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## AFFILIATION

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<b>Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering (tenure track)</b> School of Mechanical, Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering <i>Oregon State University</i>	2016-present
<b>Doctoral Research and Teaching Assistant</b> School of Industrial Engineering <i>Purdue University</i>	2009-2015
<b>Undergraduate Research Assistant</b> School of Industrial Engineering <i>Purdue University</i>	2004-2006

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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My research lies at the intersection of human factors engineering, engineering design, and systems engineering. I am interested in formulating design theories and methods that examine the interdependencies and co-evolution of humans in engineering and technological systems. My group aims to advance both theoretical and practical aspects of human-centered design, creating modern, transformative design theories and methods for sustainable change in product, process, and service innovation. My research and teaching expertise spans various areas of design science, including:

- Human Factors Engineering
- Design Theory and Methods
- Systems Engineering
- Human-Centered Design
- Digital Human Modeling
- Biomechanics & Ergonomics
- Product Design & Development
- Prototyping
- Industrial Design


## EDUCATION

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<b>Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering</b> School of Industrial Engineering <i>Purdue University</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Dissertation</u>: <a href="#">Modular Human-in-the-loop Design Framework Based on Human Factors</a></li><li>• <u>Advisor</u>: Vincent G. Duffy, Ph.D.</li></ul>	Dec. 2015
<b>M.S. in Industrial Engineering</b> School of Industrial Engineering <i>Purdue University</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Thesis</u>: <a href="#">Sensory Feedback Mechanism for Virtual Build Methodology</a></li><li>• <u>Advisor</u>: Vincent G. Duffy, Ph.D.</li></ul>	Dec. 2009
<b>B.S. in Industrial Engineering (Graduated in Industrial Engineering Honors Program)</b> School of Industrial Engineering <i>Purdue University</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>Thesis</u>: <a href="#">User Manual and Examples: Tecnomatix Jack 5.0</a></li><li>• <u>Advisor</u>: Vincent G. Duffy, Ph.D.</li></ul>	Dec. 2006

## PUBLICATIONS [Google Scholar] [↗](#)

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All publications have undergone peer review. DOIs () and links to digital prints (eprints) are provided, except the ones marked as "Under Review". Typically, students are listed first, in descending order of their contributions, and the advisors are listed last.

- The asterisk (\*) denotes Dr. Demirel's graduate and undergraduate students as co-authors.

### Refereed Journal Publications (Under Review)

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- UR-J1. J. Zhang\* and H. O. Demirel, "Early-stage virtual design assessment framework for proactive human factors engineering," *Applied Ergonomics*, 2024.

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- UR-C3. M. Firouzi\*, C. Jetton, V. Bhaskaran, **H. O. Demirel**, and C. Hoyle, "Improving road safety with human-in-the-loop bayesian optimization using driver vision obstruction simulations," in *International Mechanical Engineering Congress & Exposition*, 2024.
- UR-C2. G. B. Joffe\* and **H. O. Demirel**, "Adjustable pedals in automotive design: A digital human modeling-based clearance and clash analysis," in *International Mechanical Engineering Congress & Exposition*, 2024.
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- C36. J. Henstrom, R. De Amicis, C. Sanchez, and **H. O. Demirel**, "VR technical drawing learning activity for college engineering students: Design, development and evaluation," in *Design Tools and Methods in Industrial Engineering III. ADM 2023.*, vol. Lecture Notes in Mechanical Engineering, Florence, Italy, 2024, pp. 397–404.  
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- C4. H. O. Demirel, V. Balchandani, N. V. Hartman, A. Lowe, H. Razali, and V. G. Duffy, "Proof of concept for test of virtual assembly cell with high product complexity," in *International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics (AHFE)*, Las Vegas, NV, USA, 2008.
- C3. H. O. Demirel and V. G. Duffy, "RFID for medical implant monitoring and positive patient identification," in *International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics (AHFE)*, Las Vegas, NV, USA, 2008.
- C2. H. O. Demirel and V. G. Duffy, "Applications of digital human modeling in industry," in *Digital Human Modeling. International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction. HCII 2007.*, vol. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 4561. Beijing, P.R. China, 2007, pp. 824–832.  
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## PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

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- T25. **E-Campus Experience: Analog Sketching and Digital Modeling** 2023  
Oregon State University Faculty Forum  
*Corvallis, Oregon*
- T24. **Quantifying Vision Obstruction of Formula One (F1) Halo Concept Variants** 2022  
7th International Digital Human Modeling Symposium  
*Iowa City, Iowa*
- T23. **A Proactive Ergonomics Framework to Assess A-Pillar Vision Obstruction** 2022  
International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics  
*New York City, New York*
- T22. **Quantifying Vision Obstruction in Formula One (F1) Halo Concepts** 2022  
International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction  
*Gothenburg, Sweden*
- T21. **Prototyping Framework for Human-Centered Product Design** 2021  
International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction  
*Washington, DC*
- T20. **Digital Human-in-the-Loop Framework** 2020  
International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction  
*Copenhagen, Denmark*
- T19. **Digital Human-in-the-Loop Methodology for Early Design Human Factors** 2020  
International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction  
*Copenhagen, Denmark*
- T18. **Proactive Ergonomics Using Virtual Reality** 2019  
International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction  
*Orlando, FL*
- T17. **Coupling Digital Human Modeling with Early Design Stage Human Error Analysis** 2019  
AIAA Information Systems Aerospace Systems Info-Tech  
*San Diego, CA*
- T16. **Assessment of Types of Prototyping in Human Centered Product Design** 2019  
Human-Computer Interaction International Conference  
*Las Vegas, NV*
- T15. **Human-in-the-loop Design Framework** 2018  
NSF Design Workshop - Designing and Developing Global Engineering Systems  
*Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR*
- T14. **Towards human-induced failure assessment during early design** 2018  
International Symposium on tools and methods of competitive engineer  
*Canary Islands, Spain*
- T13. **OSU Expertise: Engineering Design and Innovation** 2017  
Autodesk Manufacturing Team meeting  
*Portland, OR*
- T12. **OSU Expertise: Engineering Design and Innovation** 2017  
Adidas Design Team meeting  
*Portland, OR*
- T11. **Human-in-the-loop Design Framework** 2017  
Oregon State University Industry Advisory Board Meeting  
*Portland, OR*
- T10. **Human-in-the-loop Design Framework** 2016  
NIKE Sustainability Group meeting  
*Corvallis, OR*



T9. <b>Human-in-the-loop Design Framework</b> Columbia Sportswear Technical Team meeting <i>Corvallis, OR</i>	2016
T8. <b>Human-in-the-loop Design Framework</b> Graduate Design Seminar <i>Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR</i>	2016
T7. <b>Value co-creation in healthcare service systems</b> International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics <i>Las Vegas, NV</i>	2015
T6. <b>Digital Human Modeling for product design and development"</b> Whirlpool Co. <i>Benton Harbor, MI</i>	2010
T5. <b>Impact of Force Feedback on Computer Aided Ergonomic Analyses</b> International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction <i>San Diego, CA</i>	2009
T4. <b>RDIF for Medical Implant Monitoring</b> International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics <i>Las Vegas, NV</i>	2008
T3. <b>Proof of concept for test of virtual assembly cell with high product complexity</b> International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics <i>Las Vegas, NV</i>	2008
T2. <b>Applications of Digital Human Modeling in Industry</b> International Conference on Digital Human Modeling <i>Beijing, China</i>	2007
T1. <b>Digital human modeling for product life-cycle management</b> International Conference on Digital Human Modeling <i>Beijing, China</i>	2007

## FUNDING

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- **National Science Foundation (NSF)** 2020 – 2025  
Educating Designers For Generative Engineering  
- \$2,180,320 (Co-PI)
- **The Oregon Manufacturing Innovation Center, Research & Development (OMIC)** 2019 - 2021  
Effective Training of Manufacturing and Assembly Via Enhanced Cyber Training Systems  
- \$99,804 (Co-PI)
- **Office of Naval Research (ONR)** 2020 - 2021  
Swarms, Colonies, and Human Organizations: Towards a Science of Managed Bio-Inspired Collectives  
- \$217,124 (Co-PI)
- **National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)** 2018 - 2020  
Identification and Validation of Human Errors in Large-Scale Complex Systems  
- \$150,000 (PI)
- **National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)** 2017 - 2018  
Verification and Validation of Human-Centric Operations in Large Scale Systems  
- \$40,000 (PI)
- **Center for Research in Engineering Education Online (CREEdO)** 2020 - 2021  
A Transformative Study on The Effectiveness Of Extended Reality Enhancing Engineering Education  
- \$25,000 (Role: Co-PI)

- **Oregon State University - Learning Innovation Grant** 2018-2024  
D-HUB: Collaborative Design Studio Space for Human-Centered Product and Process Innovation  
- \$99,950 (Role: PI)
- **Oregon State University - Undergraduate Research Experience** 2017-2018  
Computational Ergonomics Assessment of Laparoscopy Surgical Procedures  
- \$5,000 (Role: Co-PI)
- **Oregon State University - Faculty Travel** 2019  
2019 The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics InfoTech meeting  
- \$1,000 (Role: PI)
- **Oregon State University - Learning Innovation Grant** 2018-2019  
Bridging Industrial Design and Mechanical Engineering  
- \$10,000 (Role: PI)
- **Oregon State University - Undergraduate Research Experience** 2018 - 2019  
Digital Co-Creation: An Early Stage Product Personalization Methodology to Bridge the User-Designer Void  
- \$5,000 (Role: Co-PI)
- **Oregon State University - Instructional and Research Equipment** 2017  
Dearborn Wing Upgrade and Computational Design Equipment Purchase  
- \$6,500 (Role: PI)
- **Oregon State University - Faculty Travel** 2017  
2018 Human Computer Interaction International Meeting  
- \$1,000 (Role: PI)

## ADVISING

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<b>Ph.D. Students:</b>	Date of Graduation
5. Mohammadamin Firouzi (Co-advised with Dr. Christopher Hoyle) <u>Title:</u> TBD	12/2025 (expected)
4. Lukman Irshad (Co-advised with Dr. Irem Y. Tumer) <u>Title:</u> <a href="#">A Framework to Evaluate the Risk of Human- and Component-related Vulnerability Interactions</a> <a href="#">↗</a>	09/2021
3. Salman Ahmed <u>Title:</u> <a href="#">A Methodology to Design Pre-Prototyping Strategies for Human-Centered Product/Workplace During Conceptual Design Process</a> <a href="#">↗</a>	06/2021
2. Karina A. Roundtree (Co-advised with Dr. Julie A. Adams) <u>Title:</u> <a href="#">Achieving Transparency in Human-Collective Systems</a> <a href="#">↗</a>	08/2020
1. Nicolas Soria Zurita (Co-advised with Dr. Irem Y. Tumer) <u>Title:</u> <a href="#">The Function-Human Error Design Method (FHEDM)</a> <a href="#">↗</a>	06/2019
<b>M.S. Students:</b>	
7. Yitong Bu (Co-advised with Dr. Javier Calvo-Amodio) <u>Title:</u> TBD	06/2025 (expected)
6. Sriram Srinivasan <u>Title:</u> <a href="#">Early Design Evaluation of See-Through Automotive A-pillar Concepts Using Digital Human Modeling and Mixed Reality Techniques</a> <a href="#">↗</a>	09/2022
5. Taylor R. P. Mellon <u>Title:</u> <a href="#">Using Digital Human Modeling to Evaluate and Improve Car Pillar Design: A Proof of Concept and Design of Experiments</a> <a href="#">↗</a>	09/2021

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| 4. | MihirSunil Gawand<br><a href="#">Title: Automating Digital Human Modeling for Task Simulation and Ergonomic Evaluation to Consider Emergency Ergonomics Early in Design</a>  | 09/2019 |
| 3. | Kamolnat Tabattanon ( <i>Co-advised with Dr.Katharine M. Hunter-Zaworski</i> )<br><a href="#">Title: Design of an Accessible Sleeper Compartment for Next Generation Passenger Rail: Investigation of User Needs and Application of Human Factors through Digital Human Modeling</a> | 05/2018 |
| 2. | Alex Jennings<br><a href="#">Title: Percent Area Visual Obscuration of F1 Racecar Canopies</a>   | 03/2018 |
| 1. | Jianfu Zhang<br><a href="#">Title: Exploration of the Integration of Markerless Motion Capture and Virtual Reality for Ergonomics Assessment of Products in Early Design</a>   | 03/2018 |

#### **Undergraduate Students:**

	<b>Dates</b>
11. Po-Yen Huang	03/2023 - present
10. Gabrielle Joffe	09/2022 - present
9. Annie Rachel Thomas	10/2019 - 05/2021
8. Timothy James Slama	06/2017 - 06/2019
7. William R. Chick	01/2019 - 03/2019
6. Valerie Rose Byxbe	04/2016 - 06/2018
5. Mason Eragor	04/2016 - 03/2017
4. Gabriel Kemling	04/2016 - 03/2017
3. Yiqui Lui	09/2017 - 11/2017
2. Joseph Unfred	04/2016 - 12/2016
1. Timothy Edward Wellette	04/2016 - 10/2016

#### **Graduate Thesis or Project Committees:**

15. Samantha Kang, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2026 (expected)
14. Vignesh Bhaskaran, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2026 (expected)
13. Kiernan Kilkenny, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2024
12. Myles Robinson, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2023
11. Chengda Li, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2023
10. Taewan Lee, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2022
9. Ryan Racel Quick, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2022
8. Dogan Yirmibesoglu, Ph.D. in Robotics and Mechanical Engineering	2020
7. Mohammed Hossein Pakravanmobarakeh, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2019
6. Gaofeng Bai, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2019
5. Trung Bao Pham, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2019
4. Weifeng Huang, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2017
3. Nima Rafibakhsh, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2017
2. Chirag Shah, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2017
1. Yue Liu, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering	2016

#### **Graduate Council Representative**

5. Deanna Flynn, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	2025 (expected)
4. Jacob Gradwohl, Ph.D. in Civil Engineering	2024 (expected)

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| 3. Brian Zhang, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering               | 2023 |
| 2. Jeffrey Klow, Ph.D. in Robotics and Mechanical Engineering | 2020 |
| 1. Mike Hector, M.S. in Mechanical Engineering                | 2019 |

### Senior Design ME 418 and ME 419

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| 10. Simon Pauken, Victoria Gouw, Uriel Perez, and Roxanne Bahn-Bales<br><i>Home Autoinjector</i>   | 2023-2024 |
| 9. Daniel Bassich, Paige Kingsley, Tanner Johnson, Kaidan Odom, and Matthew Stahlberg<br><i>Hyster-Yale Forced Air Debris Deflector</i>    | 2022-2023 |
| 8. Ivan Chen, Daniel Coffey, and Faith Holm<br><i>Enclosed Forklift Compartment</i>  | 2021-2022 |
| 7. Brock Crolly, Ryan J. Goss, Zicheng Longm and Peter Allen Moshinsky<br><i>Badminton Launcher</i>  | 2021-2022 |
| 6. Allison Martz, Brayden Wiggle, Amar Naggar, To Phan, and Le Phan<br><i>Photography Apparatus for a Chemical Biology Lab</i>             | 2021-2022 |
| 5. Spencer Sneider, Caleb Schuh, and Kyra Emmer<br><i>Development of an Effective, Escape-proof Trap for Capturing Pest Snails</i>         | 2020-2021 |
| 4. Christopher Marangoni Norris and Theodora Brooke Perednia<br><i>ROV Kit to Teach Young Engineers</i>                                    | 2019-2020 |
| 3. Tyler Forehand, Gordon Colfax, and Isshu Lee<br><i>Electric Lever Feedback</i>  | 2017-2018 |
| 2. Edward Soller, Griffin Seager, and Mohammed Almazrouei<br><i>Manual Hydraulic Simulation System</i>                                     | 2016-2017 |
| 1. Parker Bruns, Ashlen Watrous, and Jordan Gregoire<br><i>Innovative Right Arm Brace to Assist With Elbow Flexion and Wrist Extension</i> | 2016-2017 |

## TEACHING

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### Oregon State University

- **ENGR 248: Engineering Graphics and 3-D Modeling (3 credits)**  
Introduction to graphical communication theory, including freehand sketching, geometric construction, multi-view, pictorial, sectional and auxiliary view representation, and dimensioning techniques.  
– Fall: 2016, 2018, 2023, 2024  
– Winter: 2016, 2018, 2024  
– Spring: 2016, 2017, 2019
- **ME611: Modern Product Design (4 credits)**  
Product development and prototyping is examined from a research standpoint in this course. Customer outcomes gathering, functional modeling, product architecture, and modern techniques for concept generation and selection are explored.  
– Fall: 2016, 2019, 2020  
– Winter: 2022, 2023, 2024
- **ME599: Design for Human Modeling (4 credits)**  
Project-based course provides an introduction to theory and applications in Digital Human Modeling (DHM), human-centered modern product design, and computational ergonomics.  
– Winter: 2018, 2020  
– Spring: 2022, 2024

- **ME507: Design Seminar** (1 credit)  
Graduate level course focuses on exposing graduate students to the wide range of research being pursued in mechanical engineering.  
– *Winter 2018*
- **ME502: Independent Studies** (4 credits)  
Topics will include systems visualization and prototyping techniques for early design (embodiment), including sketch-based modeling (sketch-to-surface or sketch-to-solid models), realistic CAD modeling, photo-realistic rendering, animations, and virtual-reality.  
– *Winter 2019*

### **Purdue University**

- **IE 558: Safety Engineering** (3 credits)(Co-taught with Dr. Vincent G. Duffy)  
Application of human factors and engineering practice in accident prevention and the reduction of health hazards are presented. The objective of this course is to provide an understanding of the safety and health practices that fall within the responsibilities of the engineer in the industry.  
– *Spring 2013*
- **IE 385: Work Analysis and Design** (3 credits)(Lab instructor)  
Fundamentals of work methods and measurement. Applications of engineering, psychological, and physiological principles to the analysis and design of human work systems. Lectures and laboratory sessions include designing and analyzing workstations through Catia and JACK.  
– *Spring 2011, 2013, 2014*

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

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### **Journal Reviewer**

- ASME Journal of Mechanical Design (JMD)
- ASME Journal of Computing and Information Science in Engineering (JCISE)
- International Journal of Human Factors and Ergonomics (IJHFE)
- International Journal of Vehicle Design (IJVD)
- Research in Engineering Design (RED)
- International Journal of the Digital Human (IJDH)
- Technology in Society
- Ergonomics
- Applied Ergonomics
- Ergonomics in Design
- Safety Science
- Fire Safety Journal

### **Conference Reviewer**

- American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Design Engineering Technical Conferences & Computers and Information in Engineering Conference (IDETC-CIE)
- Human-Computer Interaction International (HCII)
- American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) InfoTech
- International Digital Human Modeling Symposium (DHM)

### **Conference Scientific Committee, Board Member and/or Session Organizer**

- Human Factors in Design and Manufacturing at International Design Engineering Technical Conferences and Computers and Information in Engineering Conference (ASME-IDETC)

- Digital Human Modeling and Applications in Health, Safety, Ergonomics and Risk Management at Human-Computer Interaction International (HCII-DHM)
- International Digital Human Modeling Symposium (DHM)

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

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### **University Level**

- Graduate School Award Review (2021, 2022, 2023)
- Engineering and Design for Society (EDS) Initiative (2018 - 2020)

### **College Level**

- College Of Engineering Commencement Marshall (2017, 2019, 2020)
- College of Engineering Outreach and Recruitment Committee (2019 - 2020)

### **School Level**

- MIME Faculty Search Committee (2016 - 2017, 2017 - 2018, 2018 - 2019)
- Mechanical Engineering graduate admissions (Design Group) (2016 - present)

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

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- Best Paper Award in the ASME International Design Engineering Technical Conferences and Computers and Information in Engineering Conference (IDETC-CIE) (2019)
- OSU MIME Strategic Excellence Initiatives Instructional and Research Equipment Award (2017, 2019)
- OSU MIME Strategic Excellence Initiatives Faculty Travel Award (2019)
- Purdue University Teaching Academy Graduate Teaching Award (2015)
- Purdue University Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship (2014)
- Purdue University Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship (2012)
- Alpha Pi Mu National Industrial Engineering Honor Society (2006)
- Purdue University Industrial Engineering Honors Program (2006)

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

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- **Computer Aided Design:** Catia V5, SolidWorks, Autodesk Fusion, Siemens NX, Shapr3D, Onshape, KeyShot
- **Computer Aided Engineering:** JACK, 3DSSPP, Ansys, SimScale, OpenSim, Santos Virtual Human
- **Vector and Freehand Drawing:** OmniGraffle, Lucid, SmartDraw, Microsoft Visio, SketchBook Pro
- **Data Analysis:** SPSS, JMP Pro, DataGraph
- **Press and Publication:** MS Office, OS Productivity, Adobe Suite, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X
- **Hardware:** Motion Capture, Virtual Reality, Eye-tracking, Lumbar Motion Monitor, Simulators