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## Academic Experience

- **Professor** Jul. 2015 – present  
Department of Mathematics, University of California at Irvine, Irvine, CA
- **Associate Professor** Jul. 2011 – Jun. 2015  
Department of Mathematics, University of California at Irvine, Irvine, CA
- **Assistant Professor** Jul. 2007 – Jun. 2011  
Department of Mathematics, University of California at Irvine, Irvine, CA
- **Postdoctoral Fellow** Sep. 2006 – Jun. 2007  
Department of Mathematics, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- **Postdoctoral Fellow** Sep. 2005 - Aug. 2006  
Department of Mathematics, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA

## Education

- **Ph.D. Mathematics** Aug. 2000 - Aug. 2005  
Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA, USA
- **M.S. Mathematics** Sep. 1997 – Jul. 2000  
Peking University, Beijing, CHINA
- **B.S. Mathematics** Sep. 1993 - Jul. 1997  
Nanjing University, Nanjing, CHINA

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## Research Interest

- Numerical Methods of Partial Differential Equations
- Machine Learning and Computational Mathematics

- Finite Element Methods
- Theory and Application of Optimization Methods
- Mesh Generation and Optimization
- Software development

## Editor and Referee

- **Editorial Board:**

- Journal of Computational Mathematics. 2021 - present. (Managing editor since 2024).
- Computers and Mathematics with Applications. 2013 - present.
- Multiscale Modeling and Simulation. 2014 - present.
- Advances in Computational Mathematics. 2016 - present.
- Advances in Applied Mathematics and Mechanics. 2019 - present.

- **Referee:** Advances in Computational Mathematics, Advances in Mechanical Engineering, Applied Numerical Mathematics, Advances in Applied Mathematics and Mechanics, Applicable Analysis, Applied Mathematical Modeling, Applied Mathematics Letters, , Bulletin of Mathematical Biology, Communications in Computational Physics, Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, Computational and Applied Mathematics, Computers and Mathematics with Applications, Computer-Aided Design, Discrete and Continuous Dynamical System – B, ESAIM: Mathematical Modelling and Numerical Analysis, Foundations of Computational Mathematics, International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering, International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering, Journal of Computational and Applied Mathematics, Journal of Computational Chemistry, Journal of Computational Physics, Journal of Scientific Computing, Mathematics of Computation, Numerical Mathematica: Theory, Methods and Applications, Numerische Mathematik, Numerical Linear Algebra with Applications, Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations, SCIENCE CHINA Mathematics, SIAM Matrix Analysis and Applications, SIAM Numerical on Analysis, SIAM Scientific Computing, SIGGRAPH.

## List of Publications

- **Submitted Articles**

8. Long Chen, Zeyi Xu, Jingrong Wei, Hao Luo, Yuan Yao. Accelerated Mirror Descent Method through Variable and Operator Splitting. Submitted.2025.
7. Zeyi Xu, Long Chen. Adaptive Accelerated Gradient Descent Methods for Convex Optimization. Submitted.2025.
6. L. Chen, H. Luo, and J. Wei. Accelerated Gradient Methods Through Variable and Operator Splitting. Submitted.2025.
5. L. Chen and X. Huang. Hybridizable Symmetric Stress Elements on the Barycentric Refinement in Arbitrary Dimensions. Submitted. 2025.
4. L. Chen and X. Huang. Tangential Normal Decompositions of Finite Element Differential Forms. Submitted, 2024.
3. L. Chen, X. Huang, E.J. Park, and R. Wang. A Primal Staggered Discontinuous Galerkin Method on Polytopal Meshes. Submitted, 2024.
2. S. Cao, L. Chen, and S. Lee. Edge-averaged virtual element methods for convection-diffusion and convection-dominated problems. Submitted, 2024.
1. L. Chen, R. Guo, and J. Wei. Transformed Primal-Dual Methods with Variable-Preconditioners. Submitted. 2024.

- **Published or Accepted Journal Articles**

75. L. Chen, X. Huang, and C. Zhang. Distributional Finite Element curl div Complexes and Application to Quad Curl Problems. *SIAM Journal on Numerical Analysis*. 2025.

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72. C.Y. Chen, L. Chen, X.H. Huang, and H.Y. Wei. Geometric Decomposition and Efficient Implementation of High Order Face and Edge Elements. *Communications in Computational Physics*. Vol. 35, No. 4, pp. 1045-1072. 2024.  
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70. L. Chen and X. Huang. A New Div-Div-Conforming Symmetric Tensor Finite Element Space with Applications to the Biharmonic Equation. *Mathematics of Computation*. 94 (2025), 33-72  
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1. L. Chen. *Robust and Accurate Algorithms for Solving Anisotropic Singularities*. PhD thesis, Department of Mathematics, The Pennsylvania State University, 2005.

## Students

- **Ph.D students in UCI**

- Lin Zhong. UCI. Graduated. 2015 Dec.
- Penghe Zu. (Joint with Jack Xin) UCI.
- Dongwu Wang. UCI. Graduated. 2018 Sep.
- Min Wen. UCI. Graduated. 2018 Dec.
- Huiwen Wu. UCI. Graduated. 2019.
- Frank Lin. UCI. Graduated. 2021.
- Seulip Lee. UCI. Graduated. 2021.
- Jingrong Wei. UCI. Graduated 2024.
- Zeyi Xu. UCI. Expected. 2027.

- **Visiting students**

- Ming Wang. 9/2010 - 8/2012. Peking University.
- Huayi Wei. 1/2011 - 12/2011. Xiangtan University.
- Jie Zhou. 9/2012 - 8/2013. Xiangtan University.
- Jian Huang. 9/2014-8/2015. Shandong University.
- Zhaoqi Zhou. 10/2016 - 10/2017. Chinese Academy of Science.
- Gang Wang. 10/2016 - 10/2017. Xi'an Jiaotong University.
- Qian Zhang. 9/2017 - 3/2018. Beijing University of Technology.
- Hao Luo. 10/2018 - 9/2019. Sichuan University.
- Yongchao Zhang. 10/2018 - 9/2019. Xi'an Jiaotong University.

## Scholars

- **Postdocs in UCI**

- Bin Zheng. 1/2008 - 6/2008. Visiting Scholar.
- Shuhao Cao. 7/2017 - 7/2020. Visiting Assistant Professor.
- Ruchi Guo. 8/2020 - 7/2023. Visiting Assistant Professor.

- **Visiting scholars**

- Ying Li. 9/2013 - 8/2014. National University of Defense Technology.
- Liuqiang Zhong. 9/2013 - 8/2014. South China Normal University.
- Xiaoqing Xing. 9/2013 - 8/2014. South China Normal University.
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- Kyoung-Sook Moon. 7/2015 - 6/2016. Gachon University.
- James Brannick. 1/2016 - 6/2016. Pennsylvania State University.
- Shuhao Cao. 1/2016 - 6/2016. Pennsylvania State University.
- Yongke Wu. 2/2016 - 2/2017. University of Electronic Science and Technology of China.
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- Zhiqiang Yu. 11/2017 - 11/2018. Changzhou College of Information Technology.
- Caixia Kou. 1/2018 - 1/2019. Beijing University of Posts and Telecommunications.
- Jikun Zhao. 9/2019 - 9/2020. Zhengzhou University.
- Fei Wang. 11/2019 - 5/2020, Xi'an Jiaotong University.
- Ruishu Wang. 9/1/2023 - 2/28/2024, Jilin University.

## Conference Session Organization and Summer Schools

- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Peking University, Beijing, CHINA. July 17 – 21, 2006.
- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Peking University, Beijing, CHINA. June, 2007.
- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Peking University, Beijing, CHINA, July 7–11, 2008.
- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Peking University, Beijing, CHINA, July 13–31, 2009.
- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Peking University, Beijing, CHINA, July 26–Aug 6, 2010.
- Summer School on Finite Element Methods, Kunming University of Science and Technology, Kunming, CHINA, July 12–July 16, 2010.
- Mini-symposium: Theory and Application of Adaptive and Multilevel Methods. 20-th International Conference on Domain Decomposition Methods. UC San Diego, 7-11 Feb, 2011.
- Mini-symposium: Multilevel Mesh Adaptivity and Beyond: Computational Methods for Solving Complex Systems. AMS Western Section in Las Vegas. University of Nevada at Las Vegas. Apr 30, 2011.
- Workshop on Algebraic Multigrid Methods. Kunming, China, August 2011.
- Mini-symposium: Multilevel and Adaptive Methods for Solving Complex Systems. In the Eighth International Conference on Scientific Computing and Applications. Las Vegas, Nevada, April, 2012.
- Workshop on Scientific Computing With Applications Kunming, CHINA. July 18, 2013.
- Workshop on finite element methods. Beijing Institute for Scientific and Engineering Computing (BISec), CHINA, August 8 - 9, 2015.
- Mini-symposium: Weak Galerkin Method and Its Applications. The 8th International Congress on Industrial and Applied Mathematics (ICIAM). Beijing, CHINA, August 10 - 14, 2015.
- Peking University Summer Academic Activities on Numerical Partial Differential Equations. August 15 - 21, 2015
- 2016 Workshop on Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations at Peking University, Beijing, CHINA. July 19-23, 2016.

- Southern California Applied Mathematics Symposium. UC Irvine. June 3, 2017.
- 2017 Workshop on Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations at Peking University, Beijing, CHINA. July 24-28, 2017.
- 2017 Summer School on Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations. Guangzhou, CHINA. Aug 10-11, 2017
- Workshop of Scientific Computing and Applications. Kunming. July 5 - 7, 2018.
- 2018 Summer School on Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations. Beijing, CHINA. July 30 - Aug 15, 2018
- Mini-symposium. The International Multigrid Conference (IMG 2019). Kunming, CHINA. August 11-16, 2019.
- 11/3 – 11/5/2021 In organizing committee of Workshop on Neural Networks, Learning, and Multilevel Finite Element Methods.
- 6/19 – 6/23/2023 In organizing committee of CBMS Conference: Deep Learning and Numerical PDEs
- 8/21/2023 Session chair of ICIAM 2023
- 1/3 - 1/6, 2024 Organizing a mini-symposium in Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Francisco.
- 6/23, 2024 International Workshop on Deep Learning and Numerical Methods for PDEs, Xi'An
- 7/12, 2024 Workshop on Scientific Computing and Data Science, Hong Kong
- 3/30 -3/31, 2025 The Symposium on Mathematical Theory for the Finite Element and Deep Learning Methods, Nanjing

## Presentations

- 5/9/2025 NSF Computational Mathematics Meeting, Utah
- 2/5/2025 UCSD Optimization and Data Science Seminar, San Diego
- 7/16/2024 NSF Computational Mathematics PI Meeting, Seattle
- 7/10/2024 CUHK-SZ and CUHK Joint Summer School on Scientific Computing and Machine Learning
- 7/3/2024 Summer School “Numerical Methods and Applications of Partial Differential Equations”, Xiangtan University
- 6/23/2024 International Workshop on Deep Learning and Numerical Methods for PDEs, Xi'An
- 6/21/2024 Seminar, Sun Yat-sen University
- 6/19/2024 Seminar, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 10/19/2023 Workshop on Computational Mathematics, Hangzhou.
- 8/20/2023 10th International Congress on Industrial and Applied Mathematics. Japan.
- 7/20/2023 Shanghai University of Finance and Economics
- 7/20/2023 Fudan University, Shanghai.

- 7/14/2023 Northwestern Polytechnical University. XiAn.
- 7/11/2023 Peking University. Beijing.
- 7/10/2023 Beijing University of Technology. Beijing.
- 7/3/2023 National Center for Applied Mathematics in Chongqing Big Data Research Institute
- 6/29/2023 University of Electronic Science and Technology of China, Chengdu
- 6/26/2023 Scientific Computing: Theory and Applications. Sichuan University.
- 6/23/2023 Xiamen University
- 6/21/2023 Hong Kong University
- 6/20/2023 Hong Kong Polytechnic University
- 6/20/2023 The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 5/16/2023 Frontiers of Numerical PDEs. Brin Mathematics Research Center. University of Maryland.
- 4/28/2023 (Online) Numerical Methods for Data Science and Engineering Seminar. Texas State University
- 3/27/2023 ACMS Colloquium. Notre Dame
- 3/6/2023 Colloquia Salientia. Portland State University.
- 1/17/2023 Math Colloquium. The University of Alabama.
- 11/2/2022 (Online) Shanghai University of Finance and Economics.
- 6/6/2022 (Online) Beijing Computational Science Research Center.
- 6/6/2022 (Online) South China Normal University - Guangzhou University
- 5/10/2022 (Online) Peking University.
- 5/3/2022 (Online) Numerical Analysis Seminar. University of Maryland
- 3/29/2022 (Online) University of Georgia Athens.
- 2/25/2022 (Online) Numerical Analysis and PDE Seminar. University of Delaware
- 1/20/2022 (Online) Tsinghua-BIMSA Seminars in Applied Mathematics. Tsinghua University
- 1/12/2022 (Online) Optimization and Data Science Seminar. UCSD
- 12/27/2021 Morgan State University
- 11/5/2021 Workshop on Neural Networks, Learning, and Multilevel Finite Element Methods.
- 9/23/2021 (Online) University of South Carolina
- 4/16/2021 (Online) Shanghai Normal University
- 3/12/2021 (Online) Emory University
- 3/6/2021 (Online) Workshop on Scientific Computing and Applications. University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

- 1/29/2021 (Online) Mathematical Sciences Colloquium, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Michigan Technological University.
- 1/10/2021 (Online) Oberwolfach Workshop on Nonstandard Finite Element Methods
- 12/29/2020 (Online) 2020 Annual meeting of International Consortium of Chinese Mathematicians, USTC, Anhui.
- 10/8/2020 (Online) Shandong University
- (Online) Workshop on Multiphysics: Mathematical Theory and Numerical Methods. Xi'an Jiaotong University, Aug 21, 2020.
- (Online) Tianyuan Mathematical Center in Northeast China, Jilin University, Changchun, July 28, 2020.
- (Online) CCMA Seminar on Mathematics of Data and Computation, Pennsylvania State University, May 14, 2020.
- The International Multigrid Conference, Kunming. Aug 13, 2019.
- Sichuan University, Chengdu. Aug 6, 2019.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing. July 26, 2019.
- Beijing University of Technology, Beijing. July 24, 2019.
- Fudan University, Shanghai. July 19, 2019.
- Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai. July 18, 2019.
- University of Electronic Science and Technology of China, Chengdu. July 12, 2019.
- UCSD Optimization and Data Science Seminar. Oct 10, 2018.
- CAM Seminar, University of Tennessee. Sep 19, 2018.
- Jilin University, Jilin. Aug 27, 2018.
- China West Normal University, Nanchong. Aug 21, 2018.
- Sichuan University, Chengdu. Aug 20, 2018.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing. Aug 16, 2018.
- University of Electronic Science and Technology of China, Chengdu. July 9, 2018.
- Workshop of Scientific Computing and Applications. Kunming. July 5 - 7. 2018.
- 2017 Summer School on Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations. Guangzhou. Aug 10-11, 2017
- **Invite (Plenary) Speakers.** 11-th National Conference on Computational Math. XiAn. July 22, 2017
- XiAn Jiaotong University, XiAn. CHINA. July 20, 2017
- Nanjing Normal University, Nanjing. CHINA. July 3, 2017
- Sichuan University, Chengdu. CHINA. July 7, 2017.

- University of Electronic Science and Technology of China, Chengdu. June 19, 2017
- SIAM Central States Section. Little Rock, Arkansas. Sep 30, 2016.
- 9-th National Conference on Finite Element Methods. Emei, Sichuan. Aug 20, 2016.
- Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Shanghai. Aug 10-11, 2016.
- Workshop on Numerical Methods for PDE at Peking University, Beijing, Jul 20, 2016.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing. July 5, 2016.
- MAFELAP, Brunel University London, June 14-17, 2016.
- SoCAMS. Claremont Colleges. June 4, 2016.
- Tufts University. Boston. Feb 13 - 16. 2016.
- University of California at Riverside. Riverside, CA, Feb 3, 2016.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, Jan 4, 2016.
- Shandong University. Jinan, Shandong. Dec 28 - 30. 2015.
- Sichuan University. Chengdu, Sichuan. Dec 18. 2015.
- Jilin University. Changchun, Jilin. Dec 7 - 9, 2015.
- Shanghai Jiaotong University. Shanghai. Dec 3-5, 2015.
- Wenzhou University. Wenzhou, Zhejiang. Nov 16 - 18, 2015.
- Xiamen University. Xiamen, Fujian. Nov 6-9, 2015.
- Numerical Methods on Polygon Meshes. Altanata. Oct 26-28, 2015.
- School of Mathematics and Computational Science, Changsha University of Science and Technology. Oct 13, 2015.
- School of Mathematics, Xiangtan University, Hunan. Oct 11, 2015.
- School of Mathematics, South China Normal University Guangzhou, CHINA. Sep 11, 2015.
- The 8th International Congress on Industrial and Applied Mathematics (ICIAM). Beijing, August 10 - 14, 2015.
- School of Mathematical Sciences. Sichuan University. CHINA, July 20, 2015.
- SIAM Conference on Computational Science. Salt Lake City, Utah. March 14 - 15, 2015.
- Numerical Analysis Seminar. Texas A&M. Feb 25, 2015.
- Finite Element Circus. Minnesota. October 24-25, 2014.
- IMA Special workshop. Minnesota. October 22-24, 2014.
- School of Mathematics and Statistics, Beijing Institute of Technology, July 10, 2014.
- Beijing Computational Science Research Center, July 8, 2014.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, July 8, 2014.

- School of Mathematics, Sichuan University, Chengdu, Sichuan CHINA. July 2, 2014.
- School of Mathematics and Statistics, WuHan University, June 27, 2014.
- Beijing International Center for Mathematical Research (BICMR), June 26, 2014.
- ICERM Workshop. Brown University. May 12-16, 2014.
- Oberwolfach Workshop. Oberwolfach, Germany. Nov 17-22, 2013.
- Colloquium. Department of Mathematics and Statistics. Portland State University. Portland, Oregon. Oct 4. 2013.
- School of Mathematics, Sun Yat-sen University International Conference on Frontiers of Numerical PDEs. Guangzhou. Aug 2. 2013.
- School of Mathematics, Sichuan University, Chengdu, Sichuan CHINA. July 25, 2013.
- Workshop on Scientific Computing With Applications Kunming. July 18, 2013.
- South China Normal University Guangzhou. July 12, 2013.
- SIAM Annual Meeting San Diego, CA. July 10, 2013.
- Workshop on Multilevel computational methods and optimization Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel Apr 30-May 2, 2013.
- Numerical Approximation of Partial Differential Equations. In Occasion of Ricardo H. Nochetto's 60th Birthday. Gargnano del Garda, Brescia, Italy. Mar 21, 2013.
- AMS Joint Mathematics Meetings. San Diego, Jan 11, 2013.
- Numerical Analysis Seminar, University of Maryland at College Park. Dec 11, 2012.
- Department of Mathematics and Statistics. Missouri University of Science and Technology. Oct 12, 2012.
- Workshop on Efficient Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations. Urumqi. August 13-18, 2012.
- Eighth International Conference on Scientific Computing and Applications. University of Nevada at Las Vegas, Nevada, Apr 1 - 4, 2012.
- Frontiers of Computational and Applied Mathematics. Beijing International Center for Mathematical Research. Oct 21 - Oct 25, 2011.
- Department of Mathematics, Hong Kong Baptist University. Aug 30, 2011.
- School of Mathematical Science. Peking University. Beijing. CHINA. Aug 15 - 20, 2011.
- Short Course/Workshop on (Algebraic) Multigrid Methods Kunming. Aug 1 - 10, 2011.
- 2011 Sun Yat-sen University International Conference on Frontiers of Numerical PDEs. Guangzhou. Aug 1-4. 2011.
- AMS Western Section in Las Vegas. University of Nevada at Las Vegas. Apr 30, 2011.
- Department of Applied Mathematics. Illinois Institute of Technology Chicago, 25 Apr, 2011.
- **Invite (Plenary) Speakers** of 20-th International Conference on Domain Decomposition Methods. UC San Diego, 7-11 Feb, 2011.



- Changjiang International Conference on Mathematics. Sichuan. CHINA, Aug 9, 2010.
- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Beijing, July 26–Aug 6, 2010.
- Summer School on Finite Element Methods, Kunming University of Science and Technology, Kunming, July 12–July 16, 2010.
- School of Mathematical Sciences. Sichuan University. CHINA, July 6, 2010.
- Midwest Numerical Analysis Day, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa. April 24-25, 2010
- Scientific Computing Seminars. University of Houston, April 8, 2010.
- Adaptive and Multilevel Methods for Partial Differential Equations. University of California at San Diego in La Jolla, California. November 13-14, 2009.
- 19-th International Conference on Domain Decomposition Methods, Zhangjiajie, August 18, 2009.
- Summer School on Multilevel Adaptive Finite Element Methods, Beijing, July 13–31, 2009.
- International Conference on Applied Analysis and Scientific Computation Shanghai Normal University, June 26, 2009.
- Nanjing University, June 23, 2009.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, June 9, 2009.
- 14-th Copper Mountain Conference on Multigrid Methods, March 25, 2009.
- Mathematical Sciences Seminars, University of Nevada at Las Vegas, March 11, 2009.
- SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering (CSE09), Miami, March 4, 2009.
- Computational and Applied Mathematics Seminar, Purdue University, November 21, 2008.
- Department of Mathematics Colloquium, Wayne State University, November 3, 2008.
- Finite Element Circus, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, October 25, 2008.
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, July 7, 2008.
- Summer School on AFEM and Multigrid, Beijing, July 7–11, 2008.
- Foundation of Computational Mathematics, Hong Kong, June 20, 2008.
- Mathematical Sciences Seminars and Colloquium, University of Nevada at Las Vegas, May 6, 2008.
- Applied Math Seminar, University of California, Irvine, April 21, 2008.
- Xiangtan University, March 25, 2008.
- Graduate Seminar, University of California, Irvine, November 16, 2007.
- 10th SIAM conference on Geometric Design and Computing, San Antonio, Texas, November 4, 2007.
- Summer School on AFEM and Multigrid, Beijing, June, 2007.
- Mathematical and Computational Sciences Division Seminar Series, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), June 5, 2007.

- NSF-CBMS Regional Research Conference, University of Iowa, May 23, 2007.
- Finite Element Circus, University of Maryland, April 21, 2007.
- Numerical Analysis Seminar, University of Maryland, January 30, 2007.
- University of California, Irvine (Special Recruitment Colloquium), January 19, 2007.
- Finite Element Circus, The Pennsylvania State University, November 4, 2006.
- Academy of Mathematics and System Sciences, Chinese Academy of Sciences. July 21, 2006.
- 2006 Summer School on the Multiscale Adaptive Method, Beijing University, July 17 – 21, 2006.
- Numerical Analysis Seminar, UCSD, May 23, 2006.
- Tech Report, National Biomedical Computation Resource, UCSD, Apr. 27, 2006
- Numerical Analysis Seminar, UCSD, Oct. 11, 2005.
- 8th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics Austin, Texas, July 24-28, 2005
- Midwest Numerical Analysis Conference, May 22, 2005
- University of California, San Diego (Special Recruitment Colloquium), Jan 6, 2005
- University of Delaware, Dec 13, 2004
- Wayne State University, Dec 8, 2004
- University of Maryland, Nov 30, 2004
- Finite Element Circus. Syracuse University, Oct 15, 2004
- CAM Luncheon Seminar in Penn State, Sep 24, 2004
- 13th International Meshing Roundtable. Williamsburg, VA. Sep. 20 2004
- Peking University, June 21, 2004
- Superconvergence and A Posteriori Error Estimates, Changsha, May 31-Jun 2, 2004
- Recent Advances in Adaptive Computation, Hangzhou, May 24-28, 2004
- Finite Element Circus, University of Pittsburgh, April 17 2004
- Finite Element Circus. Cornell University, Nov 8, 2003
- CAM Luncheon Seminar in Penn State, Nov 14, 2003