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**Education**

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- Ph. D.** Electrical Engineering, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Purdue University, Indiana, USA, May 2005.
- M.S.A.A.** Aeronautics and Astronautics; Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics, Purdue University, Indiana, USA, May 2005.
- M. S.** Physics and Minor Degree in Computer Science; Physics and Computer Science Departments, New Mexico State University, New Mexico, USA, December 2001.
- M. S.** Theoretical Physics; Faculty of Physics, Department of Theoretical Physics, Sofia University, Bulgaria, December 1998.

**Professional Experience**

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**Academic Experience**

- 2014-present: Associate Professor in Physics, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana, USA.
- 2008-present: Fellow of the Louisiana Optical Network Initiative (LONI), Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana, USA.
- 2008-2014: Assistant Professor, Physics and Electrical Engineering, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana, USA.
- 2005-2008: Associate Researcher, NSF Nanoscale Science and Engineering Center, University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, California, USA.

**Administrative Experience**

- Director of the Center for Applied Physics Studies (CAPS), Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana, USA. (2014-present)
- Louisiana Optical Network Initiative (LONI) and LA-SiGMA colloquium series administrator (2011-2012).

**Professional Society Membership**

- American Society of Naval Engineers, 2014-present
- Sigma Pi Sigma Physics Honor Society, 2012-present.
- Optical Society of America (OSA), 2003-present.
- International Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE), 2004-present.
- American Physical Society (APS), 2001-present.

## **Recognitions and Featured Research**

- Our paper, J. Valentine, et.al, "Three Dimensional Optical Metamaterials Exhibiting Negative Refractive Index", *Nature* 455, 376 (2008) was ranked No. 7 among the Top 100 Stories of 2008 announced by DISCOVER magazine (2008) and is among the Top 10 Scientific Discoveries and 50 best inventions of 2008 announced by TIME magazine. Paper cited **1337** times since publication.
- Our paper, D. A. Genov, et.al. "Mimicking celestial mechanics in metamaterials", *Nature Physics* 5, 687 (2009), was featured on the **cover** of the magazine.
- Our paper, D. A. Genov and P. C. Mundru, "Quasi-effective medium theory for multilayered magneto-dielectric structures", *Journal of Optics* 16, 015101 (2014) was one of the most downloaded articles in the *Journal of Optics* for 2014 and selected in the **Top 10** list of papers published in the same journal for 2014. Our paper was also featured on the **cover** of the magazine.
- Our paper, C. Sheng, et. al, "Trapping light by mimicking gravitational lensing", *Nature Photonics* 7, 902 (2013) was featured on the online news section of *Nature* ("Curved space-time on a chip", 2013).
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- "For Kids: The science of disappearing 2", *yourlocalblog.com* (2011).
- "Tech faculty, researchers honored", *louisianau.com* (2011).
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- "Transformational Optics", *Wikipedia* article featuring our paper *Nature Physics*, vol. 5 (9), pp. 687-692 (2009), (2010).
- "Louisiana Tech professor's 'metamaterials' research lands cover of international journal", *ESciencenews.com*, and *eurekalert.org* (2009).

- "COES professor's 'metamaterials' research lands cover of international journal", [brightsurf.com](http://brightsurf.com) (2009).
- "Louisiana physicists highlight top 10 science stories of 2008", [bio-medicine.org](http://bio-medicine.org) (2009).
- "Louisiana Tech researcher featured in international physics journals", [highbeam.com](http://highbeam.com) and [biotechmashup.com](http://biotechmashup.com) (2009).
- "Professor's 'Metamaterial' research featured of Nature Physics", [azonano.com](http://azonano.com) (2009).
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- "Bending Light In Pursuit Of Invisibility" *NPR* (audio) (2008).
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- "A step toward the invisibility cloak: Bending light" *International Herald Tribune* (2008).
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- "Two invisibility cloak materials developed" *Telegraph.co.uk* (2008).
- "Metamaterials Hold Promise For Invisibility Cloaks" *InformationWeek* (2008).
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- "Visible Light Enters the Bizarro World" *ScienceNow* (2008).
- "Invisible cloak no longer a fiction" *CNN news* (2008).
- "Invisibility cloak now within sight: scientists" *AFP* (2008).
- "Invisibility cloak one step closer, scientists say" *REUTERS* (2008).
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- "Invisibility cloak 'step closer'" *BBC News* (2008).
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**Selected Invited Seminars and Lectures**

- D. A. Genov, “The Art of Guiding and Trapping Light Using Metamaterials and Much More”, *The 2015 International OSA Network of Students (IONS) Meeting*, Nanjing, China, July 10-12, (2015) (OSA Traveling Lecturer).
- D. A. Genov “*The art of trapping light by mimicking gravity on a chip*”, Physics Seminar, University of Louisiana at Lafayette, Lafayette, LA, January 28, 2015.
- D. A. Genov “*Electromagnetic metamaterials and how to make the Harry Potter invisibility cloak and other things*”, IfM Seminar, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, March 27, 2013.
- D. A. Genov “*Trapping light by mimicking gravity*”, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China, August 20, 2012.
- D. A. Genov “*Electromagnetic metamaterials and how to make the Harry Potter invisibility cloak*”, IfM Seminar, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, March 15, 2011
- “*Redefining the field of Optics with Electromagnetic Metamaterials*”, Department of Applied Physics, Yale University, New Haven, CT, December 8, 2010.
- “*Controlling light with Artificial Optical Materials*”, IfM Seminar, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, March 26, 2010.
- “*Controlling light with Artificial Optical Materials*”, The LONI Institute All-Hands Meeting, Baton Rouge, LA, February 10, 2010.
- “*Artificial Optical Materials molding the flow of light*”, Physics Seminar Series, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, October 22, 2009.
- “*Controlling light with Artificial Optical Materials*”, CAM Seminar Series, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, October 8, 2009.
- “*Controlling light with Electromagnetic Metamaterials*”, LONI HPC Workshop, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, October 7, 2009.
- “*Electromagnetic properties of complex metamaterials: from near field imaging with super resolution to mimicking celestial phenomenon in laboratory conditions*”, Colloquium Series at the Center for Computational & Technology (CCT), Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA, March 27, 2009.
- “*Electromagnetic metamaterials: from imaging with super resolution to mimicking celestial phenomenon in the lab*”, The LONI Institute All-Hands Meeting, Baton Rouge, LA, October 31, 2008.
- “*Electromagnetic properties of complex metamaterials: from near field imaging with super resolution to mimicking celestial phenomenon in laboratory conditions*”, College of Engineering and Science, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, January, 2008.
- “*The exciting world of surface plasmons - order vs. chaos*”, Department of Materials Science & Engineering, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, February, 2007.
- “*The exciting world of surface plasmons - order vs. chaos*”, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, March, 2006.
- “*The exciting world of surface plasmons - from order to chaos*”, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of California, San Diego, CA, April, 2005.
- “*Localization-delocalization transition of the collective electronic response in inhomogeneous metal composites*”, Department of Physics, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, May, 2005.
- “*Surface plasmons excitation in complex media: concurrent existence of chaotic and regular states*”, Los Alamos National Laboratory, NM, May, 2005.
- “*Electromagnetic properties of inhomogeneous media*”, Physics Department, University of California, Berkeley, CA, September, 2005.

## **Scholarship**

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### **Publication and Citation Index** (Google Scholar, September 2016)

- Book Chapters: (3)
- Peer-Reviewed Journals and Conference Proceeding Papers: (83)
- Other Conference Papers and Abstracts: (67)
- Total Citations: (59997)
- h-Index: ***h-23***

### **Invited Book Chapters**

1. K. Seal and D. A. Genov, "Surface Plasmon States in Inhomogeneous Media at Critical and Subcritical Metal Concentrations", in: *International Journal of Optics*, special issue "Optical Antennas", Ed. Mostafa Salem, Publisher: Hindawi Publishing Corporation, New York, NY 10022, USA (2012).
2. D. A. Genov, A. K. Sarychev and V. M. Shalaev, "Surface Plasmons Excitation in Semicontinuous Metal Films", in: *Frontiers in Condensed Matter Physics Research*, Ed. John V. Chang, Publisher: Nova Science Publishers, Inc. Hauppauge, NY, USA (2006).
3. D. A. Genov, A. K. Sarychev and V. M. Shalaev, "Local Field Statistic and Plasmon Localization in Random Metal-Dielectric Films", in: *Wave Scattering in Complex Media: From Theory to Applications*, Eds: B. A. van Tiggelen and S. E. Skipetrov, Publisher: Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, Netherlands (2003).

### **Articles Submitted to Peer-Reviewed Journals**

1. R. K Vinnakota and D. A. Genov, "An extraordinary high thermo-optical nonlinearity of surface plasmon waves at doped semiconductor interfaces and implications for fast all-optical switching", submitted to *Physical Review Letters* (2016).

### **Articles in Peer-Reviewed Journals**

2. S. R. Animilli and D. A. Genov, "Geometrical phase transition and local field moments in bulk metal-dielectric composite media", accepted *Physical Review B* (2016).
3. N. Blackman and D. A. Genov, "Quantum confinement effects in metal nanoparticles", accepted *Journal of Optical Society of America B* (2016).
4. C. Sheng, H. Liu, S. Zhu, and D. A. Genov, "Omnidirectional optical attractor in structured gap-surface plasmon waveguide", *Scientific Reports*, vol. 6, pp. 23514, (2016).
5. C. Sheng, H. Liu, S. Zhu, and D. A. Genov, "Active control of electromagnetic radiation through an enhanced thermo-optic effect", *Scientific Reports*, vol. 5, pp. 8835, (2015).
6. R. K Vinnakota and D. A. Genov, "Terahertz optoelectronics with surface plasmon polariton diode", *Scientific Reports*, vol. 4, pp. 4899 (2014).
7. V. K. Pappakrishnan, P. C. Mundru, and D. A. Genov, "Repulsive Casimir force in magnetodielectric plate configurations", *Physical Review B*, vol. 89, pp. 045430 (2014).
8. D. A. Genov and P. C. Mundru, "Quasi-effective medium theory for multilayered magneto-dielectric structures", *Journal of Optics*, vol. 16, pp. 015101 (2014). (Featured on the **cover** of the magazine and selected in the **Top 10** papers published in the Journal of Optics for 2014).

9. D. A. Genov, H. Liu, S. Cong, Y. Wang, S. Zhu, "Trapping Light By Mimicking Gravitational Lensing", *Proc. of SPIE Int. Soc. Opt. Eng.*, vol. 8806, pp. 58 (2013).
10. C. Sheng, H. Liu, Y. Wang, S. N. Zhu, and D. A. Genov, "Trapping light by mimicking gravitational lensing", *Nature Photonics*, vol. 7, pp. 902-906 (2013).
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12. P. C. Mundru, V. K. Pappakrishnan and D. A. Genov, "Material- and geometry-independent multishell cloaking device", *Physical Review B*, vol. 85, pp. 045402 (2012). (selected by the editors of the journal to be **Editors' Suggestion**).
13. D. A. Genov, "Isotropic and Anisotropic Continuous Index Photon Traps Based on Composite Optical Materials", *Proc. of SPIE Int. Soc. Opt. Eng.*, vol. 8471, pp. 37, (2012).
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15. P. C. Mundru, V. Kumaran and D. A. Genov, "Generic Multi-shell Cloak", *Proc. of SPIE Int. Soc. Opt. Eng.*, vol. 8457, pp. 145 (2012).
16. D. A. Genov, "General relativity: Optical black-hole analogues", *Nature Photonics*, vol. 5, pp. 76-78 (2011).
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## **Sponsored Research and Patents**

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### **Research Grants** (Total Awards \$1.21M):

1. Proposal Title: "Collaborative Research: Plasmatronics – terahertz optoelectronics through active control of surface plasmons at degenerated semiconductor junctions", funded by the NSF (ECCS-1610200): Total award amount: \$398,900 (PI). Period covered: 09/16-08/19.

2. Proposal Title: “Track-1: Louisiana Consortium for Innovation in Manufacturing and Materials“, funded by the NSF (NSF(2015-20)-RII-LA Tech): Total LA Tech award amount: \$4M (Personal Award share \$350,500). Period covered: 07/15-06/20.
3. Proposal Title: “Electromagnetic metamaterials based on diluted metal nanoparticle composites“, funded by the Board of Regents/Supervised Undergraduate Research Experience (BoR/SURE) (LEQSF-EPS(2015)-SURE-145): Award amount: \$4500 (PI). Period covered: 01/15-12/15.
4. Proposal Title: “Surface Plasmon Polariton Diode: Toward THz Optoelectronics“, funded by AFRL Minority Program (LATEC13S57601902C2): Award amount: \$50,000 (PI). Period covered: 10/12-11/13.
5. Proposal Title: “High Efficiency Solar Panel”, funded by the “EDA I6 Challenge: Louisiana Tech Proof of Concept Center”, Economic Development Administration (EDA). Award amount: \$110,232 (PI). Period covered: 09/2011-12/2013.
6. Proposal Title: “Artificial optical materials for molding the flow of light”, funded by Louisiana Board of Regents Support Fund – RCS (LEQSF(2011-14)-RD-A-18). Award amount: \$131,433 (PI). Period covered: 07/11-07/14.
7. Proposal Title: “Enhancement of the Upper Level Physics Laboratories at Louisiana Tech University”, Louisiana Board of Regents Support Fund (BoRSF) – Enhancement. Award amount: \$62,943 (co-PI). Period covered: 06/11-06/12.
8. Proposal Title: “Optical Attractors and Continuous Index Photon Traps”, Louisiana EPSCoR (PFUND FY2009-10). Award amount: \$10,000 (PI), Period covered: 01/2010-12/2010.
9. Proposal Title: “Surface Plasma Enhanced Solar Cell (SPESC)“, Louisiana Tech Award (DOE RFP 32-4001-56176). Award amount: \$99,689 (PI). Period covered: 09/09-12/10.

### **Reports of Invention**

1. D. A. Genov, S. Zivanovic, S. Animilli, M. A. Koorie, A. Thapa, “Semi-continuous metal dielectric composite for optoelectronic devices,” patent filed on February 27, 2013, Serial Number: 13777856, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana.

### **Professional Development**

- *2011 CAREER Award Regional Forum*, Baton Rouge, November 8-9 (2011).
- *The LONI Institute All-Hands Meeting*, Baton Rouge, LA, February 10, 2010.
- *The LONI HPC Workshop*, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA, October 7, 2009.
- *The LONI Institute All-Hands Meeting*, Baton Rouge, LA, October 31, 2008.

### **Service**

#### **Service to Profession**

- **Editorial Board Member:**
  - ✓ Dataset Papers in Optics (2012-present)
  - ✓ Scientific Report, Nature Publishing Group (2015-present)
- **Panel Member on State/Federal/Private/International Funding Agencies:**



- ✓ National Science Foundation (NSF); Division of Materials Research (DMR), Electronic and Photonic Materials Program (EPM).
- ✓ National Science Foundation (NSF); Directorate for Engineering (ENG), Electrical, Communications and Cyber Systems (ECCS), Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering (CDS&E).
- **Remote Reviewer for State/Federal/Private/International Funding Agencies:**
  - ✓ National Science Foundation (NSF): Division of Materials Research (DMR), Electronic and Photonic Materials Program (EPM).
  - ✓ Department of Energy (DOE); Office of Science Graduate Fellowship (SCGF) Program's.
  - ✓ European Research Council Executive Agency; Physical Science and Engineering, Systems and Communication Engineering.
- **Conference Committee Member:**
  - ✓ *QELS – Fundamental Science 03: Metamaterials and Complex Media, CLEO Conference in San Jose* (10-15 May, 2015, and 5-10 Jun, 2016)
  - ✓ *USNC-URSI National Radio Science Meeting, University of Colorado at Boulder* (January 4-7, 2012).
  - ✓ *Nano-Structured Thin Films II, SPIE Annual Optics & Photonics Meeting, San Diego* (August 2-6, 2009).
  - ✓ *Nano-Structured Thin Films Conference, SPIE Annual Optics & Photonics Meeting in San Diego* (August 10-15, 2008).
  - ✓ *Nano-Coatings Conference, SPIE Annual Optics & Photonics Meeting, San Diego* (August 26-30, 2007).
- **Reviewer for Professional Journals:** *Nature, Nature Photonics, Nature – Light: Science & Applications, Physical Review Letters, Applied Physics Letters, Physical Review A, B, E and X, Nano Letters, Optics Express, Optics Letters, Physics Letters A, Journal of Physics D, Applied Physics A – Special Issue on Metamaterials, Applied Physics B - Lasers and Optics, Optics Communications, Journal of the Optical Society of America B (JOSA B), Scientific Reports, Optical Materials Express, MRS Communications, European Physical Journal D (EPJD), Journal of Physics: Condensed Matter (JPCM), Science and Technology of Advanced Materials.*
- **Physics Textbook Reviewer:**
  - ✓ Matthew N. O. Sadiku, *Elements of Electromagnetics (Oxford Series in Electrical and Computer Engineering)*, 5<sup>th</sup> edition, Oxford University Press (2010).
  - ✓ Steven Chapra and Raymond Canale, *Numerical Methods*, 7<sup>th</sup> edition, McGraw-Hill Science-Engineering-Math (2014).
  - ✓ Randall D. Knight, Brian Jones and Stuart Field, *College Physics: A Strategic Approach*, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, Pearson (2015).

### **Service to University, College and Academic Program**

- **Director of the Center for Applied Physics Studies (2014-present)**
- **La Tech Annual Leadership Initiative Awards Committee Member (2013).**

- **Elected University Senate Member (2012-2015)**
- **Engineering Physics Qualifier Examination Committee Member (2009-present).**
- **Physics Faculty Search Team (2011-2012, 2015-2016).**
- **LONI and LA-SIGMA colloquium series administrator (2011).**
- **LONI Institute Graduate Fellowship Committee (2009, 2010).**
- **Academic Advisor for all Physics and Engineering Double Majors (2009, present).**
- **Graduate Students Research Advisor:** Mona Alsaleh (PhD candidate), Rajkumar Vinnakota (PhD candidate), Neal Blackman (PhD candidate).
- **Undergraduate Students Research Advisor:** Hieu Nguyen (“Quantum size effects in metal nanoparticle particle composites”, Supervised Undergraduate Research), Caylin Colson (“Electromagnetic metamaterials based on diluted nanoparticle composites”, Supervised Undergraduate Research Experience (SURE) in Physics), Digesh Raut (“Optical Paths in an Inhomogeneous medium”, Senior Design Project, BS. Degree in Physics), Kush Patel (“Surface Plasmon Enhanced Solar Cell”, VETS Senior Design Project, BS. Degree in Electrical Engineering), Lav Patel (Surface Plasmon Enhanced Solar Cell, VETS Senior Design, BS. Degree in Electrical Engineering), Suraj Gyawali (“Surface Plasmon Enhanced Solar Cell”, Senior Design Project, BS. Degree in Electrical Engineering), Nicholas K. Rader (“The Treatment of Cancer Using Nanoparticles”, REU Program), John Rollo (“Fast relaxation method for simulation of the AC response of large RLC networks”, BS. Degree in Physics), Aawaz Shrestha (“Successive over relaxation method for fast simulations of the metal-dielectric phase transition in nanoscale composite materials”, BS. Degree in Mechanical Engineering), Gavin Richard (“Surface Plasmon Polariton Diode: Toward THz Optoelectronics”, AFRL Minority Leaders Program), and Antonio Smith (“Surface Plasmon Polariton Diode: Toward THz Optoelectronics”, AFRL Minority Leaders Program).
- **Former Students:** Ashish Sharma (former PhD, currently a New Process Technology Development Engineer, Intel Corporation), Brandon Touchet (former PhD student), Pattabhiraju Mundru (former PhD. student currently an Assistant Professor in Physics, Eastern New Mexico University), Venkatesh Kumaran (former PhD. student currently a Data Scientist/Statistician at Green Charge Networks, LLC, Santa Clara, CA), Shravan Rakesh Animilli (former PhD student, currently), David C. Hertlein (Physics Engineer, Ion Beam Applications, Seattle, WA). Gavin Richard (University of California at Riverside), Amani Alharthi (MS. in Physics, currently in Saudi Arabia), Antonio Smith.
- **Committee Member:** James Solow (PhD., advisor Dr. Songmin Hou), Taylor Tarlton (PhD., advisor Dr. P. Derosa), Mark A. Koorie (M.S., advisor Dr. S. Zivanovic), Anil Thapa (M.S., advisor Dr. S. Zivanovic), Anjana Paudyal (M.S., advisor Dr. P. Derosa), Vishwa P. Podduturi (PhD., advisor Dr. P. Derosa), Steven D. Baker (PhD., advisor Dr. P. Derosa), Manal M. Abuhasirah (M.S., advisor Dr. K. Grimm), Richard T. Chevious (M.S., advisor Dr. J. Shaw), David N. Groden (M.S., advisor Dr. T. Dobbins), Purnima Kharidehal (PhD., advisor Dr. D. Mainardi), Prajon R Shakya

(M.S., advisor Dr. D. Davis), Anjana Paudyal (M.S., advisor Dr. P. Derosa), Lane Elie (PhD., advisor Dr. A. Jaganathan), Andrew Stroud (M.S., advisor Dr. P. Derosa), Prajon R Shakya (Master of Science, advisor Dr. D. Davis), and Justin Melancon (M.S., advisor Dr. S. Zivanovic).

### **Teaching Undergraduate Courses**

- **Physics Courses**
  - ✓ PHYS202 – PHYSICS FOR ENGR AND SCI II
  - ✓ PHYS205 – CONCEPTUAL PHYSICS I
  - ✓ PHYS210 – GENERAL PHYSICS II
  - ✓ PHYS406 – ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM I
  - ✓ PHYS407 – ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM II
  - ✓ PHYS408 – ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM LAB I (I have developed this Laboratory)
  - ✓ PHYS409 – ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM LAB II (I have developed this Laboratory)
  - ✓ PHYS412 – INTO TO SOLID STATE PHYSICS
  - ✓ PHYS470C – ADVANCED QUANTUM MECHANICS
  - ✓ PHYS470C – COMP METH PHYS
  - ✓ PHYS470C – OPTICS
- **Electrical Engineering Courses**
  - ✓ ELEN411 – ELECTRIC & MAGNETIC FIELDS
- **Chemistry Courses**
  - ✓ CHEM450C – SOLID STATE CHEMISTRY

### **Teaching Graduate Courses**

- **Physics Courses**
  - ✓ PHYS503C – TOPICS IN PHYSICS
  - ✓ PHYS511 – ELECTROMAGNETIC THEORY
  - ✓ PHYS512 – SOLID STATE PHYSICS
  - ✓ PHYS522 – QUANTUM MECHANICS
  - ✓ PHYS540 – COMP METH PHYS MODEL&SIMULAT I
- **Electrical Engineering Courses**
  - ✓ ENGR592 – ENGR COMPUTATIONAL METHODS
  - ✓ ELEN512 – ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVES

### **K12 Education**

- **Speaking of Science Traveling Lecturer**
  - ✓ H.L. Bourgeois School at Gray, LA (presented three lectures/seminars to 94, ninth and tenth graders) (January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016).
  - ✓ Young Engineers Society at Lake Charles, LA (presented a talk to 17 sixth graders) (February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016).
  - ✓ Our Lady Queen of Heaven School at Lake Charles, LA (presented a talk to 22 sixth graders) (February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2016).

- ✓ AP Summer Institutes and Workshops at Baton Rouge, LA (presented a seminar to sixth through eighth grade teachers) (June 23<sup>th</sup>, 2016).
- ✓ AP Summer Institutes and Workshops at the University of Lafayette, LA (presented a seminar to sixth through tenth grade teachers) (July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2016).