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Personal

Date of Birth: December 2, 1953 Citizenship: USA

Education

Ph.D., Mathematics, University of Michigan, April 1983
Dissertation: *Curvature Estimates for Monge-Ampère Foliations*
Thesis Advisor: Daniel M. Burns Jr.
M.A., Mathematics, University of Michigan, April 1978
B.A., Mathematics, Kalamazoo College, June 1976
Magna cum Laude with Honors in Mathematics, Phi Beta Kappa, Heyl Science Scholarship

Employment

1989–present, Wabash College
Retired 2017
Department Chair, 1997–2001, 2009–2012
Full Professor since 2004
Associate Professor, 1993–2004
Assistant Professor, 1991–1993
Byron K. Trippet Assistant Professor, 1989–1991
1983–1989, Texas Tech University, Assistant Professor (granted tenure)
1983, Kalamazoo College, Visiting Instructor
1976–1982, University of Michigan, Graduate Student Teaching Assistant
1976, 1977, The Upjohn Company, Mathematical Analyst

Research Visits

2009, Korea Institute for Advanced Study (KIAS), Visiting Scholar
Three weeks at the invitation of C. K. Han.
2009, Pennsylvania State Univ., Shapiro Visitor
Four weeks at the invitation of Sergei Tabachnikov.
2008–2009, Univ. of Georgia, Visiting Scholar (sabbatical leave)
1996–1997, 2003–2004, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Visiting Scholar (sabbatical leave)
1991, Pohang Institute of Science and Technology, Pohang, Korea
Three months at the invitation of C. K. Han.
1990, Texas Tech University
Ten weeks at the invitation of Lance D. Drager.

Current Fields of Interest

Differential Geometry, Integral Geometry

Professional Affiliations

American Mathematical Society, Mathematical Association of America.

Teaching Experience

Graduate courses

Differentiable manifolds, real analysis, complex analysis.

Undergraduate courses

Elementary analysis, advanced multivariable calculus, complex analysis, differential geometry, advanced linear algebra, combinatorics, differential equations, geometry, computational geometry, linear algebra, calculus, precalculus, geometry for liberal arts students, algebra, trigonometry, analytic geometry, business mathematics, finite mathematics, mathematics senior seminar, methods of teaching mathematics, computer vision, introductory computer programming (Pascal, Java, incl. labs), introduction to computer science, Cultures & Traditions, Freshman Tutorials: “Science, Pseudo-science, and How to Tell the Difference,” “What is Mathematics?”

Educational Software Development

PoincaréDraw, an interactive program for doing constructions in hyperbolic geometry in the spirit of *Geometers Sketchpad*.” Pascal version 1995. Java version 2001.

Mathematics Camp

Co-directed (with E. Poffald) intensive month-long program to expose qualified undergraduates to topics and activities not usually available at undergraduate level. Camp activities included lectures, problem solving, colloquium talks, student talks, discussions about graduate school and careers in mathematics, social events. June 1992.

Summer internship supervision

- Nathan Fouts, development of *PoincaréDraw* (see above) in Pascal, 1995, 1997. Work in 1997 funded by NSF grant DUE-9554636, follow-up to “Exploring Undergraduate Algebra & Geometry with Technology” workshop.
- Zhenyu Yang, development of *Mathematica* software for MVC in Calculus II, 1998. Funded by Lilly Technology grant.
- Anand Jha, development of *PoincaréDraw* in Java, 2001.
- Jame McKinnon, measuring near symmetries, 2005.
- Xidian Sun, intrinsic inversive geometry in S^2 and H^2 , 2012, 2013 (publication 24).
- Han Nie, numerical methods for lake volume, 2012 (publication 25).

Community Outreach

Taught a workshop “Putting it in Perspective” at Athens of Indiana Arts on the geometry of perspective for artists, 2012.

Related activities

Classroom notes (publications 2 and 20), service on master’s and doctoral committees, supervised teaching assistants, coach for Putnam and other contests, departmental bi-weekly contest problem, Wabash-Washington Bridge program, organized Geometer’s Sketchpad workshop for Wabash students and local mathematics teachers.

Service

Wabash College

Academic Planning & Policy Committee (secretary), Committee on Committees, Curriculum Appeals Committee, Honorary Degree Committee, Ides of August Committee, International Students Association (co-advisor), International Studies Director search committee, Lecture Planning & Implementation Committee, MacLean-McTurnan-Arnold Scholarship selection committee (chair), Malcolm X Institute honorary member, Multicultural Concerns Committee, Off-Campus Study Committee, Pre-engineering Committee (chair), Quality of Life in Indiana Advisory Committee, Teacher Education Committee, Teaching & Learning Committee (chair), Visiting Artists Planning & Implementation Committee, ad-hoc committee

for planning new science and math facilities, ad-hoc committee on undergraduate research (CUR), special faculty continuation review committees (2), dept. colloquium organizer.

Texas Tech University

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, director of regional University Interscholastic League mathematics competition.

Discipline

- Co-organized mini-symposium, “Geometric and Grassmannian Techniques in Control Theory,” SIAM Conference “Linear Algebra in Signals, Systems, and Control,” Boston, August 1986.
- Co-organized special session, “New Problems and New Techniques in Observability Theory,” MTNS Conference, Phoenix, June 1987.
- Review Panel for NSF Young Investigators Competition, April 1993.
- MAA Visiting Lecturer 1993–97.
- Co-organized Indiana University, Purdue University, Wabash College Midsummer Student Mathematics Conference, July 2001, Wabash College.
- Refereed papers for *J. of Math. Physics*; *Indian J. of Math.*; *Circuits, Signals, and Signal Processing*; *1987 MTNS Proceedings*; *American Math. Monthly*, *College Mathematics Journal*, *Mathematics Magazine*, *Rose-Hulman Undergrad. Math. J.*
- Refereed textbook for Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1993.
- Reviewed grant proposal for NSF.
- Reviewer for *Mathematical Reviews*.

Publications

- (1) “Regularity of the Distance Function,” *Proc. Amer. Math. Soc.*, 92 (1984) 153–155.
- (2) “The Contraction Mapping Lemma and the Inverse Function Theorem in Advanced Calculus,” with L. D. Drager, *Amer. Math. Monthly*, 93 (1986) 52–54.
- (3) “Stein Manifolds that Admit Monge-Ampère Foliations,” *Proc. Third Int’l Conf. Complex Analysis Appl.*, Bulgarian Acad. Sci., 1986, 220–227.
- (4) “Differential Geometry of Real Monge-Ampère Foliations,” *Math.Zeit.*, 194 (1987) 331–350.
- (5) “Controllability of Linear Systems, Differential Geometry of Curves in Grassmannians, and Riccati Equations,” with L. D. Drager and C. F. Martin, *Differential Geometry: The Interface Between Pure and Applied Mathematics*, Luksic, Martin, Shadwick, eds., AMS Contemp. Math., Vol. 68, 1987, 85–98.
- (6) “Observing Ergodic Translations with Discontinuous Functions: An Example in Global Observability”, with L. D. Drager and D. McMahon, *Proc. of 26th IEEE Conf. Decision and Control*, 1987, 966–971.
- (7) “Global Observability of Ergodic Translations by Discontinuous Functions”, with L. D. Drager and D. McMahon, *Analysis and Control of Nonlinear Systems*, Byrnes, Martin, Saeks, eds., North Holland Elsevier, Amsterdam, 1988, 411–416.
- (8) “Controllability of Linear Systems, Differential Geometry of Curves in Grassmannians and Generalized Grassmannians, and Riccati Equations,” with L. D. Drager, C. F. Martin, and J. Wolper, *Acta Appl. Math.*, 16 (1989) 281–317.
- (9) “Observing Ergodic Translations on Compact Abelian Groups with Discontinuous Functions,” with L. D. Drager and D. McMahon, *IMA J. Math. Control & Info.*, 6 (1989) 441–463.
- (10) “Homogeneous Complex Monge-Ampère Equations and Algebraic Embeddings of Parabolic Manifolds,” *Indiana Univ. Math. J.*, 39 (1990) 1245–1273.
- (11) “Observing the Heat Equation on a Torus Along a Dense Geodesic,” with L. D. Drager and C. F. Martin, *Sys. Sci. and Math. Sci.*, 4 (1991) 186–192.

- (12) “A Geometric Solution to the Cauchy Problem for the Homogeneous Monge-Ampère Equation,” *Contributions to Complex Analysis and Complex Geometry*, Keem & Shim, eds., Proc. Wrkshp. Pure Math. Vol. 11, Korean Acad. Council, 1991, 31–39.
- (13) “Lie Group Calculus and Explicit Solutions of Non-Autonomous Equations,” *Proc. KAIST Math. Workshop*, Vol. 6, Choi, Yim, eds., KAIST Math. Research Center, 1991, 199–216.
- (14) “Vector Bundles Over Homogeneous Spaces and Complete, Locally Symmetric Spaces,” with L. D. Drager, *Proc. Symp. Pure Math.*, 54 (1993), Part 2, Green, Yau, eds., 183–189.
- (15) “Split Trivial Bundles over Homogeneous Spaces and Locally Symmetric Spaces,” with L.D. Drager, *Glob. Ana. Mod. Math.*, K. Uhlenbeck, ed., Publish or Perish, 1994, 107–118.
- (16) “Close Encounters with Mathematical Cranks of the Third Kind,” review of *Mathematical Cranks and A Budget of Trisections* by Underwood Dudley, *Skeptical Inquirer*, V. 18, Winter 1994, 182–186.
- (17) “Geometry of the Prytz Planimeter,” *Reports on Mathematical Physics*, 42 (1998) 249–271.
- (18) “Integral-Geometric Formulas for Perimeter in S^2 , H^2 , and Hilbert Planes,” with R. Alexander and I. D. Berg, *Rocky Mountain Journal of Mathematics*, **35** (2005) 1825–1860.
- (19) “The Volume Swept Out by a Moving Planar Region,” *Math. Mag.*, **79** (2006) 289–297.
- (20) “Area Without Integration: Make Your Own Planimeter,” with Ed Sandifer, in *Hands-On History: A Resource for Teaching Mathematics*, Amy Shell-Gellasch, ed., MAA Notes Series #72, The Mathematical Association of America, Washington, D.C., 2007, pp. 71–88.
- (21) “The Dynamics of Pendulums on Surfaces of Constant Curvature,” with Patrick Coulton and Gregory Galperin, *Mathematical Physics, Analysis and Geometry*, **12** (2009), 97–107.
- (22) “Infinitesimal Isometries along Curves and Generalized Jacobi Equations,” with C.K. Han and J.W. Oh, *J. Geometric Analysis*, **23** (2013), 377–394.
- (23) “Tractrices, Bicycle Tire Tracks, Hatchet Planimeters, and a 100-year-old Conjecture,” with M. Levi and S. Tabachnikov, *American Mathematical Monthly*, **120** (2013), 199–216.
- (24) “An Intrinsic Formula for Cross Ratio in Spherical and Hyperbolic Geometries,” with X. Sun, *College Mathematics Journal*, **46** (2015), 182–188.
- (25) “How to Approximate the Volume of a Lake,” with H. Nie, *C. Math. J.*, **47** (2016), 162–170.
- (26) “A Unified Pythagorean Theorem in Euclidean, Spherical, and Hyperbolic Geometries,” *Mathematics Magazine*, **90** (2017), 59–69.

Textbook

“A Brief Introduction to Multivariable Calculus,” self-published for use at Wabash College. Nonvector-based approach for second semester calculus.

Article about work with M. Levi and S. Tabachnikov (publication 23)

D. Mackenzie, “Following in Sherlock Holmes’ Bike Tracks,” *What’s Happening in the Mathematical Sciences*, Vol. 10, 2015.

Grants Received

- ILI Grant: “An Integrated Laboratory-Classroom for Calculus and Precalculus,” Co-PI with B. Gold and E. Poffald, NSF Division of Undergraduate Education, program for Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement DUE-#9551646, 1995.
- Lilly Technology Grant, 1998. Used to hire a summer intern to develop *Mathematica* software for classroom use.

Research Talks

- (1) “Monge-Ampère Foliations,” colloquium talk, Texas Tech University, March 1983.

- (2) “Differential Geometry of One-Dimensional Real Monge-Ampère Foliations,” TX PDE Sem., SW TX St. U., March 1984; AMS/MAA Joint Meet., Anaheim, CA, January 1985.
- (3) “Stein Manifolds that Admit Monge-Ampère Foliations,” invited talk, Third Int’l Conf. Complex Analysis & Appl., Varna, Bulgaria, May 1985.
- (4) “Algebraic Embedding of Stein Manifolds that are Strictly Parabolic at Infinity, and of Reinhardt Type,” AMS/MAA nat’l meetings, New Orleans, January 1986.
- (5) “Geometry and Function Theory of Parabolic Manifolds of Reinhardt Type,” colloquium talk, Texas A&M Univ., March 1986.
- (6) “Controllability of Linear Systems, Differential Geometry of Curves in Grassmannians, and Riccati Equations,” with L. D. Drager and C. F. Martin, NSF Conf. Appl. Diff. Geom., San Antonio, May 1986.
- (7) “Differential Geometry of Riccati Flows and Controllability of Linear Systems,” with L.D. Drager and C.F. Martin, invited talk, SIAM Conference “Linear Algebra in Signals, Systems, and Control,” Boston, August 1986.
- (8) “Controllability of Linear Systems, Differential Geometry of Curves in Grassmannian and Generalized Grassmannian, and Riccati Equations,” with L. D. Drager, C. F. Martin, and J. Wolper, AMS Nat. Conf., Atlanta, Jan. 1988; Conf. Control in 90’s, San Francisco, May 1989.
- (9) “A Characterization of Locally Symmetric Spaces,” colloq. talk, Texas Tech U., Sept. 1988.
- (10) “Classifying Stein Spaces with Monge-Ampère Foliations,” sem. talk, Purdue U., Oct. 1989.
- (11) “Vector Bundles Over Homogeneous Spaces and Complete, Locally Symmetric Spaces,” with L. D. Drager, invited talk, AMS Summer Inst. on Diff. Geom., UCLA, July 1990.
- (12) “A Geometric Solution to the Cauchy Problem for the Homogeneous Monge-Ampère Equation,” Korean Acad. Council Wrkshp. Pure Math., Mokpo, Korea, July 1991; colloquium talk, Pohang Inst. Sci. Tech., June 1991; seminar talk, U. of Illinois, Oct. 1991; colloquium talk, Dartmouth C., May 1993.
- (13) “Lie Group Calculus and Explicit Solutions of Non-Autonomous Equations,” KAIST Workshop, Taejon, Korea, August 1991; colloquium talk, Seoul Nat. Univ., August 1991.
- (14) “The Gauss-Bonnet Theorem for Parallel Translation via Lie Group Calculus,” invited talk, Differential Geometry Day, Eastern Illinois Univ., November 1991.
- (15) “Lie Group Calculus with Applications to Differential Equations and Differential Geometry,” colloquium talk, Texas Tech University, March 1992.
- (16) “Planimeters and the Isoperimetric Inequality,” Geom. Potpourri Sem., UIUC, Oct. 1996.
- (17) “Isoperimetric Inequalities on Constant Curvature Surfaces via Planimetry,” Differential Geometry Seminar, U. of Illinois, April 1997.
- (18) “Planimeters and Isoperimetric Inequalities on Constant Curvature Surfaces,” Lehigh Geometry & Topology Conference, June 1997; colloquium talk, U of Cincinnati, March 1998; ISU/RHIT/StMWC joint Math Colloquium, March 1998; Invited opening address, Illinois Section MAA, April 1999; Eleventh Midwest Geometry Conference, Wichita State Univ., April 2001; colloquium talk, Eastern Illinois Univ., January 2003; Geometry Seminar, Dartmouth College, July 2004; Geometry Seminar, University of Georgia, November 2008; Geometry Seminar, Penn State U., April 2009; Korean Inst. Adv. Study, May 2009.
- (19) “Geometry of the Prytz Planimeter,” Conf. Non-holonomic Constraints, U. Calgary, August 1997; Diff. Geom. Sem., U. Illinois, March 1998; Lehigh U. Geom. & Top. Conf., June 1998; colloquium talk, Wabash College, Sept. 1999, Sept. 2005; Indiana MAA Section Meeting, Oct. 1999; colloquium talk, Kalamazoo College, May 2005.
- (20) “Variations on Themes by Montes and Minkowski,” with D. Berg and R. Alexander, Geometric Potpourri Seminar, U. of Illinois, November 1997.
- (21) “Holonomy of the Prytz Planimeter: More Questions Than Answers,” invited talk, Differential Geometry Day, Eastern Illinois Univ., October 1998.

- (22) “The Dynamics of Pendulum Motion on S^2 and H^2 ,” Geometric Potpourri, UIUC, October 2003; Lehigh Geometry & Topology Conference, October 2007.
- (23) “Integral-Geometric Formulas for Perimeter in S^2 , H^2 , and Hilbert Planes,” Union College Mathematics Conference, November 2003; Lehigh University Geometry & Topology Conference, June 2004.
- (24) “An Elementary Proof of the Cauchy-Santaló Perimeter Formulas,” Geometric Potpourri Seminar, UIUC, May 2004. Expanded version, Lehigh Geometry & Topology Conference, June 2006; Geometric Potpourri Seminar, UIUC, Sept. 2006; Penn State U. Slow-Pitch Seminar (for graduate students), April 2009; Seoul Nat’l U. Undergrad. Sem., May 2009.
- (25) “Intrinsic Proofs of the Law of Sines, Concurrence of Triangle Medians, and the Jacobi Equation in Neutral Geometry,” Geometric Potpourri Seminar, UIUC, June 2004.
- (26) “Centroids and Volumes in S^3 and H^3 ,” UIUC Geometric Potpourri Seminar, June 2007.
- (27) “Volume, Centroids, and the Theorem of Pappus in Spherical and Hyperbolic Geometry,” Indiana MAA Section meeting, St. Marys College, March 2008.
- (28) “Infinitesimal Isometries Along Curves and Generalized Jacobi Equations,” University of Georgia, Geometry Seminar, September 2008 Geometry Seminar, Seoul National U., May 2009; Lehigh Geometry & Topology Conference, June 2009.
- (29) “An Intrinsic Development of Inversion in Spherical and Hyperbolic Geometries,” with X. Sun, Lehigh Geometry and Topology Conference, May 2013; invited talk, Geometry, Dynamics, and Topology Day, Eastern Illinois U., April 2015.
- (30) “Stronger Versions of Wirtingers Inequality,” Lehigh Geom. Top. Conf., May 2016.

Expository Talks and Presentations

- (1) “A Friendly Excursion into Differential Geometry,” interview talk, March 1982.
- (2) “Differential Geometry and the Theory of Relativity,” interview talk, March 1983.
- (3) “Control Theory and the Geometry of Curves in Euclidean Space,” colloquium talk, Kalamazoo College, January 1987; interview colloquium, March 1989.
- (4) “Non-Euclidean Geometry,” Texas Tech Univ., School of Arch., November 1988.
- (5) “Geometry of the Planimeter,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, April 1990; colloquium talk, Kalamazoo College, January 1991.
- (6) “What is Differential Geometry? How to Tell if Your Universe is Curved,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, January 1992.
- (7) “The Planimeter and the Pendulum,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, November 1992.
- (8) “A Plethora of Planimeters,” colloquium talk, Lake Forest College, March 1993; Indiana MAA Section Meeting, March 1995; Keynote Speaker, IIME Banquet, Rose-Hulman, May 1995; undergraduate colloquium talk, Ball State Univ., September 1995; colloquium talk, Wabash College, Sept. 2002.
- (9) “What is an Integral?,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, March 1995.
- (10) “Planimeters and Isoperimetric Inequalities,” colloquium talk, DePauw U., Feb. 1997; colloquium talk, Wabash C., Sept. 1997, Feb. 2012, Oct. 2016; Indiana MAA section meeting, St. Mary’s College, November 1998; Penn State U. Math Club, April 2009.
- (11) “Have You Seen These Theorems? Three Geometric Gems That Used to be Part of Multi-variable Calculus,” Geometric Potpourri Seminar, U. of Illinois, April 1997; Indiana Section MAA meeting, Terre Haute, April 2004.
- (12) “The Inverted Pendulum: Which Way Will it Fall?,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, Sept. 1998.
- (13) “Circumferences of Convex Regions: $C = 2\pi r$ isn’t Just for Circles Anymore!,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, Sept. 2000.
- (14) “An Intuitive, Geometric Proof of the Isoperimetric Inequality Based on the Operation of

- a Planimeter,” Miami U. Annual Math Conf., Sept. 2000.
- (15) “*PoincaréDraw II: An Interactive Program for Teaching and Learning Hyperbolic Geometry*” with student intern Anand Jha, colloquium talk, Wabash College, Sept. 2001.
 - (16) “How Pendulums Work in Spherical and Hyperbolic Geometry,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, November 2003.
 - (17) “The Poincaré Conjecture,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, Sept. 2004.
 - (18) “ $3 \leq \pi \leq 4$,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, April 2006.
 - (19) “The Circumference of a Convex Region,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, Nov. 2006.
 - (20) “Computational Geometry: The Mathematics of Computer Graphics, Animation, and Robotics; or Linear Algebra meets Doom 3,” with Kaikai Wang, colloquium talk, Wabash College, March 2008.
 - (21) “Bill Swift’s Continuous, Nowhere-Differentiable Function and Area-Filling Curve,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, December 2009.
 - (22) “Which Way Am I Facing Now? Sensitivity of the orientation angle of an object in an image,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, December 2013.
 - (23) “You Think You Know the Pythagorean Theorem? Think Again!” colloquium talk, Wabash College, October 2015; invited colloquium talk, MASS program, Penn. State U., Sept. 2016.
 - (24) “Geometry of Bicycle Tire Tracks, The Isoperimetric Problem, and a 112-year-old Conjecture,” colloquium talk, Wabash College, April 2018.

Pedagogical Talks and Workshop Presentations

- (1) “Cruising Through Hyperbolic Space,” colloquium talk, Wabash C., with student intern Nathan Fouts, Sept. 1995; Indiana MAA Sect. Meeting, March 1996; NSF workshop “Exploring Undergraduate Algebra and Geometry Using Technology,” DePauw U., June 1996.
- (2) “Exploring the Hyperbolic Plane with *PoincaréDraw*,” MAA Special Session on Geometry in the Classroom in the Next Millennium, AMS/MAA joint meetings, January 1999; Geometric Potpourri Seminar, U. of Illinois, February 1997.
- (3) Invited presentation, DePauw U. *Mathematica* workshop. Presented multivariable calculus material developed for second-semester calculus, May 1999.
- (4) “(Nearly) Coordinate-Free Computational Geometry”, GLCA/Mellon Foundation workshop on computer graphics, Teaching and Research in Graphics as an Undergraduate Topic (TARGUT), Dennison University, June 2006.

Other Presentations

- (1) Guest instructor for one class period at DePauw in their Senior Seminar talking about hyperbolic geometry, February 1997.
- (2) Guest instructor one class period at University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, in a graduate course on differential geometry in physics discussing planimeters as examples of geometric holonomy, November 1997.
- (3) Guest instructor for one class period at Purdue in their non-Euclidean geometry class demonstrating *PoincaréDraw* and talking about hyperbolic geometry, with student intern Anand Jha, June 2001.
- (4) Guest instructor for two class periods with the Crawfordsville High School calculus class showing the students how planimeters are used and how they work, May 2002.
- (5) Guest instructor for one class period at Kalamazoo College in their geometry course talking about a theorem common to Euclidean, spherical, and hyperbolic geometry, May 2005.
- (6) Panelist for College Teaching Effectiveness Network workshop, Univ. Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October, 2011. CTEN is a graduate student organization that hosts workshops to help prepare graduate students for teaching at the college level.

Minicourse and Workshop Attendance

- MAA minicourse, “Teaching Problem Solving,” AMS/MAA nat’l meetings, Anaheim, Jan. 1985.
- NSF/CBMS conference, “New Constructions of Functions Holomorphic on the Unit Ball of \mathbb{C}^n ,” Michigan State University, June 1985.
- NSF/CBMS Conference, “The Method of Equivalence and Applications to Control Systems,” Texas Tech University, August 1987.
- MAA minicourse, “Chaotic Dynamical Systems,” AMS/MAA nat’l meetings, San Francisco, Jan. 1991.
- MAA Workshop on MathCad, U. of Michigan-Dearborn, November, 1992.
- MAA minicourse, “Calculus: An Active Approach with Projects,” MAA/AMS national meetings, San Antonio, January 1993.
- MAA minicourse, “Using the Computer to Teach Differential Geometry,” MAA/AMS national meetings, Cincinnati, January 1994.
- MAA minicourse, “Calculus from Graphical, Numerical, and Symbolic Points of View,” AMS/MAA Mathfest, Minneapolis, August 1994.
- MAA minicourse, “Multivariable Calculus using the Harvard Calculus Consortium Materials,” AMS/MAA Mathfest, Minneapolis, August 1994.
- U. of Minnesota Geometry Center Workshop: “Basic Issues in Computer-aided Mathematics Visualization,” August 1994.
- “Technology in Upper-Level Mathematics Courses,” St. Olaf College, November 1994.
- “Teaching Calculus with Mathematica,” Bowdoin College, August 1995.
- NSF/CBMS conference “Inverse Spectral Geometry,” Texas Tech U, July 1996.
- NSF workshop “The Geometry of Multivariable Calculus,” Bellevue C.C., Seattle, Aug. 1996.
- MAA workshop “Creating and exporting animations to the Web,” AMS/MAA National meetings, New Orleans, January 2001.
- MAA Short Course, “The History of Mathematical Technologies: Exploring the Material Culture of Mathematics,” AMS/MAA national meetings, Phoenix, January 2004.

Other Conference Attendance Since 2000

- AMS/MAA National Meeting, Baltimore, January 2000.
- Differential Geometry Day, Eastern Illinois University, April 2000.
- MAA section meeting, Indiana College Math. Comp., Univ. of Indianapolis, March 2001.
- MAA section meeting, Indiana College Math. Comp., Anderson Univ., March 2002.
- Differential Geometry Day, Eastern Illinois University, November 2002.
- MAA section meeting, Indiana College Math. Comp., Butler Univ., March 2003.
- Differential Geometry Day, Eastern Illinois University, November 2003.
- Bloomington Geometry Workshop, Indiana University, April 2004.
- MAA section meeting, Indiana College Math. Comp., Indiana-Purdue U., Ft. Wayne, April 2005.
- “Geometry and the Imagination,” conference in honor of Bill Thurston, Princeton U., June 2007.
- “Workshop on Geometric Structures and Equivalence Problems,” Korean Institute for Advanced Study (KIAS), April 2009.
- CLCA-Committee on Undergraduate Research meeting, Wooster College, July 2013.
- Math Fest, Washington, D.C., August 2015.