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## **Air Force Institute of Technology Research Report 2019 Foreword**

The Air Force Institute of Technology (AFIT) actively aligns our faculty and student research activities with national defense priorities to deliver dual purpose results: valuable educational experiences to enhance our graduates' performance throughout their careers, and innovative solutions of importance to our sponsors. AFIT works closely with research sponsors from many Air Force and DOD organizations to identify high interest problems that match our faculty expertise and educational requirements to maximize value.

AFIT initiated the new Nuclear Events Analysis and Testing Center in 2019 to contribute to nuclear modernization priorities and build upon our 60+ years of nuclear programming. AFIT's Autonomy and Navigation Technology Center, Center for Cyberspace Research, Center for Directed Energy, Center for Operational Analysis, Center for Technical Intelligence Studies and Research, Center for Space Research and Assurance and other research groups continue to serve as focal points for many of our research initiatives. Emerging research groups are addressing game-changing technologies including hypersonics, human-machine systems, data sciences, and developing defense-related additive manufacturing applications. AFIT advises over 40 major acquisition programs through the Scientific Test & Analysis Techniques Test & Evaluation Center of Excellence to achieve maximum effectiveness of test resources. New consultation efforts include exploration of multi-domain approaches to the Air Force's core missions.

AFIT has strategic partnerships with the Air Force Research Laboratory, the National Air and Space Intelligence Center, the Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, the United States Transportation Command, and many other organizations and operational communities to maximize the contributions of our research programs to national defense needs. Our faculty and students also engage in collaborations with researchers at universities throughout the nation to advance the state-of-the-art in a variety of disciplines. AFIT cooperates with commercial enterprises to ensure timely transfer of new technology to US industry through Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs).

AFIT welcomes new opportunities to engage in research projects that are of mutual interest to our customers, faculty, and students. Additional information is available at <http://www.afit.edu/ENR/>.

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**Dean for Research**  
**Graduate School of Engineering**  
**and Management**



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# 1. INTRODUCTION

## 1.1 OVERVIEW

This Research Report presents the FY19 research statistics and contributions of the Graduate School of Engineering and Management (EN) at AFIT. AFIT research interests and faculty expertise cover a broad spectrum of technical areas related to USAF needs, as reflected by the range of topics addressed in the faculty and student publications listed in this report. In most cases, the research work reported herein is directly sponsored by one or more USAF or DOD agencies.

AFIT welcomes the opportunity to conduct research on additional topics of interest to the USAF, DOD, and other federal organizations when adequate manpower and financial resources are available and/or provided by a sponsor. In addition, AFIT provides research collaboration and technology transfer benefits to the public through Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs). Interested individuals may discuss ideas for new research collaborations, potential CRADAs, or research proposals with individual faculty using the contact information in this document or via the AFIT Directory at <https://www.afit.edu/BIOS/>.

Additional information on the research programs at AFIT may also be found on the research web home page at <http://www.afit.edu/ENR/>. The Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, Graduate School of Engineering and Management can be reached at 937-255-3633, (DSN 785-3633) or by Email: [research@afit.edu](mailto:research@afit.edu). The primary points of contact are Ms. Bobbie J. Bowling, the Director of Sponsored Programs, 937-255-3636 x4396, DSN 785-3636 x4396 and Dr. Heidi R. Ries, Dean for Research, 937-255-3636 x4544, DSN 785-3636 x4544.

## 1.2 THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT RESEARCH COLLABORATION

As detailed in the 2019-2020 catalog at <https://www.afit.edu/ENER/doclib.cfm?dl=31>, AFIT offers Master's and Doctoral programs in a variety of disciplines through six departments: Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics (ENY), Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering (ENG), Department of Engineering Physics (ENP), Department of Mathematics and Statistics (ENC), Department of Operational Sciences (ENS), and Department of Systems Engineering and Management (ENV). In all of these disciplines, research is an integral component of graduate education, developing an individual student's skills and providing new knowledge of interest to many.

A brief listing of each department's research areas of emphasis appears below. Please contact the faculty or relevant departmental office for further information, or visit the Graduate School of Engineering and Management departmental websites at <http://www.afit.edu/en/>.

The [Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics](#), as well as its resident **Center for Space Research & Assurance**, invites research topic proposals and collaborative suggestions for the Aeronautical Engineering, Astronautical Engineering, Materials Science, and Space Systems programs. The following list highlights the Department's research specialties:

**Aeroelasticity and Design Optimization**  
**Aerospace Structures and Materials**  
**Aircraft Survivability**  
**Autonomous Control of UAVs**  
**Compact Combustor Development**  
**Computational Fluid Dynamics**  
**Control of High Performance Aircraft**  
**Dynamic Flight Simulation**  
**Experimental Fluid Dynamics**  
**High Velocity Impact**  
**Impact Dynamics**  
**Inflatable Space Structures**  
**Materials and Structural Analysis**

**Mechanics of Materials and Structures**  
**Micro Air Vehicles**  
**Non-Linear Dynamics**  
**Re-entry Dynamics**  
**Rocket & Space Propulsion**  
**Rotocraft Aeromechanics**  
**Satellite Cluster Dynamics, Navigation, & Control**  
**Spacecraft Dynamics & Control**  
**Spacecraft/Sensor Integration and Testing**  
**Thermal Control of Spacecraft**  
**Turbine Heat Transfer**  
**Weapon Aerodynamics**

The [Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering](#), as well as its resident **Autonomy and Navigation Technology Center** and **Center for Cyberspace Research**, invites research topic proposals and collaborative suggestions for the Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Cyber Operations, and Cyber Warfare programs. The following list highlights the Department's research specialties:

**Advanced Security-Focused Computing Architectures**  
**Artificial Intelligence**  
**Automatic Target Recognition**  
**Communications/Radar**  
**Computer Communication Networks**  
**Cryptography**  
**Cyber Operations and Security**  
**Electromagnetics/Low Observables**  
**Electro-Optics**  
**Electronic Warfare**

**Evolutionary Algorithms**  
**Guidance, Navigation, and Control**  
**Hardware Assurance**  
**Information Visualization**  
**Micro-and Nano-Systems**  
**Navigation Warfare**  
**Parallel and Distributed Processing**  
**Signal and Image Processing**  
**Software Protection**  
**Wireless Networks**  
**Wireless Sensor Networks**

The [Department of Engineering Physics](#), as well as its resident **Center for Directed Energy** and **Center for Technical Intelligence Studies and Research**, invites research topic proposals and collaborative suggestions for the Applied Physics, Nuclear Engineering, Optical Sciences and Engineering, Materials Science (jointly operated with the Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics), and Combating Weapons of Mass Destruction programs. The following list highlights the Department's research specialties within these programs:

**Adaptive Optics, Aero-Optics and Beam Control**  
**Atmospheric Characterization and Compensation**  
**Atmospheric Effects on Weapons Systems**  
**Computational Physics**  
**Defects in Crystalline Solids**  
**Directed Energy Weapons Effectiveness**  
**Imaging Science**  
**Lasers and Electro-Optics**  
**Microscopic Imaging of Surfaces**  
**Modeling and Simulation of Atmospheric Effects**  
**Molecular Reaction Dynamics**  
**Nanomaterials**

**Nanomechanics**  
**Nuclear Forensics**  
**Nuclear Survivability**  
**Nuclear Weapons Effects**  
**Positron Spectrometry**  
**Radiation and Particle Detection**  
**Radiation Effects on Materials and Electronics**  
**Radiation Transport**  
**Remote Sensing and Signature Analysis**  
**Satellite Meteorology**  
**Semiconductors**  
**Space Physics**

The [Department of Mathematics and Statistics](#) invites research topic proposals and collaborative suggestions for the following research specialties:

**Acoustic Wave Scattering**  
**Bayesian Analysis**  
**Biostatistics**  
**Categorical Data Analysis**  
**Control Theory**  
**Data Analytics**  
**Design of Experiments**  
**Electromagnetics**  
**Fluid Dynamics**  
**Human Performance**  
**Information Fusion**

**Network Analysis**  
**Nonlinear Waves**  
**Numerical Analysis**  
**Optimization**  
**Partial Differential Equations**  
**Rarefied Gas Dynamics**  
**Regression Modeling**  
**Stochastic Processes**  
**Structural Health Monitoring**  
**Wavelets**

The [Department of Operational Sciences](#), as well as its resident **Center for Operational Analysis**, invites research topic proposals and collaborative suggestions within the areas of Operations Research, Logistics, and Supply Chain Management programs. The following list highlights the Department's research specialties:

**Agile Combat Support Prioritization**  
**Automatic Target Recognition**

**Autonomous System Operations and Testing**  
**Big Data and Analytics**



**Combat Modeling**  
**Decision Analysis**  
**Design and Analysis of Experiments**  
**Enterprise Level Depot Sustainment**  
**Evaluation of Autonomous Systems**  
**Facility Location Optimization**  
**Force Structure Analysis Tool Development**  
**Information Modeling**  
**Inventory Analysis**  
**Irregular Warfare**  
**Irregular Warfare Model Development**  
**Lean Operations**  
**Logistics**  
**Machine Learning**  
**Maintenance and Production Management**  
**Managerial Economics**  
**Manpower Modeling and Forecasting**  
**Materials Research Test Planning**  
**Mathematical Programming**  
**Modeling and Simulation**  
**Network Analysis**  
**Neural Networks**

**Operations Management**  
**Operations Research**  
**Optimization**  
**Organization Behavior**  
**Petroleum Management**  
**Repair Network Integration**  
**Robust Decision Making**  
**Robust Design**  
**Robust Mobility Modeling**  
**Scheduling**  
**Service Operations Management**  
**Social Network Modeling and Analysis**  
**Statistical Process Monitoring**  
**Stochastic Modeling**  
**Strategic Sourcing**  
**Supply Chain Management and Resource Optimization**  
**Test and Evaluation**  
**Test Science**  
**Time Series Analysis**  
**Transportation Policy and Strategic Modeling**

The [Department of Systems Engineering and Management](#) is a multidisciplinary department offering graduate degrees in seven different majors and conducting research in collaboration with the wide spectrum of programs throughout AFIT. The mission of the Department is to provide defense-focused graduate education and engage in interdisciplinary research to achieve integrated solutions to current and future Air Force challenges and enhance the interface between technology and human resources by focusing on systems, processes, and management. The following list highlights the Department's research specialties:

**Acquisition Learning Curves**  
**Applied Environmental Sciences**  
**Built Environment Microbiome**  
**Computer and Network Security**  
**Construction Management**  
**Cost Analysis**  
**Cyber Attack on UAS**  
**Data Analytics**  
**Design and Analysis of Experiments**  
**Ecological Engineering**  
**Emergency Management**  
**Facility and Infrastructure Management**  
**Fuels Microbiology**  
**Geographical Information Science**  
**Human Systems Integration**  
**Human-Agent Interaction**  
**Image and Display Science**  
**Indoor Air Quality**  
**Information Assurance and Security**  
**Infrastructure Asset Management**  
**Knowledge Management**  
**Model-Based Systems Engineering**  
**Modeling and Simulation**

**Neck and Injury Biomechanics**  
**Occupational/Environmental**  
**Operations Research**  
**Permafrost**  
**Photovoltaics**  
**Physiologically-Based Pharmacokinetic Modeling Analysis**  
**Product Design and Development**  
**Project Management**  
**Project Delivery**  
**Reliability Engineering**  
**Strategic Decision Support**  
**Structural Health Monitoring**  
**Structural Performance**  
**Surface Science**  
**Sustainability and Life Cycle Assessment**  
**System Architecture**  
**Systems Engineering**  
**Unmanned Air System Design and Test**  
**Vigilance**  
**Water Quality**  
**Waste-to-Energy Conversion Modeling**

Another avenue for educational and research collaboration with the Graduate School of Engineering and Management is through association with one or more of AFIT's Research Centers. A brief listing of each Center's research or educational areas of emphasis appears below. Please contact the Centers directly (see Chapter 6) or visit <http://www.ait.edu/ENR/page.cfm> for further information.

The [Autonomy and Navigation Technology \(ANT\) Center](#) is a forward-looking research center seeking to identify and solve tomorrow's most challenging navigation and autonomous and cooperative control problems by focusing on three research thrusts: autonomous and cooperative systems, non-GPS precision navigation, and robust GPS navigation/NAVWAR.

The [Center for Cyberspace Research \(CCR\)](#) conducts cyber security and cyber operations research at the Master's and PhD levels. CCR affiliated faculty teach and direct graduate research focusing on understanding and developing advanced cyber-related theories and technologies, such as critical infrastructure protection, cyber-physical systems, network intrusion detection and avoidance, insider threat mitigation, cyberspace situational awareness, malicious software detection and analysis, software protection, and anti-tamper technologies. The CCR is forward-looking and responsive to the changing educational and research needs of the Air Force, Department of Defense, and the federal government. CCR faculty's research and teaching establishes AFIT as a national Center of Academic Excellence in Research (CAE-R) and Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Operations (CAE-CO), designated by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and the National Security Agency (NSA).

The [Center for Directed Energy \(CDE\)](#) is dedicated to Air Force and DOD research in high energy lasers (HELs), high power microwaves (HPMs), and their enabling technologies. The Center is an advocate for transitioning these systems to the battlefield through vigorous scientific and engineering research, graduate education programs and diverse consulting activities.

The [Center for Operational Analysis \(COA\)](#) conducts defense-focused research which directly supports DOD strategic objectives. The COA applies rigorous quantitative and qualitative tools, methodologies and approaches to identify, analyze and solve complex operations and supply chain problems while developing critical and forward-thinking analysts, managers, and leaders.

The [Center for Space Research and Assurance \(CSRA\)](#) is focused on delivering highly-valued resilient, responsive and reliable space capabilities to the DOD and Intelligence Community through executing cutting-edge space technology development, science and space experiments in collaboration with government organizations, to meet the challenges of tomorrow by developing the technical space cadre through world-class research and immersive hands-on graduate education.

The [Center for Technical Intelligence Studies and Research \(CTISR\)](#) is focused on Air Force, DOD and Intelligence Community's scientific, technical and operational activities through graduate research programs. Activities are directed on improving technical intelligence gathering via remote sensing. Current research is focused on signature measurement, phenomenological understanding, and algorithm development for target detection and tracking, battle space combustion characterization, event classification, and material identification.

The [Center of Excellence \(COE\) for Scientific Test and Analysis Techniques \(STAT\) in Test & Evaluation \(T&E\)](#) is a reach-back T&E capability that provides advice and assistance in the application of scientific test and analysis techniques in the development of Test & Evaluation Master Plans (TEMP). The COE provides value to the PEOs/PMs across the DOD through assistance provided to the Chief Developmental Tester (T&E Program Leads) during the T&E planning, execution and assessment. The COE provides an additional resource of subject matter expertise for the program managers and chief developmental testers of Major Defense Acquisition Programs (MDAP) and Major Automated Information Systems (MAIS) during the T&E planning, execution, and assessment process.

The [Nuclear Expertise for Advancing Technologies \(NEAT\) Center](#) is a new AFIT center established on 1 May 2019. The NEAT Center's mission is to provide the nation with relevant expertise to address emergent and future nuclear warfighting capabilities across all domains. The NEAT Center will be the first place organizations turn to when they require intellectual capital, knowledge, or assistance in solving technical nuclear acquisition and warfighting challenges. The NEAT Center's vision is to be the recognized center for the development of competent and knowledgeable technical expertise and innovative research in support of present and future strategic operations.

## 2. SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS

### 2.1 FACULTY FELLOWS

**COLLINS, PETER J.**, Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering  
Fellow of Antenna Measurement and Techniques Association

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Astronautics, Fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers International

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Professional Society

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**ANDERSON, JASON R.**, MIT Leadership Academy for Engineering and Science Research Certification

**BADIRU, ADEDEJI B.**, Certified Project Management Professional (PMP), Leadership Certificate (University of Tennessee Leadership Institute), Professional Engineer (State of Oklahoma)

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**BUTLER, SAMUEL D., Lt Col**, Systems, Planning, Research, Development and Engineering Systems Engineer–Level 2 Certified

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**\*HOUPIS, CONSTANTINE H.**, Professional Engineer (State of Ohio)

**KEMPISTY, DAVID Lt Col**, Professional Engineer (State of Michigan)

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**SLAGLEY, JEREMY M.**, Board Certified Industrial Hygienist, Board Certified Safety Professional

**STEWART, BRYAN J.**, Space Professional Development Program–Level 2 Certified

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**\*Emeritus Faculty**

## **2.3 RESEARCH AND TEACHING AWARDS**

### **2.3.1 FACULTY**

**ANDERSON, JASON R.**, 2019 Military Officers Association of America Outstanding Military Professor Award

**BETTINGER, ROBERT A., Maj**, 2019 AU Nominee for Air Force Outstanding Scientist/Engineer – Mid-Career Military Field Grade Officer of the Quarter, Department of Aeronautics & Astronautics, 3rd Quarter, 2019

**BEVINS, JAMES E.**, 2019 Tau Beta Pi Outstanding Thesis Advisor

**BOHAN, BRIAN T., AND POLANKA, MARC D.**, Art in Science Award – 2019 Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Symposium (DCASS)

**BORGHETTI, BRETT J., Dr.**, EE/CE Faculty Member of the Year Award

**CHANDRAHALIM, HENGKY**, IEEE NEMS 2019 Best Paper Finalist

**COLLINS, PETER J.**, 2018 Antenna Measurement Techniques Association (AMTA) Distinguished Achievement Award recipient, Awarded at the 40th Annual AMTA Symposium, 4-9 November 2018, Williamsburg, VA: For Outstanding and Pioneering Contributions to the Practice of Antenna Design, Analysis, and Measurements

**DICKENS, JOHN M., Lt Col**, 2019 ENS Educator of the Year

**ELSHAW, JOHN J.**, 2019 Dean's Distinguished Professor Award

**FICKUS, MATTHEW C.**, ENC Instructor of the Quarter, 2019 Spring Quarter

**JACKSON, JULIE A.**, IEEE Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society 2019 Fred Nathanson Memorial Radar Award, Apr 2019.

**HESS, JOSHUAH A., Maj**, Arthur S. Flemming Award: Applied Science & Engineering, Air Education and Training Command Level (2018)

**HODSON, DOUGLAS D.**, Outstanding Achievement Award, the 2019 World Congress in Computer, Science Computer Engineering, and Applied Computing (CSCE 19), July 2019

**\*HOUPIS, CONSTANTINE H.**, Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers

**JACKSON, JULIE A.**, IEEE Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society 2019 Fred Nathanson Memorial Radar Award, Apr 2019

**JENKINS, PHILLIP R., Capt**, 2019 General Omar N. Bradley Research Fellowship in Mathematics

**KOMIVES, JEFFREY, Lt Col**, MOAA Outstanding Military Professor Award

**LANGHALS, BRENT T.**, 2018-2019 Sigma Iota Epsilon Outstanding Instructor Award

**LOPER, ROBERT D.**, SOCHE Faculty Excellence Award, Nov 2018

**LUNDAY, BRIAN J.**, 2019 Faculty Excellence Award, Southern Ohio Council of Higher Education, 2019 Professor Ezra Kotcher Award, Wright Memorial Chapter, Air Force Association, 2019 Lessons Learned Senior Civilian Professional of the Year, United States Air Force, 2018 Best Reviewer Recognition, Omega: *The International Journal of Management Science*

**MULLINS, BARRY E.**, Research Advisor for CCR-United States Cyber Command Cyberspace Research Excellence Award (Best Cyber Thesis), L. Stafira, Mar 2019

**NAVA, OMAR A., Maj**, Col Charles A. Stone Award, Apr 2019; AETC Weather Field Grade Officer of the Year, Nov 2018

**NUNNALLY, BEAU A.**, ENC Instructor of the Quarter, 2019 Winter Quarter

**POLANKA, MARC, M.D.**, AIAA Outstanding Section Award, Very Large Category, 1st Place, 2018  
AETC AF Outstanding Scientist/Engineer Educator, 2019, AFIT Innovation Award, Senior Faculty, 2019  
SAE Manly Award Winner: Best Paper, 2019, Appointed Chair of the AIAA Associate Fellows Committee  
Elected Vice-Chair of the ASME IGTI Heat Transfer Committee

**RUTLEDGE, JAMES L., Lt Col**, 2019 Air University Outstanding Scientist/Engineer–Senior Military

**SCHULDT, STEVEN J., Maj**, 2019 AFIT Leslie M. Norton Teaching Excellence Award

**SLAGLEY, JEREMY M.**, 2019 Dean's Distinguished Professor Awards, ENC Instructor of the Quarter, 2019 Spring Quarter

**WHITE, EDWARD D., III**, ENC Instructor of the Quarter, 2018 Fall Quarter, ENC Instructor of the Year, 2018-2019

**WEIR, JEFFERY D.**, 2019 Instructor of the Year, Advance Studies in Air Mobility

**WRUGGLES-WRENN, M.B.**  
Art in Science 1<sup>st</sup> Place Competition Winner, the 44th AIAA Dayton Cincinnati Aerospace Science Symposium, February 2019

**ZAGARIS, COSTANTINOS Maj**, 2018 AIAA SciTech Forum – Best Astrodynamics paper (award presented Jan 2019)

\*Emeritus Faculty

## 2.3.2 STUDENTS

**ANGELL, EMILY E., Capt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Systems Engineering and Management

**BEEMER, CODY J., Capt**, 2019 Dean's Award for the most exceptional master's thesis by a graduating student in the Department of Systems Engineering and Management, Thesis title: An Analysis of Built Environment Factors in Residences and the Associated Effects on Mental Health Symptoms of United States Veterans; Distinguished Graduate, Department of Systems Engineering and Management

**BERNER, WILLIAM C., Capt**, Ivan B. Thompson Award

**BEVERIDGE, NATHANAEL R., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Operational Sciences

**BOLLER, SCOTT A.**, Best Presentation Award – 2019 Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS); Distinguished Graduate, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics

**BRAMBLETT, LAUREN M., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Dr. James T. Moore Graduate Research Prize (MORS)

**CHESTER, DAVID, Capt**, Distinguished Graduate Award, Department of Systems Engineering and Management

**CHIARATTI, NICOLAS S., Capt**, Kittyhawk AOC Academic Research Excellence Award in Electronic Defense

**CINTRON, LEWIS A., Capt**, 2019 Dean's Award for the most exceptional master's thesis by a graduating student in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Thesis title: Modeling a Consortium-Based Distributed Ledger Network with Applications for Intelligent Transportation Infrastructure; Distinguished Graduate Award, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**CONZONETTA, DAVID, 1<sup>st</sup> Lt**, Distinguished Graduate Award, Department of Systems and Engineering Management

**CROUCH, TARA E., Capt**, Best Thesis in Fluid Mechanics, Title: Direct Numerical Simulation of Roughness Induced Hypersonic Boundary Layer Transition on a Seven Degree Half-Angle Cone, Department of Astronautics and Aeronautics

**DALLMAN, WILLIAM, Capt**, Louis F. Polk Award; Distinguished Graduate Award, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**DAVIS, RANDALL, Capt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Operational Sciences

**DEMORET, ANNA C., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, 2019 Best International Undergraduate Paper/Presentation – 2019 AIAA SciTech, January 2019

**EGNER, BRYAN V., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Advanced Technical Intelligence Association (ATIA) Student Award; American Nuclear Society Thesis Award

**ELLIS, ASHLEE N., Capt**, Lt Edwin E. Aldrin Sr. Award

**ENOS, TREVOR A., 1<sup>st</sup> Lt**, Project Management Institute Thesis Award

**EVERETT, NICHOLAS, D., Capt**, Kittyhawk AOC Academic Research Excellence Award in Information Superiority

**GAHAN, KENNETH C., Capt**, 2019 Dean's Award for the most exceptional master's thesis by a graduating student in the Dept of Aeronautics and Astronautics, Thesis title: Multi-Path Automatic Ground Collision Avoidance System for Performance Limited Aircraft with Flight Tests: Project Have MEDUSA; Distinguished Graduate, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics

**GANITANO, CRAIG S., Capt**, Distinguished Graduate Award, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**GEORGE, BRANDON, Capt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics



**THOMAS, GRANT, Capt**, Best Presentation Award: “Ground-based, Dayton Modeling and Observations in SWIR for Satellite Custody,” Optical Systems & Instrumentation Session, 2019 Advanced Maui Optical and Space Surveillance Technologies Conference (AMOS)

**HARKINS, MEGAN L., Maj**, Art in Science: 1<sup>st</sup> Place Competition Winner: 44th AIAA Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Science Symposium, February 2019

**HARRELL, WILLIAM L., Maj**, Field Grade Officer of the Year

**HARRIS, KAREN Y., MSgt**, Non-Commissioned Officer of the Year; Secretary James G. Roche Award

**HINES, PARKER A., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Dr. Anthony D’Angelo Student Leadership Award

**HORNBERGER, ZACHARY T.**, 2019 Dean’s Award for the most exceptional master’s thesis by a graduating student in the Department of Operational Sciences, Thesis title: Search and Rescue Operations Forecasting and Optimization

**JACKSON, SUNDERLIN, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics

**JENKINS, PHILLIP R., Capt**, Company Grade Office of the Year (PhD)

**JORDAN, RAMOANE E., Capt**, George K. Dimitroff Award

**KEANE, MICHAEL, Capt**, 2019 Best Technical Presentation in Materials Science – 44<sup>th</sup> Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS), March 2019

**LABEDZ, THEODORE J., Capt**, EN Student Company Grade Office of the Year (Master’s); Society of American Military Engineers (SAME) Award

**LANGHALS, BRENT T., Dr.**, SIE Instructor of the Year

**LEDWITH, MATTHEW C.**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Operational Sciences

**LEE, TAYLOR, 1<sup>st</sup> Lt**, Navigation Research Excellence Award

**MARKMAN, MATTHEW R., Capt**, International Cost Estimating and Analysis Association Thesis Award

**McREYNOLDS, BRIAN J., Maj**, Best Light-Based Thesis

**MONTEIRO, LUCIANA M., Capt**, International Student of the Year; Jerome G. Peppers Jr. Outstanding Student Award; Air University International Student Badge (Brazil)

**NUNDU, AILEEN, Capt**, Air University International Student Badge (Australia)

**PETER, TROY, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Operational Sciences

**QUARTERMONT, NICOLAS J., Capt**, Tau Beta Pi Thesis Award; Mervin E. Gross Award (AFIT Student of the Year); Distinguished Graduate, Department of Engineering Physics\

**RATHSACK, TYLOR C.**, Art in Science Award – 2019 Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium, (DCASS)

**SANDERSON, DAWN L.**, 2019 Dean’s Award for the most exceptional master’s thesis by a graduating student in the Department of Mathematics and Statistics. Thesis title: Modeling the Distribution of Lightning Strike Distances outside a Preexisting Lightning Area., 2019 Chancellor’s Award for the most exceptional master’s thesis by a graduating student. Thesis title: “Modeling the Distribution of Lightning Strike Distances outside a Preexisting Lightning Area.

**SAUNDERS, RYAN, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, AIAA Graduate Student Award for Service Excellence

**SCHMITT, COURTNEY A., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Mathematics and Statistics

**SCHULDT, STEVEN J., Maj**, Dr. Leslie M. Norton Teaching Excellence Award

**STAFIRA, LUKAS A., 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt**, Cyberspace Research Excellence Award; Distinguished Graduate Award, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**STEELE, MEGAN L.**, 2019 American Industrial Hygiene Foundation Scholarship

**SITLER, JEFFREY L.**, Lt Col Charles P. Brothers Jr. Outstanding Volunteer Service Award

**TAYLOR, FORREST D., Maj**, Center for Technical Intelligence Studies and Research Outstanding Thesis Award

**THOMAS, GRANT, Capt**, Best Presentation Award: Ground-based, Dayton Modeling and Observations in SWIR for Satellite Custody, Optical Systems & Instrumentation Session, 2019 Advanced Maui Optical and Space Surveillance Technologies Conference (AMOS)

**VERGARA, CHRISTOPHER M., Capt**, Air University International Student Badge (Australia)

**VILLARREAL, MICAH, Capt**, Distinguished Graduate, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**WEBB, JEREMIAH M., 1<sup>st</sup> Lt**, 2019 Air Force Historical Foundation Award (General Bryce Poe II Award); General Bryce Poe II Award

**ZOELLICK, CASEY L., Capt**, 2019 Dean's Award for the most exceptional master's thesis for a student graduating in the Department of Engineering Physics, These Title: Source Term Estimation of Atmospheric Pollutants Using an Ensemble of HYSPLIT Concentration Simulations; Distinguished Graduate, Department of Engineering Physics

### 3. RESEARCH STATISTICS

#### 3.1 RESEARCH AND CONSULTING MEASURES

There are measurable indicators of AFIT's contribution to the engineering and scientific community and AFIT's success in staying well informed of technical possibilities and scientific opportunities. These indicators include the number and quality of technical publications accepted by the editors of journals; the number of presentations accepted for regional, national and international conferences; the number of sponsor funded research projects conducted; and finally, the number of student Graduate Research Papers, MS theses, and PhD dissertations completed and submitted to the Defense Technical Information Center. For FY19, these output measures are shown in Tables 3.1a and 3.1b for the Departments and Centers, respectively.

**Table 3.1a Faculty Research and Sponsored Programs Output by Department**

	Graduate School, by Department						
	Graduate School (EN) Total	Math & Stats (ENC)	Electrical & Comp Eng (ENG)	Engineering Physics (ENP)	Operational Sciences (ENS)	Sys Eng & Management (ENV)	Aeronautics & Astro (ENY)
Number of Faculty (FTE)*	137	18	31	22	20	23	23
Number of Research Faculty (FTE)	11	1	2	8	0	0	0
Refereed Publication Authorships**	284	23	48	51	44	62	56
Refereed Conferences on the Basis of Full Paper Review**	138	3	55	37	7	23	13
Refereed Conferences on the Basis of Abstract Review**	227	10	20	78	47	19	53
Sponsor Funded Projects***	247	12	52	75	27	20	61
Books & Chapters in Books**	17	1	7	0	0	8	1
Patents****	36	0	11	11	0	1	13
Doctoral Dissertations Advised	30	4	6	11	5	0	4
Master's Theses Advised	217	4	59	20	44	42	48
Graduate Research Papers Advised	18	0	0	0	18	0	0

\*FTE: Full-time equivalent military and permanent civilian faculty

\*\*Publications/Presentations are counted by faculty authorships.

\*\*\*One project associated with the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs (ENR) is reflected in Graduate School (EN) Total.

\*\*\*\*Includes: Patents awarded, patent applications, and invention disclosures counted by faculty authorships.

**Table 3.1b Faculty Research and Sponsored Programs Output, by Center**

	Total All Centers	ANT	CCR	CDE	COA	CSRA	CTISR	NEAT
Number of Affiliated Faculty*	128	26	18	18	21	40	16	8
Refereed Publication Authorships**	170	23	32	23	6	50	27	9
Refereed Conferences on the Basis of Full Paper Review**	97	16	33	22	5	9	7	5
Refereed Conferences on the Basis of Abstract Review**	151	10	2	41	44	33	15	6
Sponsor Funded Projects	117	27	10	23	10	30	12	5
Books & Chapters in Books**	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Patents***	16	1	5	5	0	1	0	4
Doctoral Dissertations Advised	16	1	3	5	3	2	2	0
Master's Theses Advised	99	20	20	3	22	29	5	0
Graduate Research Papers Advised	10	0	0	0	10	0	0	0

\*Some faculty are affiliated with multiple centers.

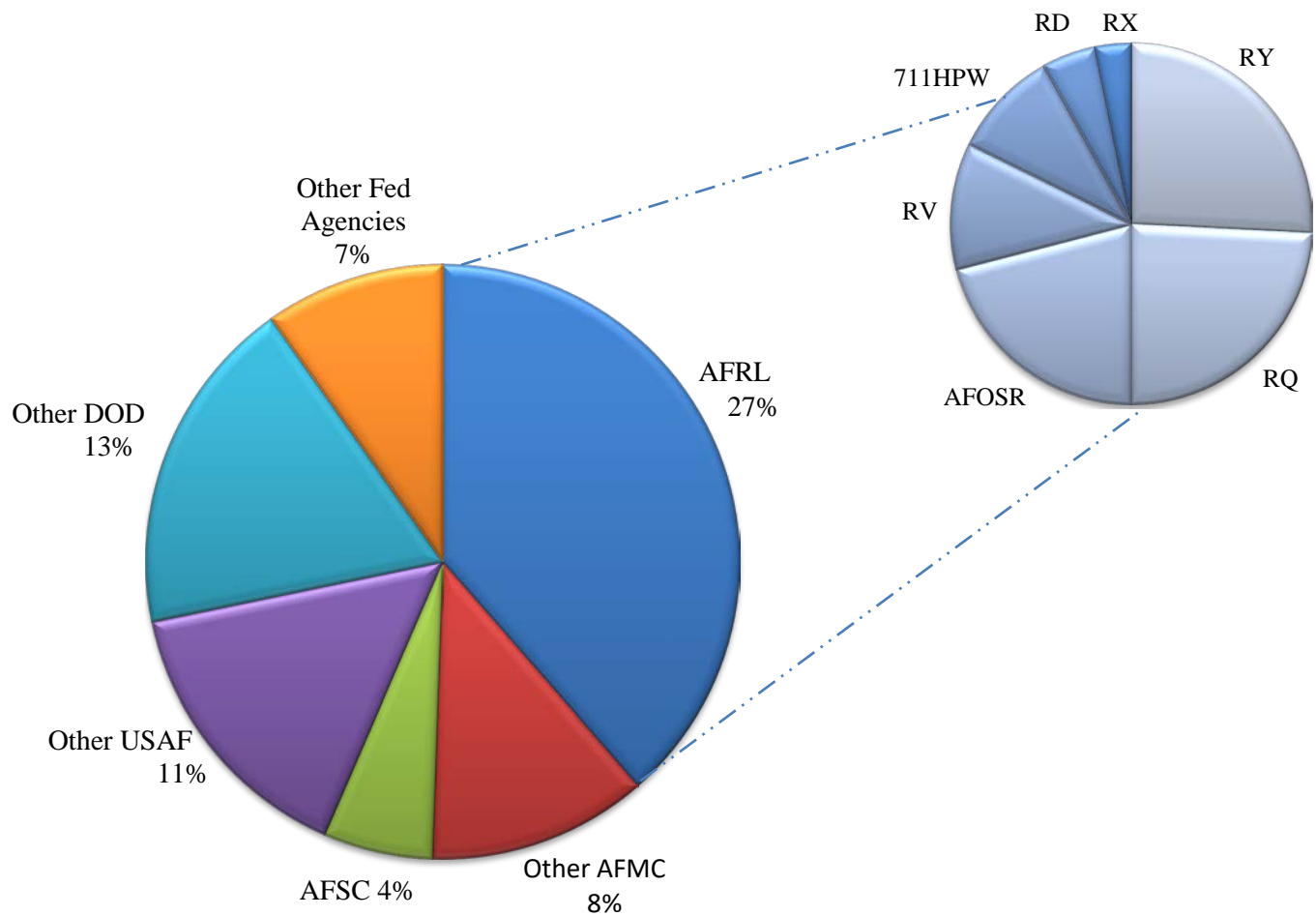
\*\*Publications/Presentations are counted by faculty authorships.

\*\*\*Includes: Patents awarded, patent applications, and invention disclosures counted by faculty authorships.

3.2 RESEARCH AND CONSULTING SPONSORSHIP

As part of an Air Force institution, the faculty members of the Air Force Institute of Technology focus their research on current problems as well as future systems of the Air Force and other DOD organizations. Evidence of this focus is that 98% of all theses, dissertations, and graduate research papers listed in Table 3.1a are externally sponsored by Air Force, DOD and government agencies. In addition, most of the research projects and consultations are carried out for Air Force and DOD units. The data are summarized in Figure 3.1 and Table 3.2.

Figure 3.1 Sponsors of AFIT Theses, Dissertations, and Graduate Research Papers



\*Pie Chart on the right shows breakdown by AFRL Technology Directorates

**Table 3.2 AFIT External Sponsorship by Organization**

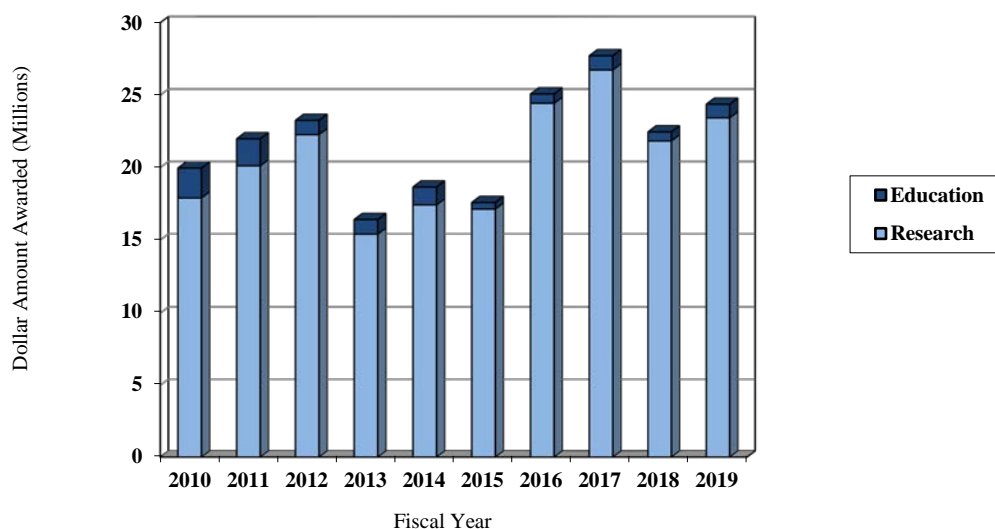
SPONSOR ORGANIZATION	PhD Dissertations	Master's Theses	Graduate Research Papers	Funded Projects
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE		1	1	1
United States Air Force Academy				1
HQ UNITED STATES AIR FORCE		2		1
AIR COMBAT COMMAND		1		
AIR EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMAND		1		
Air Force Institute of Technology	11	72	1	
AIR FORCE MATERIEL COMMAND	1	2		3
746 <sup>th</sup> Test Squadron				1
Air Force Arnold Engineering Center		1		
Air Force Civil Engineering Center		6		
Air Force Life Cycle Management Center		10		10
Air Force SEEK EAGLE Office		1		
Air Force Security Assessment Center		1		
Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL)		5		
711 Human Performance Wing (RH)	2	4		5
Air Force School of Aerospace Medicine				1
Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFOSR)		13		24
Aerospace Systems Directorate (RQ)		15		22
Directed Energy Directorate (RD)	2	1		1
Information Directorate (RI)				3
Materials & Manufacturing Directorate (RX)		2		10
Munitions Directorate (RW)	1	2		3
Sensors Directorate (RY)	2	14		16
Small Business Office (SB)		1		
Space Vehicles Directorate (RV)		7		17
Air Force Installation and Mission Support Center		1		1
Air Force Sustainment Center			1	
Strategic Development Planning and Experimentation				3
AIR MOBILITY COMMAND		1	7	
AIR FORCE SPACE COMMAND		3		
45 <sup>th</sup> Weather Squadron		5		1
Space Security and Defense Program				1
Space and Missile Systems Center		3		1
AIR FORCE SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND		1		
USAF FIELD OPERATING AGENCIES/DIRECT REPORTING UNITS				
Air Force Communications Command				2
Air Force Cost Analysis Agency		2		
Air Force Technical Applications Center		5		1
National Air and Space Intelligence Center	1	3		4
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	1	1	2	
Air Force Specialty Code		1		
Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency		1		3
Defense Intelligence Agency		1		
Defense Threat Reduction Agency	1	2		1
Directed Energy Joint Technology Office	1	1		5
High Performance Computing Modernization Program				1
Joint Aircraft Survivability Program Office				2

Joint Chiefs of Staff		1		2
Joint Warfare Analysis Center		2		1
Missile Defense Agency				1
National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency	1			1
National Guard Bureau				1
Naval Postgraduate School				2
Navy Sea Systems Command				1
Office of the Secretary of Defense		2		7
Office of Naval Research				1
United States Army	1	3		
US Army Combat Capabilities Development Command C5ISR				5
US Army Engineer Research and Development Center				1
US Army Tactical Protection System				1
United States Navy		3		
US Africa Command		3		4
US Pacific Comamnd				2
US Strategic Command	3			
US Transportation Command		2	1	1
OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES				
Department of Energy				
National Nuclear Security Administration	1			2
Department of Homeland Security	1	3		2
Department of Veterans Affairs		1		
Environmental Protection Agency		3		1
Federal Emergency Management Agency		1		
National Aeronautics and Space Administration				2
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS				
Brazilian Air Force Institute of Logistics		1		
NON-FEDERAL ORGANIZATIONS				
Achilles Technologies Solutions – Materials and Electro-chemical Research (NAVY)				1
Creare				1
Draper Laboratory				1
Lidomika, LLC				1
Lockheed Martin				2
Lockhead Martin Missiles and Fire Control		2		
Raytheon Space and Airborne Systems		1		
Spectral Sciences				1
The Boeing Company		1		
The Ohio State University Dept of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering		1		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>190</b>

### 3.3 EXTERNAL SPONSOR FUNDING FOR THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT

Many of the Graduate School of Engineering and Management's theses and research projects, completed under faculty supervision, are funded in part by other Air Force, DOD and government units and agencies. Often, this funding results from collaboration between faculty and thesis sponsors and occurs when the research project can be leveraged by the purchase of equipment or services not otherwise available. Figure 3.2 summarizes the past ten fiscal years of sponsored funding. Tables 3.3 and 3.4, and Figure 3.3, summarize external funding for FY19.

**Figure 3.2 New Award History FY10-FY19**



**Table 3.3 FY19 External Funding & Research Expenditures for Academic Departments & Research Centers (\$1,000's)**

Department	Newly Awarded Research Projects		Newly Awarded Education Projects		Total FY19 Newly Awarded Projects		Total FY19 Research Expenditures
	#	\$k	#	\$k	#	\$k	\$k
Mathematics & Statistics (ENC)	11	827	0	0	11	827	1,308
Electrical & Computer Eng (ENG)	43	5,946	3	347	46	6,293	8,915
Engineering Physics (ENP)	45	5,625	0	0	45	5,625	6,995
Research & Sponsored Programs (ENR)	1	75	0	0	1	75	-
Operational Sciences (ENS)	21	6,105	7	300	28	6,405	6,928
Systems Eng & Management (ENV)	15	975	2	243	17	1,218	1,445
Aeronautical & Astronautical Eng (ENY)	58	3,874	2	49	60	3,923	8,845
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>23,427</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>939</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>24,366</b>	<b>34,436</b>

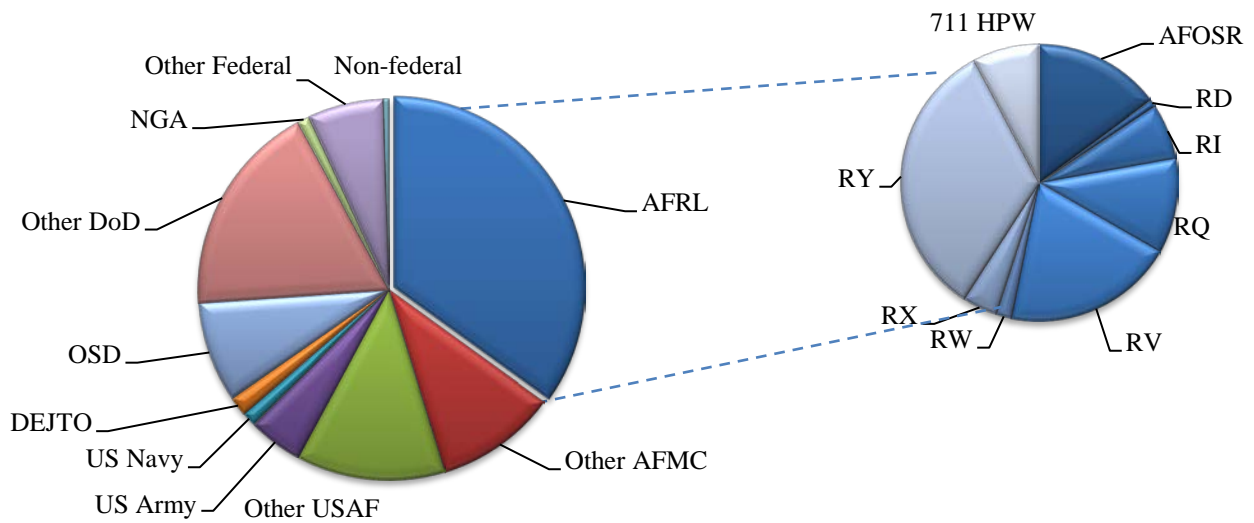
  

Center							
Autonomy and Navigation Technology (ANT)	24	3,969	3	347	27	4,316	5,048
Center for Cyberspace Research (CCR)	10	746	0	0	10	746	1,823
Center for Directed Energy (CDE)	23	2,615	0	0	23	2,615	3,107
Center for Operational Analysis (COA)	8	1,465	2	96	10	1,561	3,175
Center for Space Research and Assurance (CSRA)	29	2,589	1	15	30	2,604	3,195
Center for Tech Intel Studies & Research (CTISR)	12	2,027	0	0	12	2,027	2,181
Nuclear Expertise for Advancing Technologies (NEAT)	5	635	0	0	5	635	407
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>14,046</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>14,504</b>	<b>18,936</b>

Notes: Total research expenditures reported include institutional cost sharing, which is not included in newly awarded projects. Numbers reported to the NSF research expenditure surveys vary somewhat due to differences in definitions. All Center funds are also included in departmental funding.



**Figure 3.3 New FY19 Awards by Sponsor**



\*Pie Chart on the right shows breakdown by AFRL Technology Directorates

**Table 3.4 New FY19 Awards to Academic Departments & Research Centers by Sponsor**

Dept.	AFRL \$k	AFMC (Non-AFRL) \$k	Other USAF \$k	Other DOD \$k	Other Federal \$k	Non- Federal \$k	Total \$k
ENC	578	-	249	-	-	-	827
ENG	4,346	100	591	1,236	-	20	6,293
ENP	782	100	1486	2,766	491	-	5,625
ENR	75	-	-	-	-	-	75
ENS	990	1,994	112	2,319	940	50	6,405
ENV	469	243	237	199	70	-	1,218
ENY	1,281	70	404	2,058	70	40	3,923
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8,521</b>	<b>2,507</b>	<b>3,079</b>	<b>8,578</b>	<b>1,571</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>24,366</b>

Note: "Other DOD" in this table includes the DEJTO, OSD, NGA, NSA, US Army, and US Navy pie slices from Figure 3.3, plus funding from other DOD organizations.

Center							
ANT	2,696	-	380	1,220	-	20	4,316
CCR	520	-	211	15	-	-	746
CDE	378	100	45	2,066	26	-	2,615
COA	285	696	2	528	-	50	1,561
CSRA	456	7	315	1,826	-	-	2,604
CTISR	181	-	1,415	431	-	-	2,027
NEAT	-	-	100	110	425	-	635
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,516</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>2,468</b>	<b>6,196</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>14,504</b>

Note: All Center funds are also included in departmental funding

## **4. SPONSORSHIP OF STUDENT RESEARCH**

### **4.1 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE**

#### **Master's Theses**

ADDERLEY, NIKOLAI A., Graph-Based Temporal Analysis in Digital Forensics. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-005.  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gilbert L. Peterson. Sponsor: DC3/DC. [CCR]

#### **Graduate Papers**

RUSSELL, KRISTIN M., An Evaluation of Total Force C-130 Fleet Utilization. AFIT-ENS-MS-19-J-048. Faculty  
Advisor: Dr. Daniel W. Steeneck. Sponsor: USAF/A3. [COA]

### **4.2 HEADQUARTERS OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE**

#### **Master's Theses**

BOWERS, BRETT, A Study of Onboarding and Turnover Mediating Variables in US Air Force Officers. AFIT-ENV-  
MS-19-S-053. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Alfred E. Thal. Sponsor: USAF HQ/A4.

CARBONI, JOHN, The Effect of Modeling Simultaneous Events on Simulation Results. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-014.  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Douglas D. Hodson. Sponsor: HQ USAF.

### **4.3 AIR COMBAT COMMAND**

#### **49<sup>th</sup> OPERATIONS GROUP**

#### **Master's Theses**

GILTS, ERIKA, A Simulation Approach to Address MQ-9 Flying Training Unit Manning Shortfalls. AFIT-ENS-MS-  
19-M-116. Faculty Advisor: Maj Thomas P. Talafuse. Sponsor: 9<sup>th</sup> Attack Squadron.

### **4.4 AIR EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMAND**

#### **Master's Theses**

MEYER, KEISHA A., Does Age, Gender, or Race Affect Undergraduate Pilot Training Attrition or Composite  
Scores? AFIT-ENS-MS-19-M-140. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Jason R. Anderson. Sponsor: AETC/Det21. [COA]

#### **AIR FORCE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

#### **Doctoral Dissertations**

DODSON, TABITHA, Investigations of Point Defects in KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> Crystals Using Ab Initio Quantum Methods.  
AFIT-ENP-DS-19-S-021. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Nancy C. Giles. Sponsor: N/A.

EVERS, AARON, A Generalized Phase Gradient Autofocus Algorithm. AFIT-ENG-DS-19-M-025. Faculty Advisor:  
Dr. Julie A. Jackson. Sponsor: N/A.

HAMILTON, NICOLAS S., Adaptive-Hybrid Redundancy for Radiation Hardening. AFIT-ENG-DS-19-S-005.  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

JURADO, JUAN D., Autonomous and Resilient Management of All-Source Sensors for Navigation Assurance. AFIT-ENG-DS-19-S-006. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: N/A. [ANT]

KEMNITZ, RYAN A., Mechanical Behavior and the Effects of the Space Environment. AFIT-ENV-DS-18-D-036. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A. [CSRA]

LENYK, CHRISTOPHER, Point Defects in Lithium Gallate and Gallium Oxide. AFIT-ENP-DS-19-S-023. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Nancy C. Giles. Sponsor: AFIT/EN.

LLOYD, ROBERT L., Numerical Simulation of Unstable Laser Resonators with a High-Gain Medium. AFIT-ENP-DS-19-S-024. Faculty Advisor: Dr. David E. Weeks. Sponsor: N/A. [CDE]

SCHERRER, ELIZABETH, Optical and Electron Paramagnetic Resonance Characterization of Point Defects in Semiconductors. AFIT-ENP-DS-19-M-091. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Nancy C. Giles. Sponsor: N/A.

SEIDERS, MATTHEW, Dimension-Breaking for Traveling Waves in Interfacial Flows. AFIT-ENC-DS-19-S-002. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Benjamin F. Akers. Sponsor: N/A.

STONE, BRENT J., Enabling Auditing and Intrusion Detection for Proprietary Controller Area Networks. AFIT-ENG-DS-18-D-003. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

TURNER, JONATHAN, An Efficient Search-Based Algorithm. AFIT-ENC-DS-19-J-074. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Andrew J. Geyer. Sponsor: N/A.

#### **Master's Theses**

ALAJMI, ABDULAZIZ, RSAF C-130 Part Cancellation Process Analysis. AFIT-ENS-MS-19-S-032. Faculty Advisor: Dr. William A. Cunningham. Sponsor: N/A.

ALSHAMMARI, DHAHER M., Trust and Suspicion as a Function of Cyber Security in Human Machine Team (HMT) of Unmanned Systems. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-S-051. Faculty Advisor: Dr. John J. Elshaw. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

ALQAHTANI, AHMED, Saudi Arabia Progression Toward Renewable Energy According to its Vision 2030. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-S-050. Faculty Advisor: Dr. William A. Cunningham. Sponsor: N/A.

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### 5.1.3 FACULTY BIOGRAPHIES & RESEARCH OUTPUT

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#### **BETTINGER, ROBERT A., Maj**

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#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Launch Site Optimization Study for Launch-On-Demand System.” Sponsor: SDPE. Funding: \$20,002. [CSRA]

“Spacecraft Survivability, Reliability, and Rendezvous (S2R2) Short Course.” Sponsor: NASIC. Funding: \$7,500 - Bettinger 50%, Hess 50%. [CSRA]

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“Attitude Determination using Terrestrial Illumination Matching.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$40,000. [CSRA]

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“Evaluation of Process Impacts on Carbon Nanotube Properties.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$97,750 - Hartsfield 50%, O'Hara 50%. [CSRA]

“Satellite Structures Built in Space.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$96,250. [CSRA]

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Anderson, W., Heister, S., and Hartsfield, C., “Experimental Study of a Hypergolically Ignited Liquid Bipropellant Rotating Detonation Rocket Engine,” *57<sup>th</sup> Aerospace Sciences Meeting*, 6, Jan 2019. [CSRA]

Winter, M., Koch, H., Green, R., and Hartsfield, C., “Direct Inertial Electrostatic Confinement Propulsion at Low Power Levels,” *36th International Electric Propulsion Conference*, 15, Sep 2019. [CSRA]

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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“Satellite Pursuit-Evasion Differential Games.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$20,000. [CSRA]

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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George, B.C., Hess, J.A., and Cobb, R.G., "Evolutionary Neurocontrol for Spacecraft Proximity Operations," 29<sup>th</sup> AAS/AIAA Space Flight Mechanics Meeting, Kaanapali, Maui, HI, 13-17 January 2019. [CSRA]

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#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Image Processing and OD for SSA." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,000. [CSRA]

"Localization of Gnd/Space RF trans." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,000. [CSRA]

"Noise Radar CubeSat 6U CubeSat Flight Model - Phase 1." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$779,916 - Johnson 35%, Collins 35%, Hartsfield 10%, Albrecht 10%, Cobb 10%. [CSRA]

"Orbit-Dynamics Visual Servoing." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,000. [CSRA]

"Rapid CubeSat Build and Test." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$50,000. [CSRA]

"Rapid CubeSat Design, Fabrication, and Test." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$90,041 - Johnson 25%, Albrecht 25%, Cobb 25%, Hartsfield 25%. [CSRA]

“AFIT Support for Operations in Contested Space.” Sponsor: SSDP. Funding: \$140,000 - Cobb 20%, Hess 20%, Zagaris 20%, Meyer 20%, Johnson 20%. [CSRA]

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“Developing Artificial Intelligence Opponents for Contested Space Simulations.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$100,000 - Cobb 25%, Hess 25%, Johnson 25%, Curro 25%. [CSRA]

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### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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### **KEMNITZ, RYAN A., Maj**

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“Novel Hypersonic Structural Design Using AM.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$33,000 - Kemnitz 50%, Hartsfield 50%.

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#### **KEYS, ANDREW S.**

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#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“PACAF/PACOM Training, Consultation and Modeling & Simulation for Hypersonics.” Sponsor: PACOM/J85. Funding: \$32,025.

“Signature Codes for Hypersonic Modeling.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$46,000 - Komives 60%, Emmons 40%. [CSRA]

“Turbulence Modeling in Hypersonic Flows.” Sponsor: USAFA. Funding: \$73,925 - Komives 34%, Reeder 33%, Gross 33%.

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor: *ASME Journal of Engineering for Gas Turbines and Power*

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### **Patent Applications**

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

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## Sponsor Funded Research Projects

"Dynamic Data Driven Phase Optimization for Controlling Light Scattered by a Rough Surface." Sponsor: AFOSR. Funding: \$37,290 - Burgi 75%, Marciniak 15%, Oxley 10%. [CDE/CTISR]

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## BUTLER, SAMUEL D., Lt Col

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## Refereed Journal Publications

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### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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**Other Significant Research Productivity**

Presented research at classified Technical Exchange Meeting held at AFRL with 50+ participants from MIT/LL, SMC, Naval Research Laboratory, IARPA, and several universities.

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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Ferdinandus, M.R., et al., "Measurements of Optical Nonlinearities at Mid-IR Wavelengths Using a Modified Z-Scan Technique," *Conference on Lasers and Electro-Optics*, San Jose, California, Optical Society of America, 2019. [CDE]

**FIORINO, STEVEN T.**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"2019 AFIT Center for Directed Energy Summer Intern (DESI) Program." Sponsor: DEJTO. Funding: \$125,000. [CDE]

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"Airborne Aero-Optics Laboratory-Beam Control." Sponsor: DEJTO. Funding: \$120,000. [CDE]

"Atmospheric Effects Inputs for HEL JWS and JLaSE." Sponsor: OSD. Funding: \$110,000. [CDE]

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"Extended-Range Comprehensive Atmospheric Optics Sensing (ERCAOS) Experimental Campaign." Sponsor: DARPA. Funding: \$150,000. [CDE]

"Probabilistic and Predictive HEL Performance Analyses for SDPE." Sponsor: AFLCMC. Funding: \$100,000. [CDE]

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Guest Editor, Atmospheric Propagation Special Section of *Optical Engineering*, Vol. 59, Issue 8.

### **Patent Applications**

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"Meta-Optic Microlenses for Severe-Axial-Chromatic-Aberration Imaging Systems Phase 1: Metamaterial Development." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$65,067 - Marciniak 75%, Franz 25%. [CTISR]

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DELA CRUZ, MICHAEL, Designing Liquid Crystal For Optoacoustic Detection. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-023. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Hengky Chandralim. Sponsor: N/A.

DONTIGNEY, TROY B., Space Surveillance Network Design. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-J-003. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Laurence D. Merkle. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [CCR]

EVERETT, NICHOLAS D., Instantaneous Bandwidth Expansion Using Software Defined Radios. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-024. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Peter J. Collins. Sponsor: N/A. [CSRA]

FERNANDEZ, FERNANDO D., A Focal Plane Array and Electronics Model for CMOS and CCD Sensors In the AFIT Sensor and Scene Emulation Tool (ASSET). AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-026. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Bryan J. Steward. Sponsor: SMC/RS. [CTISR]

FLORES, ENOC, Improved Fabrication For Micromirror Arrays. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-027. Faculty Advisor: Maj Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: N/A.

GANITANO, GRAIG S., Confidence Inference In Defensive Cyber Operator Decision Making. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-028. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Brett J. Borghett. Sponsor: 711HPW/CL. [CCR]

GOROSPE, ANDREW, Non-Contact Height Estimation for Material Extrusion Additive Systems via Monocular Imagery. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-029. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gilbert L. Peterson. Sponsor: AFRL/RX.

GRIMM, MATTHEW A., Imitating Human Responses Via a Dual-Process Model Approach. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-030. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gilbert L. Peterson. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [CCR]

HACKER, KENNETH L., Preserving Privacy In Automotive Tire Pressure Monitoring Systems. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-031. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

HARRIS, RYAN, Side Channel Anomaly Detection in Industrial Control Systems Using Physical Characteristics of End Devices. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-032. Faculty Advisor: MSG Robert Mills. Sponsor: N/A.

HUGHES, AVIAN, Electromagnetic Characterization of Conductor-backed Media Using Stepped-iris Rectangular Waveguide. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-033. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Michael J. Havrilla. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

JAMES, KENNETH , Testing the Fault Tolerance of a Wide Area Backup Protection System using SPIN. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-034. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kenneth M. Hopkinson. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

JOHNSON, BROOKE, Machine Translation with Image Context from Mandarin Chinese to English. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-035. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Brett J. Borghetti. Sponsor: AFOSR.

KIM, KYUNG M., Monocular Visual Odometry For Fixed-Wing, Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-036. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [ANT]

KULM, JUSTIN, A Hybrid Anomaly Detection System Using a Rules-Base. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-037. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Douglas D. Hodson. Sponsor: N/A.

LASSITER, RAHN M., Physical Layer Discrimination Of Electronic Control Units Using Wired Signal Distinct Native Attribute (WS-DNA) Fingerprints. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-038. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [CCR]

LEE, TAYLOR N., Aerial Simultaneous Localization and Mapping Using Earth's Magnetic Anomaly Field. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-039. Faculty Advisor: Capt Aaron J. Canciani. Sponsor: N/A. [ANT]

LIBRANDI, ROCCO, Variable Type Inference Based On Statistical and Architectural Indications. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-040. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Andrew J. Terzuoli. Sponsor: NASIC/AC.

MARTIN, SETH A., Unguided Cyber Education Techniques Of the Non-Expert. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-041. Faculty Advisor: Mark A.Reith. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

MCQUAID, IAN, Autonomous Association of GEO RSO Observations Using Deep Neural Networks. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-042. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Laurence D. Merkle. Sponsor: N/A.

MICHAUD, PAUL, Micro-Contacts With 3-D Surfaces Made With Grayscale Lithography. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-043. Faculty Advisor: Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: N/A.

MILTON, MICHAEL, A Quantitative Analysis Of the Fusion Of 3-D Scanning LIDAR Systems and 2-D Imaging Systems. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-044. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Stephen C. Cain. Sponsor: N/A.

MONTGOMERY, MADISON J., Active Control Of a Morphing Wing Aircraft and Failure Analysis For System Reliability. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-045. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. [ANT]

MORA, EDWIN A., A Multi-Vehicle Cooperative Localization Approach For an Autonomy Framework. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-046. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C.Leishman. Sponsor: RDECOM/CERDC [ANT]

MOSBY, JOSHUA K., A Blockchain-Based Anomalous Detection System For Internet Of Things' Devices. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-047. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: DHS. [CCR]

NELSON, KALEB J., Event-Based Visual-Inertial Odometry on a Fixed-Wing Unmanned Aerial Vehicle. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-048. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [ANT]

NUNDU, AILEEN, Direct Path Interference Suppression and Received Signal Processing For OFDM Passive Radar. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-049. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Julie A. Jackson. Sponsor: AFIT/ENG.

RAMOS, JENNIFER N., Uranium Dioxide Actinide Detection Device Support Design For Space Applications. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-050. Faculty Advisor: Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: N/A. [CSRA]

RAQUET, NATHANIEL J., Analysis of Satellite Timing and Navigation Receiver Pseudorange Biases Due to Spreading Code Puncturing and Phase Optimized Constant Envelope Transmission. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-051. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Sanjeev Gunawardena. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [ANT]

ROBINSON, TORY, Characterization of Metal Contacts on Hydrothermally Synthesized Uranium Dioxide For Novel Semiconductor Applications. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-052. Faculty Advisor: Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: N/A.

SCHMITT, DARYL W., A Framework for Cyber Vulnerability Assessments of InfiniBand Networks. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-054. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [CCR]

SINN, YONG U., Unresolved Object Detection Using Synthetic Data Generation and Artificial Neural Networks. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-055. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kenneth M. Hopkinson. Sponsor: N/A. [CSRA CTISR]

SMITH, JONATHAN, Three-D Multifunctional Sensors Fabricated on Fiber Tips Using a Two-Photon Polymerization Process. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-056. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Hengky Chandralim. Sponsor: N/A.

STAFIRA, LUKAS A., Examining Effectiveness of Web-Based Internet of Things' Honeypots. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-057. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: DHS. [CCR]

STANKOWSKI, KYLE, Target Detection in Heterogeneous Clutter with Low Resolution Radar. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-S-011. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Julie A. Jackson. Sponsor: AFOSR/RT.

TAYLOR, FORREST, Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexed Waveform Effects on Passive Bistatic Radar. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-058. Faculty Advisor: Maj James R. Lievsay. Sponsor: N/A.

TOMCHO, LANDON G.M., Experimentation and Analysis Using Modern Gamification Techniques. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-061. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Mark A. Reith. Sponsor: N/A. [CCR]

UNDERWOOD, BLAINE, Plasma Treatment Method for Ohmic Contacts on Zinc Oxide Thin Film Transistors. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-062. Faculty Advisor: Maj Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

UNDERWOOD, GEORGE, A MEMS Dual Vertical Electrometer and Electric Field-Mill. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-063. Faculty Advisor: Maj Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: N/A.

VERGARA, CHRISTOPHER, Multi-Sensor Data Fusion between Radio Tomographic Imaging and Noise Radar. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-064. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard K. Martin. Sponsor: N/A.

VILLARREAL, MICAH, Confirmation Bias Estimation from Electroencephalography with Machine Learning. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-065. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Brett J. Borghetti. Sponsor: AFOSR/RT.

WALLACE, SCOUT T., Extended Kalman Filtering for Missile Live-Fire Data Analysis. AFIT-ENG-MS-18-D-004. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Scott J. Pierce. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [ANT]

WASZ, PATRICK J., Two-On-One Pursuit with a Non-Zero Capture Radius. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-066. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Meir Pachter. Sponsor: AFRL/RV. [ANT]

### 5.3.3 FACULTY BIOGRAPHIES & RESEARCH OUTPUT

Notes: Research Center affiliations are listed in [ ] if applicable.

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#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Joseph Tompkins, Stephen Cain, and David Becker, "Near Earth Space Object Detection Using Parallax as Multi Hypothesis Test Criterion," *Opt. Express* 27, pp. 5403-5419, 2019.

#### **BETANCES, JOAN A., Maj**

Electrical Engineering Division Chief, Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2016 (AFIT/ENG); BSEE, Walla Walla University, 2003; MS, Air Force Institute of Technology, 2012; PhD, Electrical Engineering, Air Force Institute of Technology, 2016. Maj Betances's research interests include software-defined radios, cognitive radios, and wireless security. He is a member of Eta Kappa Nu and Tau Beta Pi honor societies. AFIT research center affiliation(s): ANT, CCR, CSRA, and CCR. Tel. 937-255-3636 x3305, Email: [Joan.Betancesjorge@afit.edu](mailto:Joan.Betancesjorge@afit.edu)

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

Rondeau, Temple, and Betances, "DRA for CB-DNA Fingerprinting to Improve Industrial IoT Wireless Security," *Proc of the 52nd Hawaii Int'l Conf on System Sciences*, pp. 7126-7135, Jan 2019. [CCR]

B. Burfeind, R.F. Mills, S.L. Nykl, J.A. Betances, and C. Sielski, "Confidential ADS-B," *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, Mar 2019, pp. 1-11. [ANT] [CCR]

Matsui, Betances, and Betances, "Detecting Wireless Intrusion with RF Watermarks," *IEEE National Aerospace & Electronics Conference*, Dayton, OH, Jul 2019. [CCR]

#### **Patent Applications**

Rondeau, Temple, Lopez, Betances, "Passive Physical Layer Distinct Native Attribute Cyber Security Monitor," AFD-1967P, SN 62/856,784, 4 Jun: 2019.

#### **BORGHETTI, BRETT J.**

Associate Professor of Computer Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2008 (AFIT/ENG); BSEE, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, 1992; MSCS, Air Force Institute of Technology, 1996; PhD, Computer Science, University of Minnesota, 2006. Dr. Borghetti's research interests include machine learning, autonomous agents, and multi-agent systems. AFIT research center affiliation(s): ANT, CCR, and CTISR. Tel. 937-255-3636 x4612, Email: [Brett.Borghetti@afit.edu](mailto:Brett.Borghetti@afit.edu)

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Information Acquisition Deficit Detection and Mitigation through Neurophysiological-sensed Operator Patterns." Sponsor: AFOSR. Funding: \$80,340 - Borghetti 50%, Oxley 50%.

"Modeling Decision Confidence to Improve Cyber Mission Effectiveness." Sponsor: 711 HPW. Funding: \$12,375. [CCR]

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Dickey, Joshua T., Borghetti, Brett J., Junek, William, and Martin, Richard, "Beyond Correlation: A Path-Invariant Measure for Seismogram Similarity" *Seismological Research Letters*, 6 Nov 2019, DOI: 10.1785/0220190090. <https://pubs.geoscienceworld.org/srl/article-pdf/doi/10.1785/0220190090/4862061/srl-2019009.1.pdf>

Westing, Nicholas M., Borghetti, Brett J., Gross, Kevin C., "Fast and Effective Techniques for LWIR Radiative Transfer Modeling: A Dimension Reduction Approach," *Remote Sensing (MDPI)*, 9 Aug 2019, Vol. 11, Issue 6, pp. 1866-1886, DOI: 10.3390/rs11161866. <https://www.mdpi.com/2072-4292/11/16/1866/html> [CTISR]

Dickey, Joshua T., Borghetti, Brett J., and Junek, William, "Improving Regional and Teleseismic Detection for Single-Trace Waveforms Using a Deep Temporal Convolutional Neural Network Trained with an Array-Beam Catalog," *Sensors (MDPI)*, 31 Jan 2019, Vol. 19, Issue 3, pp. 597-618. DOI: 10.3390/s19030597.

Curro, Joseph A., Raquet, John F., Borghetti, Brett J., "Navigation Using VLF Signals with Artificial Neural Networks" *Navigation*, 5 Dec 2018, pp. 1-13. <https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/epdf/10.1002/navi.2664> [ANT]

## Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review

Villarreal, Micah N., Kamrud, Alexander J., Borghetti, Brett J., "Confirmation Bias Estimation from Electroencephalography with Machine Learning," *Human Factors and Ergonomics Society (HFES) Annual Conference*, Seattle, WA, 28 Oct-1 Nov 2019. [ANT] [CCR]

Skouson, Mark B., Borghetti, Brett J., Leishman, Robert C., "Ursa: A Neural Network for Unordered Point Clouds Using Constellations," *Computer Vision Conference (CVC) 2019*, Las Vegas, NV, 25-26 Apr 2019. [ANT]

Sinn, Yong U., Hopkinson, Kenneth M., Borghetti, Brett J., Steward, Bryan J., "IR Small Target Detection And Prediction with ANNs Trained Using ASSET," *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, 2-9 Mar 2019. [CTISR]

## Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review

Westing, Nicholas M., Borghetti, Brett J., Gross, Kevin C., "Analysis of Long-Wave Infrared Hyperspectral Classification Performance Across Changing Scene Illumination," *SPIE Defense and Commercial Sensing* Baltimore, MD, 14-18 April, 2019. [CTISR]

Anthony, Keith D., Borghetti, Brett J., Steward, Bryan J., "Initial Investigation into the Effect of Image Degradation on the Performance of a 3-Category Classifier Using Transfer Learning and Data Augmentation," *SPIE Defense and Commercial Sensing Conference*, Baltimore, MD, 14-18 April, 2019. [CTISR]

Berhold, J., Mark, Leishman, Robert C., Borghetti, Brett J., and Venable, Donald T., "Hyperparameter Comparison on Convolutional Neural Network for Visual Aerial Localization," *Institute of Navigation (ION) Pacific Position Navigation Timing (PNT) conference*, Honolulu, HI, 8-11 April 2019. [ANT]

## BROWN, FRANK M.

Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 1961 (AFIT/ENG); BS, MS, PhD, The Ohio State University. Dr. Brown's research interests are discrete mathematics, and operations research.

## CAIN, STEPHEN C.

Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2003 (AFIT/ENG); BSEE, University of Notre Dame, 1992; MSEE, Michigan Technological University, 1994; PhD, University of Dayton, 2001. Dr. Cain's research interests include electro-optics, remote sensing, and signal processing. Tel. 937-255-3636 x4716, Email: [Stephen.Cain@afit.edu](mailto:Stephen.Cain@afit.edu)

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Non-Linear Photo-Detector Calibration without Calibrated Sources.” Sponsor: AFOSR. Funding: \$18,424.

“Super-Resolution Imaging via an Expectation-Maximization Algorithm Designed for Dim Objects Resident with Brighter Objects.” Sponsor: AFOSR. Funding: \$38,850.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Joseph Tompkins, Stephen Cain, and David Becker, "Near Earth Space Object Detection Using Parallax as Multi-Hypothesis Test Criterion," *Opt. Express*, Vol. 27, No. 4, pp. 5403-5419, 4 Feb 2019.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Ronald Aung and Stephen Cain, “Multi-Frame Blind Deconvolution of Closely Spaced Dim Stellar Objects,” *AMOS Technical Conference*, Maui, HI, 15-19 September 2019.

### **CANCIANI, AARON J., Maj**

Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2015 (AFIT/ENG); BSEE, Air Force Academy, 2010; MSEE, Air Force Institute of Technology, 2012; PhD, Electrical Engineering, Air Force Institute of Technology, 2016. Maj Canciani’s research interests include GPS-alternative navigation systems using environmental signals, SLAM, deep learning, and vision navigation. He is a member of The Institute of Navigation (ION). AFIT research center affiliation(s): ANT. Tel. 937-255-3636 x4618, Email: [Aaron.Canciani@afit.edu](mailto:Aaron.Canciani@afit.edu)

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“High Resolution Magnetic Mapping over Naval Test Range.” Sponsor: NGA. Funding: \$250,000. [ANT]

“Navigation for A2AD, Long Range, Over Water Ingress.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$550,796 - Canciani 60%, Leishman 30%, Raquet 10%. [ANT]

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Spent summer FY19 onsite collaborating with Lincoln Lab establishing research relationships and initiating AFIT-MIT-Lincoln Lab partnerships.

### **CASEY, DANIEL J., Maj**

Assistant Professor of Computer Science, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2016 (AFIT/ENG); BS, Computer Science, United States Air Force Academy, 2006; MS, Computer Science, Southern Methodist University, 2009. Maj Casey’s research interests include software defined networking, and reverse engineering. He is a member of Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society.

### **CHANDRAHALIM, HENGKY**

Director of AFIT Nanofabrication and Characterization Facility, Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2017 (AFIT/ENG); BSC, The Ohio State University, 2000; MEng, Cornell University, 2004; MSc, Cornell University, 2008; PhD, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Cornell University, 2009. Dr. Chandralalim’s research interests include: symbiotically enhancing electronic, phononic, magnonic, and photonic microsystems, fabrication techniques for novel integrated nanosystems, optofluidics, photoacoustics, biophotonics, nonlinear optics, and optomechanics, mutually assisting micro and nanosystems, and molecular scale sensing. He is a lifetime member of the APS and SPIE, a member of the OSA, and senior member of the IEEE. Tel. 937-255-3636 x4483, Email: [Hengky.Chandralalim@afit.edu](mailto:Hengky.Chandralalim@afit.edu)

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“3-D Nanomachining of Remote Sensors on Optical Fibers.” Sponsor: AFOSR. Funding: \$50,140

“Reconfigurable Nonlinear Optical Media in Metastructural Photonics.” Sponsor: AFRL/RX. Funding: \$20,000.

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Cong Chen, Jin Yuan, Lei Wan, Hengky Chandralalim, Zhenshi Chen, Naoya Nishimura, Harunobu Takeda, Hiroaki Yoshioka, Weiping Liu, Yuji Oki, Xudong Fan, and Zhaohui Li, “Demonstration of On-Chip Quantum Dots Microcavity Lasers in a Molecularly Engineered Annular Groove,” *Opt. Lett* 44, 2019, pp. 495-498.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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Michael T. Dela Cruz, Ling Wang, and Hengky Chandralalim, “Free-Spaced-Coupled Liquid Crystalline Broadband Optoacoustic Sensors,” *IEEE International Conference on Nano/Micro Engineered and Molecular Systems (NEMS)*, 2019.

Michael T. Dela Cruz, Ling Wang, and Hengky Chandralalim, “Statistically-Designed Liquid Crystalline Molecular Cell Sensors,” *IEEE International Conference on Nano/Micro Engineered and Molecular Systems (NEMS)*, 2019.

#### **Patent Applications**

Hengky Chandralalim and Jonathan W. Smith, “Temperature-Immune Self-Referencing Fabry-Pérot Cavity Sensors,” Filed 13 Feb 2019, Serial No. 62/804,996.

Michael T. Dela Cruz and Hengky Chandralalim, “Statistically-Designed Liquid Crystalline Molecular Cell Sensors,” Filed 11 Feb 2019, Serial No. 62/803,652.

Hengky Chandralalim and Michael T. Dela Cruz, “Noncontact Liquid Crystalline Broadband Optoacoustic Sensors,” Filed 11 Feb 2019, Serial No. 62/803,630.

#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Talk: “Chip-Scale Reconfigurable Whispering-Gallery Lasers,” Department of Physics, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis, Indiana, 12 Sep, 2019.

General chair for the Foundation of Nonlinear Optics 2019 (FoNLO’19) conference.

Technical program committee member for the IEEE Transducers/Euroensors 2019 conference.

#### **COLLINS, PETER J.**

Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2006 (AFIT/ENG); BA, Bethel College, MN, 1985; BSEE, University of Minnesota, 1985; MSEE, Air Force Institute of Technology, 1990; PhD, Air Force Institute of Technology, 1996. Dr. Collins’ research interests include low observables, computational electromagnetics, radar cross section metrology, remote sensing, and electromagnetic material design and analysis. He is a senior member of the IEEE. AFIT research center affiliation(s): CSRA. Tel. 937-255-3636 x7256, Email: [Peter.Collins@afit.edu](mailto:Peter.Collins@afit.edu)

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Enabling Technologies for Radar Scattering Measurements.” Sponsor: AFRL/RX. Funding: \$138,242.

“Enabling Technologies for Advanced Munitions.” Sponsor: AFLCMC. Funding: \$100,000 - Collins 50%, Hartsfield 25%, Lingenfelter 25%.

“Enabling Technologies for Radar Scattering Measurements.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$138,242.

“Enabling Technologies for Advanced Munitions.” Sponsor: AFLCMC. FundAdvancedg: \$100,000 - Collins 50%, Hartsfield 25%, Lingenfelter 25%.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Alex Paul, Collins, P.J., and Temple, M., “Nondestructive Evaluation of Radio Frequency Connector Continuity Using Stimulated Emissions,” *ASME Jour of Nondestructive Evaluation*, Vol. 2, No. 1, Dec 2018. [CSRA]

Alex Paul, Collins, P.J., and Temple, M., “Enhancing Microwave System Health Assessment Using Artificial Neural Networks,” *IEEE Antennas and Wireless Propagation Letters*, Vol. 18, No. 11, Nov 2019. [CSRA]

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

Nicholas Everett and Collins, P.J., “Instantaneous Bandwidth Expansion Using Software Defined Radios,” *International Radar Conference*, Toulon, France, 23-27 September 2019. [CSRA]

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

2018 Antenna Measurement Techniques Association (AMTA) Distinguished Achievement Award recipient. Awarded at the 40th Annual AMTA Symposium, 4-9 November 2018, Williamsburg, VA, “For Outstanding and Pioneering Contributions to the Practice of Antenna Design, Analysis, and Measurements.”

Knisley, Alexander, Havrilla, M. J., and Collins, P.J., “A Measurement Exploration of Additively Manufactured Media,” *Material Measurement Working Group Spring Meeting*, Keysight Technologies, Santa Rosa, CA, 1 May 2019.

### **CORBELL, PHILLIP M., Lt Col**

Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 2014 (AFIT/ENG); BSEE, Southern Illinois University, 1998; MSEE, Air Force Institute of Technology, 2000; PhD, Air Force Institute of Technology, 2006. Lt Col Corbell’s research interests include electronic warfare, navigation warfare, waveform diversity, phased array, adaptive, cognitive, MIMO, multi-static MTI radar architectures, software defined radios, and other disruptive technologies. He is a member of Tau Beta Pi, Eta Kappa Nu, Alpha Lambda Delta, and IEEE. AFIT research center affiliation(s): ANT and CSRA.

### **CURRO, JOSEPH A., Capt**

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### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Advanced Tactics Development through Deep Reinforcement Learning.” Sponsor: NASIC. Funding: \$300,000. [ANT]

“Android Sensor Framework for ATAK.” Sponsor: AFRL/RI. Funding: \$130,000. [ANT]

“Deep Reinforcement Learning for Air Combat.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$30,000 [ANT]

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Established new Artificial Intelligence special study class based on emerging urgent needs by multiple sponsors.



**DAVIS, NATHANIEL J., IV**

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**DEYOUNG, MARK E., Lt Col**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Reconnaissance Improvement via Change Detection, Data Compression, & Comm Resilience Using Jetson TX1s & TX2s." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$30,780 - Graham 50%, Nykl 50%. [ANT/CCR "Cyber Resiliency at the Component Level." Sponsor: AFRL/RY. Funding: \$130,000 - Graham 50%, Betances 50% [CCR]

**Refereed Journal Publications**

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Badenhop, C.W., Graham, S.R., Mullins, B.E., and Mailloux, L.O., "Looking Under the Hood of Z-Wave: Volatile Memory Introspection for the ZW0301 Transceiver," *ACM Transactions on Cyber-Physical Systems*, Vol. 3 Issue 2, Dec 2018. [CCR]

Beyer, S.M., Mullins, B.E., Graham, S.R., and Bindewald, J.M., "Pattern-of-Life Modeling in Smart Homes," *IEEE Internet of Things Journal*, Vol. 5, Issue 6, Dec 2018. [CCR]

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Guest Editor, *ACM Digital Threats: Research and Practice*, Special Issue on the Digital Threats of Hardware Security. [CCR]

### **Patent Applications**

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### **GUNAWARDENA, SANJEEV**

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### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“SatNav Signal Monitoring and Analysis Technology Development.” Sponsor: AFRL/Ry. Funding: \$759,917. [ANT]

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"AFSIM Maturation and Capability Improvements." Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$35,948 - Hodson 50%, Peterson 50%. [ANT/CCR]

“Developing Artificial Intelligence Opponents for Contested Space Simulations.” Sponsor: AFMC/A9. Funding: \$211,047 - Hodson 30%, Gallagher 20%, Peterson 25%, Grimaila 25%. [CCR]

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### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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Associate Editor, *Journal of Defense Modeling and Simulation*.

Session Chair and Associate Editor, “Military and Defense Modeling and Simulation,” *2019 International Conference on Scientific Computing (CSC19)*, Las Vegas, NV, 29 Jul–2 Aug 2019.

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### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Silicon Photonics for Fiber Lasers.” Sponsor: AFRL/RX. Funding: \$20,000.

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### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“AI-based Strategy for Space Ops.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$40,000 - Hopkinson 50%, Betances 50%. [CSRA]

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### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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<https://www.clark.center/details/shamman/Adversarial%20Thinking> [CCR]

### **HOUPIS, CONSTANTINE H.**

Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 1952 (AFIT/ENG); BS, University of Illinois, 1947; MS, University of Illinois, 1948; PhD, University of Wyoming, 1971. Dr. Houpis' research interests include guidance and control of aerospace vehicles, application of optimal control theory to engineering systems, flight control systems, digital control systems, computational and numerical methods for control systems design, linear and nonlinear control theory, multivariable theory, and quantitative feedback theory. Dr. Houpis has published numerous technical articles and textbooks. He is a registered professional engineer and a Fellow of the IEEE.

### **JACKSON, JULIE A.**

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### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Multistatic Receiver Optimization and Target Detection.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$58,000.

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### KING, DAVID W., Lt Col

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- David King, Lukas Esterle, and Gilbert Peterson, "Entropy-Based Team Self-Organization with Signal Suppression," *Proceedings of the 2019 conference on Artificial Life*, 29 Jul–2 Aug, 2019.
- David King and Gilbert Peterson, "The Emergence of Division of Labor in Multi-Agent Systems," *Proceedings of the IEEE 2019 13<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Self-Adaptive and Self-Organizing Systems*, 16-20 June 2019.

**LAMONT, GARY B.**

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**LEISHMAN, ROBERT C.**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"ENG18-001 PNT Focused Distance Learning Electrical Engineering Master's Degree." Sponsor: 746 TS. Funding: \$80,000 - Leishman 34%, Canciani 33%, Gunawardena 33%. [ANT]

"ENG18-004 PNT Focused Distance Learning Electrical Engineering Master's Degree." Sponsor: USA CERDEC. Funding: \$80,000 - Leishman 34%, Canciani 33%, Gunawardena 33%, . [ANT]



“Morphing and Shape Adaptable Aircraft Control, Integration, and Flight Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$24,940 - Leishman 80%, Jacques 20%. [ANT]

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“Real-Time Path Planning in Constrained, Uncertain Environments.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$150,000. [ANT]

“Scorpion Suite Development and Support.” Sponsor: USA/ISR. Funding: \$225,000 - Leishman 50%, Taylor 50%. [ANT]

“Scorpion Support for AgilePod Flight Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$200,000. [ANT]

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Led the development of several new sponsored research endeavors as the new ANT Center Director.

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

F.D. Taylor, and J.R. Lievsay, "LTE Bandwidth and Modulation Scheme Effects on Passive Bistatic Radar," *2018 52nd Asilomar Conference on Signals, Systems, and Computers*, Pacific Grove, CA, USA, Oct, 2018, pp. 916-919.

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Classification Methods and Passive Augmentation of Spectropolarimetric LADAR." Sponsor: AFRL/RW. Funding: \$67,543.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

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**Patents Awarded**

Richard K. Martin, "Methods for Radio Tomographic Image Formation," United States Patent 10,386,499 issued on 20 Aug 2019.

**MAYBECK, PETER S.**

Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, AFIT Appointment Date: 1973 (AFIT/ENG); BS, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1968; PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1972. Dr. Maybeck's research interests include optimal estimation and stochastic control Kalman filtering, adaptive estimation, pointing and tracking, optimally aided inertial navigation systems, and multiple model adaptive filtering. He is the author of the widely recognized three volume reference text, "Stochastic Models, Estimation and Control," and over 100 technical articles. Dr. Maybeck has received numerous national and local awards including the C. Holmes MacDonald Distinguished Young Electrical Engineering Teach and the ASEE Frederick Emmons Terman Award as the outstanding Electrical Engineering Professor in the US in 1985. He is a fellow of the IEEE. AFIT research center affiliation(s): CCR.

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**Refereed Journal Publications**

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### Refereed Journal Publications

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### Refereed Journal Publications

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Hartman, R.T. and Oxley, M.E., "A New Approach to the Exposure Science: The Promise of Total Exposure Health," *The Synergist AIHA* (American Industrial Hygiene Association), pp 30-33, Jun/Jul 2019.

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### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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James Wisnowski, James Simpson, and Darryl Ahner, "A Hitchhikers Guide to Automating Software Test," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Ethan Salgado, Darryl Ahner, and Matthew Robbins, "Can Drones Save Lives? Utilizing Heuristics Within a LSTD Algorithm to Solve a Military Inventory Routing Problem with Vehicle Loss," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Jennifer Thompson and Darryl Ahner, "Modeling Aircraft Maintenance, Loss, and Repairs for Wargaming," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Andrew Keith and Darryl Ahner, "A Game Theoretic Approach to Integrated Cyber and Air Defense," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Darryl Ahner, "Sequential Testing for Fast Jet Life Support Systems," *Defense and Aerospace Test and Analysis (DATA) Workshop*, Alexandria, VA, 10-12 Apr 2019.

Darryl Ahner, "Test and Evaluation for Autonomy," *Department of Defense Science and Technology Workshop on Environmental Security, AIAA SCITECH*, San Diego, CA, 7-11 Jan 2019.

Alexander Kline, Darryl Ahner, and Carl Parson, "Solving the Heterogeneous Multi-Stage Weapon Target Assignment Problem with Adaptive Dynamic Programming," *Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Annual Meeting*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Andrew Keith and Darryl Ahner, "Operations Assessment Planning Using Robust Partially Observable Markov Decision Processes," *Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Annual Meeting*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Editorial Board, *Military Operations Research Society*

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Darryl K. Ahner, "Executive Overview: The Scientific Test and Analysis Technique Process," Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, DC, May 2019.

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**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Glover, Adam, and Anderson, Jason, "The Aviation Technical Track: A Cure to the Air Force Pilot Shortage?" Western Decision Sciences Institute, Los Angeles, CA, 3-5 Mar 2019.

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Strategic Network Design for Base Resilience." Sponsor: AFMC/A8/A9. Funding: \$33,020 - Breitbach 45%, Cox 45%, Ahner 10%.

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Zachariah, Z., Breitbach, T., Hazen, B., and Mir, S., "Using Accelerators to Support and Integrate Supply Chain Innovations," *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Anaheim, CA, 17-20 Sep 2019.

Howard, K., Breitbach, T., "A Framework for the Strategic Alignment of Humanitarian Response and Recovery Effects," *Production and Operations Management Society Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, 2-6 May 2019.

Green, N., Breitbach, T., "An Analysis of San Juan Port Capacity and the Hurricane Maria Response," *Production and Operations Management Society Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, 2-6 May 2019.

Breitbach, T., Mir, S., Zachariah, Z., Hazen, B., "How Large Organizations Use Accelerator Programs to Support Supplier Innovation," *Production and Operations Management Society Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, 2-6 May 2019.

Zachariah, Z., Hazen, B., Mir, S., Breitbach, T., "Deriving Value from Customer-Driven Coopetition Projects," *Decision Sciences Institute Annual Conference*, Chicago, IL, 17-19 Nov 2018.

Howard, K., Joo, S., Breitbach, T., "A Meta-Analysis of Quality Management Practices and Logistics Firm Performance," *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Nashville, TN, 29 Sep – 2 Oct 2018.

Zachariah, Z., Breitbach, T., Hazen, B., Mir, S., "Coopetition and Supporting Innovation," *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Nashville, TN, 29 Sep – 2 Oct 2018.

Stanton, D.J., Hazen, B., Breitbach, T., “Blockchain for Supply Chain Management Simulation,” *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Nashville, TN, 29 Sep – 2 Oct 2018.

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Steenneck, D., Breitbach, T., “Resilient Sustainment,” *The Exceptional Release*, Issue 147, Spring 2019.

Breitbach, T., “Blockchain for Supply Chain Management,” Tech Talks, United States Special Operations Command, Tampa, FL, Feb 2019.

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Bramblett, Lauren, and Champagne, Lance, “Turbojet Range, Loiter, and Altitude Tradeoff Estimations in Efficient Modeling and Optimization Formulation,” *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

### **CIARALLO, FRANK W.**

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“F-15 Modernization Schedule Optimization.” Sponsor: AFLCMC. Funding: \$250,000 - Cox 80%, Lunday 20%.

“West Africa Logistics Network (WALN).” Sponsor: USAFRICOM. Funding: \$43,600 - Cox 50%, Breitbach 50%.

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**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

William A. Cunningham, "Basic Supply Chain Management Concepts," *Logistics Officers Association Annual Conference*, Oklahoma City, OK, 8-10 Oct 2018. [COA]

**Editorships in Professional Journals**

Editorial Review Board, *Journal of Transportation Management* [COA]

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"JWAC AFIT Interaction." Sponsor: JWAC. Funding: \$78,180 - Deckro 40%, Lunday 6%, Ahner 6%, Meyer 43%, Cobb 5%. [COA]

**Refereed Journal Publications**

William N. Caballero, Brian J. Lunday, Richard F. Deckro, and Meir N. Pachter, "Informing National Security Policy by Modeling Adversarial Inducement and its Governance," *Socio-Economic Planning Sciences*, Apr, 2019.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

William N. Caballero, Brian J. Lunday, and Richard F. Deckro, "Prospect and Regulated Prospect Games: Modeling Adversarial Inducement," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Richard F. Deckro, "Linking Human Behavior to Campaign Planning: A Discussion of Some Modeling Approaches," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Capt John A. Schlicht, Dr. Richard F. Deckro, and Dr. Matthew J. Robbins, "Major Blotto: A Staff Officer's Guide to Utilizing a Generalized Colonel Blotto Game in the Joint Planning Process," *87<sup>th</sup> Military Operations Research Society Annual Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

**DICKENS, JOHN M., Lt Col**

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**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Hwang, S., Joo, J.S., Dickens, J., "Degree of Buyer Protectiveness and Supplier Absorptive Capacity in Buyer-Driven New Product Development," *European Decision Sciences Institute Conference*, Nottingham, UK, 1-5 Jun 2019.

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**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Gallagher, Mark A., and Saunders, Randy, "Designing the Bayesian Enterprise Analysis Model (BEAM)," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Gallagher, Mark A., Fullingim, Doug, and Quick, David, "Modeling Mission Effects Chains," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Gallagher, Mark A., and Fullingim, Doug, "Air Force Warfighting Integration Center (AFWIC) Analyses," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Gallagher, Mark A., Moss, Michael, and Fullingim, Doug, "Strategy-to-Task Hierarchy for a Strategy through System Requirements Framework," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Fenn, Daniel, Lepird, John, Hall, Shane A., and Gallagher, Mark A., "Comparison of Solution Methods in Evaluating a System of Risk Assessments," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

**Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *Military Operations Research*

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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Kline, A.G., Ahner, D.K., and Hill, R.R., "The Weapon Target Assignment Problem," *Computers and Operations Research*, May, 2019.

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Deehr, J. Smith, C., and Hill, R.R., "Improving Admissions Processes through Value Focused Thinking," *Journal of Applied Operational Research*, Vol. 10, No. 1, pp. 53-65, Oct 2018.

Hill, R.R., Rupp, C.C., Jones, K.M., and Atkinson, A.D., "A Case Study in Engineering Model Validation Using New Wavelet-Based Methods," *Quality and Reliability Engineering International*, Vol. 35, No. 3, pp. 815-823, Oct 2018.

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Yost, K.J., Robbins, B.A., Perdikakis, W., Kitzmiller, C., Jones, K., and Hill, R.R., "Quantifying Parameter Variability on a Population of Aerospace Synchronous Generators," *Proceedings of the IEEE International Electric Machines and Drives Conference*, San Diego, CA, 11-15, May 2019.



Hill, R.R., Tolk, A., Hodson, D.D., and Millar, J.R., "Open Challenges in Building Combat Simulation Systems to Support Test, Analysis and Training," *Proceedings of the Winter Simulation Conference*, Piscataway, NJ, 9-12 Dec 2018.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Lessin, A.M., Lunday, B.J., and Hill, R.R., "A Trilevel Optimization Model for Integrated Air Defense System Penetration," *INFORMS Annual Meeting*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

#### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Editor, *Journal of Defense Analytics and Logistics*

Editor, *Military Operations Research*

Associate Editor, *Journal of Defense Modeling and Simulation*

Associate Editor, *Journal of Simulation*

Associate Editor, *International Journal of Mathematics in Operational Research*

Associate Editor, *Naval Research Logistics*

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#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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**Refereed Journal Publications**

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"Research, Analysis and Transition Support to the Directorate of Logistics and Sustainment/AFMC." Sponsor: AFMC/A4. Funding: \$350,000 - Joo 40%, Steeneck 25%, Boehmke 20%, Breitbach 5% . [COA]



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#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Anderson, J., Cunningham, W., and Joo, S., “Examining the Impact of the Increased Fuel Efficiency Standards on State Gas-Tax Revenues,” *Journal of Accounting and Finance*, Vol. 18, No. 6, pp. 10-23, Oct 2018.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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Zunker, C., Howard, K., and Joo, S., “A Statistical Study of the Factors Affecting Variable Shipment Costs,” *Annual POMS Conference*, Washington, DC, 2-6 May 2019.

Monteiro, L., and Joo, S., “Predicting Failures of Military Aircraft Using Survival Analysis,” *Spring Korea Industrial Engineering Society Consolidated Conference*, Gwangju, South Korea, 10-13 Apr 2019.

Hebert, T., Joo, S., and Keesling, R., “Measuring the Productivity of Aircraft Maintenance Operations Using Data Envelopment Analysis,” *Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute*, Chicago, IL, 17-19 Nov 2018.

Lee, C., and Joo, S., “Impacts of Group Purchasing Organizations and Distributors on Hospital Efficiency,” *Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute*, Chicago, IL, 17-19 Nov 2018.

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#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

P. M. LaCasse, W. Otieno, and F. Maturana, “A Survey of Feature Set Reduction Approaches for Predictive Analytics Models in the Connected Manufacturing Enterprise,” *Journal of Applied Science*, Vol. 9, No. 5, p. 843, Apr 2019.

P.M. LaCasse, W. Otieno, and F.P. Maturana, “A Hierarchical, Fuzzy Inference Approach to Data Filtration and Feature Prioritization in the Connected Manufacturing Enterprise,” *Journal of Big Data*, Vol. 5, No. 1, p. 45, Dec 2018.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

LaCasse, P., Otieno, W., Vance, G., Maturana, F., and Cvijetinovic, M., “A Defect Prediction Case Study for Printed Circuit Board Assemblies Containing Ball Grid Array Package Types,” *Surface Mount Technology Association (SMTA) International Conference Proc*, Rosemont, IL, 22-26 Sep 2019.

LaCasse, P., Otieno, W., and Maturana, F., “Operationalization of Defect Prediction Case Study in a Holonic Manufacturing System,” *International Conference on Industrial Applications of Holonic and Multi-Agent Systems (HoloMAS)*, Linz, Austria, 26-28 Aug 2019.

Otieno, W., Garantiva, J., and LaCasse, P., “Optimal One-Dimensional Free-Replacement Warranty Period for AGM Batteries,” *Proceedings of the IEEE-Explore, Annual Reliability and Maintainability Symposium*, Las Vegas, NV, 6-8 Jan 2019.

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"Personnel Recovery Asset Basing in the USAFRICOM AOR." Sponsor: USAFRICOM. Funding: \$8,820.

"Transportation and Distribution Research." Sponsor: USTRANSCOM. Funding: \$125,000.

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“West Africa Logistics Network (WALN).” Sponsor: USAFRICOM. Funding: \$43,600 - Cox 50%, Breitbach 50%.

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**Editorships in Professional Journals**

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### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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### **LONG, DAVID S.**

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#### **MCGUIRL, JOHN M.**

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#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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#### **MILLER, MICHAEL E.**

Professor of Systems Engineering, Department of Systems Engineering and Management, AFIT Appointment Date: 2010 (AFIT/ENV); BS, Ohio University, 1987; MS, Ohio University, 1989; PhD, Industrial and Systems Engineering, Virginia Tech., 1993. Dr. Miller's research interests include Human Systems Integration, Human-Automated Agent Interaction, and Application of Human Vision to Display, and Lighting Design. AFIT research center affiliation(s): ANT. Tel. 937-255-3636 x4651, Email: [Michael.Miller@afit.edu](mailto:Michael.Miller@afit.edu)

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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### **Books and Chapters in Books**

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### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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### **REITH, MARK G.**

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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Dillon, P. and Reith, M.G., “Building Irrefutable Trust throughout Computer Networks Using Blockchains,” *14th International Conference on Cyber Warfare & Security*, Stellenbosch, South Africa, Feb 2019.



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## **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Developing Standard Cost Factors Through an Analysis of Major Defense Acquisition Programs." Sponsor: NPS.  
Funding: \$25,997 - Ritschel 70%, White 30%.

## **Refereed Journal Publications**

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Angell, E., White, E.D., Ritschel, J.D., and Thal, A.E., "Analysis of Military Construction Cost Growth in Major Defense Acquisition Programs," *87th MORS Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 June 2019.

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Enos, T.A, Ritschel, J.D., White, E.D. and Drylie, S.T. (2019). “A Case Study of EPA Clauses as They Apply to Fixed Price Contracts,” *International Cost Estimation & Analysis (ICEAA) Dayton Chapter*, Thesis Presentation: 19 March 2019.

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## Sponsor Funded Research Projects

“20M AFIT GEM Civil Engineer Research.” Sponsor: AFCEC. Funding: \$198,247 - Schuldts 50%, Hoisington 50%.

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Moore, B., Schuldt, S.J., and Hoisington, A.J., “Systematic Review of Transportation Performance Assessments: A Comparison of the ASCE Infrastructure Report Card Model,” *2019 World Congress on Resilience, Reliability and Asset Management*, Singapore, 28-31 July 2019.

Filer, J. and Schuldt, S.J., “Quantifying the Environmental and Economic Performance of Remote Communities,” *7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Sustainable Development*, Rome, Italy, 4-5 Sep 2019.

Schuldt, S.J., El-Rayes, K., Soylemezoglu, A., and Garfinkle, N., “Quantifying Physical and Psychological Impacts of Explosive Attacks on Building Occupants,” *6th International Conference on Disaster Management and Human Health Risk*, Ancona, Italy, 25-27 Sep 2019.

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#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“CBRN Decon Effectiveness for EMEDS (Decon Capabilities for Far Forward Med Team).” Sponsor: 711 HPW. Funding: \$276,600 - Slagley 50%, Eninger 50%.

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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**STUBBS, JOHN E., Lt Col**

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T. McWhirter, T. Wagner, and J. Stubbs, "Ground Vehicle Energy Requirement Modeling and System Optimization," *Society of Automotive Engineers World Conference*, Detroit, MI, April 2019.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

"Advanced Treatment of Secondary Wastewater Effluents with Ultraviolet Light-Emitting Diodes," *Ohio Water Development Authority*, Co-P.I. Jan 2020 – Dec 2020, \$63,333 total awarded to AFIT.

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**Refereed Journal Publications**

P. Ramsey, D. Prigge, T. Wagner, and A.E. Thal, "Statistical Viability Analysis of United States Air Force Estimating Cost Factor for Sustainable Construction," *Journal of Advances in Civil Engineering*, Vol. 5, No. 2, 2019.

**WAGNER, TORREY J., Lt Col**

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**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Identification & Mitigation of Biodiesel Microbial Biodeterioration." Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$20,000.

"UAV Hybrid Energy System Modeling." Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$35,000.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

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D. Chester, T. Wagner, and D. Dudis, "36% Reduction in Fuel Resupply Using a Hybrid Generator & Battery System for an Austere Location," *Marine Corps Gazette—The Professional Journal of the United States Marine Corps*, Vol. 103, No. 3, March 2019.

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K. Meyer, T. Wagner, and J. Williams, "Using Wind and Hydro Power to Sustain the Off-Grid Power Supply for a 50' Cruising Sailboat," *Journal of Fundamentals of Renewable Energy and Applications*, Vol. 9, No. 1, May 2019.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

J. Kramer and T. Wagner, "Developmental Test and Requirements Best Practices of Successful Information Systems Efforts Using Agile Methods," *Defense Acquisition University Symposium*, Fort Belvoir, VA, April 2019.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

N. Thomsen, T. Wagner, A.J. Hoisington, and S.J. Schuldt, "A Sustainable Prototype for Renewable Energy: Optimized Prime-Power Generator Solar Array Replacement," *8th International Conference on Energy and Sustainability*, Portugal, Jul 2019.

T. McWhirter and T. Wagner, "Ground Vehicle Energy Requirement Modeling and System Optimization," *Society of Automotive Engineers World Conference*, Detroit, MI, April 2019.

N. Thomsen, T. Wagner, A.J. Hoisington, R. Salavani, and S.J. Schuldt, "A Sustainable Prototype for Renewable Energy," *Dayton Area Engineering Sciences Symposium*, Dayton, OH, Oct 2019.

J. Pearson, T. Wagner, and S.J. Schuldt, "Insulation Sensitivity Analysis for an Optimized Fabric Shelter Off-Grid Hybrid Energy System," *Dayton Area Engineering Sciences Symposium*, Dayton, OH, Oct 2019.

#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Created New Course: *SENG 582A Aviation Energy Systems Engineering* with co-instructors from the Air Force Research Laboratory Aerospace Systems Directorate.

J. Williams and T. Wagner, "Northern Hemisphere Horizontal Photovoltaic Power Output Data for 12 Sites," Mendeley Data, July 2019. <http://dx.doi.org/10.17632/hfhwmn8w24.5>

T. Wagner, "Optimization of Airspeeds and Altitudes for F-15E and KC-135 Coronet Missions," Presentation: Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Operational Energy, Washington D.C., 10 Jun 2019.

T. Wagner, "Optimization of Airspeeds and Altitudes for Coronet Missions," Presentation: Air Force Research Laboratory Aerospace Vehicles Directorate, Dayton, OH, 18 Jun 2019.

## **6. RESEARCH CENTER PUBLICATIONS AND FUNDING INFORMATION**

The contents of this section are duplicated data, grouped by center. The information is previously listed within each project's specific academic department.

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### 6.1.1 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

JURADO, JUAN D., Autonomous and Resilient Management of All-Source Sensors for Navigation Assurance. AFIT-ENG-DS-19-S-006. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: N/A.

### 6.1.2 MASTER'S THESES

ARAGON, ANGELITO E., Evaluating Machine Learning Techniques for Smart Home Device Classification. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-006. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: DHS.

BARBER, TAYLOR S., Performance Analysis of Angle of Arrival Algorithms Applied to Radiofrequency Direction Finding. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-008. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Sanjeev Gunawardena. Sponsor: AFRL/RW.

BEARGIE, DAVID W., Assessment of Camera Pose Estimation Using Geo-Located Images from Simultaneous Localization and Mapping. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-009. Faculty Advisor: Capt Aaron J. Canciani. Sponsor: N/A.

BERHOLD, JEDEDIAH M., Convolutional Neural Network Architecture Study for Aerial Visual Localization. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-010. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

BRAUN, ANDREW D., High Fidelity Satellite Navigation Receiver Front-End for Advanced Signal Quality Monitoring and Authentication. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-013. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Sanjeev Gunawardena. Sponsor: N/A.

COMBS, COREY A., DT&E of an Autonomous UAS Swarming Algorithm. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-168. Faculty Advisor: Dr. John M. Colombi. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

DALLMANN, WILLIAM E., Infrared and Electro-Optical Stereo Vision For Automated Aerial Refueling. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-022. Faculty Advisor: Scott L. Nykl. Sponsor: AFRL/RQ.

HERTWIG, FRED D., Search-Based vs Task-Based Space Surveillance for Ground-Based Telescopes. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-178. Faculty Advisor: Dr. John Colombi. Sponsor: N/A.

KELLY, PATRICK J., Methodology for Including Base Infrastructure in Conceptual System Analysis. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-182. Faculty Advisor: Dr. John M. Colombi.

KIM, KYUNG M., Monocular Visual Odometry For Fixed-Wing, Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-036. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

LEE, TAYLOR N., Aerial Simultaneous Localization and Mapping Using Earth's Magnetic Anomaly Field. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-039. Faculty Advisor: Capt Aaron J. Canciani. Sponsor: N/A.

MONTGOMERY, MADISON J., Active Control Of a Morphing Wing Aircraft and Failure Analysis For System Reliability. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-045. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RQ.

MORA, EDWIN A., A Multi-Vehicle Cooperative Localization Approach For an Autonomy Framework. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-046. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman.

NELSON, KALEB J., Event-Based Visual-Inertial Odometry on a Fixed-Wing Unmanned Aerial Vehicle. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-048. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert C. Leishman. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

POOLE, JONATHAN D., Product Development Process for Small Unmanned Aerial Systems. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-194. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Amy Cox.

RASK, THEODORE A., Commercialization Analysis of SBIR-Funded Technologies. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-195. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Amy Cox.

RIVERA, JUAN A., Design and Flight Test of a Path Planning Algorithm Utilizing Graph Theory for Real-Time Applications. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-241. Faculty Advisor: Dr. David R. Jacques. Sponsor: AFRL/RQ.

WALLACE, SCOUT T., Extended Kalman Filtering for Missile Live-Fire Data Analysis. AFIT-ENG-MS-18-D-004. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Scott J. Pierce. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

WASZ, PATRICK J., Two-On-One Pursuit with a Non-Zero Capture Radius. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-066. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Meir Pachter. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

### **6.1.3 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT**

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#### **BETANCES, JOAN A., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

##### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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#### **BORGHETTI, BRETT J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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**CANCIANI, AARON J., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“High Resolution Magnetic Mapping over Naval Test Range.” Sponsor: NGA. Funding: \$250,000.

“Navigation for A2AD, Long Range, Over Water Ingress.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$550,796 - Canciani 60%, Leishman 30%, Raquet 10%.

**CASEY, DANIEL J., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**COBB, RICHARD G., Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Timely Path Optimization for Enhanced Autonomy.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$25,000.

“Developing Artificial Intelligence Opponents for Contested Space Simulations.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$100,000 - Cobb 25%, Hess 25%, Johnson 25%, Curro 25%.

**COLLINS, PETER J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**COLOMBI, JOHN M., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

**CORBELL, PHILLIP M., Lt Col, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**COX, AMY M., Lt Col, Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

**GUNAWARDENA, SANJEEV, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"SatNav Signal Monitoring and Analysis Technology Development." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$759,917.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

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**HODSON, DOUGLAS D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“AFSIM Maturation and Capability Improvements.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$35,948 - Hodson 50%, Peterson 50%.

**HOPKINSON, KENNETH M., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Refereed Journal Publications**

Compton, A.J., Pecarina, J.M., Hopkinson, K.M., and Lin, A.C., “Peer Appear: A Self-Organizing Distributed Geospatial Index Supporting Collaborative World Model Construction and Maintenance,” *Elsevier Future Generation Computer Systems*, Vol. 95, June 2019, pp. 802-815.

**JACQUES, DAVID R., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Cooperative Search and Surveillance with Unmanned Agents.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$30,000 - Jacques 80%, Colombi 80%.

**LEISHMAN, ROBERT C., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“ENG18-001 PNT Focused Distance Learning Electrical Engineering Master’s Degree.” Sponsor: 746 TS. Funding: \$80,000 - Leishman 34%, Canciani 33%, Gunawardena 33%.

“ENG18-004 PNT Focused Distance Learning Electrical Engineering Master’s Degree.” Sponsor: USA CERDEC. Funding: \$80,000 - Leishman 34%, Canciani 33%, Gunawardena 33%.

“Morphing and Shape Adaptable Aircraft Control, Integration, and Flight Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$24,940 - Leishman 80%, Jacques 20%.

“Morphing and Shape Adaptable Aircraft Control, Integration, and Flight Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$39,127 - Leishman 80%, Jacques 20%.

“Morphing and Shape Adaptable Aircraft Control, Integration, and Flight Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$85,933 - Leishman 80%, Jacques 20%.

“Real-Time Path Planning in Constrained, Uncertain Environments.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$150,000.

“Scorpion Suite Development and Support.” Sponsor: USA/ISR. Funding: \$225,000 - Leishman 50%, Taylor 50%.

“Scorpion Support for AgilePod Flight Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$200,000.

**LIEVSAY, JAMES R., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**MARTIN, RICHARD K., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**MERKLE, LAURENCE D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**



**MILLER, MICHAEL E., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

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Canzonetta, D.J., and Miller, M.E., “Identifying a Possible Function for Artificial Agent Adaptation in Variable Task Rate Environments,” *International Symposium on Aviation Psychology*, Dayton, OH, May 2019.

Reis, G.A., Geiselman, E.E., and Miller, M.E., “Effects of Visual Perceptual Asymmetries on Performance While Using and Aircraft Attitude Symbolology,” *International Symposium on Aviation Psychology*, Dayton, OH, May 2019.

**NYKL, SCOTT L., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Automated Aerial Refueling: Precise Relative Navigation Using Stereo Vision, Phase 3.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$100,000.

“Automated Aerial Refueling: Precise Relative Navigation Using Stereo Vision, Phase 3.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$50,000.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

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C. Parsons, Z. Paulson, S.L. Nykl, W. Dallman, B.G. Woolley, and J. Pecarina, “Analysis of Simulated Imagery for Real-Time Vision-Based Automated Aerial Refueling,” *AIAA: Journal of Aerospace Information Systems*, Vol. 16, No. 3, pp. 77–93, Jan 2019. <https://doi.org/10.2514/1.1010658>

Z. Paulson, S.L. Nykl, J. Pecarina, and B. Woolley, “Mitigating the Effects of Boom Occlusion on Automated Aerial Refueling Through Shadow Volumes,” *The Journal of Defense Modeling and Simulation*, Vol. 16, No. 2, pp. 175–189, 018. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1548512918808408>

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- B. French, and S.L. Nykl, “Determining Virtually Simulated Aerial Refueling Fidelity Using Physically Collected Stereo Vision Images and DGPS-based Truth Data,” *Proceedings of the Institute of Navigation (ION) Joint Navigation Conference (JNC)*, ser. ION JNC '19. Long Beach, CA, USA: Institute of Navigation, July 2019.
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### **OXLEY, MARK E., Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

- Oxley, M.E. and Schubert Kabban, C.M., “Fusion within a Detection System Family,” *Proceedings of FUSION 2019*, Paper No. 1570537583, Jul 2019.

### **PACHTER, MEIR, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

- “Cooperative Control.” Sponsor: AFRL/RQ. Funding: \$40,000.

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

- M. Pachter, E. Garcia, and D. Casbeer, “Toward a Solution of the Active Target Defense Differential Game,” *Dynamic Games and Applications*, Vol. 9, No. 1, pp. 165-2016, February 2019.
- E. Garcia, D. Casbeer, and M. Pachter, “Design and Analysis of State Feedback Optimal Strategies for the Differential Game of Active Defense,” *IEEE Trans. on Automatic Control*, Vol. 64, No. 2, pp. 553-568, February 2019.
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#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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Patrick Wasz, Meir Pachter, and Khanh Pham, "Two-On-One Pursuit with a Non-Zero Capture Radius," *Mediterranean Control Conference*, Akko, Israel, 1-4 July, 2019.

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Meir Pachter, Alexander Von Moll, Eloy Garcia, David Casbeer, and Dejan Milutinovic, "Singular Trajectories in the Two Pursuers One Evader Differential Game," *ICUAS*, pp. 1153-1160, Atlanta, GA, 11-14 June, 2019.

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E. Garcia, D. Casbeer, and M. Pachter, "The Capture-the-Flag Differential Game," *Conference on Decision and Control*, Miami Beach, FL, pp. 4167-4172, 17-19 December, 2018, pp. 4167-4172.

**PETERSON, GILBERT L., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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**PIERCE, SCOTT J., Lt Col, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**RAQUET, JOHN F., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Project**

"Alternative Sensors for Non-GPS Navigation." Sponsor: Draper Laboratory. Funding: \$20,000.

"ANT Center and Laboratory Support per MOA between AFIT and AFRL." Sponsor: AFRL/R.Y. Funding: \$200,000 - Raquet 50%, Pierce 50%.

"Multi-Sensor Navigation Demonstration." Sponsor: USA CERDEC. Funding: \$300,000.

"PNT-Focused Distance Learning Electrical Engineering Master's Degree." Sponsor: AFRL/R.Y. Funding: \$100,000 - Raquet 25%, Canciani 25%, Leishman 25%, Gunawardena 25%.

“PNT-Focused Distance Learning Electrical Engineering Master's Degree.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$86,618 - Raquet 25%, Canciani 25%, Leishman 25%, Gunawardena 25%.

“Scorpion Suite Development and Support.” Sponsor: USA CERDEC. Funding: \$225,000 - Leishman 50%, Taylor 50%.

“Support for PNT Modeling and Simulation.” Sponsor: USA CERDEC. Funding: \$100,000.

**TEMPLE, MICHAEL A., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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### 6.2.1 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

HAMILTON, NICOLAS S., Adaptive-Hybrid Redundancy for Radiation Hardening. AFIT-ENG-DS-19-S-005.

Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: N/A.

KING, DAVID W., Emergent Behavior Development and Control in Multi-Agent Systems. AFIT-ENG-DS-19-S-007.

Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gilbert L. Peterson. Sponsor: AF Pentagon, Studies, Analyses and Assessments.

STONE, BRENT J., Enabling Auditing and Intrusion Detection for Proprietary Controller Area Networks. AFIT-

ENG-DS-18-D-003. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: N/A.

### 6.2.2 MASTER'S THESES

ADDERLEY, NIKOLAI A., Graph-Based Temporal Analysis in Digital Forensics. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-005.

Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gilbert L. Peterson. Sponsor: DC3/DC.

ALSHAMMARI, DHAHER M., Trust and Suspicion as a Function of Cyber Security in Human Machine Team

(HMT) of Unmanned Systems. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-S-051. Faculty Advisor: Dr. John J. Elshaw. Sponsor: N/A.

ARAGON, ANGELITO E., Evaluating Machine Learning Techniques for Smart Home Device Classification. AFIT-

ENG-MS-19-M-006. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: DHS.

BOGGS, BRANDON N., RF-DNA Fingerprinting Ping 2020i ADS-B UAT Devices Using a Low-Cost SDR. AFIT-

ENG-MS-19-M-011. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Michael A. Temple. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

BRAMLETTE, CLINT M., Cyber-Attack Drone Payload Development and Geolocation Via Directional Antennae.

AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-012. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: N/A.

BRAUN, ANDREW D., High Fidelity Satellite Navigation Receiver Front-End for Advanced Signal Quality

Monitoring and Authentication. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-013. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Sanjeev Gunawardena. Sponsor: N/A.

CHIARATTI, NICHOLAS S., Software Defined Radio (SDR) Device Discrimination Using Chip Shape-Distinct

Native Attribute (CS-DNA) Features. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-018. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Michael A. Temple. Sponsor: AFRL AFMC.

CINTRON, LUIS A., Modeling a Consortium-Based Distributed Ledger Network with Applications for Intelligent

Transportation Infrastructure. AFIT-ENG-MS-18-M-019. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

CRUZ, FRANKIE A., Near Real-Time RF-DNA Fingerprinting for ZigBee Devices Using Software Defined Radios.

AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-021. Faculty Advisor: Maj Joan A. Betances Jorge. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

DONTIGNEY, TROY B., Space Surveillance Network Design. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-J-003. Faculty Advisor: Dr.

Laurence D. Merkle. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

GANITANO, GRAIG S., Confidence Inference In Defensive Cyber Operator Decision Making. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-028. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Brett J. Borghett. Sponsor: 711HPW/CL.

GRIMM, MATTHEW A., Imitating Human Responses Via a Dual-Process Model Approach. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-030. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gilbert L. Peterson. Sponsor: AFRL/R.Y.

HACKER, KENNETH L., Preserving Privacy In Automotive Tire Pressure Monitoring Systems. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-031. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: N/A.

JAMES, KENNETH , Testing the Fault Tolerance of a Wide Area Backup Protection System using SPIN. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-034. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kenneth M. Hopkinson. Sponsor: N/A.

LASSITER, RAHN M., Physical Layer Discrimination Of Electronic Control Units Using Wired Signal Distinct Native Attribute (WS-DNA) Fingerprints. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-038. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: AFRL/R.Y.

MARTIN, SETH A., Unguided Cyber Education Techniques Of the Non-Expert. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-041. Faculty Advisor: Mark A.Reith. Sponsor: N/A.

MOSBY, JOSHUA K., A Blockchain-Based Anomalous Detection System For Internet Of Things' Devices. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-047. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: DHS.

SCHMITT, DARYL W., A Framework for Cyber Vulnerability Assessments of InfiniBand Networks. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-054. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott R. Graham. Sponsor: AFRL/R.Y.

STAFIRA, LUKAS A., Examining Effectiveness of Web-Based Internet of Things' Honeypots. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-057. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Barry E. Mullins. Sponsor: DHS.

TOMCHO, LANDON G.M., Experimentation and Analysis Using Modern Gamification Techniques. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-061. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Mark A. Reith. Sponsor: N/A.

### **6.2.3 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT**

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#### **BETANCES, JOAN A., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

##### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

Rondeau, Temple, and Betances, "DRA for CB-DNA Fingerprinting to Improve Industrial IoT Wireless Security," *Proc of the 52nd Hawaii Int'l Conf on System Sciences*, pp. 7126-7135, Jan 2019.

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Matsui, Yousuke, and Betances, Addison, "Detecting Wireless Intrusion with RF Watermarks," *IEEE National Aerospace & Electronics Conference*, Dayton, OH, Jul 2019.

##### **Patent Applications**

Rondeau, Temple, Lopez, Betances, "Passive Physical Layer Distinct Native Attribute Cyber Security Monitor," AFD-1967P, SN 62/856,784, 4 Jun: 2019.

**BORGHETTI, BRETT J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Modeling Decision Confidence to Improve Cyber Mission Effectiveness.” Sponsor: 711 HPW. Funding: \$12,375.

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

Villarreal, Micah N., Kamrud, Alexander J., Borghetti, Brett J., “Confirmation Bias Estimation from Electroencephalography with Machine Learning,” *Human Factors and Ergonomics Society (HFES) Annual Conference*, Seattle, WA, 28 Oct-1 Nov 2019.

**COLLINS, PETER J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**GRAHAM, SCOTT R., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Reconnaissance Improvement via Change Detection, Data Compression, & Comm Resilience Using Jetson TX1s & TX2s.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$30,780 - Graham 50%, Nykl 50%.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

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Hacker, K.L., Graham, S.R., and Dunlap, S.J., “Vehicle Identification and Route Reconstruction via TPMS Data Leakage,” *13th International Conference on Critical Infrastructure Protection*, Mar 2019.

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Schmitt, D.J., Graham, S.R., Sweeney, P.J., Mills, R.F., “A Cyber Vulnerability Assessment of Infiniband Networking,” *13th International Conference on Critical Infrastructure Protection*, Mar 2019.

Cintron, L.A., Graham, S.R., Hodson, D.D., and Mullins, B.E., “Distributed-Ledger Based Event Attestation for Intelligent Transportation Systems,” *14th International Conference on Cyber Warfare and Security (ICCWS 2019)*, Mar 2019.

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Guest Editor, *ACM Digital Threats: Research and Practice*, Special Issue on the Digital Threats of Hardware Security.

### **Patent Applications**

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### **GRMAILA, MICHAEL R., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

#### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Editorial Board of *Information System Security Association (ISSA) Journal*.

Assistant Editor, *The Defense Cyber Review*, Army Cyber Institute, West Point.

### **GUNAWARDENA, SANJEEV, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **HODSON, DOUGLAS D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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### **HOPKINSON, KENNETH M., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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**MAGNUS, AMY L., Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

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**MARTIN, RICHARD K., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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**MILLS, ROBERT F., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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**MULLINS, BARRY E., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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### **NYKL, SCOTT L., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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### **PACHTER, MEIR, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

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### **PETERSON, GILBERT L., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

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## **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *International Journal of Critical Infrastructure Protection*.

## **Invention Disclosures**

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## **REITH, MARK G., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

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## **SWEENEY, PATRICK J., Lt Col, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Research Supporting Weapon System Cyber Resiliency.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$24,975 - Sweeney 50%, Graham 50%.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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### **TEMPLE, MICHAEL A., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“RF-EW Systems Support.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$35,000.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **Patent Applications**

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### 6.3.1 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

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THOMAS, GRANT M., Daytime Satellite Detection for Persistent Ground-Based Custody. AFIT-ENY-DS-19-S-083. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Cobb.

THORNTON, DOUGLAS E., Digital Holography Efficiency Experiments for Tactical Applications. AFIT-ENP-DS-19-S-029. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Glen P. Perram. Sponsor: AFRL/RD.

VAN WOERKOM, TODD A., On the Pulsed Ablation of Metals and Semiconductors. AFIT-ENP-DS-19-S-030. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Glen P. Perram. Sponsor: AFRL/RD.

WALLERSTEIN, AUSTIN J., Kinetics of Higher Lying Potassium States After Excitation of the D2 Transition in the Presence of Helium. AFIT-ENP-DS-18-D-009. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Glen P. Perram. Sponsor: DEJTO.

### 6.3.2 MASTERS THESES

BROWNLEE, LAUREN E., Battle Damage Assessment with Optical Cross Section Measurements. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-S-018. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Michael A. Marciniak. Sponsor: Raytheon SAS.

ETHRIDGE, JAMES A., Computational and Experimental Development of 2D Anisotropic Photonic Crystal Metamaterials. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-077. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Michael A. Marciniak. Sponsor: AFOSR/RT.

MAO, DAVIN, Effects of Sinusoidal Phase Modulation on the Signal-to-Noise Ratio in a Digital Holography System. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-084. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Glen P. Perram. Sponsor: AFRL/RD.

WOLFMAYER, SCOTT S., Coupled Atmospheric Surface Observations with Surface Aerosol Particle Counts for Daytime Sky Radiance Quantification. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-095. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Steven T. Fiorino. Sponsor: DEJTO.

### 6.3.3 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT

Notes: Faculty Bios can be found under their respective department listings. Shared credit for funding awards is indicated by the percentages shown for each faculty member associated with the project.

#### AKERS, BENJAMIN F., Department of Mathematics and Statistics

##### Sponsor Funded Research Projects

“Applications of Radial Basis Functions.” Sponsor: AFOSR. Funding: \$34,763 - Akers 50%, Reeger 50%.

##### Refereed Journal Publications

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#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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#### **BOSE-PILLAI, SANTASRI R., Department of Engineering Physics**

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#### **BURGI, KENNETH W., Lt Col, Department of Engineering Physics**

##### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Dynamic Data Driven Phase Optimization for Controlling Light Scattered by a Rough Surface." Sponsor: AFOSR. FundPhaseg: \$37,290 - Burgi 75%, Marciniak 15%, Oxley 10%.

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#### **BUTLER, SAMUEL D., Lt Col, Department of Engineering Physics**

##### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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**FERDINANDUS, MANUEL R., Department of Engineering Physics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Airy and Non-Gaussian Beam Testbed." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$63,024 - Ferdinandus 90%, Perram 10%.

**FIORINO, STEVEN T., Department of Engineering Physics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"2019 AFIT Center for Directed Energy Summer Intern (DESI) Program." Sponsor: DEJTO. Funding: \$125,000.

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#### **6.4.4 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT**

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Ethan Salgado, Darryl Ahner, and Matthew Robbins, "Can Drones Save Lives? Utilizing Heuristics Within a LSTD Algorithm to Solve a Military Inventory Routing Problem with Vehicle Loss," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Jennifer Thompson and Darryl Ahner, "Modeling Aircraft Maintenance, Loss, and Repairs for Wargaming," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Andrew Keith and Darryl Ahner, "A Game Theoretic Approach to Integrated Cyber and Air Defense," *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

Darryl Ahner, "Sequential Testing for Fast Jet Life Support Systems," *Defense and Aerospace Test and Analysis (DATA) Workshop*, Alexandria, VA, 10-12 Apr 2019.

Darryl Ahner, "Test and Evaluation for Autonomy," *Department of Defense Science and Technology Workshop on Environmental Security, AIAA SCITECH*, San Diego, CA, 7-11 Jan 2019.

Alexander Kline, Darryl Ahner, and Carl Parson, "Solving the Heterogeneous Multi-Stage Weapon Target Assignment Problem with Adaptive Dynamic Programming," *Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Annual Meeting*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Andrew Keith and Darryl Ahner, "Operations Assessment Planning Using Robust Partially Observable Markov Decision Processes," *Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Annual Meeting*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Editorial Board, Military Operations Research Society

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Darryl K. Ahner, "Executive Overview: The Scientific Test and Analysis Technique Process," Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, DC, May 2019.

**ANDERSON, JASON R., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Glover, Adam, and Anderson, Jason, "The Aviation Technical Track: A Cure to the Air Force Pilot Shortage?" Western Decision Sciences Institute, Los Angeles, CA, 3-5 Mar 2019.

**BORGHETTI, BRETT J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Dickey, Joshua T., Borghetti, Brett J., and Juneke, William, "Improving Regional and Teleseismic Detection for Single-Trace Waveforms Using a Deep Temporal Convolutional Neural Network Trained with an Array-Beam Catalog," *Sensors (MDPI)*, Vol. 19, Issue 3, pp. 597-618, 31 Jan 2019. doi: 10.3390/s19030597

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**BREITBACH, TIMOTHY W., Maj, Department of Operational Sciences**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Strategic Network Design for Base Resilience.” Sponsor: AFMC/A8/A9. Funding: \$33,020 - Breitbach 45%, Cox 45%, Ahner 10%.

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Howard, K., Breitbach, T., “A Framework for the Strategic Alignment of Humanitarian Response and Recovery Effects,” *Production and Operations Management Society Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, 2-6 May 2019.

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Breitbach, T., Mir, S., Zachariah, Z., Hazen, B., “How Large Organizations Use Accelerator Programs to Support Supplier Innovation,” *Production and Operations Management Society Annual Conference*, Washington, DC, 2-6 May 2019.

Zachariah, Z., Hazen, B., Mir, S., Breitbach, T., “Deriving Value from Customer-Driven Coopetition Projects,” *Decision Sciences Institute Annual Conference*, Chicago, IL, 17-19 Nov 2018.

Howard, K., Joo, S., Breitbach, T., “A Meta-Analysis of Quality Management Practices and Logistics Firm Performance,” *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Nashville, TN, 29 Sep – 2 Oct 2018.

Zachariah, Z., Breitbach, T., Hazen, B., Mir, S., “Coopetition and Supporting Innovation,” *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Nashville, TN, 29 Sep – 2 Oct 2018.

Stanton, D.J., Hazen, B., Breitbach, T., “Blockchain for Supply Chain Management Simulation,” *Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Conference*, Nashville, TN, 29 Sep – 2 Oct 2018.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

Steenek, D., Breitbach, T., “Resilient Sustainment,” *The Exceptional Release*, Issue 147, Spring 2019.

Breitbach, T., “Blockchain for Supply Chain Management,” *Tech Talks, United States Special Operations Command*, Tampa, FL, Feb 2019.

**CHAMPAGNE, LANCE E. Department of Operational Sciences**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Education and Research Support for Modeling, Simulation, & Analysis.” Sponsor: SDPE. Funding: \$250,000 - Champagne 40%, Miller 30%, Lunday 30%.

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Bramblett, Lauren, and Champagne, Lance, “Turbojet Range, Loiter, and Altitude Tradeoff Estimations in Efficient Modeling and Optimization Formulation,” *Military Operations Research Society Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

**CIARALLO, FRANK W., Department of Operational Sciences**

**COX, BRUCE A., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“F-15 Modernization Schedule Optimization.” Sponsor: AFLCMC. Funding: \$250,000 - Cox 80%, Lunday 20%.

“West Africa Logistics Network (WALN).” Sponsor: USAFRICOM. Funding: \$43,600 - Cox 50%, Breitbach 50%

**DECKRO, RICHARD F., Department of Operational Sciences**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“JWAC AFIT Interaction.” Sponsor: JWAC. Funding: \$78,180 - Deckro 40%, Lunday 6%, Ahner 6%, Meyer 43%, Cobb 5%.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

William N. Caballero, Brian J. Lunday, Richard F. Deckro, and Meir N. Pachter, “Informing National Security Policy by Modeling Adversarial Inducement and its Governance,” *Socio-Economic Planning Sciences*, Apr, 2019.

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**Other Significant Research Productivity**

William N. Caballero, Brian J. Lunday, and Richard F. Deckro, “Prospect and Regulated Prospect Games: Modeling Adversarial Inducement,” *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Richard F. Deckro, “Linking Human Behavior to Campaign Planning: A Discussion of Some Modeling Approaches,” *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

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**DICKENS, JOHN M., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Hwang, S., Joo, J.S., Dickens, J., “Degree of Buyer Protectiveness and Supplier Absorptive Capacity in Buyer-Driven New Product Development,” *European Decision Sciences Institute Conference*, Nottingham, UK, 1-5 Jun 2019.

**GALLAGHER, MARK A., Department of Operational Sciences**

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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Gallagher, Mark A., and Fullingim, Doug, "Air Force Warfighting Integration Center (AFWIC) Analyses," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Gallagher, Mark A., Moss, Michael, and Fullingim, Doug, "Strategy-to-Task Hierarchy for a Strategy through System Requirements Framework," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

Fenn, Daniel, Lepird, John, Hall, Shane A., and Gallagher, Mark A., "Comparison of Solution Methods in Evaluating a System of Risk Assessments," *Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences Annual Conference*, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *Military Operations Research*

Editorial Board, *Modeling and Simulation Journal*

**HOLZMANN, TIMOTHY W., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Holzmann, T., and Smith, J.C., "The Shortest Path Interdiction Problem with Arc Improvement Recourse: A Multiobjective Approach," *Naval Research Letters*, Vol. 66, No. 3, pp. 230-252, Apr 2019.

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**JENKINS, PHILLIP R., Capt, Department of Operational Sciences**

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **LACASSE, PHILLIP M., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **LUNDAY, BRIAN J., Department of Operational Sciences**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Personnel Recovery Asset Basing in the USAFRICOM AOR.” Sponsor: USAFRICOM. Funding: \$8,820.

“Transportation and Distribution Research.” Sponsor: USTRANSCOM. Funding: \$125,000.

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *Military Operations Research*

**MILLER, JOHN O., Department of Operational Sciences**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Operational Analysis of Blue Weapons with Focus on Autonomy.” Sponsor: Lockheed Martin. Funding: \$50,000 - Miller 75%, Champagne 25%.

“SIMIO Simulation Training for AFLCMC.” Sponsor: AFLCMC. Funding: \$6,000 - Miller 50%, Hodson 50%.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

C.W. Weimer, J.O. Miller, R.R. Hill, and D.D. Hodson, “Agent Scheduling in Opinion Dynamics: A Taxonomy and Comparison Using Generalized Models,” *Journal of Artificial Societies and Social Simulation (JASSS)*, Vol. 22, No. 4, 2019.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *International Journal of Operations Research*

**PIGNATIELLO, JOSEPH J., Jr., Department of Operational Sciences**

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Vanli, O. Arda, Giroux, Rupert, Erman Ozguven, Eren, and Pignatiello, Joseph J., Jr., “Monitoring of Count Data Time Series: Cumulative Sum Change Detection in Poisson Integer Valued GARCH Models,” *Quality Engineering*, Vol. 31, No. 3, pp. 439-452, 2019.

Freels, Jason K., Timme, D. A., Pignatiello, Joseph J., Jr., Warr, Richard L., and Hill, Raymond R., “Maximum Likelihood Estimation for the Poly-Weibull Distribution,” *Quality Engineering*, May 2019.  
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Storm, Scott M., Hill, Raymond R., Pignatiello, Joseph J., Jr., White, Edward A., and Vining, Geoffrey G., "Point-Wise Model Validation Over Experimental Regions Using Regression Tolerance Intervals with Bayesian Relaxations," *Simulation: Transactions of the Society for Modeling and Simulation International*, Apr 2019. doi: 10.1177/ 0037549719844193

#### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Editorial Board, *Quality Engineering*

Editorial Board, *IIE Transactions*

Editorial Advisory Board, *International Journal of Lean Six Sigma*

**REIMAN, ADAM D., Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

**ROBBINS, MATTHEW J., Department of Operational Sciences**

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Jenkins, P.R., Robbins, M.J., and Lunday, B.J., "Approximate Dynamic Programming for Military Medical Evacuation Dispatching Policies," INFORMS Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, 4-7 Nov 2018.

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#### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *Military Operations Research*

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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### **STEENECK, DANIEL W., Department of Operational Sciences**

#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Steenneck, D., Breitbach, T., "Resilient Sustainment," *The Exceptional Release*, Issue 147, spring 2019.

### **SMITH, CHRISTOPHER M., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

### **TALAFUSE, THOMAS P., Maj, Department of Operational Sciences**

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Ledwith, M.C., Jackson, R.A., Reboulet, A.M., and Talafuse, T.P., "Ethics and Education: A Markov Chain Assessment of Civilian Education in Air Force Materiel Command," *International Journal of Responsible Leadership and Ethical Decision-Making*, Vol. 1, No. 1, pp. 25-37, 2019.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Talafuse, T.P., and Gilts, E.E., "A Simulation Approach to Address MQ-9 Flying Training Unit Manning Shortfalls," *Military Operations Research Society Annual Symposium*, Colorado Springs, CO, 17-20 Jun 2019.

### **WEIR, JEFFERY D., Department of Operational Sciences**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Cost Capability Analysis AFIT Support to Acquisition Intelligence Requirements Task Force (AIR-TF) and Headquarters Air Force A2 (HAF/A2)." Sponsor: OSD. Funding: \$450,000.

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **Editorships in Professional Journals**

Associate Editor, *Military Operations Research Journal*

Associate Editor, *IIE Transactions on Healthcare Systems Engineering*

**ZAWADZKI, MARCELO, Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

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### 6.5.1 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

KEMNITZ, RYAN A., Mechanical Behavior and the Effects of the Space Environment. AFIT-ENY-DS-18-D-036.  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A.

THOMAS, GRANT M., Daytime Satellite Detection for Persistent Ground-Based Custody. AFIT-ENY-DS-19-S-083.  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Cobb. Sponsor: SatAC

### 6.5.2 MASTER THESES

BADUI, JAIME M., Geosynchronous Satellite Systems' Delta V Allocation for Collision Avoidance Maneuvers.  
AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-203. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Cobb. Sponsor: NASIC.

BITTEL, THOMAS P., Modeling and Design Optimization of a Water Electrolysis Thruster. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-J-069. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A.

CHAVEZ, CHRISTIAN M., Optimal Natural Motion Circumnavigation Orbit Transfer Trajectories for Satellite Proximity Operations. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-208. Faculty Advisor: Maj Joshua A. Hess. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

COLE, TIFFANY D., Satellite On-Orbit Characterization Based on Inspection Relative Orbit Parameters. AFIT-ENY-MS-18-D-033. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Cobb. Sponsor: N/A.

CROUCH, SAMUEL T., Modeling Electrical Conductivity of Chemical Rocket Exhaust Plumes. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-210. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: 45 WS.

DARARUTANA, KANIT , Comparison of Novel Heuristic and Integer Programming Schedulers for the US Air Force Space Surveillance Network. AFIT-ENS-MS-19-M-108. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Bruce A. Cox. Sponsor: AFSPC/A36Z.

EVERETT, NICHOLAS D., Instantaneous Bandwidth Expansion Using Software Defined Radios. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-024. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Peter J. Collins. Sponsor: N/A.

GARLISI, CHARLES J., Performance Characterization of an Accion Systems TILE Colloid Thruster Using a Force Balance Test Stand. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-214. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A.

GEORGE, BRANDON C., Optimal and Robust Neural Network Controllers for Proximal Spacecraft Maneuvers. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-215. Faculty Advisor: Maj Joshua A. Hess. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

GOOCH, JOSHUA Y., Global Ionosonde and GPS Radio Occultation Sporadic-E Intensity and Height Comparison. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-079. Faculty Advisor: Maj Daniel J. Emmons. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

HERTWIG, FRED D., Search-Based vs Task-Based Space Surveillance for Ground-Based Telescopes. AFIT-ENV-MS-19-M-178. Faculty Advisor: Dr. John Colombi. Sponsor: N/A.

HOHNBAUM, CHARLES C., Fracture Toughness and Fatigue Crack Growth Rate Characterization of Inconel 718 Formed by Laser Powder Bed Fusion. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-220. Faculty Advisor: Maj Ryan P. O'Hara. Sponsor: AFIT/ENY

KROTT, MATTHEW J., CubeSat Payload Thermal Management Optimization. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-225. Faculty Advisor: Maj Robert A. Bettinger. Sponsor: N/A.

LEONARD, AVERY W., Sheet Velocity Measurements Using Laser Absorption Spectroscopy in a Xenon Hall Effect Thruster Plume. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-227. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: AFOSR.

LEVALLEY, ANDREW S., A Mixed Integer Programming Framework for the Fuel Optimal Guidance of Complex Spacecraft Rendezvous and Proximity Operation Missions. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-185. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Cobb.

MACCHIA, MICHAEL, Application of Metamaterials for Multifunctional Satellite Bus Enabled Via Additive Manufacturing. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-230. Faculty Advisor: Maj Ryan O'Hara. Sponsor: N/A.

MAIKELL, MEGAN, Characterization and Anomalous Diffusion Analysis of a 100W Low Power Annular Hall Effect Thruster. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-231. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A.

MERCIER, MARK R., Optimal Inspection of a Satellite with Dynamic Zone Constraints. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-234. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Kirk W. AFSPC

O'KEEFE, JAMES C., Mechanical and Vibration Damping Characterization of Hybrid Carbon Nanotube Laminates. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-235. Faculty Advisor: Maj Ryan P. O'Hara. Sponsor: N/A.

OSTMAN, JOSHUA A., Cislunar Trajectory Generation with Sun-Exclusion Zone Constraints Using a Genetic Algorithm and Direct Method Hybridization. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-S-081. Faculty Advisor: Maj Joshua A. Hess. Sponsor: N/A.

PALMER, BRIAN O., Thermal Management of Satellite Electronics Via Gallium Phase Change Heat Sink Devices. AFIT-ENY-MS-18-D-038. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A.

RAMOS, JENNIFER N., Uranium Dioxide Actinide Detection Device Support Design For Space Applications. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-050. Faculty Advisor: Maj Tod Laurvick. Sponsor: N/A.

ROUND, JOSEPH F., Variations of Heavy Ion Abundances Relative to Proton Abundances In Large Solar Energetic Particle Events. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-090. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Robert D. Loper. Sponsor: AFRL/RV.

RUNCO, JOHN J., Computational Aerothermodynamic Analysis of Satellite Trans-Atmospheric Skip Entry Survivability. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-243. Faculty Advisor: Maj Robert A. Bettinger. Sponsor: N/A.

SCHMIDT, KYRA L., Analytical Models and Control Design Approaches for a 6 DOF Motion Test Apparatus. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-245. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard Cobb. Sponsor: AFRL/RW.

SINN, YONG U., Unresolved Object Detection Using Synthetic Data Generation and Artificial Neural Networks. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-055. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kenneth M. Hopkinson. Sponsor: N/A.

TOWNLEY, TALON A., Limited-Duty-Cycle Satellite Formation Control Via Differential Drag. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-249. Faculty Advisor: Lt Col Kirk W. Johnson. Sponsor: SPAWAR SSC Pacific SIS Division.

WEBB, JEREMIAH M., Comprehensive Study of Optimal Synergetic Skip Entries with Dynamic Thrust Vectoring Control. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-251. Faculty Advisor: Maj Robert A. Bettinger. Sponsor: N/A.

WILLBURN, ZANE A., Manufacture of Fused Deposition Modeling Joints Using ULTEM 9085. AFIT-ENY-MS-19-M-252. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carl R. Hartsfield. Sponsor: N/A.

### 6.5.3 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT

Notes: Faculty Bios can be found under their respective department listings. Shared credit for funding awards is indicated by the percentages shown for each faculty member associated with the project.

#### **ALBRECHT, TIMOTHY W., Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

##### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“CubeSat-Optimized Software-Defined Flight Radio.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$100,000 - Albrecht 25%, Gunawardena 25%, Johnson 25%, Cobb 25%.

#### **AYRES, BRADLEY J., Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

#### **BETANCES, JOAN A., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

#### **BETTINGER, ROBERT A., Maj, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

##### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Attitude Determination using Terrestrial Illumination Matching.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$40,000.

“Launch Site Optimization Study for Launch-On-Demand System.” Sponsor: SDPE. Funding: \$20,002.

“Spacecraft Survivability, Reliability, and Rendezvous (S2R2) Short Course.” Sponsor: NASIC. Funding: \$7,500 - Bettinger 50%, Hess 50%.

“Jetson TX2 PC104 Board.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. FundBoardg: \$90,556 - Bettinger 40%, Hartsfield 30%, Cobb 30%.

“Policy and Geopolitical Implications of Launch-on-Demand Capabilities.” Sponsor: Air University. Funding: \$2,453.

##### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Bettinger, R.A., “Linear Model for Reentry Time Prediction of Spacecraft in Low-Eccentricity, Low Earth Orbits, *Journal of Spacecraft and Rockets*, Vol. 56, No. 5, pp. 1300-1311, September-October 2019.

Schmitt, S., and Bettinger, R.A., “The Potentiality of Space Enterprise Force Reconstitution: Nationalizing Civilian Satellites during Kinetic Conflicts,” *Air & Space Power Journal*, Vol. 33, No. 2, pp. 61-72, Summer 2019.

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Tatman, L.A., Bettinger R. A., Hess, J.A., Lingenfelter, A.J., “Orbital Debris Propagation in Solwind Anti-Satellite Event,” 2019 AIAA Science and Technology Forum and Exposition, San Diego, CA, January 2019.

Hess, J.A., Bettinger, R.A., Lingenfelter, A.J., “Spacecraft Survivability in a Catastrophic Formation Mishap, 2019 AIAA Science and Technology Forum and Exposition, San Diego, CA, January 2019.

##### **Patent Applications**

Bettinger, R.A., “Early Warning Reentry System Comprising High Efficiency Module for Determining Spacecraft Reentry Time,” U.S. Provisional Patent No. 16/352,936, March 2019.

## **Other Significant Research Productivity**

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Bettinger, R.A., "Atmospheric Reentry Hemisphere Prediction for Prograde Orbits Using Logical Disjunction," *44th AIAA Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS)*, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

Krott, M.J., and Bettinger, R.A., "CubeSat Payload Thermal Management Optimization," *44th AIAA Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS)*, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

Lomanno, C P., and Bettinger, R.A., "Utility of Modular Attitude Determination and Control Subsystems for Small Satellites," *44th AIAA Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS)*, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

Runco, J.J., and Bettinger, R.A., "Computational Aerothermodynamic Analysis of Satellite Trans-Atmospheric Skip Entry Survivability," *44th AIAA Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS)*, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

Webb, J.M., and Bettinger, R.A., "Comprehensive Study of Optimal Synergetic Skip Entries with Dynamic Thrust Vectoring Control," *44th AIAA Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS)*, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

Krott, M.J., and Bettinger, R.A., "CubeSat Payload Thermal Management Optimization," *14th Dayton Engineering Sciences Symposium (DESS)*, Dayton, OH, October 2018.

## **COBB, RICHARD G., Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"AFIT Support for Operations in Contested Space." Sponsor: SSDP. Funding: \$140,000 - Cobb 20%, Hess 20%, Zagaris 20%, Meyer 20%, Johnson 20%.

"AFIT Support for Operations in Contested Space." Sponsor: SSDP. Funding: \$160,000 - Cobb 20%, Hess 20%, Zagaris 20%, Meyer 20%, Johnson 20%.

"Developing Artificial Intelligence Opponents for Contested Space Simulations." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$100,000 - Cobb 25%, Hess 25%, Johnson 25%, Curro 25%.

"Multi-slew Constrained Dynamic Optimization." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$40,000.

"Satellite Attitude Control Testbed Upgrades." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$38,000 - Cobb 34%, Johnson 33%, Zagaris 33%.

"Space Domain Modeling & Simulation via High Performance Computing." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$212,500 - Cobb 50%, Meyer 50%.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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Felten, M.S., Colombi, J.M., Cobb, R.G., and Meyer D.W., "Multi-Objective Optimization Using Parallel Simulation for Space Situational Awareness," *Journal of Defense Modeling and Simulation*, 16(2):145-57, Apr 2019.

Denton, J.C., Hodson, D.D., Cobb, R.G., Mailloux, L.O., Grimaila, M.R., and Baumgartner, G., "A Model to Estimate Performance of Space-Based Quantum Communication Protocols including Quantum Key Distribution Systems," *Journal of Defense Modeling and Simulation*, 16(1):5-13, Jan 2019.

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Hertwig, F., Colombi, J., Cobb, R., and Meyer, D., "Search-Based vs. Task-Based Space Surveillance for Ground-Based Telescopes," *Advanced Maui Optical and Space Surveillance Technologies Conference (AMOS)*, Maui, HI, September 2019.

Thomas, G., and Cobb, R., "Ground-Based, Daytime Modeling and Observations in SWIR for Satellite Custody," *Advanced Maui Optical and Space Surveillance Technologies Conference (AMOS)*, Maui, HI, September 2019.

George, C., Hess, J., and Cobb, R., "Evolutionary Neurocontrol for Spacecraft Proximity Operations," *29th AAS/AIAA Space Flight Mechanics Meeting*, Kaanapali, HI, January 2019.

Thomas, G.M., R.G. Cobb, S.T. Fiorino, and M.R. Hawks, "SNR Modeling for Ground-Based Daytime Imaging of GEO-Satellites in the SWIR," *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, 2-9 Mar 2019.

Spendel, D.F., Hess, J.A., Johnson, K.W., and Cobb, R.G., "Parameter Study of an Orbital Debris Defender Using Two Team, Three Player Differential Game Theory," *42nd Annual AAS Guidance, Navigation, and Control Conference*, Breckenridge, CO, 31 January – 6 February 2019.

#### **COLLINS, PETER J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

##### **Refereed Journal Publications**

Alex Paul, Collins, P.J., and Temple, M., "Nondestructive Evaluation of Radio Frequency Connector Continuity Using Stimulated Emissions," *ASME Jour of Nondestructive Evaluation*, Vol. 2, No. 1, Dec 2018.

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Nicholas Everett and Collins, P.J., "Instantaneous Bandwidth Expansion Using Software Defined Radios," *International Radar Conference*, Toulon, France, 23-27 September 2019.

#### **COLOMBI, JOHN M., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

##### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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**CORBELL, PHILLIP M., Lt Col, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**COX, BRUCE A., Lt Col, Department of Operational Sciences**

**DECKRO, RICHARD F., Department of Operational Sciences**

**EMMONS, DANIEL J., Maj, Department of Engineering Physics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“GPS Radio Occultation Data.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,100.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

Nava, O.A., Emmons, D.J., and Loper, R., “Modulation of Lightning Occurrence by the Solar Wind,” *Japan Geoscience Union Meeting*, Tokyo, Japan, May 2019.

**FERDINANDUS, MANUEL R., Department of Engineering Physics**

**FIORINO, STEVEN T., Department of Engineering Physics**

**Refereed Journal Publications**

Burley, J.L., S.T. Fiorino, B.J. Elmore, and J.E. Schmidt, “A Remote Sensing and Atmospheric Correction Method for Assessing Multispectral Radiative Transfer Through Realistic Atmospheres and Clouds,” *J. Atmos. Oceanic Technol.*, 36, 203–216, DOI.org/10.1175/JTECH-D-18-0078.1.

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Bose-Pillai, S.R., J.E. McCrae, M.A. Rucci, E.M. Kwasniewski, and S.T. Fiorino, “Estimation of Fried’s Coherence Diameter from Differential Motion of Features in Time-Lapse Imagery,” *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, 2-9 Mar 2019.

Thomas, G.M., R.G. Cobb, S.T. Fiorino, and M.R. Hawks, “SNR Modeling for Ground-Based Daytime Imaging of GEO-Satellites in the SWIR,” *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, 2-9 Mar 2019.

**GRMAILA, MICHAEL R., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

**GROSS, KEVIN C., Department of Engineering Physics**

**GUNAWARDENA, SANJEEV, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**HARTSFIELD, CARL R., Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Evaluation of Process Impacts on Carbon Nanotube Properties.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$97,750 - Hartsfield 50%, O’Hara 50%.

“Satellite Structures Built in Space.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$96,250.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Shelton, T., Hartsfield, C., and Cobb, G., “Additive Manufacturing Designing to Withstand Space Launch,” *57<sup>th</sup> AIAA Aerospace Sciences Meeting*, 7 Jan 2019.

Anderson, W., Heister, S., and Hartsfield, C., “Experimental Study of a Hypergolically Ignited Liquid Bipropellant Rotating Detonation Rocket Engine,” *57<sup>th</sup> Aerospace Sciences Meeting*, 6 Jan 2019.

Winter, M., Koch, H., Green, R., and Hartsfield, C., “Direct Inertial Electrostatic Confinement Propulsion at Low Power Levels”, 36th International Electric Propulsion Conference, 15 Sep 2019.

#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Leonard, A., and Hartsfield, C., “Sheet Velocity Measurements using Laser Absorption Spectroscopy in the Plume of a Hall Effect Thruster,” Presentation; *44th Annual Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium*, Dayton, OH, March 2019. [CSRA]

Willburn, Z., and Hartsfield, C., “Manufacture of Fused Deposition Modeling Joints using Ultem 9085,” Presentation: *44th Annual Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium*, Dayton, OH, March 2019. [CSRA]

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Garlisi, C., and Hartsfield, C., “Colloid Thruster Performance Characterization Using a Force balance Test Stand,” *44th Annual Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium*, Dayton, OH, March 2019. [CSRA]

#### **HAWKS, MICHAEL R., Department of Engineering Physics**

##### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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#### **HESS, JOSHUA H., A., Maj, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

##### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Satellite Pursuit-Evasion Differential Games.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$20,000.

##### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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Newell, D.J., O'Hara R., Cobb, G.R., Palazotto, A.N., Kirka, M.M., Burggraf, L.W., and Hess, J.A., "Mitigation of Scan Strategy Effects and Material Anisotropy through Supersolvus Annealing in LPBF IN718," *Materials Science and Engineering: A*, DOI 10.1016/j.msea.2019.138230.

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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George, B.C., Hess, J.A., and Cobb, R.G., "Evolutionary Neurocontrol for Spacecraft Proximity Operations," 29<sup>th</sup> AAS/AIAA Space Flight Mechanics Meeting, Kaanapali, Maui, HI, 13-17 January 2019.

Spendel, D.F., Hess, J.A., Johnson, K.W., and Cobb, R.G., "Parameter Study of an Orbital Debris Defender Using Two Team, Three Player Differential Game Theory," 42nd Annual AAS Guidance, Navigation, and Control Conference, Breckenridge, CO, 31 January – 6 February 2019.

Bettinger, R.A., Hess, J.A., Lingenfelter, A.J., and Tatman, L., "Spacecraft Survivability in a Catastrophic Formation Mishap," AIAA Scitech Forum, San Diego, CA, 7-11 Jan 2019.

Hudson, K., Lingenfelter, A.J., and Hess, J.A., "Dynamic Mass Balancing of a Spacecraft Test Platform," AIAA Scitech Forum, San Diego, CA, 7-11 Jan 2019.

Tatman, L., Bettinger, R., Hess, J.A., and Lingenfelter, A.J., "Orbital Debris Propagation in Solwind Anti-Satellite Event," AIAA Scitech Forum, San Diego, CA, 7-11 Jan 2019.

Nesmith, A.D., Lingenfelter, A.J., Hess, J.A., and Liu, D., "Applications of Second Order Linear Differential Equations to Model a Hydrodynamic Ram Cavity," AIAA Scitech Forum, San Diego, CA, 7-11 Jan 2019.

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

George, B.C., Hess, J.A., and Cobb, R.G., "Open-and Closed-Loop Neural Network Control for Spacecraft Proximal Spacecraft Maneuvers," 44th Annual Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

**HODSON, DOUGLAS D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**HOGSED, MICHAEL R., Lt Col, Department of Engineering Physics**

**HOPKINSON, KENNETH M., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"AI-based Strategy for Space Ops." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$40,000 - Hopkins 50%, Betances 50%.

"Autonomous Systems Software." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$40,000 - Hopkins 50%, Betances 50%.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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**JACQUES, DAVID R., Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

**JOHNSON, KIRK W., Lt Col, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Image Processing and OD for SSA." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,000.

"Localization of Gnd/Space RF Trans." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,000.

“Noise Radar CubeSat 6U CubeSat Flight Model - Phase 1.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$779,916 - Johnson 35%, Collins 35%, Hartsfield 10%, Albrecht 10%, Cobb 10%.

“Orbit-Dynamics Visual Servoing.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,000.

“Rapid CubeSat Build and Test.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$50,000.

“Rapid CubeSat Design, Fabrication, and Test.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$90,041 - Johnson 25%, Albrecht 25%, Cobb 25%, Hartsfield 25%.

“AFIT Support for Operations in Contested Space.” Sponsor: SSDP. Funding: \$140,000 - Cobb 20%, Hess 20%, Zagaris 20%, Meyer 20%, Johnson 20%.

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“Developing Artificial Intelligence Opponents for Contested Space Simulations.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$100,000 - Cobb 25%, Hess 25%, Johnson 25%, Curro 25%.

“Satellite Attitude Control Testbed Upgrades.” Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$38,000 - Cobb 34%, Johnson 33%, Zagaris 33%.

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Scarcella, P., Johnson, K.W., and Hess, J.A., “Consider Filtering Applied to Maneuver Detection for Relative Orbit Determination,” *Astrodynamics Specialist Conference*, Portland, ME, 11-15 Aug 2019.

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#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Mercier, M., and Johnson, K. W., “6-DOF Constrained Optimal Satellite Inspection Trajectories,” 44<sup>th</sup> AIAA *Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium (DCASS)*, Dayton, OH, March 2019.

**KOMIVES, JEFFREY R., Lt Col, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“Signature Codes for Hypersonic Modeling.” Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$46,000 - Komives 60%, Emmons 40%.

**LAURVICK, TOD V., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**LINGENFELTER, ANDREW J., Maj, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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**LOPER, ROBERT D., Department of Engineering Physics**

**Refereed Journal Publications:**

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Loper, Robert, “Reconnection Signatures in Solar Magnetograms During the Solar Storms of 4-10 September 2017,” *Japan Geoscience Union Meeting*, 2019.

Loper, Robert, “Carrington-type Events as a Great Filter for Electronic Civilizations in the Drake Equation,” *2019 Space Weather Workshop*, 2019.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

Nava, O.A., Emmons, D.J., and Loper, R.D., “Modulation of Lightning Occurrence by the Solar Wind,” *Japan Geoscience Union Meeting*, Tokyo, Japan, May 2019.

**MAGNUS, AMY L., Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

**MAILLOUX, LOGAN O., Lt Col, Department of Systems Engineering and Management**

**MARCINIAK, MICHAEL A., Department of Engineering Physics**

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

C.D. Diaz, A.L. Franz, and M.A. Marciniak, “Frequency Analysis and Optimization of a Spectral Intermediate Image Diffractive Plenoptic Camera,” *Proc. SPIE* 10986, 10986-51, 2019.

**MCCLORY, JOHN W., Department of Engineering Physics**

**MERKLE, LAURENCE D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

T.B. Dontigney, and L.D. Merkle, "Comparison of Multi-Objective Optimization Algorithms for GEO Space Surveillance Network Architecture Design," *20th Annual Advanced Maui Optical and Space Surveillance Technologies Conference*, 2019.

**NAVA, OMAR A., Maj, Department of Engineering Physics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Correlating Lightning Obs w/ HF Noise." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$16,100.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

Nava, O.A., Emmons, D.J., and Loper, R.D., "Modulation of Lightning Occurrence by the Solar Wind," *Japan Geoscience Union Meeting*, Tokyo, Japan, May 2019.

**PETROSKY, JAMES C., Department of Engineering Physics**

**RUTLEDGE, JAMES L., Lt Col, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

**STEWART, BRYAN J., Department of Engineering Physics**

**Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

Sinn, Yong U., Hopkinson, Kenneth M., Borghetti, Brett J., Stewart, Bryan J., "IR Small Target Detection and Prediction with ANNs Trained Using ASSET," *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, 2-9 Mar 2019.

**TEMPLE, MICHAEL A., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**TERZUOLI, ANDREW J., Jr., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**WIESEL, WILLIAM E., Jr., Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

**Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Onboard SmallSat Navigation and Mission Planning." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$40,000.

**Refereed Journal Publications**

Craft, C. and Wiesel, W., "Impulsive Control of Earth Satellites on Low-Eccentricity Kolmogorov–Arnold–Moser Tori," *Journal of Guidance, Control, and Dynamics*, Vol. 42, pp. 2297-2304, 2019.

## 6.6 CENTER FOR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE STUDIES AND RESEARCH

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### 6.6.1 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

THOMAS, GRANT M., Daytime Satellite Detection for Persistent Ground-Based Custody. AFIT-ENY-DS-19-S-083. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Cobb.

THORNTON, DOUGLAS E., Digital Holography Efficiency Experiments for Tactical Applications. AFIT-ENP-DS-19-S-029. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Glen P. Perram. Sponsor: AFRL/RD.

### 6.6.2 MASTER'S THESES

ETHRIDGE, JAMES A., Computational and Experimental Development of 2D Anisotropic Photonic Crystal Metamaterials. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-077. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Michael A. Marciniak. Sponsor: AFOSR/RT.

FERNANDEZ, FERNANDO D., A Focal Plane Array and Electronics Model for CMOS and CCD Sensors In the AFIT Sensor and Scene Emulation Tool (ASSET). AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-026. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Bryan J. Steward. Sponsor: SMC/RS.

MAO, DAVIN , Effects of Sinusoidal Phase Modulation on the Signal-to-Noise Ratio in a Digital Holography System. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-084. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Glen P. Perram. Sponsor: AFRL/RD.

MCREYNOLDS, BRIAN J., A Comprehensive Test Methodology and Physics-Based Camera Model for Characterizing Neuromorphic Imagers. AFIT-ENP-MS-19-M-085. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kevin C. Gross. Sponsor: N/A.

SINN, YONG U., Unresolved Object Detection Using Synthetic Data Generation and Artificial Neural Networks. AFIT-ENG-MS-19-M-055. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kenneth M. Hopkinson. Sponsor: N/A.

### 6.6.3 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT

Notes: Faculty Bios can be found under their respective department listings. Shared credit for funding awards is indicated by the percentages shown for each faculty member associated with the project.

### BORGHETTI, BRETT J., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

#### Refereed Journal Publications

Westing, Nicholas M., Borghetti, Brett, J., Gross, Kevin C., "Fast and Effective Techniques for LWIR Radiative Transfer Modeling: A Dimension Reduction Approach", *Remote Sensing (MDPI)*, 9 Aug 2019, Vol 11, issue 6, pp. 1866-1886, DOI: 10.3390/rs11161866. <https://www.mdpi.com/2072-4292/11/16/1866/html>.

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Westing, Nicholas M., Borghetti, Brett J., Gross, Kevin C., "Analysis of Long-Wave Infrared Hyperspectral Classification Performance Across Changing Scene Illumination", *SPIE Defense and Commercial Sensing* Baltimore, MD, 14-18 April, 2019.

Anthony, Keith D., Borghetti, Brett J., Steward, Bryan J., "Initial Investigation into the Effect of Image Degradation on the Performance of a 3-Category Classifier Using Transfer Learning and Data Augmentation", *SPIE Defense and Commercial Sensing* Baltimore, MD, 14-18 April, 2019.

**BUTLER, SAMUEL D., Lt Col, Department of Engineering Physics**

**CAYLOR, MICHAEL J., Department of Engineering Physics**

**COBB, RICHARD G., Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

**DEXTER, MICHAEL L., Lt Col, Department of Engineering Physics**

**FRANZ, ANTHONY L., Lt Col, Department of Engineering Physics**

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Carlos D. Diaz, Anthony L. Franz, Michael A. Marciniak, "Frequency Analysis and Optimization of the Diffractive Plenoptic Camera," *Presentation: Proc. SPIE 10986, Algorithms, Technologies, and Applications for Multispectral, Hyperspectral, and Ultraspectral Imagery XXV*, 109861G, 14 May 2019.

**GROSS, KEVIN C., Department of Engineering Physics**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Project**

"Algorithm Development for WFOV Mission Data Processing (Phase 2 SBIR)." Sponsor: AFRL/RV. Funding: \$140,000 - Gross 20%, Steward 40%, Hawks 40%.

"Performance Analysis and Sensor Toolkit for ASSET (PASTA)." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$79,000 - Gross 10%, Steward 10%, Hawks 50%, Oxley 30%.

"Spectro-polarimetric Imaging of Disturbed Earth - Phase III." Sponsor: USA ERDC. Funding: \$176,250 - Gross 50%, Hawks 50%.

"Open Skies IR Target Study." Sponsor: NASIC. Funding: \$250,000 - Gross 5%, Hawks 75%, Marciniak 10%, Franz 10%.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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F.D. Fernandez, B.J. Steward, A.S. Kondrath, J.N. Patel, and K.C. Gross, "AFIT Sensor and Scene Emulation Tool (ASSET): FPA and Electronics Sub-Model Improvements," *MSS Parallel Conference*, Orlando, FL, 25-28 Feb 2019.

### **HAWKS, MICHAEL R., Department of Engineering Physics**

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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### **HOPKINSON, KENNETH M., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Hamman, S., and Hopkinson, K.M., "Adversarial Thinking," NSA Featured Curriculum Module, *National Security Agency's National Cybersecurity Curriculum Program*, 29 November 2018.  
<https://www.clark.center/details/shamman/Adversarial%20Thinking>

### **JACKSON, JULIE A., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **KOMIVES, JEFFREY R., Lt Col, Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Turbulence Modeling in Hypersonic Flows." Sponsor: USAFA. Funding: \$73,925 - Komives 34%, Reeder 33%, Gross 33%.

### **LIEVSAY, JAMES R., Maj, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

### **MARCINIAK, MICHAEL A., Department of Engineering Physics**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Meta-Optic Microlenses for Severe-Axial-Chromatic-Aberration Imaging Systems Phase 1: Metamaterial Development." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$65,067 - Marciniak 75%, Franz 25%.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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- C.D. Diaz, A.L. Franz, and M.A. Marciniak, "Frequency Analysis and Optimization of a Spectral Intermediate Image Diffractive Plenoptic Camera," *Proc. SPIE* 10986, 10986-51, 2019.
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**MCCLORY, JOHN W., Department of Engineering Physics**

**OXLEY, MARK E., Department of Mathematics and Statistics**

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

- Oxley, M.E. and Schubert Kabban, C.M., "Detection System Fusion Based on the Predictive Value Curve and its Variations," *Dayton-Cincinnati AIAA Aerospace Science Symposium*, Sinclair Conference Center, Dayton, OH, Mar 2019.

**PERRAM, GLEN P., Department of Engineering Physics**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

- "Digital Holography: Coherence Effects." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$72,811 - Perram 50%, Rice 50%.
- "Digital Holography: Recording Geometry." Sponsor: Undisclosed. Funding: \$37,914 - Perram 50%, Rice 50%.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

- D.E. Thornton, M.F. Spencer, C.A. Rice, G.P. Perram, "Digital Holography Efficiency Measurements with Excess Noise," *Appl. Opt.*, Vol. 58, No. 34, p. G19, 2019.
- Rice, C.A., Lapp, K., Rapp, A., Miller, W.S., and Perram, G.P., "Rubidium D1 and D2 Far Wing Line Shapes Induced by Rare Gases," *Journal of Quantitative Spectroscopy and Radiative Transfer*, 224, 550-555.  
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### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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D.E. Thornton, M.F. Spencer, C.A. Rice, and G.P. Perram, "Laser Line Width Measurements Using Digital Holography," *Unconventional and Indirect Imaging, Image Reconstruction, and Wavefront Sensing*, Vol. 11135, p. 15.

**RICE, CHRISTOPHER A., Department of Engineering Physics**

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

D.E. Thornton, M.F. Spencer, C.A. Rice, G.P. Perram, "Digital Holography Efficiency Measurements with Excess Noise," *Appl. Opt.*, Vol. 58, No. 34, p. G19, 2019.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

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**STEWART, BRYAN J., Department of Engineering Physics**

### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

"Persistent Infrared Scientific and Analytical Support." Sponsor: NASIC. Funding: \$180,000 - Steward 60%, Gross 10%, Hawks 30%.

"Support to TAP Lab Effort (STAPLES)." Sponsor: SMC. Funding: \$248,255 - Steward 95%, Hodson 5%.

"Support to TAP Lab Effort (STAPLES)." Sponsor: SMC. Funding: \$663,000 - Steward 90%, Gross 10%.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Paper Review**

Sinn, Yong U., Hopkinson, Kenneth M., Borghetti, Brett J., Stewart, Bryan J., "IR Small Target Detection and Prediction with ANNs Trained Using ASSET," *IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, 2-9 Mar 2019.

### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

F.D. Fernandez, B.J. Stewart, M.R. Hawks, and K.C. Gross, "Implementation of a Non-Linear CMOS and CCD Focal Plane Array Model in ASSET," *SPIE Defense + Commercial Sensing*, Baltimore, MD, 14-18 Apr 2019.

K D. Anthony, B.J. Borghetti, and B.J. Stewart, "Initial Investigation into the Effect of Image Degradation on the Performance of a 3-Category Classifier Using Transfer Learning and Data Augmentation," *SPIE Defense + Commercial Sensing*, Baltimore, MD, 14-18 Apr 2019.

F.D. Fernandez, B.J. Stewart, A. Kondrath, J.N. Patel, and K.C. Gross, "AFIT Sensor and Scene Emulation Tool (ASSET): FPA and Electronics Sub-Model Improvements," *MSS Parallel Conference*, Orlando, FL, 25-28 Feb 2019.

**Other Significant Research Productivity**

M.J. Rensing, A.J. Niklas, and B.J. Steward, "Algorithm Development for WFOV Mission Data Processing," Air Force Research Laboratory, Space Vehicles Directorate, Kirtland AFB, NM, August 2019.

## 6.7 NUCLEAR EXPERTISE FOR ADVANCING TECHNOLOGIES (NEAT)

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### 6.7.1 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

N/A.

### 6.7.2 MASTER'S THESES

N/A.

### 6.7.3 FACULTY RESEARCH OUTPUT

Notes: Faculty Bios can be found under their respective department listings. Shared credit for funding awards is indicated by the percentages shown for each faculty member associated with the project.

#### BEVINS, JAMES E., Department of Engineering Physics

##### Sponsor Funded Research Projects

“Nuclear Survivability Experimentation, Modeling, and Data Verification.” Sponsor: NNSA. Funding: \$175,000 - Bevins 55%, Hobbs 20%, Dexter 15%, McClory 10%.

“AFTAC Endowed Chairs.” Sponsor: Air Force Technical Applications Center. Funding: \$100,000.

##### Refereed Journal Publications

M. C. Recker, E. J. Cazalas, J. W. McClory, and J. E. Bevins, “Comparison of SiPM and PMT Performance Using a Cs<sub>2</sub>LiYCl<sub>6</sub>:Ce<sup>3+</sup> (CLYC) Scintillator with Two Optical Windows,” *IEEE Transactions on Nuclear Science*, vol. 66, no. 8, pp. 1959–1965, 2019.

J. E. Bevins, Z. Sweger, N. Munshi, and B. L. Goldblum, “Performance Evaluation of an Energy Tuning Assembly for Neutron Spectral Shaping,” *Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research Section A: Accelerators, Spectrometers, Detectors and Associated Equipment* Vol. 923 pp. 79-87, 2019.

##### Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Review

Robert J. Olesen, D. E. Holland, Erik Brubaker, James Cole, and James E. Bevins, “Advanced Radiation Imaging Algorithms with Rotating Scatter Masks,” *International Nuclear Materials Management Conference*, Palm Desert, CA, 18 July, 2019.

B. V. Egner, D. E. Holland, L. W. Burggraf, J. E. Bevins, and V. M. Martin, “Development of a Dual-Particle Directional Detection System Using a Rotating Scatter Mask,” *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology Conference*, San Diego, CA, April 11th, 2019.

W. D. Johnston, M. L. Dexter, J. W. McClory, and J. E. Bevins, “Validation of the Impact of Reflected Shock on Surface Interacting Nuclear Detonations,” *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology Conference*, San Diego, CA, 10 April, 2019.

N. J. Quartemont, R. Slaybaugh, L. Bernstein, and J. E. Bevins, “Analysis of an Energy Tuning Assembly for Simulating Nuclear Weapon Environments at the National Ignition Facility,” *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology Conference*, San Diego, CA, 11 April, 2019.

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**BICKLEY, ABIGAIL A., Department of Engineering Physics**

**DEXTER, MICHAEL L., Department of Engineering Physics**

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Full Review**

Will D. Johnston, Michael L. Dexter, John W. McClory, and James E. Bevins, “Validation of the Impact of Reflected Shock on Surface Interacting Nuclear Detonations,” *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology Conference*, JREER April 2019, San Diego, California.

**HOBBS, EDWARD L., Department of Engineering Physics**

**HOLLAND, DARREN E., Department of Engineering Physics**

#### **Refereed Conference Papers Accepted on the Basis of Abstract Review**

Olesen, R., Holland, D., Brubaker, E., Cole, J., and Bevins, J., “Advanced Radiation Imaging Algorithms with Rotating Scatter Masks,” *INMM 60th Annual Meeting*, 2019.

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**MCCLORY, JOHN W., Department of Engineering Physics**

#### **Sponsor Funded Research Projects**

“AFIT/ENP Research Support of Defense Threat Reduction Agency Nuclear Technologies.” Sponsor: DTRA. Funding: \$110,000 – McClory 30%, Bevins 40%, Clinton 30%.

“Support for the US Nuclear Detonation Detection System.” Sponsor: NNSA. Funding: \$50,000 – McClory 50%, Bickley 50%.

## Refereed Journal Publications

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Michael A. Ford, Buckley E. O'Day, John W. McClory, Manish K. Sharma, and Areg Danagoulia, "Evaluation of Eu:LiCAF for Neutron Detection Utilizing SiPMs and Portable Electronics," *Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research A*, Vol. 908, pp. 110-116, November 2018. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nima.2018.08.016>.

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M.E. Mace, J.W. McClory, J.C. Petrosky, E. Heller, and G. Vizkelethy, "Targeted Ion Radiation of AlGaIn/GaN HEMTs," Presentation: *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology Conference*, April 2019.

M. C. Recker, and J. W. McClory, "Comparison of Clustering Algorithms for Analysis of Pulse Shape Data from Cs<sub>2</sub>LiYCl<sub>6</sub>:Ce<sup>3+</sup> (CLYC)," Presentation: *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology Conference*, April 2019.

Melanie Mace, John McClory, and Eric Heller, "Targeted Ion Radiation of AlGaIn/GaN High Electron Mobility Transistors," Presentation: *44th Dayton-Cincinnati Aerospace Sciences Symposium*, February 2019.

M. C. Recker, E. J. Cazalas, J. W. McClory, and J. E. Bevins, "Comparison of SiPM and PMT Performance Using Cs<sub>2</sub>LiYCl<sub>6</sub>:Ce<sup>3+</sup> (CLYC) Scintillator with Two Optical Windows," Presentation: *IEEE Nuclear Science Symposium*, November 2018.

**MCGIFFIN, CURTIS D., Associate Dean, AFIT School of Strategic Force Studies**

**NARASAKI, CRAIG T. Dean, AFIT School of Strategic Force Studies**

**PETERSON, G., Department of Engineering Physics**

**PETOSKY JAMES, C., Department of Engineering Physics**

## Sponsor Funded Research Projects

"Support Activities to Homeland Security." Sponsor: DHS. Funding: \$200,000.

### **Refereed Journal Publications**

W.L. Harrell, J.C. Petrosky, M.E. Oxley, and K.C. Gross, "Identification Algorithm Development for a Data-Fused Optical Nuclear Detonation Monitoring System," *Journal of Radiation Effects Research and Engineering*, Vol. 37, No. 1, April 2019.

### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

Established the NEAT on 1 May 2019.

### **VARSHNEY, GAIVEN, Department of Engineering Physics**

#### **Refereed Journal Publications**

G. Varshney, J.R. Cezeaux, and J.C. Petrosky, "Investigation of Fissile Materials Collected from a Non-Critical Nuclear Explosion Site Using Non-destructive Analytical Techniques," *Journal of Radioanalytical and Nuclear Chemistry*, 318 (1) 505-513, Nov 2019.

#### **Other Significant Research Productivity**

G. Varshney, "Detection, Morphological Characterization and Classification of Actinide Bearing Particles Formed by a Non-Critical Weapon Test," Presentation: *Joint Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA) and the Department of Homeland Security Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction Office (CWMD) Nuclear Program Technical Review (NPTR)*, SAIC Crown Conference Center, Lorton, Virginia, 23-27 September, 2019.

G. Varshney, J.R., Cezeaux, A. Bickley, and J.C. Petrosky, "Morphological and Elemental Characterization of Environmental Actinide Bearing Particles Formed by a Non-Nuclear Weapon Accidents," Presentation: *Spring American Chemical Society Conference*, Orlando, FL, April, 2019.

J. R. Cezeaux, G. Varshney, A. Bickley, and J. C. Petrosky, "Morphological Classification and Analysis of Fuel Bearing Debris from a Non-Critical Event," Presentation: *Hardened Electronics and Radiation Technology (HEART) Conference*, April 2019.

### **WANG, BUGUO, Department of Engineering Physics**



## **7. TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER**

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## APPENDIX B: SELECTED ACRONYM LIST

There are a number of abbreviations for organizations that are used in this report. This alphabetical listing includes only selected organizations.

711 HPW/RH	711 Human Performance Wing Human Effectiveness Directorate
ACC	Air Combat Command
AETC	Air Education and Training Command
AFCAA	Air Force Cost Analysis Agency
AFCEC	Air Force Civil Engineering Center
AFGSC	Air Force Global Strike Command
AFIA	Air Force Inspection Agency
AFIMSC	Air Force Installation and Mission Support Center
AFIT	Air Force Institute of Technology
AFIT ANT	AFIT Center for Autonomy and Navigation Technology
AFIT CCR	AFIT Center for Cyberspace Research
AFIT CDE	AFIT Center for Directed Energy
AFIT COA	AFIT Center for Operational Analysis
AFIT CSRA	AFIT Center for Space Research and Assurance
AFIT CTISR	AFIT Center for Technical Intelligence Studies and Research
AFIT/ENC	AFIT Department of Mathematics & Statistics
AFIT/ENG	AFIT Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering
AFIT/ENP	AFIT Department of Engineering Physics
AFIT/ENR	AFIT Office of Research and Sponsored Programs
AFIT/ENS	AFIT Department of Operational Sciences
AFIT/ENV	AFIT Department of Systems Engineering & Management
AFIT/ENY	AFIT Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics
AFIT STAT COE	AFIT Center of Excellence for Scientific Test & Analysis Techniques
AFLCMC	Air Force Life Cycle Management Center
AFMC	Air Force Materiel Command
AFMOA	Air Force Medical Operations Agency
AFNWC	Air Force Nuclear Weapons Center
AFRL	Air Force Research Laboratory
AFRL/AFOSR	AFRL/Air Force Office of Scientific Research
AFRL/RD	AFRL/Directed Energy Directorate
AFRL/RI	AFRL/Information Directorate
AFRL/RQ	AFRL/Aerospace Systems Directorate
AFRL/RV	AFRL/Space Vehicles Directorate
AFRL/RW	AFRL/Munitions Directorate
AFRL/RX	AFRL/Materials and Manufacturing Directorate
AFRL/RY	AFRL/Sensors Directorate
AFSC	Air Force Sustainment Center
AFSPC	Air Force Space Command
AFTAC	Air Force Technical Applications Center
AFTPS	Air Force Test Pilot School
AIAA	American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics
AMC	Air Mobility Command
ASEE	American Society for Engineering Education
DAGSI	Dayton Area Graduate Studies Institute
DARPA	Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency
DEJTO	Directed Energy Joint Technology Office
DHS	Department of Homeland Security
DOD	Department of Defense
DOE	Department of Energy
DTRA	Defense Threat Reduction Agency
EPA	Environment Protection Agency

ERDC	Engineer Research and Development Center
EUCOM	United States European Command
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
INCOSE	International Council on Systems Engineering
JASPO	Joint Aircraft Survivability Program Office
JTWC	Joint Typhoon Warning Center
JWAC	Joint Warfare Analysis Center
MIT	Los Alamos National Laboratory
LTS	Laboratory for Telecommunications Sciences
MDA	Missile Defense Agency
MIT	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
MORS	Military Operations Research Society
NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NASIC	National Air and Space Intelligence Center
NAVAIR	Naval Air Systems Command
NGA	National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
NNSA	National Nuclear Security Administration
NPS	Naval Postgraduate School
NSA	National Security Agency
NSF	National Science Foundation
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