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SUMMARY

Tod A. Laursen is trained as a mechanical engineer, and his scholarly area of research is computational mechanics. He has made particular contributions to prediction tools that engineers and scientists use in the analysis of mechanical contact, impact, and friction, and is a fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), the United States Association for Computational Mechanics (USACM) and the International Association for Computational Mechanics (IACM). His academic career has included appointments in three fields of engineering (mechanical, civil and biomedical), while his administrative experience includes terms as a system provost, university president, senior associate dean for education, and department chair.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018– Provost and Senior Vice Chancellor, State University of New York, Albany, New York
- 2018 President and Professor, Khalifa University of Science & Technology, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
- 2017–2018 Interim President and Professor, Khalifa University of Science & Technology, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (appointed by board to lead integration after merger of KUSTAR, Masdar Institute, Petroleum Institute)
- 2010–2017 Founding President and Professor, Khalifa University of Science, Technology and Research (KUSTAR), Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
- 2008–2010 Chair and Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Duke University (secondary appointments in Civil and Environmental Engineering, Biomedical Engineering)
- 2003–2008 Senior Associate Dean for Education and Professor, Pratt School of Engineering, Duke University (primary appointment in Civil and Environmental Engineering; secondary appointments in Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Biomedical Engineering)
- 1999–2003 Yoh Family Associate Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University (secondary appointments in Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Biomedical Engineering)

2001–2003	Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University
2001	Faculty Sabbatical Employee, Sandia National Laboratories
1998–1999	Associate Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University (secondary appointment in Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science)
1998–2000	Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University
1992–1998	Assistant Professor of Civil Engineering, Duke University (secondary appointment in Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science)
1989–1992	Research Assistant, Stanford University
1986–1992	Engineer, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
1985	Summer Research Engineer, Boeing Commercial Airplane Company
1983–1984	Lab and Research Assistant, Oregon State University Forest Research Laboratory

EDUCATION

1992	Ph.D., Mechanical Engineering, Stanford University (emphasis in Applied Mechanics)
1989	M.S., Mechanical Engineering, Stanford University
1986	B.S., Mechanical Engineering, Oregon State University

EDITORSHIPS

- * Editorial Board Member, *Finite Elements in Analysis and Design*, Elsevier Science, 2014–present, 2001
- * Advisory Board Member, *International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering*, John Wiley and Sons, 2003–present
- * Editorial Board Member, *Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering*, Elsevier, 2010–present
- * Editorial Board Member, *Computational Mechanics*, Springer, 2007–present
- * Editor-In-Chief, *Finite Elements in Analysis and Design*, Elsevier Science, 2001–2014
- * Editorial Board Member, *International Journal of Mechanics and Materials in Design*, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2004–2010.
- * Editorial Board Member, *Computer-Aided Civil and Infrastructure Engineering*, Blackwell Publishing, 2006–2010.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- * Fellow, United States Association for Computational Mechanics (elected 2013)

- * Fellow, International Association for Computational Mechanics (elected 2010)
- * Fellow, American Society of Mechanical Engineers (elected 2008)
- * Member, American Society for Engineering Education
- * Member, Tau Beta Pi, The National Engineering Honor Society
- * Member, Pi Tau Sigma, National Honorary Mechanical Engineering Fraternity

HONORS & AWARDS

- * Oregon State University Academy of Distinguished Engineers Award, 2010
- * Yoh Family Endowed Chair, 1999–2003; Bass Fellow, Duke University, 1999–2010
- * Oregon State University Council of Outstanding Early Career Engineers Award, 1998
- * Hunt Faculty Scholar, Duke University School of Engineering, 1997–1998
- * National Science Foundation CAREER Award, 1997
- * Office of Naval Research Young Investigator Award, 1997
- * The Earl I. Brown II Outstanding Civil Engineering Faculty Award, Duke University Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, 1997
- * National Science Foundation Research Initiation Award, 1993
- * IBM Graduate Fellowship, Stanford University, 1988–1989
- * Most Outstanding Senior Award, Oregon State University Department of Mechanical Engineering, 1986

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Wriggers, P. & T.A. Laursen, eds. (2007), *Computational Contact Mechanics: CISM Courses and Lectures, vol. 298*, Springer, Wien & New York.
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Laursen, T.A., E.J. Kim & B. Yang (2007), “Recent Extensions of Mortar-Based Contact Formulations: Lubrication Modeling and Parallel Implementations,” in *IUTAM Symposium on Computational Contact Mechanics*, P. Wriggers & U. Nackenhorst, eds., Springer, Dordrecht, The Netherlands, pp. 123–146.

Laursen, T.A. (2006), “Mortar-Based Surface-to-Surface Contact Algorithms in Large Deformation Solid Mechanics,” in *Analysis and Simulation of Contact Problems*, P. Wriggers & U. Nackenhorst, eds., Springer-Verlag, Berlin, pp. 5–12.

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- “Frictional Contact on a Rigid Obstacle for the Particle-Difference Method,” Fourteenth U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Montreal, Canada, July 16–20, 2017.
- “Recent Computational Advances in Contact and Friction Simulation as Applied to Tire Mechanics” (invited plenary lecture), 2014 Tire Society Conference, Akron, OH, September 8, 2014.
- “Computational Contact Mechanics: Approaches to Traditional, Embedded and Enriched Interfaces” (invited keynote lecture), Advances in Computational Mechanics (ACM 2013), San Diego, CA, February 24–27, 2013.
- “Integral Representation of Contact Constraints as a Means to Robust and Accurate Representation of Interfacial Behavior in Large Deformation Mechanics” (invited semiplenary lecture), ECCOMAS 2012, Vienna, Austria, September 10–14, 2012.
- “Data Transfer Operators for Frictional Contact Problems,” 10th World Congress on Computational Mechanics, Sao Paulo, Brazil, July 8–13, 2012.
- “New Developments in Mortar Contact Methods and Extensions to Embedded and Enriched Interface Strategies” (invited keynote lecture), Euromech 514: New Trends in Contact Mechanics, Cargese, Corsica, France, March 27–31, 2012.
- “Contact Mechanics on Embedded and Enriched Interfaces” (invited keynote lecture), 2nd ECCOMAS International Conference on Computational Contact Mechanics (ICCCM 2011), Hannover, Germany, June 15–17, 2011.
- “Computational Interface Mechanics: Lessons from Mortar-Based Contact and Extensions to Granular Systems and Fluid-Structure Coupling” (invited semi-plenary lecture), Fourth European Conference on Computational Mechanics (ECCM), Paris, France, May 16–21, 2010.
- “Computational Interface Mechanics in Multi-Media Problems: Stabilization in Granular Systems and Fluid-Structure Coupling” (invited keynote lecture), The 16th International Symposium on Plasticity and Its Current Applications, St. Kitts, January 3–8, 2010.
- “From Contact Mechanics to Fluid/Structure Interaction: Recent Developments in Interface Discretization and Stabilization,” Tenth International Conference on Computational Plasticity Fundamentals and Applications, Barcelona, Spain, September 2–4, 2009.
- “New Paradigms for Interface Treatment in Polycrystalline and Granular Materials” (invited keynote lecture), The 15th International Symposium on Plasticity and Its Current Applications, St. Thomas, United States Virgin Islands, January 3–8, 2009.
- “A Stabilized Treatment of Arbitrarily Oriented Interfaces,” ASME International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition, Boston, Massachusetts, October 31–November 6, 2008.

- “New Mortar/Finite Element Algorithms for Large Sliding Contact Analysis” (invited, invitation only), Symposium of Advances in Contact Mechanics: a tribute to Prof. J.J. Kalker, Delft, The Netherlands, October 22–24, 2008.
- “Recent Extensions of Mortar-Based Contact Formulations: Lubrication Modeling and Parallel Implementations” (invited), International Union of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics Symposium on Computational Contact Mechanics, Hannover, Germany, November 5–8, 2006.
- “Development of Mortar Frameworks as a Foundation for Surface-Based Approaches to Contact Mechanics” (plenary lecture, invited), International Conference on Multifield Problems, Stuttgart, Germany, October 4–6, 2006.
- “Mortar-Based Surface-to-Surface Algorithms for Tribological Complexity in Transient Contact Mechanics” (keynote lecture, invited), Seventh World Congress on Computational Mechanics, Los Angeles, California, July 16–22, 2006.
- “New Developments in Surface-to-Surface Strategies for Analysis of Interface Mechanics” (keynote lecture, invited), Eighth International Conference on Computational Plasticity, Barcelona, Spain, September 5–7, 2005.
- “Mortar-Based Surface-to-Surface Contact Algorithms in Large Deformation Solid Mechanics” (keynote lecture, invited), Fourth Contact Mechanics International Symposium, Hannover, Germany, July 4–6, 2005.
- “Mortar Elements in Large Sliding Frictional Contact Analysis,” 16th International Conference on Domain Decomposition Methods, New York, New York, January 11–15, 2005.
- “Implementation of Frictional Contact Conditions in Surface to Surface, Mortar Based Computational Frameworks” (invited), Fourth European Congress on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences and Engineering (ECCOMAS 2004), Jyväskylä, Finland, July 24–28, 2004.
- “The Influence of the Energy–Momentum Paradigm on the Development of Computational Contact Mechanics,” Seventh U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Albuquerque, NM, July 28–30, 2003.
- “Integral Representations of Contact Conditions in Computational Analysis of Interfacial Phenomena,” USNCTAM14: Fourteenth U.S. National Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Blacksburg, VA June 23–28, 2002.
- “Surface Discretization in Computational Contact Mechanics: Mortar and Contact Smoothing Strategies” (invited), 277th WE-Heraeus Seminar on Contact and Fracture Problems, Bad Honnef, Germany, May 27–29, 2002.
- “On the Relation of Mortar Element Contact Formulations to Consistent Mesh Tying Schemes in Nonlinear Solid Mechanics,” Sixth U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Dearborn, Michigan, August 1–3, 2001.
- “New Conservative Finite Element Algorithms for Dynamic Inelastic Impact” (invited), ICTAM 2000–20th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Chicago, Illinois, August 27–September 2, 2000.
- “Recent Developments in Energy–Momentum Treatment of Impact Problems: Accurate Constraint Enforcement and Introduction of Physical Dissipation,” ECCOMAS 2000 (European Congress on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences and Engineering), Barcelona, Spain, September 11–14, 2000.

- “Energy-Momentum Finite Element Procedures for Inelastic Impact Problems—Recent Developments” (keynote lecture), Mechanics and Materials in Design 3, Orlando, Florida, May 29–31, 2000.
- “Computation of Coupled Interfacial Phenomena: Toward a Numerical Model of Corrosion,” International Conference on Computational Engineering Science, Atlanta, Georgia, October 5–9, 1998.
- “Development of Energy-Momentum Methods for Dynamic Contact Problems” (keynote lecture, invited), Fourth World Congress on Computational Mechanics, Buenos Aires, Argentina, June 29–July 2, 1998.
- “An Algorithm for the Matrix-Free Solution of Quasistatic Frictional Contact Problems,” Fourth World Congress on Computational Mechanics, Buenos Aires, Argentina, June 29–July 2, 1998.
- “A Thermodynamically Based Approach to the Constitutive Modeling and Numerical Treatment of Contact Interfaces,” Fourth U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics, San Francisco, California, August 6–8, 1997.
- “Constitutive Descriptions and Numerical Integrators for Transient Large Deformation Contact Problems” (invited), XIXth International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Kyoto, Japan, August 25–31, 1996.
- “Augmented Lagrangian Algorithms for Enforcement of Contact Constraints in Explicit Dynamic and Matrix-Free Quasistatic Applications,” Contact Mechanics 95, the Second International Conference on Computational Methods in Contact Mechanics, Ferrara, Italy, July 11–13, 1995.
- “Automation and Assessment of Augmented Lagrangian Algorithms for Frictional Contact Problems,” International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition, Chicago, Illinois, November 6–11, 1994.
- “A Viscoplastic State Variable Approach to Constitutive Modeling of Sliding Friction,” Twelfth U.S. National Congress of Applied Mechanics, Seattle, Washington, June 26–July 1, 1994.
- “Nonlinear Equation Solving in the Presence of Frictional Contact Constraints,” Seventeenth South-eastern Conference on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Hot Springs, Arkansas, April 10–12, 1994.
- “A New Class of Symmetric Algorithms for Computation of Frictional Mechanical Response,” Meet’N’93, the joint ASCE-ASME-SES meeting at Charlottesville, Virginia, June 6–9, 1993.

Technical Talks at Universities, Research Labs, Workshops and Contract Reviews

- “Mortar-Based Approaches to Contact Problems in Computational Solid and Structural Mechanics,” Department of Civil, Structural and Environmental Engineering, University at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY, March 1, 2019.
- “Contact Mechanics on Embedded and Enriched Interfaces,” Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Rice University, Houston, TX, November 20, 2012.
- “Mechanical Contact Analysis Using Mortar Discretization,” KAUST, Thuwal, Saudi Arabia, May 14, 2011.

- “Duke Computational Mechanics Laboratory: Research in Computational Contact and Interface Mechanics,” Michelin Americas Research & Development Corporation, Greenville, SC, October 9, 2009.
- “New Finite Element Methods for Robust Treatment of Interfaces in Highly Compliant Media,” Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, September 11, 2009.
- “Numerical Methods for Material Systems with Microstructure,” Air Force Office of Scientific Research Structural Mechanics Annual Grantee Meeting, Dayton, OH, July 28, 2009.
- “Mechanical Contact Analysis Using Mortar Discretization,” Section of Structural Mechanics, Faculty of Civil Engineering and Geosciences, TU Delft, Delft, The Netherlands, May 20, 2009.
- “New Finite Element Methods for Robust Treatment of Interfaces in Highly Compliant Media,” Duke University Center for Biologically Inspired Materials and Materials Systems Retreat, Beaufort, North Carolina, May 9, 2009.
- “Capabilities/Issues in Computational Contact Mechanics,” NSF-Sandia-AWE Joints Modeling Workshop, Dartington, Devon, United Kingdom, April 27-29, 2009.
- “New Developments in Computational Interface Mechanics—Perspectives Applicable to Particulate Media,” Workshop on Particulate Media in Extreme Environments (PMEE 2008), University of Florida Research & Engineering Education Facility, January 30, 2008.
- “Development of Mortar Frameworks as a Foundation for Surface-Based Approaches to Contact Mechanics,” Department of Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, November 16, 2007.
- “Recent Developments in Mortar-Based Simulation of Large Deformation Contact Mechanics,” Department of Mathematics, Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Santiago de Compostela, Spain, October 22, 2007.
- “New Numerical Strategies for Transient Interaction of Structures with Fluids and Soils,” Air Force Office of Scientific Research Contractors’ Meeting (Structural Mechanics Program), Seattle, Washington, August 29, 2006–September 1, 2006.
- “Computational and Modeling Strategies for Damping and Multi-Physics Coupling on Interfaces,” National Science Foundation/Sandia National Laboratories Research Program Grantee Workshop, Livermore, California, March 1–2, 2006.
- “Numerical and Experimental Models of Dry Friction Damping in Aeroelastic Structures,” Air Force Office of Scientific Research Contractors’ Meeting (Structural Mechanics Program), Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 29, 2005–September 1, 2005.
- “Numerical and Experimental Models of Dry Friction Damping in Aeroelastic Structures,” Air Force Office of Scientific Research Contractors’ Meeting (Structural Mechanics Program), Wintergreen, Virginia, August 18–20, 2004.
- “Recent Developments in Surface to Surface, Mortar Based Computational Frameworks,” Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, New Mexico, August 12, 2004.
- “Numerical and Experimental Models of Dry Friction Damping in Aeroelastic Structures,” Air Force Office of Scientific Research Contractors’ Meeting (Mechanics of Materials & Devices and Structural Mechanics Programs), Santa Fe, New Mexico, September 8–11, 2003.

- “New Spatial Discretization Techniques for Computational Contact Mechanics,” Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, New Mexico, June 3, 2003.
- “New Spatial Discretization Techniques for Computational Contact Mechanics,” Department of Mechanical Engineering, Universidade Federal do Parana, Curitiba, Parana, Brazil, May 21, 2003.
- “New Finite Element Techniques for Frictional Contact Mechanics,” Department of Mechanical Engineering, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, January 27, 2003.
- “New Finite Element Techniques for Frictional Contact Mechanics,” Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida, December 6, 2002.
- “New Energy-Momentum Finite Element Algorithms for Impact Problems,” Numerical Analysis Seminar, Center for Research in Scientific Computing/Department of Mathematics, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina, October 10, 2000.
- “Numerical Simulation of Impact Mechanics: New Energy-Momentum Algorithms and Mortar Element Methodologies,” Office of Naval Research Structural Mechanics, Computational Mechanics and Acoustics Signatures Review Meeting, Arlington, VA, May 22–25, 2000.
- “Formulations and Algorithms for Static and Dynamic Finite Element Analysis of Contact/Impact,” Michelin Americas Research and Development Corporation, Greenville, SC, October 28, 1999.
- “Improved Temporal and Spatial Discretization Strategies for Finite Element Analysis of Contact/Impact,” Office of Naval Research Computational Mechanics and Structural Acoustics Review Meeting, Boulder, CO, January 4–7, 1999.
- “Thermodynamically Consistent Numerical Algorithms in Contact Mechanics,” Mechanics and the Environment Interdisciplinary Colloquia, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, April 15, 1998.
- “Recent Developments in the Numerical Simulation of Transient Interfacial Mechanics,” Office of Naval Research Computational Mechanics and Structural Acoustics Review Meeting, San Diego, CA, January 27–30, 1998.
- “A Thermodynamically Based Approach to Constitutive Modeling and Numerical Treatment of Contact Interfaces,” Department of Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, November 4, 1997.
- “Numerical Algorithms for Transient Contact Problems,” Mechanics and the Environment Interdisciplinary Colloquia, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, April 10, 1996.
- “New Strategies for Finite Element Solution of Large Deformation Contact/Impact Problems,” Department of Mechanical Engineering and Applied Mechanics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, August 15, 1995.
- “Formulation and Implementation of Finite Element Strategies for Large Deformation Contact/Impact Problems,” Ford Research Laboratory, Dearborn, Michigan, August 14, 1995.
- “Augmented Lagrangian Algorithms for Contact and Impact Problems,” Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, New Mexico, August 23, 1994.

- “Constitutive Modeling of Kinetic Friction Processes,” Mechanics and the Environment Interdisciplinary Colloquia, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, February 2, 1994.
- “Augmented Lagrangian Finite Element Algorithms for Computation of Frictional Mechanical Response,” Department of Mechanical Engineering and Material Science, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, September 2, 1993.
- “Frictional Contact Problems: Continuum Mechanical Description and Finite Element Algorithms,” Department of Mathematics, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, March 30, 1993.
- “Contact, Friction and Plasticity,” Mechanics and the Environment Interdisciplinary Colloquia, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, February 2, 1993.
- “Development of Frictional Contact Algorithms for Nonlinear Finite Element Applications: Recent Advances & Future Directions,” Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, September 11, 1992.
- “Numerical Characterization of Microindentation Tests and Accompanying Development of Frictional Contact Algorithms,” IBM Almaden Research Center, San Jose, California, July 15, 1992.
- “New Methodologies in the Formulation of Frictional Contact Problems,” Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, California, July 7, 1992.
- “Formulation and Treatment of Frictional Contact Problems Using Finite Elements,” Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, California, March 13, 1992.
- “Formulation and Treatment of Large Deformation Frictional Contact Problems Using Finite Elements,” Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, March 10, 1992.
- “Formulation and Treatment of Large Deformation Frictional Contact Problems Using Finite Elements,” Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Rutgers University, Piscataway, New Jersey, February 11, 1992.
- “Research into Finite Element Treatment of Frictional Contact Problems,” Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, California, January 18, 1991.
- “Application of Augmented Lagrangian Techniques to Frictional Contact Problems,” Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, California, August 23, 1990.
- “Finite Element Methods for Problems Involving Finite Deformation, Contact, and Friction: Application to Thin Film Structures,” IBM Almaden Research Center, San Jose, California, March, 1990.

Nontechnical Talks at International Symposia

- “Envisioning the Future of Science and Technology: An Educational Perspective” (invited conference keynote lecture), Envision Innovation 2012 (organized by Lockheed Martin and Microsoft), Abu Dhabi Hilton Hotel, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, December 5, 2012.

- “Higher Education and the Energy Sector: An Example of Grand Challenge Research and Teaching” (invited conference keynote lecture), The 18th Annual Energy Conference on Technology and the Future of Energy, The Emirates Center for Strategic Studies and Research, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, November 12, 2012.
- “CSE as a Core Ingredient in a New Technological University in Engineering and Medicine,” Gesellschaft für Angewandte Mathematik und Mechanik (GAMM) CSE Kickoff Meeting, Munich, Germany, September 18, 2012.
- “Building Opportunities: Khalifa University and Abu Dhabi’s 2030 Vision,” SunGard Higher Education Middle East User Group 2011 Conference, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, December 14, 2011.
- “Innovations in Education for a Start-Up Institution: Early Faculty Experiences with New Learning Environments and Strategies for International Education of Our Students,” 2011 International Presidential Forum on Global Research Universities, Seoul, South Korea, November 8, 2011.
- “Strategies for International Partnership and Industrial Collaboration at KUSTAR: Contribution to the Knowledge-Based Economy of the UAE,” 2010 International Presidential Forum on Global Research Universities, Seoul, South Korea, October 2010.

GRANT AND CONTRACT SUPPORT

Support Obtained as PI or co-PI

- “Numerical Methods for Materials Systems with Microstructure: Addressing Structural Response and Multiscale Couplings,” John Dolbow (PI), T. Laursen (co-PI), Air Force Office of Scientific Research, \$351,296, June 2009–May 2012.
- “Development of Mortar-Based Contact Analysis Techniques for Very High Deformation Tire Analysis,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Michelin Americas Research and Development Corporation, \$204,240, September 2008–August 2010.
- “Finite Element Modeling of Electrostatic Chucks and the Flattening of EUFL Masks,” S. Govindjee (PI), T.A. Laursen (co-PI), Intel Corporation, \$309,400 (Duke portion, \$153,200), September 2007–May 2010.
- “Local Smoothing Techniques and Consistent Sliding Formulation for Contact Analysis,” T.A. Laursen (PI) and J.E. Dolbow (co-PI), Sandia National Laboratories, \$524,681, October 2006–September 2010.
- “New Numerical Methods for Transient Interaction of Structures with Fluids and Soils,” T. Laursen (PI), John Dolbow (co-PI), Air Force Office of Scientific Research, \$307,426, February 2006–December 2008.
- “Bridging Macro and Micro Ethics: Advancing Ethics Education for Nano-scale Researchers,” T. Laursen (PI), Rob Clark, Elizabeth Kiss, Tim Lenoir and Dan Vallero (co-PIs), National Science Foundation, \$200,000, September 2005–August 2009.
- “Improved Numerical Algorithms for Steady-State Rolling Tire Contact,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Michelin Americas Research and Development Corporation, \$618,473, July 2000–August 2008.
- “Smoothing Techniques and Consistent Sliding Formulations for Contact Analysis,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Sandia National Laboratories, \$433,925, July 2001–September 2006.

- “Computational Modeling Strategies for Damping and Multi-Physics Coupling on Interfaces,” J. Dolbow (PI) & T. Laursen (co-PI), Sandia National Laboratories, \$322,086, October 2003–September 2006.
- “Computational Modeling and Test Validation of Solar Sail Booms,” L. Virgin (PI) & T. Laursen (co-PI), NASA Langley Research Center, \$60,000, March 2004–December 2004.
- “Thermomechanical Investigations of High Speed Machining of Aluminum,” J. Dolbow (PI) & T. Laursen (co-PI), National Science Foundation, \$150,699, June 2002–May 2005.
- “Numerical and Experimental Models of Dry Friction Damping in Aeroelastic Structures,” T. Laursen (PI), H. Gavin & L. Virgin (co-PIs), Air Force Office of Scientific Research, \$253,604, January 2002–June 2005.
- “Web-Based Educational Framework for Analysis, Visualization and Experimentation: WEAVE,” H. Gavin and J. Dolbow (PIs), T. Laursen, E. Dowell and R. Clark (co-PIs), National Science Foundation, \$341,285, January 2002–December 2005.
- “Dell STAR Program,” M. Gustafson (PI), C. Henriquez, T. Laursen & G. Ybarra (co-PIs), Dell Computer Corporation, \$24,430, January 2000–December 2000.
- “Numerical Algorithms for Deformable-Deformable Contact,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Sandia National Laboratories, \$150,619, August 1998–June 2001.
- “CAREER: Physical Descriptions and Numerical Strategies for Transient Interfacial Mechanics,” T.A. Laursen (PI), National Science Foundation, \$260,000, August 1997–July 2002.
- “Computational Strategies for Treatment of Transient Interfacial Behavior,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Office of Naval Research, \$325,000, May 1997–June 2001.
- “Improved Numerical Models for Transient Tire/Roadway Interaction,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Ford Motor Company, \$30,000, March 1996–February 1998.
- “Topics in Nonlinear Finite Element Analysis,” T.A. Laursen (PI), Sandia National Laboratories, \$179,901, March 1995–March 1998.
- “Research Initiation Award: Computational Evaluation of Material Response in Mechanical Systems Involving Contact and Friction,” T.A. Laursen (PI), National Science Foundation, \$86,533, September 1993–February 1997.

Projects Contributed to as Co-Investigator

- “Mechanical Stimulation of IVD Cells,” L.A. Setton (PI), National Institutes of Health, \$1,669,625, February 2001–January 2006. (TAL’s total effort: approximately \$80,000 in direct costs)
- “Viscoelastic Properties of Normal and OA Chondrons,” F. Guilak (PI), National Institutes of Health, \$1,085,810, January 1998–December 2002. (TAL’s total effort: approximately \$50,000 in direct costs)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES

(Selected)

- * Member, Scientific Organizing Committee, United States National Congress on Computational Mechanics, San Diego, CA, July 26–30, 2015.
- * Member, Executive Council, International Association for Computational Mechanics, 2014–

2020.

- * Conference Chair, CMIS 2014, Contact Mechanics International Symposium, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, February 3–5, 2014.
- * Member, Local Organizing Committee, Twelfth US Congress on Computational Mechanics, Raleigh, North Carolina, July 22–25, 2013.
- * Member, General Council, International Association for Computational Mechanics, 2009–present.
- * Member, International Scientific Committee, Tenth World Congress on Computational Mechanics, Sao Paulo, Brazil, July 8–13, 2012.
- * Member, Technical Committee, Eleventh International Conference on Computational Plasticity, Barcelona, Spain, September 7–9, 2011.
- * Member, Technical Committee, Tenth International Conference on Computational Plasticity, Barcelona, Spain, September 2–4, 2009.
- * Member, Technical Committee, Ninth International Conference on Computational Plasticity, Barcelona, Spain, September 5–7, 2007.
- * Member-At-Large, Executive Committee, United States Association of Computational Mechanics, 2006–2010.
- * Member, Scientific Committee, IUTAM Symposium on Computational Contact Mechanics, Hannover, Germany, November 5–9, 2006.
- * Co-coordinator (w/ P. Wriggers), Advanced Course on Computational Contact Mechanics, International Centre for Mechanical Sciences (CISM), Udine, Italy, September 25–29, 2006.
- * Member, Technical Committee, Eighth International Conference on Computational Plasticity, Barcelona, Spain, September 5–7, 2005.
- * Member, Scientific Committee, Eighth US National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Austin, TX, July 25–27, 2005.
- * Member, Scientific Advisory Committee, Fourth Contact Mechanics International Symposium, Hannover, Germany, July 4–6, 2005.
- * Member, Scientific Committee, Seventh US National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Albuquerque, NM, July 28–30, 2003.
- * Invited Participant, Third Annual Symposium on Frontiers of Engineering, National Academy of Engineering, Irvine, California, September 18–20, 1997
- * Member, Executive Committee of Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, Duke University Chapter, 1995–1999
- * Reviewer for several archival journals, including: *Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering*, *International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering*, *Communications in Numerical Methods in Engineering*, *International Journal of Solids and Structures*, *Microcomputers in Civil Engineering*, *Finite Elements in Analysis and Design*, *Shock and Vibration Journal*, *International Journal of Engineering Science*, *Journal of Engineering Mathematics*, *Computational Mechanics*, *Structural Engineering and Mechanics*, *Computer Modeling in Engineering and Sciences*

COURSES TAUGHT

Undergraduate Courses, Duke University

- * EGR 10, Introduction to Engineering (given in Spring 2004, Fall 2004, Fall 2005, Fall 2006, Fall 2007)
- * EGR 53L, Computational Methods in Engineering (given in Fall 1992, Spring 1994)
- * EGR 75L, Mechanics of Solids (given in Fall 1994, Fall 1995, Fall 1998, Spring 2000, Fall 2001, Fall 2003, Fall 2004)
- * EGR 150, Engineering Communication (given in Spring 2006)
- * CE 122L, Fluid Mechanics (given in Spring 1996)
- * CE 131L, Matrix Structural Analysis (given in Fall 2005)
- * CE/ME 175, Analytical and Computational Solid Mechanics (developed and given in Spring 2003)
- * ME 131, Mechanical Engineering Analysis for Design (given in Fall 2009)

Undergraduate Courses, Khalifa University

- * AERO/MECH 320, Mechanics of Solids I (given in Spring 2012 and Spring 2013, co-taught with K. Liao)

Graduate Courses, Duke University

- * CE 201, Advanced Mechanics of Solids (given in Spring 1995)
- * CE/BME 206, Elasticity (given in Spring 2008, Spring 2010)
- * CE 251, Systematic Engineering Analysis (given in Fall 1997, Fall 1999)
- * CE/ME 254, Introduction to the Finite Element Method (developed and given as CE 265 in Spring 1993, given as CE 254 in Fall 1994, Spring 1996, Spring 1998, Fall 2002, Spring 2007)
- * CE/ME 255, Nonlinear Finite Element Analysis (developed and given as CE 265 in Fall 1993, given as CE 255 in Fall 1996, Spring 1999, Fall 2001, Spring 2004, Spring 2006, given as CE/ME 255 in Spring 2009)

Other Graduate and Professional Teaching Activities

- * Three hours of lectures in Intensive Course on Tire-Pavement Interaction, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands, September 26-28, 2011.
- * Five day short course on Finite Elements at Michelin Americas Research Corporation (MARC), Greenville, SC, July 12-16, 2010
- * Five day short course on Finite Elements at Michelin Americas Research Corporation (MARC), Greenville, SC, July 16-20, 2007
- * Six hours of lectures in Advanced Course on Computational Contact Mechanics, International Centre for Mechanical Sciences (CISM), Udine, Italy, September 25-29, 2006.

GRADUATE STUDENT SUPERVISION

Ph.D. Dissertations Supervised

- * Temesgen Kindo, *Data Transfer Between Meshes for Large Deformation Frictional Contact Problems*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2013.
- * Jessica Sanders, *Stable Embedded Grid Techniques in Computational Mechanics*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2010.
- * Bin Yang, *Mortar Finite Element Methods for Large Deformation Contact Mechanics*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 2006.
- * Ilinca Stanciulescu, *Nonlinear Finite Element Formulations and Bifurcation Analysis for Structures Undergoing Large Deformations*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Summer 2005.
- * Xiaorong Meng, *Time Stepping Algorithms for Transient Analysis in Nonlinear Solid Mechanics*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Summer 2001.
- * Garrett Love, *Velocity Update Algorithms for Transient Impact Problems: Consideration of Kinematic Discontinuities Within a Conserving Framework*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2000.
- * Vikas Chawla, *Energy Consistent Algorithms in Computational Contact Mechanics*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 1997.
- * Victor Oancea, *Constitutive Modeling of Friction Processes and Finite Element Implementations*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Summer 1996.

Masters Theses Supervised

- * Jessica Berry, *Correlation of Finite Element Analysis to Impacted Composite Plates*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2011.
- * Terence Wallace, *Springback Analysis for Rod Bending in Spinal Fusion Surgery Applications*, Department of Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2010.
- * Harishanker Gajendran, *Effect of van der Waals Forces on Reticle Nonflatness in Extreme Ultraviolet Lithography*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 2010.
- * Jessica Sanders, *The Stabilized Enforcement of Constraints on Arbitrarily Oriented Interfaces for the Extended Finite Element Method*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2007.
- * Ryan Greer, *Experimental and Numerical Investigation of Microslip*, Department of Mechanical Engineering and Materials Science, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2004.

- * Hongxia Xiong, *A Computational Model of Corrosion Processes*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 1999.
- * Yingshu Yu, *Thermodynamically Consistent Dynamic Integrators for Dissipative Systems*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 1998.
- * Vivek Padmanabhan, *Surface Smoothing Procedures for Large Deformation Contact Analysis*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Summer 1998.
- * Garrett Love, *An Accurate Energy-Conserving Numerical Method for Impacting Systems*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 1997.
- * Renuka Srinivasan, *Numerical Modeling of Superplastic Forming*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 1995.
- * Srinath Alapati, *Performance of the Laplace Transform Galerkin Finite Element Method in Simulation of Advection Dominated Transport Phenomena*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 1995.
- * Jeffrey Scott, *Examination of Petrov-Galerkin Finite Element Methods for Modeling Advection Dominated Contaminant Transport and Remediation Problems*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Spring 1995.

Masters Projects Supervised

- * Bharathwajan Iyengar, *Surface Smoothing Schemes for Contact Problems using Gregory Patches in an Explicit Dynamic Finite Element Implementation*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Summer 2003.
- * Timothy Jones, *A Study of Stability and Accuracy of HHT- α and Energy-Momentum Methods in Nonlinear Elastodynamics*, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Duke University, degree completed in Fall 2000.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (Duke University)

University-Wide Activities

- * Member, Arts and Sciences Study Abroad Committee, 2002–2010
- * Acting Chair, Arts and Sciences Study Abroad Committee, 2010
- * Member, Undergraduate Leadership Group, 2006–2008
- * Member, Athletics Council, 2005–2007
- * Member, Enrollment Management Group, 2003–2008
- * Member, Task Force on the Undergraduate Experience, 2005–2006
- * Member, Admissions and Financial Aid Committee, 2005–2008
- * Member, Steering Committee for the Center for Computational Science, Engineering, and Medicine, 2003–2006

- * Member, Bass Chairs Committee, 1999–2002
- * Member, Executive Committee of the Graduate Faculty, 1999–2000
- * Member, Engineering Admissions Committee, 1996–2000, 2001–2008
- * School of Engineering Representative, Academic Council, 1994–1996, 1997–1999, 2001–2005, 2009–2010
- * School of Engineering Representative, Arts and Sciences Officer Education Committee, 1992–2005

Department and School Activities

- * Chair, Pratt School of Engineering Graduate Education Committee, 2003–2008
- * Chair, Pratt School of Engineering Undergraduate Education Committee, 2003–2008
- * Member, Pratt School of Engineering Curriculum Committee, 2002–2003
- * Chief Advisor, North Carolina Gamma Chapter of Tau Beta Pi, Duke University, 1998–2000, 2001–2003
- * Representative, Engineering Faculty Council, 1993–1995; 1996–2000; 2002–2003; 2004–2006
- * Member, Civil and Environmental Engineering Chair Search Committee, 2000–2001
- * Chairman, Engineering Faculty Council, 1999–2000
- * Member, School of Engineering Investment Task Force, 1997–1998
- * Coordinator, Annual Robert J. Melosh Medal Competition for the Best Student Paper on Finite Element Analysis, 1994–2000, 2009
- * Coordinator, Interdisciplinary Colloquia on Mechanics and the Environment, Spring 1994
- * Member, Graduation with Distinction Committee, Civil and Environmental Engineering, 1993–1994
- * Faculty Secretary, Civil and Environmental Engineering, 1992–1994