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PROFILE

Dr. Jose Castillo is a Professor in the Department of Mathematics and Statistics at San Diego State University (SDSU). He joined the SDSU faculty in 1987 after he received his Ph.D. in Applied Mathematics from the University of New Mexico. He has a Master's Degree in Mathematics with a Minor in Computer Science from the University of Texas at Austin (1984). His Bachelor of Science in Mathematics is from the Universidad Central de Venezuela (1978). Dr. Castillo has a wide range of interests in applied mathematics with emphasis on the numerical solution of partial differential equations, scientific computing, and modeling. He has a long history of working with Los Alamos National Laboratory (CNLS and T7 group), and is now collaborating with Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, Lawrence Livermore and Oak Ridge National Laboratories.

He has been the PI and co-PI on numerous grants and contracts at SDSU and has brought in \$20,483,311 from the National Institute of Health, the National Science Foundation, the Department of Energy and other various agencies and foundations. His research in mimetic discretization methods have been applied to problems in oil exploration, coastal ocean modeling and carbon sequestration. His training grants (NIH and NSF) have helped increase the number of STEMS students from under represented populations. Dr. Castillo has been awarded \$445,980 which has made possible the organization of a number of international workshops, conferences and in applied mathematics, computational science and engineering in Peru, Brazil, Argentina, Venezuela, Honduras, Mexico and Columbia. Dr. Castillo advocates in-depth computational science and engineering knowledge, encourages training, and fosters international cooperation among researchers, lecturers, and students.

Dr. Castillo is the Founder and Director of the Computational Science Research Center and the Computational Science Program at SDSU. The Center, founded in 1999, facilitates cooperation between the university and industry as well as national laboratories. The center involves participation of researchers from applied mathematics, astronomy, biology, chemistry/biochemistry, computer science, geology, mathematics and statistics, physics, geophysics, and engineering. Dr. Castillo also created the MS in Computational Science in 1999 and the Ph.D in Computational Science in 2002 respectively. The Ph.D program has graduated 77 students, and the MS has graduated 52 students. He continues to build partnerships with regional industry and national science laboratories for campus research efforts through the Applied Computational Science and Engineering Student Support (ACSESS) program.

Dr. Castillo has been named twice to the top 25 most influential people at SDSU (2003 and 2008). He has graduated eight (8) doctoral and 12 masters students. He is currently directing three (3) doctoral and two (2) masters' students. Dr. Castillo has presented and organized sessions at numerous SIAM conferences. He is the founder, faculty and advisor of a SIAM student chapter at SDSU and represents SIAM in the Mathematical Council of the Americas (MCofA). He has also chaired the Pan American Advanced Studies Institute in Computational Science and Engineering four times and has given many invited talks at various international conferences as well. Dr. Castillo is currently an associate editor for three (3) journals, and has been a guest editor for several Elsevier Journals (i.e. Applied Numerical Mathematics, Computer and Mathematical Modeling, Computational and Applied Mathematics).

PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION

University of New Mexico Applied Mathematics Doctor of Philosophy, 1987

University of Texas at Austin Mathematics, Master of Arts, 1984

Minor in Computer Science

Universidad Central de Venezuela Mathematics Licenciatura en Matematicas, 1978

(Bachelor of Science with Thesis)

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2001-Present	Chair, Joint Doctoral Program in Computational Science
2000-Present	Professor, Department of Mathematics, San Diego State University
1999-Present	Director, Computational Science Research Center
1992-1999	Associate Professor, San Diego State University
1987-1992	Assistant Professor, San Diego State University
1984-1987	Teaching Associate, University of New Mexico (lecturer)
1984-1985	Research Associate, Ecodynamics Research Associates, Albuquerque, New Mexico
1983-1984	Research Assistant, University of Texas at Austin

SERVICES

1999-Present	Director CSRC Applied Computational Science & Engineering Student Support
	(ACSESS) Program
1999-Present	Founder and Director CSRC Data Science Center
2000-2003	Member of the SDSU Faculty Senate
2002-Present	Director of the CSRC Implementation of the Joint PhD program with CGU
2007-2012	Member of the SDSU Graduate Research Council
2017-Present	Director of the CSRC Implementation of the Joint PhD program with UCI
2019-Present	Member of the Data Center Working Group
2019-Present	Member of the Resource Management & Procurement Working Group

MEMBERSHIPS

Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM) International Association for Mathematics and Computers in Simulation (IMACS) Society of Exploration Geophysicists (SEG)

INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Organized eight (8) Pan American Workshops and four (4) Pan American Advanced Studies Institutes (PASI) in Applied Mathematics and Computational Science promoting collaboration among researchers in Latin America and the U.S.

Participated as an organizer in the Mini-symposia: "Mimetic Finite Difference Methods and Applications – Part 1," during the 9th International Congress on Industrial and Applied Mathematics (ICIAM), Valencia, Spain, July 15 – 19, 2019, the North American High Order Methods Conference, (NAHOMCon19), San Diego, California, June 2-5, 2019, the International Conference on Spectral and

High Order Methods (ICOSAHOM), London, United Kingdom, July 9-13, 2018, and in the 8th International Congress on Industrial and Applied Mathematics (ICIAM), Beijing, China, August 10 – 14, 2015.

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

Castillo, J.E., & Miranda, G. F. (2013). Mimetic Discretization Methods, CRC Press.

Castillo, J.E. (1991). *Mathematical Aspects of Numerical Grid Generation*, SIAM Frontiers Series in Applied Mathematics Vol. 8.

Research Papers:

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Castillo, J.E. & Miranda, G.F. Mimetic Finite-Difference Operators and High-Order Quadratures. Submitted for publication (2018).

Corbino, J. & Castillo, J.E. (2018). High-Order Mimetic Finite Difference Operators satisfying a Gauss Divergence Theorem. *Journal of Applied and Computational Mathematics*, 7:1.

Castillo, J.E. & Miranda, G.F. (2017) High-Order Compact Mimetic Differences and Discrete Energy Decay in 2D Wave Motions. *Lecture Notes in Computational Science and Engineering book series*, LNCSE, Vol. 119:293-304, Springer, Cham. Spectral and High Order Methods for Partial Differential Equations, ICOSAHOM Conference, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 27-July 1, 2016.

Sanchez, E.J., Miranda, G.F., Cela, J.M. & Castillo, J.E. (2017). Supercritical-Order Mimetic Operators on Higher-Dimensional Staggered Grids. *Lecture Notes in Computational Science and Engineering book series*, LNCSE, Vol. 119:669-679, Springer, Cham. Spectral and High Order Methods for Partial Differential Equations, ICOSAHOM Conference, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 27-July 1, 2016.

Abouali, M. & Castillo, J.E. (2017). Solving Poisson equation with Robin boundary condition on a curvilinear mesh using high order mimetic discretization methods. *Mathematics and Computers in Simulation*, 139, 23-26.

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- Garcia, M., Hoar, T., Thomas, M.P. Bailey, B. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Interfacing an ensemble Data Assimilation system with a 3D nonhydrostatic Coastal Ocean Model, an OSSE experiment. OCEANS 2016 MTS/IEEE, Monterey, CA, September 19-September 23, 2016. 1-11.
- Choboter, P.F., Garcia, M., De Cecchis, D., Thomas, M.P., Walter, R.K. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Nesting nonhydrostatic GCCOM within hydrostatic ROMS for multiscale Coastal Ocean Modeling. OCEANS 2016 MTS/IEEE, Monterey, CA, September 19-September 23, 2016. 1-4.
- Córdova. L., Rojas, O., Otero, B. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Compact Finite Difference Schemes for the Acoustic Wave Equation. 78th EAGE Conference and Exhibition 2016-Workshops, Vienna, Austria, May 30-June 2, 2016.
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- Matthews, J., Paolini, C. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Simulation of fluid pressure and fracturing in CO2 sequestration. ICOSAHOM Conference, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 27-July 1, 2016. 59-59.
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- Castillo, J.E. & Miranda, G.F. (2016). High-Order Compact Mimetic Differences and Discrete Energy Decay in 2D Wave Motions. Spectral and High Order Methods for Partial Differential Equations, ICOSAHOM Conference, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 27-July 1, 2016. 293–304.
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- Choboter, P.F., Garcia, M., De Cecchis, D., Thomas, M.P., Walter, R.K. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Nesting nonhydrostatic GCCOM within hydrostatic ROMS for multiscale Coastal Ocean Modeling. OCEANS 2016 MTS/IEEE, Monterey, CA, September 19-September 23, 2016. 1-4.
- Córdova. L., Rojas, O., Otero, B. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Compact Finite Difference Schemes for the Acoustic Wave Equation. 78th EAGE Conference and Exhibition 2016-Workshops, Vienna, Austria, May 30-June 2, 2016.
- Sanchez, E. & Castillo, J.E. (2016). Mimetic finite differences and interpolation methods to simulate subsurface mass transport of injected CO2. International Conference and Exhibition, Barcelona, Spain, April 3-April 6, 2016. 58-58.
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- Sanchez, E., Paolini, C., Park, A., & Castillo, J.E. (2013). *High-Performance Computing in Simulating Carbon Dioxide Geologic Sequestration*, 2013 SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Boston, Massachusetts, February 25-March 1, 2013.
- Castillo, J.E., & Sanchez, E. J. (2013). *Mimetic Methods Toolkit (MTK), An Object-Oriented API Implementing Mimetic Discretization Methods*. SIAM Conference in Computational Science and Engineering (CSDE-13), Boston, MA.

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- Castillo, J.E. (2009). *High Order Mimetic Discretizations on Nonuniform Grids*. SIAM Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.
- Castillo, J.E. (2008). *High Order Mimetic Differential Operators and Applications*. SIAM Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- Castillo, J.E. (2006). *Mimetic Discretizations for Elliptic Problems with Tensor Coefficients*. SIAM Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
- Castillo, J.E. (2005). Fourth Order Mimetic Finite Difference Modeling of 2D Elastic P-Sv. SIAM Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- Castillo, J.E. (2005). On the Solvability of the Castillo-Grone Mimetic Discretization. International Conference in Numerical Analysis and Applied Mathematics, Rhodes, Greece.
- Castillo, J.E. (1996). *Adaptive Direct Optimization Grid Generation Methods*. SIAM Annual Meeting, Kansas City.
- Castillo, J.E. (1994). *Direct Optimization Grid Generation Methods*. SIAM Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- Castillo, J.E. (1991, July). *The Discrete Grid Generation Method on Curves and Surfaces*. Mini Symposium ICIAM Meeting, Washington D.C.

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Castillo, J.E. (1990, July). *Discrete Grid Generation on Curves*. Contributed paper presented at the SIAM meeting, Chicago, IL.

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Castillo, J.E., & Hansen, L.K. (1989, July). *Adaptive Grids for Surface Interpolation*. Contributed paper presented at the SIAM Meeting, San Diego, CA.

Castillo, J.E. (1988). *The Volume Integral in Variational Grid Generation*, Mini Symposia at the SIAM Conference at Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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- "High Order Difference Operators." Applied Math Colloquium, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, October 19, 2018.
- "Time Space High Order Mimetic Finite Differences." International Conference on Spectral and High Order Methods, ICOSAHOM 2018, London, United Kingdom, June 9-13, 2018. http://www.icosahom2018.org/
- "Mimetic Discretization Methods." ICERM Conference, Brown University, Providence, RI, August 2018.
- "Mimetic Difference Operators and Symplectic Integration." BIRS Workshop, Banff International Research Station for Mathematical Innovation and Discovery, Calgary, CN, June 11, 2017.
- "Interfacing an Ensemble Data Assimilation System with a 3D Nonhydrostatic Coastal Ocean Model, an OSSE Experiment." OCEANS 2016 MTS/IEEE, Monterey, CA, September 19, 2016.
- "Nesting Nonhydrostatic GCCOM within Hydrostatic ROMS for Multiscale Coastal Ocean Modeling." ." OCEANS 2016 MTS/IEEE, Monterey, CA, September 19, 2016.
- "High-Order Compact Mimetic Differences and Discrete Energy Decay in 2D Wave Motions." International Conference on Spectral and High Order Methods, ICOSAHOM 2016, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 27 July 1, 2016.
- "Supercritical-Order Mimetic Operators on Higher-Dimensional Staggered Grids." International Conference on Spectral and High Order Methods, ICOSAHOM 2016, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 27 July 1, 2016.
- "Compact Finite Difference Schemes for the Acoustic Wave Equation." 78th EAGE Conference and Exhibition 2016-Workshops, Vienna, Austria, May 30, 2016.
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- "Effect of Aqueous Electrolytic Reactions on Reservoir Temperature During CO2 Injection." The 14th Annual Carbon Capture, Utilization & Storage Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, 2015.

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"Studying the Coastal Ocean Dynamics with GCCOM, a 3D Model of High Reproduction in Coordnadas Curvilineas." Venezuelan Oceanology Congress, Venezuela, 2015. http://icvo.udo.edu.ve/icvo/index.php

SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Stanford University, Stanford, California, June 29 – July 2, 2015. https://www.siam.org/meetings/gs15/

"Ocean Mathematical Technology." Summer workshop at the Ocean University of China, Qingdao, China, April 17-20, 2015.

- "Viscoelastic Anisotropic Seismic Modeling with High-Order Mimetic Finite-Differences." International Conference on Spectral and High Order Methods, ICOSAHOM 2014, Salt Lake City, Utah, June 23-27, 2014. http://www.icosahom2014.org/
- "Mimetic Discretization Methods." VIII Pan-American Workshop, Applied and Computational Mathematics, Universidad del Norte, Barranquilla, Colombia, July 21-25, 2014. http://www.csrc.sdsu.edu/panam2014/index.html
- "High Order Mimetic Differential Operators." SCTC 2012, Caracas, Venezuela, May 7-18, 2012.
- "The General Curvilinear Environmental Model (GCEM)." Caracas, Venezuela, January 2-6, 2012.
- "High Order Mimetic Discretization Methods." ICIAM 2011, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, July 18-22, 2011.
- "Mimetic Differential Operators." Costa Rica Institute of Technology, June 19-24, 2011.
- "A High Order Mimetic Discretization Scheme." Conference on Applied, Computational & Industrial Mathematics, Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 7-15, 2011.
- "The General Curvilinear Environmental Model." First North American Meeting on Industrial and Applied Mathematics, Universidad del Mar, Huatulco, Oaxaca México, December 7-10, 2010.
- "Development of a Cyberinfrastructure-based Computational Environment for the General Curvilinear Coastal Ocean Model," 2010 International Congress on Computer Applications and Computational Science, Singapore, December 4-6, 2010.
- "High Order Mimetic Differential Operators." Berkeley Lab Computing Sciences Seminar, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, October 28, 2011.
- "High Order Mimetic Discretizations of Continuum Mechanics." Department of Mathematics Colloquium, University of Texas at Arlington, September 17, 2010.
- "High Order Mimetic Discretizations of Continuum Mechanics." IV Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute, Choroni, Venezuela, June 6-11, 2010.
- "Challenges in Creating Sustainable International Programs." Colloquium on International Engineering Education, San Diego, CA, May 20, 2009.
- "High Order Mimetic Discretizations of Continuum Mechanics." Computational and Applied Math Seminar, Purdue, IN, April 24-25, 2009.
- "Financing your Graduate Stud.," Supercomputing Conference 2008, Austin, TX, November 15-21, 2008.
- "High Order Mimetic Differential Operators,: First International Workshop on Dynamic Equations on Time Scales." University of Bahçeşehir, Istanbul, Turkey, June 27-July 1, 2005.
- "Mimetic Discretization of Continuum Mechanics." 37th National Congress of the Mexican Mathematical Society, Ensenada, Baja California, Mexico, October 10-15, 2004.
- "High Order Mimetic Discretizations." Second Venezuelan Workshop on Mimetic Discretizations, Universidad de Carabobo, Valencia, Venezuela, April 13-15, 2004.

- "Numerical Solutions of Partial Differential Equations." 36th National Congress of the Mexican Mathematical Society, Pachuca, Mexico, October 12-17, 2003.
- "High Order Mimetic Schemes Including Boundary Conditions." IV Pan-American Workshop in Applied and Computational Mathematics, Universidad de Cordoba, Argentina, July 5, 2002.
- "High Order Mimetic Differential Operators on Nonuniform Grids." Stanford, Scientific Computing Seminar, October 19, 1998.
- "High Order Mimetic Differential Operators." UCSD Numerical Analysis Seminar, October 6, 1998.
- "High Order Mimetic Differential." Center for Nonlinear Studies Seminar, Los Alamos National Laboratory, March 1998.
- "Direct Optimization Grid Generation Methods." Second Pan-American Workshop in Applied and Computational Mathematics, Gramado, Brazil, 1997.
- "Numerical Solutions of Partial Differential Equations." International Conference on Numerical Methods in Engineering, Merida, Venezuela, 1996.
- "Grid Generation and Numerical Solutions to Partial Differential Equations, Seminar." Center for Nonlinear Studies, Los Alamos National Laboratory, July 1993.
- "Grid Generation and Large Scale Optimization, Colloquium." Rice University, November 1991.
- "Adaptive Grids for Surface Interpolations and Visualization." Seminar, NOSC, San Diego, CA, November 1991.
- "Automatic Grid Generation, Colloquium." University of Essen, Germany, June 1991.
- "Numerical Grids for Solving Partial Differential Equations." Howard University, March 1991.
- "Grid Generation and Large Scale Optimization." National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), March 1991.
- "The Interdisciplinary Research Center at San Diego State University." NOSC, San Diego, CA, February
- "Numerical Solutions of Partial Differential Equations on Irregular Regions." NOSC, San Diego, CA, October 1990.
- "Numerical Grids for Solving Partial Differential Equations." University of Southern California, November 8, 1989.

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR/CO-INVESTIGATOR-FUNDED RESEARCH GRANTS

- "Academic Support, Career Training, and Professional Development to Improve Interdisciplinary Graduate Education for the Next Generation of Computational Scientists and Engineers," NSF Directorate for Education and Human Resources, 2019-2024.
- "Web Archiving Service," Henry Ford Foundation, 2019 2021.

- "Surface Expression Risk Assessment Physiography (SERAPh) for Midway Sunset Oil Field, San Joaquin Valley, California," California Department of Conservation, 2019-2020.
- "Building Capacity and Infrastructure for Population Health and Health Disparities Research," DHHS National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities, 2018-2023.
- "Broadening Opportunities for Interdisciplinary Computational Science and Engineering Research Training" (ICSERT), National Science Foundation Directorate for Education and Human Resources, DUE-1259951, 2013-2019.
- "Web Archiving Service," Henry Ford Foundation, 2010 2014.
- "ARRA: San Diego Bridges to the Baccalaureate," National Institutes of Health, R25 GM050106-10S1, 2012-2017.
- "CC-NIE Network Infrastructure: Implementation of a Science DMZ at San Diego State University to Facilitate High-Performance Data Transfer for Scientific Applications," National Science Foundation, G00009724, 2012-2013.
- "ARRA: Science Master's Program Integrating Regulatory Affairs in BioScience and Biomedical Physics: A Scalable, Replicable Modeling Addressing Current and Emerging Workforce Needs," National Science Foundation, DGE-1011440, 2010-2013.
- "Embedded Boundary Methods Projects," University of California Office of the President, 2010-2011.
- "ARRA: Web-based CO2 Subsurface Modeling," US Department of Energy, DE-FE0002069, 2009-2012.
- "Dengue Prevention Consortium," Gates Foundation, 200911270-01, 2009-2014.
- "MRI: Acquisition of a High Speed Network Infrastructure for Computation in the Colleges of Science and Engineering," National Science Foundation, OCI-0922702, 2009-2011.
- "Undergraduate Student Scholarships for Participation in Interdisciplinary Computational Science and Engineering Research," National Science Foundation, DUE-0850283, 2009-2014.
- "CyberBridge," National Science Foundation/University of California San Diego, DRL-0737714, 2007-2011.
- "San Diego Bridges to the Baccalaureate," National Institutes of Health, R25 GM050106, 2007-2012.
- "Producing Scientific Professionals: Developing and Enhancing Professional Master of Science Degrees at San Diego State University," The Alfred P. Sloan Foundation, 2001-2002.
- "Numerical Solutions of Elliptic Partial Differential Equations on Irregular Regions, Parallel Aspects of Grid Generation," San Diego State University Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity Program, 1993-1996.
- "Combat Modeling and Optimization," ARO Research Grant, (with D. Lutz), 1992-1993. "Extending the Capabilities of Emulation of Soviet Mathematical Models of Combat," U.S. Army Research Contract, (with D. Lutz), 1990-1991.
- "An Analysis of the Chuyev Model for Combat in One Spatial Dimension," U.S. Army Research Contract, (with D. Lutz), 1989-1990.

- "Solving Large Scale Minimization Problems in Grid Generation," San Diego State University Faculty Development Program, 1989-1990.
- "Numerical Solutions of Elliptic Partial Differential Equations on Irregular Regions," San Diego State University Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity Program, 1989-1990.
- "Discrete Variational Grid Generation: Orthogonality Control," San Diego State University Faculty Development Program, 1987-1988.

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR-INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS GRANTS

- "IV Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute," National Science Foundation Award, 2010.
- "Seventh Pan-American Workshop on Applied and Computational Mathematics," National Science Foundation, Valencia, Venezuela, 2010.
- "Fifth Pan-American Workshop on Applied and Computational Mathematics," National Science Foundation, Tegucigalpa, Honduras, 2004.
- "II Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute," National Science Foundation Award, 2004.
- "I Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute," National Science Foundation Award, 2002.
- "Fourth Pan-American Workshop on Applied and Computational Mathematics," National Science Foundation, Cordoba, Argentina, 2002.
- "Third Pan-American Workshop on Computational and Applied Mathematics," National Science Foundation Award, Trujillo, Peru, 2000.
- "Second Pan-American Workshop on Computational Science and Applied Mathematics," National Science Foundation Award, Gramado, Brazil, 1997.
- "First Pan-American Workshop on Computational and Applied Mathematics," National Science Foundation Award, Caracas, Venezuela, 1993.

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FORMER MASTERS STUDENTS

Randy Bucciarelli, (2018), Computational Science, San Diego State University Raul Vargas Navarro, (2015), Computational Science, San Diego State University Terrence McGuinness, (2000), Computational Science, San Diego State University Sharon Won, (1997), Computer Science, San Diego State University Johnathan Richardson, (1997), Applied Math, San Diego State University Marc McEachern, (1993), Computer Science, San Diego State University Erik Pedersen, (1993), Aerospace Engineering, San Diego State University Daria Bounassissi, (1992), Applied Math, San Diego State University Hsiufang Chen, (1991), Computer Science, San Diego State University Lynne Tablewski, (1990), Applied Math, San Diego State University Marjaneh Gustafson, (1989), Computer Science, San Diego State University Brian Nguyen, (1989), Aerospace Engineering, San Diego State University

SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES

- Director of the Computational Science Research Center, College of Sciences, SDSU.
- Founder of the SDSU Applied Computational Science and Engineering Student Support Program (ACSESS), March 2004.
- Responsible for the organization efforts and implementation of the PhD Program in Computational Science offered jointly with Claremont Graduate University, and the first of its kind in California.
- Chair, Joint Doctoral Program in Computational Science, SDSU and Claremont Graduate University.
- Honored as one of the "25 Most Influential SDSU People in 2003 & 2007."
- Professor of Mathematics, SDSU. Specialist on direct variational grid generation, the applications
 of these methods, and the implementation of these techniques to fluid-flow problems and
 problems in biology. Conducts work in high-order mimetic finite-difference schemes, sensitivity
 of finite difference schemes to grid qualities and, parallel algorithms for elliptic problems.
 Current work consists of combining direct-optimization grid-generation methods with multigrid
 techniques.
- Chair, First Pan American Advanced Studies Institute in Computational Science and Engineering held in Cordoba, Argentina, June-July 2002 (Funded by NSF and DOE).
- Chair, Second Pan American Advanced Studies Institute in Computational Science and Engineering held in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, June-July 2004 (Funded by NSF and DOE).

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