects and research in the MCL and the MSCSS programs.

Research interests & scholarship

Network and web application security, honeypots, honeynets, and hardening honeynets against botnets. I am currently involved in research designing and implementing a secure, widely distributed IDS/IPS honeynet of IoT sensors using a blind, 1-way communication strategy.

Recognized June 11, 2025 for 10-years of continuous service as Director and certified Cisco Instructor in an active **Cisco NetAcad** that I direct at UW Tacoma. I established, developed, and updated the UW Tacoma SET Information Technology Networking Lab (ITNL) during summer 2025. The ITNL hardware lab is one of the cornerstones of the BSIT, MSIT, and MCL programs.

Service to the University of Washington, UWT, SET school, and broader community

- **SET Promotion Committee Chair, 2026-27** - served as internal committee chair to promote Deveeshree Nayak from Assistant to Associate Teaching Professor in BSIT, MSIT, and MCL programs.
- **FCITC Chair - Faculty Council on Information Technology and Cybersecurity** – I currently serve as chair the FCITC tri-campus committee, beginning fall of 2023 (2023-present)
- **Tri-Campus Adjudication Committee** – Joined the Adjudication Committee to arbitrate University/faculty disputes (2020-current)
- **SET IT Assistant Professor search committee, 2024-25** - served on the search committee for

hiring 2 new tenure track Assistant Professor positions in BSIT and the second year MSIT programs. We successfully hired 2 new Assistant Professors from this search.

- **SET IT Assistant Professor search committee, 2023-24** - served on the search committee for hiring 3 new tenure track Assistant Professor positions in BSIT and the planned MSIT program beginning 2024. We successfully hired 1 new Assistant Professor from this search.
- **Ad hoc SET Hiring Procedures Committee (chair)** – Charged to formulate a detailed policy on conducting competitive faculty searches - from the appointment of a search committee to the faculty recommendation made to the dean. (2023-24)
- **FCITC - Faculty Council on Information Technology and Cybersecurity** – Joined the FCITC Committee as a representative member in (2022-2023)
- **SET Direct Admissions Committee** – established a path for UWT admitted students to apply directly to the SET programs. (2022-23)
- **Dir of Libraries search committee, UW Tacoma** - I served on the search committee to hire a new Director of Libraries and Associate Dean at UW Tacoma (2020-21)
- **NTTFF – Non-Tenure Track Faculty Forum** - Faculty representative for SET (2023-24)
- **Executive Council** - Faculty representative for SET on UW Tacoma's Executive Council. I served 2 consecutive 3 year terms. (2014-2020)
- **GreyHat Group advisor** - Faculty advisor to the campus SRO GrayHat Computer Security Group (2015-present)
- **SET Dean search committee** - I served on the search committee for hiring the founding Dean of the School of Engineering and Technology, Raj Katti. (2016-17)
- **ITNL lab** - Worked with other IT faculty to establish the ITNL (Information Technology Networking Lab) routing and switching lab to support the Networking, Cybersecurity, System Administration, and Routing and Switching courses taught in the BSIT and MCL programs. We received generous donations from Cisco, Boeing, and the United States Navy.
- **MSIT Course proposals** – I wrote the original course proposals and syllabi for MSIT courses in Cloud Computing, Networking, Automation, and DevOps for program start fall of 2024.
- **Mobile Digital Forensics course proposals** - Co-wrote the curriculum and designed course delivery along with Det. John Bair (Tacoma PD) for a 3-course series in Mobile Digital Forensics: TINFO-444, TINFO-445, and TINFO-446.
- **CyberRange lab** – I am currently working with other faculty and staff on developing virtualization and cloud computing knowledge to integrate teaching these topics into the IT and MCL programs.
- **ACCESS Mentor/Mentee Program** – I serve as a mentor in this campus program that pairs pre-major students with a faculty member in their chosen major to form a mentor/mentee relationship. I currently have 2 undergraduate mentees. (2023-present)
- **ABET Accreditation Data Gathering** – I served as an integral member in the BSIT program to gather data for courses and achieve the ABET approval for the program. (2025-26, 2022-23 and 2021-22)

Previous Classroom Teaching Experience (prior to University of Washington)

June 2013 to Aug. 2013: Adjunct Faculty, Computer Science

Highline Community College, Des Moines, WA

Delivery of CSCI 100, Survey of Computing. Course covers a general survey of current hardware, software, systems software, and network technologies. Includes an introduction to programming, logic, and problem solving.

Aug. 1999 to June 2011: Adjunct Faculty, Computer Information Science, Antelope Valley College, Lancaster, CA
Design and delivery of CIS-111, Introduction to Programming and Algorithms, (Java) - a first semester (CS1) course w/lecture and lab. Design and delivery of CIS-113, Data Structures, a second semester (CS2) programming course w/lecture and lab (Java and C++). Beginning and Advanced Word Processing courses (Microsoft Word). One Summer session at AV College, I taught a section of "The History of Rock and Roll" for the Music Department.

Courses Taught

University of Washington Tacoma

Summer 2026

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security

TINFO 457 A - Linux System Administration

Spring 2026

No teaching schedule in Spring

Winter 2026

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET) (double section – 64 students)

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as faculty advisor for 2 students)

Axel Cortes and Ashish Pradhan

TINFO 498 – Directed Reading (served as faculty advisor for 5 students)

Matt Gore, Melanie Hawk, Dave Jenks, Alistair Malana, and Vivian Nguyen – Advanced Networking CCNA prep

Autumn 2025

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as faculty advisor for 1 student)

Josh Mburu

TINFO 498 – Directed Reading (served as faculty advisor for 1 student)

Iggy Waggema – Advanced Networking CCNA prep

Summer 2025

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as faculty advisor for 6 students)

Mamoon Almansoob, Trupen Dangariya, Jared Dimacali, Dave Jenks, Ashish Pradhan, Manuel Rosales

Cybersecurity & Data Analytics Workshops, 2 workshops in the Milgard School Certificate Program in Data Analytics

Spring 2025

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration

TCSL 600 A – Independent Study – served as faculty advisor for 1 graduate student

Dillon Kierce – Advanced Offensive Security

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as faculty advisor for 3 students)

Brendan Garcila, Tom Ho, and Antonio Krebs – Advanced Networking

Winter 2025

TINFO 457 A – Linux System Administration (double section – 65 students)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET) (double section – 64 students)

TINFO 498 – Directed Reading (served as faculty advisor for 2 students)

Ellen Nguyen, Brian Quiroz-Chavez – Advanced Networking

Autumn 2024

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking

*Covered this section above my workload for no pay to serve the students

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

Summer 2024

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security

TCSL 550 B – Network and Internet Security

Spring 2024

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Tin Tin Chien – Advanced Networking, cont.

Winter 2024

TINFO 457 A – Unix/Linux System Administration

TINFO 200 A – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 498 – Directed Reading (served as faculty advisor for 2 students)

Tin Tin Chien, Andy Hwang – Advanced Networking

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as faculty advisor for 1 student)

Arsh Chatha

Autumn 2023

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 498 – Directed Reading (served as faculty advisor for 1 student)

Alieu Samateh – ASP.NET Server Side Web Applications

Summer 2023

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration

TINFO 498 – Directed Reading (served as faculty advisor for 1 student)

James L. Harris

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as faculty advisor for 4 students)

James L. Harris, Kenton August Huppe, Alieu Samateh, Sangbeom Yoo

Spring 2023

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (advising 1 student)

C# .NET Programming

Ramirez, Maria – C# Unity Platform Game development

Winter 2023

TINFO 200 A – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO-431 A – Server Side Web Applications

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Autumn 2022

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking
TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching
TINFO 497 – Internship (served as faculty advisor for 3 students)
Meyer, Brayden (2nd internship)
Monaco, Joe
Ramirez, Maria (2nd internship)

Summer 2022

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security
TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration
TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 2 students)
Meyer, Brayden
Ramirez, Maria

Spring 2022

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration
TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)
Advanced Networking
Nguyen, Steven – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation
Yahya, Mirzaei – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Winter 2022

TINFO 200 A – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)
Advanced Networking
Androussenko, Daniel – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Autumn 2021

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking
TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking
TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching
TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)
Advanced Networking
Wang, Bo – EIGRP and OSPF dynamic routing protocols

Summer 2021

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security
TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration

Spring 2021

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration
TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)
Advanced Networking
Haret, Faisal – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation
Wang, Bo – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Winter 2021

TINFO 200 A – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 5 students)
Advanced Networking
Abdullahi, Mansur – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Dang, Huy – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation
Issa, Hassan – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation
Martinez, Juan S. – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation
Muhebullah, Muheb – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Autumn 2020

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

Summer 2020

TCSL 550 A – Network and Internet Security

TINFO 452 A – Windows System Administration

Spring 2020

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 3 students)

Advanced Networking

Casteen, Andrew – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Steinbrugge, Jacob – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Kakkada, Tho – CCNA3v7 R&S, Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation

Winter 2020

TINFO 200 A – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 8 students)

Advanced Networking

Abucar, Fahad Aweis, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Ali, Elmi, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Dowdle, Richard, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Nasawang, Derek Jew, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Park, Ki Tae, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Pinyapap, Rasapon, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Steinbrugge, Jacob, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Williamds, Patrick, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Autumn 2019

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 4 students)

Abuassi, William Socrates, 5 credits – CCNA3 Scaling Networks (NetAcad)

Smith, Michael, 5 credits – CCNA3 Scaling Networks (NetAcad)

Lam, T, 5 credits – CCNA3 Scaling Networks (NetAcad)

Turner, Trevor, 5 credits – CCNA3 Scaling Networks (NetAcad)

Summer 2019

TINFO 431 A – Server Side Web Applications

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

Spring 2019

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TCSL 530 – Cybersecurity Strategies

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Advanced Networking

Thompson, Bryant, 5 credits – CCNA3 R&S, and Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Winter 2019

TINFO 200 A – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Advanced Networking

Campbell, Caleb Evan, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Velasco, Clint Steven, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Autumn 2018

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 C – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Mangual Velazquez, Argenis, 5 credits – ASP.NET Core MVC 2

Tueax-Leffel, Laurie Ann, 5 credits – ASP.NET Core MVC 2

Summer 2018

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 4 students)

Eldridge, Cameron J, IT Senior

Mohamed, Saaïd Bashir, IT Senior

Singh, Navi, IT Senior

VanWinkle, Jonathan Mark, IT Senior

Spring 2018

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TCSL 530 – Cybersecurity Strategies

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Sheikh Tijan Jobe, IT Senior

Soobin Kim, IT Senior

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 12 students)

Server Side Web Dev

Hailemariam, Metasebiya, 5 credits – ASP.NET Core MVC Server Side Web Applications

Hamid, Seham, 5 credits – ASP.NET Core MVC Server Side Web Applications

.NET Core Dev

Hamid, Yusuf, 5 credits – C# .NET Data Structures

Amazon EC2 Elastic Cloud (AWS System Architect)

Hassan, Amin, 5 credits – Amazon EC2 Certified Systems Architect Exam prep

Hassan, Amin, 5 credits – Amazon EC2 Cloud Computing Foundations

Mohamed, Fatuma D, 5 credits – Amazon EC2 Certified Systems Architect Exam prep

Mohamed, Mohamed F, 5 credits – Amazon EC2 Cloud Computing Foundations

Advanced Networking

Howell, Aaron J, 5 credits – CCNA4 Connecting Networks w/NetAcad

Hubble, Dillon Patrick, 5 credits – CCNA4 Connecting Networks w/NetAcad

Nguyen, Duy Luan Thanh, 2 credits, – CCNA4 Connecting Networks w/NetAcad

Perumal, Rahul 5 credits, – CCNA4 Connecting Networks w/NetAcad

Williams, Kyle D, 5 credits – CCNA4 Connecting Networks w/NetAcad

TINFO 499 – Directed Research (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Mohamed Mohamed F. – Amazon EC2 Certified Systems Architect Exam prep

Winter 2018

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 431 A – Server Side Web Applications (ASP.NET MVC and ASP.NET Core 2.0)

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 5 students)

Jones, Zachery Michael Jones, Baldeep Singh Kang, Jason Sai Kit Kwong, Duy Luan Thanh Nguyen, Nathaniel David Rogers

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 13 students)

Advanced Networking

Chopovdya, Eugene V, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Ghura, Bikramjeet Singh Yashwinder, 3 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Grewal, Harkaran Singh, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Hubble, Dillon Patrick, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Jobe, Sheikh Tijan, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Jones, Zackary Michael, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Nguyen, Duy Luan Thanh, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Perumal, Rahul, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Santoyo, Matthew John, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Sun, Henry P, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Vanwinkle, Jonathan Mark, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Widger, Thomas P, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Williams, Kyle D, 5 credits - CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Autumn 2017

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 3 students)

Busa, Praful, 5 units- IT Senior

Perumal, Rahul, 5 credits, IT Senior

Stiver, Jordan J, 5 credits, IT Senior

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Boenisch, Anne Kristine, 5 credits – CCNA2 Routing and Switching (military)

Rogers, Nathaniel David, 5 credits – CCNA3 Connecting Networks (military)

Summer 2017

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TCSS 143 A – Fundamentals of Object Oriented Programming

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 4 students)

Dixon, Everett, 5 units- IT Senior

Fulcer, Joshua Dean, 5 credits, IT Senior

Singh, Charhat, 5 credits, IT Senior

Vong, Sinh Cun, 5 credits, IT Senior

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Fulcer, Joshua Dean, 5 credits – CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Hwang, Sze Yan, 5 credits – CCNA3 Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

TINFO 499 – Directed Research (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

White, David, 5 credits – CCNA4 Connecting Networks (in NetAcad)

Spring 2017

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 12 students)

Asha Isaac, Chala Kabira, Steven Luther, Cole Michaud, Huy Nguyen, Denis Omimbi, Liudmilla Palachuk, Melanie Randall, Kishan Vekaria, Sinh Vong, Ibrahim Wehlie, Zhongming Yu

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 5 students)

Daniel Bayless – CCNA2 Routing and Switching Essentials
Ethan Pham – CCNA4 Connecting Networks
Melanie Randall – ASP.NET MVC Web Development
Brad Sanders – CCNA4 Connecting Networks
Elliott Temple – Network+ Certification prep

Winter 2017

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 C – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 431 A – Server-Side Web Applications (ASP.NET MVC 5)

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 3 students)

Logan Klashorst, Javaughn Lewis, Anthony Rockafeld

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 15 students)

John Angiono – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Jimmy Cheng – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Sean Cresse – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Everett Dixon – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Virgilio Garcia – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Tracie Huynh – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Danielle Jarecki – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Kenny Kim – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Koby Nguyen – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Denis Omimbi – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Ethan Pham – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Anthony Rockafeld – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Brad Sanders – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
Noah Son – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)
David White – CCNA3, Scaling Networks (in NetAcad)

Autumn 2016

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 11 students)

John Angiono, Don Batten, Tyler Busha, Seth Coad-Douglass, Brandon Evans, Andrew Groff, Javaughn Lewis, Ethan Pham, Frederick Proctor, Harpreet Singh, Prabhjot Singh

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Lessi Coulibaly – MCSA 70-410, 70-411, 70-412 prep

Summer 2016

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TCSS 143 A – Fundamentals of Object Oriented Programming

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 6 students)

Don Batten, Seth Coad-Douglass, Tracie Huynh, Taylor Lloyd, Harjaap Sandhu, Harpreet Singh

TCSS 498 – Readings in CSS (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Sophie Nop

Spring 2016

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TCSS 101 – Computer Science Principles

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 12 students)

Humzah Abdol, Ahmed Ali, Brian Bui, Chance Cookston, David Dorch, Sameer Hakimi, Kuncil Jamal, Mike McCormick, Siddharth Saini, Jason Sexton, Amandeep Shergill, Igor Tekmenzhi

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 9 students)

Mark Garces – Advanced JavaScript

Alejandro Garcia Ochoa – Advanced JavaScript

Trenton Lawton – Advanced JavaScript

Senan Loukman – Advanced JavaScript

Zakariya Mohamed – Advanced JavaScript

Su Park – Advanced C# (concurrency, OO, .NET)

Siddharth Saini – SQL Server programming w/.NET and Entity Framework

Jason Sexton – CCNA3, Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Sabeen Tahir – Advanced JavaScript

Winter 2016

TINFO 200 A– Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 431 A – Server Side Web Applications (ASP.NET MVC 5)

TINFO 497 – Internship (serving as FA advisor for 8 students)

David Dorch, Alejandro Garcia Ochoa, Sameer Hakimi, Trenton Lawton, Mike McCormick, Siddharth Saini, Amandeep Shergill, Adam Voelker

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 7 students)

Ahmed Ali – CCNA3, Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Jason Erickson – CCNA3, Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Brandon Evans – CCNA3, Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Mark Garces – CCNA3, Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Osaseen Gollen – Information Assurance, Business Management Topics

Senan Loukman – CCNA3, Scaling Networks w/NetAcad

Alexandro Maldonado – System Administration, Windows Server and RHEL

Autumn 2015

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 6 students)

Erika Baker – C#, ASP.NET MVC 5

Teodorico Divina - ASP.NET MVC 5

Jason Erickson – Network and Sysadmin, UW Tacoma

Trenton Lawton – Web design and Server-Side Web Programming

Alexandro Maldonado – Database and Server-Side Web Programming

Igor Tekmenzhi – Database and Server-Side Web Programming

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Duke Hefner – System Administration, MCSA Windows Server and Linux+ prep

Summer 2015

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Sumitpal Rai – Network Security

Spring 2015

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TCSS 600 – Independent Study or Research (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Swathika Balasundaram – Mobile Android Development w/GIS

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 3 students)

Anitoliy Gritsenko, Myong Kim, Earl Switzer

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Sam Kim – ASP.Net MVC 5 Facebook app

Earl Switzer – System Administration

Winter 2015

TINFO 200 A– Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)

TINFO 431 A – Server-Side Web Applications (ASP.NET MVC 5)

TINFO 497 – Internship (served as FA advisor for 2 students)

Iatkit Ho, Scott Shaffer

Autumn 2014

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking

TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Blake McIntyre – Windows Share Point

TINFO 499 - Undergraduate Research (served as FA advisor for 4 students)

Blake McIntyre – MS SQL Server

Joon Choi - ASP.Net MVC 5, security, dependency injection, TDD

JeeUn Yoo - ASP.Net MVC 5, security, dependency injection, TDD

Charles Fraychineaud – Designing CCNA Routing and Switching lab exercises

Summer 2014

TCSS 143 A – Fundamentals of Object Oriented Programming Theory and Application

TCSS 498 - Directed Readings in Computing and Software Systems

Khoi Le – Port Tetris game from Java to C# and also Python

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 6 students)

Joon Choi - ASP.Net MVC 5, build web site

JeeUn Yoo - ASP.Net MVC 5, build web site

Himchan Han – Network security topics

Iatkit Ho – Network security topics

Janet Kim – Network security topics

Lloyd Thomas – Network security topics

Spring 2014

TINFO 452 A – System Administration

TINFO 443 A – Digital Forensics (Mobile Digital Forensics)

TINFO 498 – Directed Readings (served as FA advisor for 1 student)

Charles Fraychineaud – Network and System Administration Lab Exercises

Winter 2014

TINFO 200 A– Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 200 B – Programming II for ITS (C# .NET)
TINFO 503 A – Designing and Executing Information Assurance and Cyber Security Strategies

Autumn 2013

TINFO 250 A – Foundations of Information Networking
TINFO 250 B – Foundations of Information Networking
TINFO 451 A – Routing and Switching

Summary of previous teaching, prior to joining faculty at UW Tacoma:

Summer 2013 (1 quarter total)

Highline College, CSCI 100 – Survey of Computing (taught Summer 2013)

Fall 1999 through Spring 2011 (13 years total)

Antelope Valley College

CIS 111 – Intro to Programming and Algorithms

(sections taught each Fall and each Spring semester from Fall 1999 through Spring 2011)

CIS 113 – Data Structures

(taught each Spring semester from 2005 through 2011)

CA 111 – Word Processing

(taught Fall 2009, Fall 2010)

CA 113 – Advanced Microsoft Word

(taught Fall 2010)

Education and Certifications

MSCSS Master of Science in Computer Science and Systems

University of Washington Tacoma - June 2013

Recipient NSF/SFS Scholarship for Service, Specialization in Cybersecurity

Masters Capstone Project: "Hardening Honeynets against Honeypot-aware Botnet Attacks". This project used extensive virtualization technology for all servers, hosts, guests, switches and routers as well as honeypot, botnet, and command & control nodes. Other research areas are securing critical infrastructure ICS and SCADA systems, integrating secure coding practices into the traditional computer science curriculum, and digital forensics.

Network Engineering Certificate, University of Washington Professional and Continuing Education, 1 year certificate program - June 2013.

ISRM Certificate - Information Assurance Risk Management, University of Washington Information School, Seattle, Washington - June 2012

Certification from NSA/DHS Center for Information Assurance and Cybersecurity, compliant with CNSS 4011 (INFOSEC) and 4012 (Senior Systems Managers) - June 2012

BSCS, Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Chapman University, Edwards Air Force Base, California - August 1999

Cerro Coso Community College, Ridgecrest, California (online)
Fall 1998 to Spring 1999, No degree

AS, Associate of Science, Computer Programming, and Computer Programming Certificate
Antelope Valley College, Lancaster, California - May 1997

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California
Fall 1979 to Spring 1982
Major: Music, Studio Guitar Performance, No degree

University of California, Los Angeles
Fall 1977 (1 quarter)
Major: Music, Guitar Performance, No degree

Antelope Valley College, Lancaster, California
Fall 1976 to Spring 1979
Major: General Education, No degree

Research Published

Charles Costarella, Sam Chung, and Barbara Endicott-Popovsky, "Hardening Honeynets against Honeypot-Aware Botnet Attacks", *International Conference on Cloud Security Management (ICCSM 2015)*, University of Washington Tacoma, USA, October 2015.

BS Goda, JW Bair, CE Costarella, "Cell Phone Forensics", *Proceedings of the 16th Annual Conference on Information Technology, 2015*

T Thompson, M Dupuis, B Goda, Y Bai, C Costarella, M Zantua, "Systems thinking pedagogical design: Developing a veteran-centric masters degree in cybersecurity and leadership", *Journal of The Colloquium for Information Systems Security Education, 2015.*

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Professional and Business Experience

Sep. 2012 – March 2013: Information Assurance Intern, City of Seattle Washington. I reported directly to the CISO, Michael Hamilton. Tasks included daily network monitoring, incident response, and digital forensics investigations of internal and external attacks and misuse of municipal resources. Responsibilities included monitoring FireEye, Websense, F.R.E.D. forensics platform using FTK Toolkit, and misc. digital forensic software tools and procedures. I gave regular periodic briefings and reports on monitoring and investigation activities to the CISO.

Sep. 2001 – June 2013: CEO and CFO of Bronze Bunz Inc, a California S Corporation based in Palmdale, CA (DBA Bronze Bunz Tanning) with stores in Lancaster, CA and Palmdale, CA. Operational day to day management of a 2-store chain of tanning salons. Founded by my wife and myself in September 2001, we grew this business from a single location with 5 tanning units to our final holdings which included 2 retail locations covering 5,000 sq. feet operating more than 35 pieces of tanning equipment and employing 15 to 20 employees seasonally. We

achieved annual gross sales of over 1 million dollars 4 times and operated as many as 4 locations concurrently (2007-8). We sold the business in June 2013.

Feb. 2001 – Mar. 2002: Professional Services Technical Consultant, Trintech Inc., San Mateo, CA
Development and customization of online financial transaction processing software. Windows C++/MFC and Java (Swing and JSP) development including Java Servlets, RMI, and JDBC for transaction server running on Solaris with an Oracle DB. I interfaced with customers to gather requirements, define specifications, and worked to achieve total customer satisfaction with a highly customizable product in a multi-cultural environment which included clients in Brazil, Korea, Europe and the US. Other Professional Services duties included installation, configuration, and documentation of OpenSSL to create and manage private keys and certificates, Apache Web Server w/mod_ssl, Jakarta Tomcat Application server for JSP pages and Java Servlets.

Jan. 2001: Java Corporate Trainer, Versata Inc., Oakland, CA
Design and delivery of professional training for Java developers using JSP and Java servlet technologies to create transaction based website utilizing the Versata Studio, a rapid application development tool for creating transaction based websites.

Oct. 99 to Nov. 2000: Sr. Software Engineer, Ask Jeeves Inc., North Hollywood, CA
Java Enterprise J2EE development of client/server virtual help desk network applications suite. HTML/JSP and Java Applet versions of a live chat client application. Client modules interfaced with multiple server applications via Java Servlets. Development of signed Java applet and ActiveX control to manipulate client browser. Ask Jeeves maintained a full test lab of client computers utilizing virtualization for multiple operating system test machines.

Apr. 97 to Oct. 99 (except for Jan. 98 to Apr. 98): Software Engineer, Symvionics Inc., United States Air Force Flight Test Center, Edwards AFB, CA
Windows NT/Sun Solaris/SGI Irix parallel development of post flight test analysis tool. Development of user interface, data management, and analysis modules in C++ and Java on all three platforms. Additionally, I was in charge of writing software test descriptions for entire Air Force Flight Test Center Post Test Analysis System (APTAS) deliverable to perform acceptance testing at the Initial Operating Requirements (IOC) deadline.

Jan. 98 to Apr. 98: Software Engineer
Symvionics Inc., United States Air Force Flight Test Center, Edwards AFB, CA
Windows NT development for USAF Flight Test Center Intranet. EDGE project was the development of a corporate intranet for Air Force Flight Test Center 412 Test Wing. Included was a training application for complete automation of the business process involved in applying and undertaking training. Design and development of client/server web application using Java, JavaScript, SQL, and HTML. Responsible for Netscape Enterprise Server admin and NT Server admin including source code control. Also in charge of design and implementation of the project's disaster recovery plan and Initial Operating Requirements (IOC) test documents.

Oct. 97 to Dec. 97: Software Engineer
Century Computer Consultants, Overland Park, Kansas

Modification and maintenance of real time Customer Event Distributor system in C, C++, and UNIX Shell script on IBM AIX platform for telecommunications customer World Com in Tulsa, OK.

1995 to Apr. 97: Software Engineer

Symvionics Inc., United States Air Force Flight Test Center, Edwards AFB, CA

Interactive Analysis and Display System (IADS) project was NT/UNIX (SGI Irix) parallel development of real-time loads/flutter flight test analysis system. User interface development using Win32 API and XWindows/Motif toolkits. Integration with network communications and data management. Used Microsoft Visual C++ for NT development and standard UNIX tools (SGI C++, GCC, shell script, vi, make, grep, etc.) for SGI.

Tech Skills

Computer Languages

Studied: C++, C, C#, Java, JavaScript, HTML, Unix Shell Script, PowerShell, R, Ada, Pascal, Basic, FORTRAN, **Taught in classroom:** C#.NET, Java, ASP.NET, C++, Pascal, QBasic, PowerShell, bash, Cisco IOS, **Used professionally:** C++, C, Java, bash, Unix shell script, JavaScript, HTML

Platforms/Operating Systems

Windows, various Unix (SGI Irix, Sun Solaris, IBM AIX, OpenBSD), various Linux (Debian, Ubuntu, Fedora, CentOS, Rocky, Alma, RHEL, Kali, Parrot), macOS, Cisco IOS

Libraries and APIs

.NET, Java SE, ME, and EE (Java Servlets, JSP, JDBC, RMI), JFC Swing, Win32 API, Microsoft MFC C++ Class Library, STL, XWindows/Motif, OpenGL, YACL (Chapman Univ. C++ class lib)

Servers, Databases, IDEs, and RAD Development and Virtualization Tools

VMware Workstation, Player, and Fusion, Oracle VirtualBox, Mac Bootcamp, NetBeans, Eclipse, Apache Tomcat, Sun JavaWebServer, iPlanet (Netscape) Enterprise Server, Microsoft Developer Studio, Visual Studio, Rational Rose, RapidApp (SGI), FaceMaker (XWindows/Motif), Versata Studio, Oracle 8.1.x and 8i, IBM DB2, WebSphere, Microsoft SQL Server 2000, 2005, 2008, Apache Web Server, IIS, Exchange Server, SharePoint Server.

System Administration, Network Engineering, and Security Tools

MS Windows Active Directory ADDS, OpenLDAP, BIND. MetaSploit Framework, Wireshark, nmap, Fiddler, Burp Suite, Snort, etc.

Citizenship

Born in Pasadena, California. I am a United States citizen and held a Department of Defense secret level security clearance during my work at the United States Air Force Flight Test Center, Edwards Air Force Base, 1995-1999.

Professional Organizations and Affiliations

Member of GRIT Computer Security Professionals group, joined April 2024

Member of CTIN Computer Investigators, joined December 2012

Member of The Honeynet Project, Pacific Northwest Chapter, joined March 2012

Member of ISSA, Puget Sound Chapter, joined September 2011

Member of InfraGard, Seattle Chapter, joined September 2011

Member of The Agora, joined August 2011

Professional Training and Conferences

April 2023 – UW (Canvas) Teaching 101 Certification to Teach Online and Hybrid Courses at UW

Dec 2022 – 2024 – PluralSight online training annual subscription. Courses on Full Stack Web Development C# .NET programming and System Administration to support my teaching in those areas.

May 2017 – Cisco CCNA Routing and Switching, CCNA Security (renewal training)

September 2014 – Cisco NetAcad Certified Instructor for CCNA1, CCNA2, CCNA3, CCNA4

September 2014 – Training Camp, Dallas Texas, Cisco CCNA Routing and Switching, CCNA Security, and CCENT certifications. 3 certifications earned.

March 2013 – CTIN Conference, Computer Technology Investigators Network, Seatac, WA. Certificate earned.

February 2013 - CISSP Boot Camp and Exam from IP3, with Michael Hamilton, CISO, City of Seattle. Training Certificate Issued.

February 2013 – DHS ICS-CERT, Industrial Control Systems Cybersecurity 301 Advanced Training, Idaho National Laboratory, Idaho Falls, ID. Certificate Issued.

January 2013, and 2012 – National Science Foundation Scholarship for Service Cybersecurity Conference and Job Fair, Washington DC

December 2012 – BSides Seattle, sponsored by Microsoft, IOActive, others, Seattle, Washington

September 2012 – Emerald Down, sponsored by PNWER (Pacific Northwest Economic Region) Cyber Security Regional Response and Resiliency Seminar, Seattle Washington

July 2012 – DEFCON, Las Vegas, Nevada

April 2012 – Attended CISSP exam prep review (sponsored by ISSA, Puget Sound Chapter), Mercer Island, Washington

March 2012 – Served as White Team judge at PRCCDC, Pacific Rim Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition, Highline Community College, Washington

March 2012 – ICIW 2012, 7th International Conference on Information Warfare and Security, University of Washington Seattle

March 2012 – The HoneyNet Project Conference and Workshops, Palo Alto California
Workshops attended: Introduction to HoneyNets and the Honeywall, David Watson

June 2006, 2005, 2004, and 1999 - JavaOne, Moscone Center, San Francisco, CA
Sun's Worldwide Java Programming Conference & Training

Jan. 2001 – Versata University, Versata Inc., Oakland, CA
Versata Studio 5.0 E-Business Automation System Training

Apr. 1997 - SmartSoft Internet Developer Training, Huntington Beach, CA
Intermediate & Advanced Java Programming

Nov. 1996 - SIGS C++ World, Dallas, TX
Object Oriented Programming Conference & Training

Feb. 1996 - Silicon Graphics Technical Education, On-site: Edwards AFB, CA
Real Time Programming Course

Feb. 1996 - Silicon Graphics Technical Education, On-site: Edwards AFB, CA
Parallel Programming Course

Jan. 1996 - Rational Software Corporation, On-site: Edwards AFB, CA
Object Oriented Methodology Course