



Michigan Technological University Computer Science

Highlights 2020-2021

Faculty

19 Tenure-track/Tenured
3 Lecturer Track

Enrollments – Fall 2020

Computer Science	BS	443
	MS	30
	PhD	26
Software Engineering	BS	96
Cybersecurity	MS	6

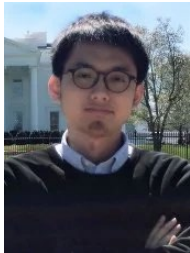
New Faculty



Briana Bettin
Assistant Professor

Areas of Expertise:

- User experience
- Human factors
- Education, engagement, retention



Junqiao Qiu
Assistant Professor

Areas of Expertise:

- Parallel computing
- Programming systems
- Compiler optimization



Leo Ureel
Assistant Professor

Areas of Expertise:

- Software engineering
- Computer science education
- Intelligent tutoring systems

Student Highlights

In Spring 2021 NCL cybersecurity competition, the MTU RedTeam completed 100% of the challenges earning a 3rd place in the team game, out of 922 teams from hundreds of universities across the US.

A team of MTU students qualified for the ICPC North America Division Championships.

Recognitions

J. Walker, S. Carr, A. Radwan, Y. Hu, Y. Cheng, [J. Mayo](#), and [CK Shene](#), "A Visualization for Teaching Integer Coercion," one of three Best Poster Awards at 26th Annual Conference on Innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education ([ITICSE](#)).

N. Chen, B. Chen, W. Shi, "MobiWear: A Plausibly Deniable Encryption System for Wearable Mobile Devices," Best Paper Award at The First EAI International Conference on Applied Cryptography in Computer and Communications ([EAI AC3 2021](#)).

Funding Highlights

Cai, Y., Arney, T., Mayo, J., Ten, C., Chen, B., *CyberCorps: Scholarship for Service Program at Michigan Tech*, NSF.

Barnard, A., Brown, L., Cai, Y., Havens, T., *ONR STEM ROTC Cyber Education Initiative*, US DoD.

Wallace, C., Ureel II, L., Havens, T., Barnard, A., *Redesign and Implementation of USDS Proxy Language-Phase II*, ARiA.

Havens, T., Barnard, A., Shankara, G., Meadows, G., *DURIP: Acoustic Sensing System and High-Throughput Computing for Environment and Threat*, US DoD.

Oommen, T., Havens, T., Meadows, G. *SCC-CIVIC-PG Track B: Helping Rural Counties to Enhance Flooding and Coastal Disaster Resilience and Adaption*, NSF.

Pastel, R., Morgan, C., *ENTERPRISE: Real Time Strategy Game for Military Commanders*, National Center for the Advancement of STEM Education.

Hatti, N., Walker, J., Morgan, C., *ENTERPRISE: Interactive Website Design for Multiple Hospitality Venues*, Destination Calumet LLC.

Qiu, J., *CRII: SHF: GPU-accelerated FSM computations with advanced speculation*, NSF.