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EVENT INFORMATION

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SURVEY & PARTICIPANT LIST  
You’ll receive a survey and list of attendees (name and organization) via email a few days after the conference. Please complete the survey to make MODSIM World even more successful in the future.

MASK POLICY  
Consistent with CDC guidelines as of 4 May 2022, masks are optional in areas of low transmission for fully vaccinated or non-vaccinated individuals. Norfolk transmission levels are low and masks will be optional at MODSIM World 2022 for all attendees to include fully vaccinated attendees and non-vaccinated attendees.

DRESS CODE  
Army: ACUs or Duty Uniform  
Marine Corps: Service “C”  
Navy: Service Khaki, Navy Service Uniform  
Air Force: Short or Long Service Blues  
Coast Guard: Tropical Blue Long  
Civilian: Business Casual
Dear MODSIM World 2022 Guests,

On behalf of the conference committee, welcome back to MODSIM World! It is my privilege and pleasure to serve as this year's conference chair and welcome you all back in person for MODSIM World. This conference provides a unique opportunity for industry and government leaders to come together to exchange ideas, learn about the latest developments in the modeling and simulation (M&S) field, and to form partnerships that will further grow this community. In keeping with the challenges we’ve experienced the last two years, the focus of the program this year will highlight all the ways M&S has impacted the world in the response to, and recovery from, COVID-19. We will also focus on how M&S technologies can better prepare us for future “black swan” events on the global stage. The committee has worked tirelessly to prepare a program that is relevant and rich with content from a diverse set of fields, and so I am pleased to once again welcome you to MODSIM World.

Our theme this year is “Building a Better Tomorrow.” We are very excited to share how the M&S community has helped shape the global response to the unprecedented events of the last two years. 2022 will mark the 14th year of MODSIM World, and we are focusing on the ways that modeling and simulation provides us with the tools to prepare for a future where we can more quickly respond to large scale disruptions. This year, we will explore the many ways M&S is helping the security, community, and industry sectors prepare for a more resilient future.

I am honored to welcome numerous outstanding keynote speakers and panelists who will highlight this year’s theme from multiple perspectives. The planning committee and I are extremely grateful to each speaker and to their teams for juggling very busy schedules and working diligently to bring their perspectives to the conference; especially in light of the rapid return to in-person events we are witnessing this year. We believe you will find each speaker engaging, insightful, and knowledgeable about the ways M&S is impacting their business, agency, or branch. I truly appreciate the time these speakers have set aside to join us at MODSIM World 2022 and to share their visions with us.

We are also fortunate to have a diverse group of presenters comprising the technical program. We have a rich agenda anchored by distinguished participants from government, defense, industry, and academia, covering a wide range of topics in the M&S domain.

This year, in keeping with our theme, we have put an emphasis on the ways M&S is impacting decision-makers across the world. While we are maintaining a focus on the Department of Defense (DoD), which continues to embrace the technologies of M&S, we are also focusing on how industries far removed from the defense space are seeing revolutionary change in capabilities, empowered by M&S tools. We are especially focusing on how M&S tools are helping the world better prepare to respond to global events with the speed and intensity of the COVID-19 pandemic.

In closing, I would like to truly thank the sponsors and exhibitors, our presenters, and speakers for being part of such an exceptional program. I am very proud of the work the committee has done this last year and a half to prepare, and am overjoyed to be seeing so many of you in person once again. I would also like to thank NTSA for all their support in organizing and executing this event; we are grateful for all you do to help this community grow and thrive. Thank you for attending, and welcome to MODSIM World!

Sincerely,
Nick Drucker, Huntington Ingalls Industries
Conference Chair, MODSIM World 2022
PUSHING TRADITIONAL TRAINING METHODS INTO THE FUTURE

As a trusted partner to our military customers, HII designs, develops and operates the largest LVC enterprise that prepares warfighters for cross-domain battle. With advanced technologies to enable mission readiness, HII understands that preparation requires full coordination - not readiness in piece-parts.
## SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

### MONDAY, 9 MAY
- **Registration Open**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1000 – 1700
- **Exhibits Open**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1230 – 1730
- **General Session**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1300 – 1400
- **Special Event**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1400 – 1530
- **Networking Break**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1530 – 1600
- **Special Event**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1600 – 1730

### TUESDAY, 10 MAY
- **Registration Open**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 0700 – 1700
- **Continental Breakfast**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 0745 – 0845
- **General Session**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 0845 – 1000
- **Exhibits Open**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 0930 – 1800
- **Networking Break**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1000 – 1030
- **Paper Session I**
  - See Agenda for Rooms
  - 1030 – 1200
- **Lunch & Exhibits**
  - Main Salons FGH & Foyer
  - 1200 – 1300
- **Special Event**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1300 – 1400
- **Networking Break**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1400 – 1430
- **Special Event**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1430 – 1600
- **Networking Event & Exhibits**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1600 – 1730

### WEDNESDAY, 11 MAY
- **Registration Open**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 0700 – 1400
- **Continental Breakfast**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 0745 – 0845
- **General Session**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 0845 – 0900
- **Exhibits Open**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 0930 – 1800
- **Networking Break**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1000 – 1030
- **Special Event**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1000 – 1030
- **STEM Event**
  - Main Salon Foyer
  - 1030 – 1200
- **Lunch & Exhibits**
  - Main Salons FGH & Foyer
  - 1200 – 1300
- **Special Event**
  - Main Salons DE
  - 1300 – 1400
- **Paper Session II**
  - See Agenda for Rooms
  - 1300 – 1430
- **Paper Session III**
  - See Agenda for Rooms
  - 1430 – 1600
- **Closing Remarks & Adjourn**
  - 1600
CONGRESSIONAL KEYNOTE

Monday, 9 May  |  1315 – 1330  |  Main Salons DE

REP BOBBY SCOTT

Congressman Scott has the distinction of being the first African-American elected to Congress from the Commonwealth of Virginia since Reconstruction and only the second African-American elected to Congress in Virginia’s history. Having a maternal grandfather of Filipino ancestry also gives him the distinction of being the first American with Filipino ancestry to serve as a voting member of Congress.

During his tenure in the Virginia General Assembly, Congressman Scott successfully sponsored laws critical toVirginians in education, employment, health care, social services, economic development, crime prevention and consumer protection. His successes in the state legislature included laws that increased Virginia’s minimum wage, created the Governor’s Employment and Training Council and improved health care benefits for women, infants and children.

From 2015-2018, he served as the ranking member of what was then called the Committee on Education and the Workforce and developed a strong record of working across the aisle to pass critical legislation. In 2015, he was one of the four primary authors of the Every Student Succeeds Act, which reauthorized the Elementary and Secondary Education Act for the first time in 13 years and replaced the No Child Left Behind Act. Additionally, in 2017, he worked to secure passage of legislation to reform and update our nation’s career and technical education system, as well as the juvenile justice system in 2018, which were both signed into law by President Donald Trump. The latter legislation, the Juvenile Justice Reform Act, contained core tenets of Congressman Scott’s Youth Prison Reduction through Opportunities, Mentoring, Intervention, Support, and Education (Youth PROMISE) Act, which he had introduced in every Congress since 2007.

INDUSTRY KEYNOTE

Monday, 9 May  |  1330 – 1400  |  Main Salons DE

TERRY WALLEY

Terry Walley, the CTO for HII Ingalls Shipbuilding, is an industry leader. Mr. Walley has 30 years of shipbuilding experience across multiple facets of the business, which includes engineering, planning, production and technology. In his role as CTO Mr. Walley provides visionary leadership, helping to drive organizational performance, integrated automation processes and efficiencies throughout the company and wider shipbuilding industry.
GOVERNMENT KEYNOTE

Tuesday, 10 May | 0900 – 1000 | Main Salons DE

**BG WILLIAM R. GLASER**

*Director*
Synthetic Training Environment Cross Functional Team (STE CFT)

BG William R. Glaser is a native of Hendersonville, Tennessee and was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in Armor from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point in 1993. He served in various command and staff positions as a company grade officer in Germany, Macedonia, Fort Stewart, and as a Company Commander in the 3rd Infantry Division during Operation Desert Spring in Kuwait in 2002 and the Liberation Phase of Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2003.

As a field grade officer, he returned to the 3rd Infantry Division to serve as the Chief of Simulations, Battle Command Officer, and G3 Chief of Operations while deployed to Operations Iraqi Freedom V. He also served as the primary advisor to the J3, Kuwait Armed Forces in the Office of Military Cooperation – Kuwait and then as the Director of TRADOC Project Office – OneSAF at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Upon graduation from the U.S. Naval War College, BG Glaser served as the USAREUR G37 Chief of Exercises, the Deputy Commanding Officer of 2nd Cavalry Regiment, and the Director of the Joint Multinational Simulation Center, 7th Army Training Command in Germany. He was then centrally selected to serve as the Director, National Simulation Center at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas and then returned to Germany to serve as the Chief of Staff of the 7th Army Training Command. His last assignment was as the Deputy Commanding Officer for the United States Army Cadet Command.

**NTSA LEADERSHIP**

**RADM JAMES ROBB, USN (RET.)**

*President*
National Training & Simulation Association (NTSA)

Rear Admiral Jim Robb is the President of The National Training and Simulation Association (NTSA). NTSA is a non-profit corporation that provides a portfolio of events allowing the training, simulation, and gaming industries to engage national security markets. NTSA advocates the use of advanced simulation technologies, such as artificial intelligence, virtual reality, and serious gaming, to support training, education, and analysis. NTSA also runs the largest Training Systems Conference and Exposition in the world (IITSEC.org).

Before assuming his current position, Admiral Robb provided consulting and strategic planning services to large and small businesses in the defense market. He transitioned from the U.S. Navy in 2006, after a 34 year career in Naval Aviation where he deployed nine times across the globe and accumulated over 5,000 hours in the air and survived over 1,000 carrier landings at sea. He is a recognized expert in training and simulation, having spent much of his naval career instructing in fighter tactics and threat simulations. His notable training tours included flying captured Russian MIG fighters against U.S. forces in the Nevada desert and command of the Navy Fighter Weapons School, also known as TOPGUN. Admiral Robb also commanded a fighter squadron, a carrier air wing, and a carrier strike group.

Admiral Robb graduated from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute with a BS in Mechanical Engineering and from the University of West Florida with a Masters degree in Aeronautical Systems.
AGENDA

MONDAY, 9 MAY

1000 – 1700
REGISTRATION OPEN
MAIN SALON FOYER

1230 – 1730
EXHIBITS OPEN
MAIN SALON FOYER

1300 – 1315
MODSIM WORLD 2022 WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS
MAIN SALONS DE

Welcome & Opening Remarks
Nick Drucker
Huntington Ingalls Industries, 2022 Conference Chair

Introduction of Congressional Keynote Speaker
RADM James Robb, USN (Ret.)
President, NTSA

1315 – 1330
CONGRESSIONAL KEYNOTE ADDRESS
MAIN SALONS DE
Congressman Bobby Scott
VA-03

1330 – 1400
INDUSTRY KEYNOTE ADDRESS
MAIN SALONS DE
Terry Walley
CTO, HII Ingalls Shipbuilding

1400 – 1530
SPECIAL EVENT: INDUSTRY KEYNOTE PANEL
MAIN SALONS DE
Join a panel of industry experts as they share the ways modeling and simulation (M&S) technologies are helping them transform their businesses. This industry keynote panel provides broad ranging perspectives on the impact of M&S technologies in emerging markets (drone and unmanned systems), heavy manufacturing and construction with the nation’s largest shipbuilder, and on the international supply chain with North America’s largest value added distributor. Based on the theme of “Building a Better Tomorrow” the panelists will provide perspective on how M&S tools are helping them deploy solutions for a more resilient future.

Nick Drucker
Manager, Enterprise Centers of Excellence,
Huntington Ingalls Industries, 2022 Conference Chair
Moderator

Kenyth Campbell
Sr. Supply Chain Analyst, Ferguson Enterprise

Rese Cleaver
Director of Product Management, DroneUp

Mary Claire McLaughlin
Digital Capabilities Lab Manager,
Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS)

1530 – 1600
NETWORKING BREAK & DEDICATED EXHIBIT TIME
MAIN SALON FOYER
1600 – 1730  SPECIAL EVENT: “THE SIMULATION CENTURY” – DIGITAL TWINS & THE METAVERSE
MAIN SALONS DE
This is our tenth annual session to address the growing issue of managing the human/machine interface as we hurtle towards the singularity and the metaverse. We will discuss how to achieve fluency with smarter balance between humans and machines to optimize outcomes. The Simulation Century Panel presentations this year focus on technologies that build towards the metaverse.

“AI Digital Twins and the Metaverse”
Richard Boyd
CEO, Tanjo, Inc.
Moderator

“In the Footsteps of Marco Polo using XR”
Dennis Belliveau
Explorer in Residence and Author,
In The Footsteps of Marco Polo

“Digital Twins to Manage Community Wellness”
Anil Menon, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President, Community & Urban Services, Sharecare, Inc.

“Empowerment”
Marc Prensky
Renowned author and creator of the term “Digital Natives”

TUESDAY, 10 MAY

0700 – 1700  REGISTRATION OPEN
MAIN SALON FOYER

0745 – 0845  CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
MAIN SALON FOYER

0845 – 0900  DAY TWO WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS
MAIN SALONS DE
Opening Remarks
Nick Drucker
Huntington Ingalls Industries, 2022 Conference Chair

Introduction of Government Keynote Speaker
RADM James Robb, USN (Ret.)
President, NTSA

0900 – 1000  GOVERNMENT KEYNOTE ADDRESS
MAIN SALONS DE
BG William R. Glaser
Director, Synthetic Training Environment Cross Functional Team (STE CFT)

0930 – 1800  EXHIBITS OPEN
MAIN SALON FOYER

1000 – 1030  NETWORKING BREAK & DEDICATED EXHIBIT TIME
MAIN SALON FOYER
### PAPER SESSION I - INDUSTRY TRACK: DATA AUTHENTICITY & TRAINING SUPPORT

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<td><strong>Steven Huang</strong>&lt;br&gt;ManTech International Corporation&lt;br&gt;<strong>Douglas Orellana</strong>&lt;br&gt;ManTech International Corporation</td>
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### PAPER SESSION I - SECURITY TRACK: TRAINING WITH SYNTHETIC AGENTS & AI

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1110 – 1130

**Innovative Automated Analysis Tools for After Action Review Using AI & Modeling & Simulation**

Ariane Bitoun  
MASA Group

Anne-Gwenn Bosser  
ENIB / Lab-STICC

Hans ten Bergen  
MASA Group

François Legras  
Independent Researcher

James Appleby  
MASA Group

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1130 – 1150

**A Neuro-Symbolic Approach to Conversational AI within Simulation**

Samuel Griffith  
Discovery Machine, Inc.

Hudson Pepper  
Discovery Machine, Inc.

Todd Griffith, Ph.D.  
Discovery Machine, Inc.

Isaiah Mallery  
Discovery Machine, Inc.

Brady Kirkmmpatrick  
Discovery Machine, Inc.

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**PAPER SESSION I – COMMUNITY TRACK: EDUCATIONAL APPROACHES UTILIZING M&S**

**MAIN SALON C**

1030 – 1050

**Analog vs. Digital: Amplifying Feedback for Learning**

Nicholas Armendariz  
University of Central Florida

JJ Walcutt, Ph.D.  
Clay Strategic Designs

1050 – 1110

**Boosting Cognitive Capabilities through Enhanced States during Gaming**

Maria Kozhevnikov, Ph.D.  
Harvard Medical School

1110 – 1130

**Augmented & Mixed Reality-based Modules for Scientific Instrumentation Training**

Michael Kozhevnikov, Ph.D.  
Norfolk State University

1130 – 1150

**Transitioning M&S Courses from a M&S Engineering Degree to a Major Under a Computer Engineering Degree**

James Leathrum, Jr., Ph.D.  
Old Dominion University

Masha Sosonkina, Ph.D.  
Old Dominion University

Yuzhong Shen, Ph.D.  
Old Dominion University

Michel Audette, Ph.D.  
Old Dominion University

1200 – 1300

**LUNCH & DEDICATED EXHIBIT TIME**

MAIN SALONS FGH & SALON FOYER
1300 – 1400

**SPECIAL EVENT: SIMULATION FOR THE COMMON MAN: ACCESSIBILITY REVISITED**

**MAIN SALONS DE**

Given the power of insight and learning that simulation provides, you might question why simulations are not more widely used. This facilitated, interactive brainstorming session intends to follow up on the discussion about the M&S accessibility problem that arose at the 2018 MODSIM conference. The purpose is to try and understand how our M&S community can reach new users and decision-makers. All attendees are welcome.

Andrew Collins, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor, Old Dominion University

1400 – 1430

**NETWORKING BREAK & DEDICATED EXHIBIT TIME**

**MAIN SALON FOYER**

1430 – 1600

**SPECIAL EVENT: HAPPENINGS IN MEDICAL MODELING & SIMULATION**

**MAIN SALONS DE**

Join a panel of industry and academic experts as they share the ways M&S technologies are innovating in the medical space. This panel will provide broad ranging perspectives on the impact of M&S technologies in DoD and civilian medical training. Based on the theme of “Building a Better Tomorrow,” the panelists will provide perspectives on how M&S tools are being deployed to help save lives.

Claire Hughes
Research Associate III, eXtended Reality Division, Design Interactive, Inc., 2022 Deputy Program Chair

Bob Armstrong
Assistant Professor, School of Health Professions and Executive Director, Sentara Center for Simulation and Immersive Learning, Eastern Virginia Medical School

Frank Karluk
Account Executive, Medical Modeling and Simulation, DLH Corporation

Philip LeDuc, Ph.D.
William J. Brown Professor, Mechanical Engineering Department, Carnegie Mellon University

1600 – 1730

**ATTENDEE ONSITE NETWORKING EVENT**

**MAIN SALON FOYER**

MODSIM World reception is a networking event for industry, academia, and government attendees involved in the modeling and simulation community. This standing reception will have appetizers and beverages served at various stations throughout the lobby of the Hilton. Participants will have the chance to network and visit exhibitor tables to discover the latest in M&S technology.

Welcome Remarks
Nick Drucker
Huntington Ingalls Industries, 2022 Conference Chair

Networking Reception Sponsor
VMASC
0845 – 0900
DAY THREE WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS
MAIN SALONS DE

Opening Remarks
Nick Drucker
Huntington Ingalls Industries, 2022 Conference Chair

0900 – 1000
SPECIAL EVENT: AR/VR PANEL – TECHNOLOGIES CONTRIBUTING TO THE METAVERSE
MAIN SALONS DE

This panel will define the metaverse, what it means for the government, and then dive into the technological advancements that are making it possible today. The panel will explore areas such as real-time 3D, scaling, geospatial, rendering, UI/UX, and how they come together to make a credible metaverse available for the government to realize significant value.

Bob Kleinhample, CMSP
Strategic Account Executive, Improbable U.S. Defense & National Security
Moderator

Gastao De Figueiredo
SVP Strategic Partnerships, Blackshark.ai

Caitlin Dohrman
General Manager, Improbable U.S. Defense and National Security

John Burwell
Global Lead, Simulation and Training, Varjo

Luke DeVore
Senior Client Partner, Unity Technologies

Tim Woodard
Senior Solutions Architect, NVIDIA

0930 – 1400
EXHIBITS OPEN
MAIN SALON FOYER
AGENDA | WEDNESDAY, 11 MAY

1000 – 1030
NETWORKING BREAK & DEDICATED EXHIBIT TIME
MAIN SALON FOYER

PAPER SESSION II – INDUSTRY TRACK: INDUSTRY FOCUSED M&S
MAIN SALON A

1030 – 1050
Data Science Team Topology: An Interdisciplinary Team Framework for AI
Ralitsa Maduro, Ph.D.
Sentara Healthcare
Jay Gendron
USAA
Phil Lacasse

1050 – 1110
Advancing Electrical Grid Operator Training Through eXtended Reality (XR) Technology
Diana Perera
Design Interactive, Inc.
Melynda Hoover, Ph.D.
Design Interactive, Inc.
Charis Horner
Design Interactive, Inc.
Stacey Sanchez
Design Interactive, Inc.

1110 – 1130
Optimal Electric Grid Black Start Restoration Subject to Threats
Kevin Stamber
Sandia National Laboratories
Walt Beyeler
Sandia National Laboratories
Bryan Arguello
Sandia National Laboratories
Casey Doyle
Sandia National Laboratories
Richard Garrett
Sandia National Laboratories
David Schoenwald
Sandia National Laboratories

1130 – 1150
Adaptive Camera Motion Generation for Procedural Guidance and Understanding in Virtual Environments
Shan Liu, Ph.D.
Old Dominion University
Yuzhong Shen, Ph.D.
Old Dominion University

PAPER SESSION II – SECURITY TRACK: TRAINING AFFORDED THROUGH GAMING
MAIN SALON B

1030 – 1050
Training Beyond 2025: A Vision for Synergizing RRL and STE
George Stone, Ph.D., CMSP
Aptima, Inc.
Evan Oster
Aptima, Inc.
1050 – 1110  
**Developing & Applying an Accelerated Learning Framework for Game-Based Training**

Julian Abich IV, Ph.D.  
Quantum Improvements Consulting

Eric Sikorski, Ph.D.  
Quantum Improvements Consulting

1110 – 1130  
**Cyber Red Zone: Capture-the-Flag the DoD Way!**

Tashara Cooper  
NAWCTSD

Jonathan Harris, Ph.D.  
NAWCTSD

1130 – 1150  
**Implementation of Live-Virtual-Constructive (LVC) Workplace Setting to Enhance Occupational Success among Young Adults with ADHD**

Rachel Su Ann Lim  
University at Buffalo

Sandro Sodano, Ph.D.  
University at Buffalo

Kevin Hulme, Ph.D., CMSP  
University at Buffalo

Chanelle Gordon, Ph.D.  
Child and Family Translational Research Center

Gregory Fabiano, Ph.D.  
University at Buffalo

**PAPER SESSION II – COMMUNITY TRACK: M&S IN HEALTHCARE MAIN SALON C**

1030 – 1050  
**Artificial Societies Enabling Multidisciplinary Policy Evaluation: A Health Policy Example**

Andreas Tolk, Ph.D., CMSP  
The MITRE Corporation

Jon Cline, Ph.D.  
The MITRE Corporation

Bianica Pires, Ph.D.  
The MITRE Corporation

1050 – 1110  
**Establishing and Maintaining a Research Agenda for Healthcare Modeling & Simulation**

Brian Goldiez, Ph.D., CMSP  
VMASC, Old Dominion University

1110 – 1130  
**A Digital Clinical Experience for Nursing Skills Training: Enhancing Nursing Student Efficiency and Efficacy in Patient Care through Virtual Patient Simulation**

Thomas Santarelli  
Tipping Point Media

Cheryl Wilson, DNP  
Shadow Health® at Elsevier

Francisco Jimenez, Ph.D.  
Shadow Health® at Elsevier

1130 – 1150  
**Introduction of the Joint Emergency Trauma Simulation (JETS) System**

CSM David Litteral, USA (Ret.), Ph.D.  
IVIR, Inc.
1030 – 1200

SPECIAL EVENT: STEM EVENT
MAIN SALON FOYER

The MODSIM STEM event provides a unique opportunity to contribute directly to the school experience of youth who are beginning to formulate their dreams for the future. During the MODSIM STEM event, approximately 100 area high-school students will get the opportunity to see firsthand the world of M&S. Students will rotate through hands-on M&S demonstrations provided in the exhibit hall to see STEM in action.

1200 – 1300

LUNCH & DEDICATED EXHIBIT TIME
MAIN SALONS FGH & SALON FOYER

PAPER SESSION III - SECURITY TRACK: DIGITALLY-CONNECTED TRAINING WORLDS
MAIN SALON B

1300 – 1320

Warfighter Digital Twin

Zhiqing Cheng, Ph.D.
Innovision, LLC

Reed Hoyt, Ph.D.
U.S. Army Research Institute of Environment Medicine

Gary Zientara, Ph.D.
U.S. Army Research Institute of Environment Medicine

1320 – 1340

Online Synchronous Matrix Wargaming as a Multi-Domain Government & Military Decision Support Training Capability

COL Wayne Stilwell, USA (Ret.), Ph.D.
Stilwell Technology and Robotics, LLC

MAJ Stephen Nelson, USA
NATO ACT

1340 – 1400

Simulating Changing Environments with Socio-Technical Modeling: An Air Combat Example

Benjamin Bell, Ph.D.
Eduworks Corporation

Kristin Wood
Eduworks Corporation

Winston “Wink” Bennett, Jr., Ph.D.
Air Force Research Laboratory

Fritz Ray
Eduworks Corporation

1400 – 1420

Replacing Paper: Simulation Assessment App in the Canadian Navy

Dave Boldt
Marine Learning Systems

Arvinder Aujla
Royal Canadian Navy

Murray Goldberg
Marine Learning Systems
### PAPER SESSION III - COMMUNITY TRACK: RETHINKING COGNITIVE & PERFORMANCE MODELS

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| 1300 – 1320| **Comparison of Collective Day & Night Shooting and Lethality Performance** | Gregory Goodwin, Ph.D. (Combat Capabilities Development Command – Soldier Center)  
Grace Teo, Ph.D. (Quantum Improvements Consulting)  
Jacquelyn Schreck (Quantum Improvements Consulting) |
| 1320 – 1340| **The Implementation of Virtual Humans: Rethinking Critical Thinking & Metacognition** | CDR Dan Davis, USN (Ret.) (Catholic Polytechnic University)  
Jennifer Nolan, Ph.D. (Catholic Polytechnic University)  
John Tran, Ph.D. (Catholic Polytechnic University)  
Mark Davis, Ph.D. (Wood Duck Research, Inc.) |

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### iFEST

**2022 Theme: New Paradigm of Learning: Partner and Prevail**

In collaboration with NTSA, the Advanced Distributed Learning (ADL) Initiative is excited to announce iFEST 2022. The iFEST 2022 theme highlights the value of working together to build the DoD’s future learning ecosystem. In today’s connected world, projects that achieve enterprise-level interoperability and widespread adoption depend on building or attracting partnerships. Join us at iFEST 2022 to explore opportunities across agencies, and with academic, corporate, and international partners.

**WHY iFEST?**

iFEST is the premier conference on Distributed Learning, bringing together thought leaders, innovators, and senior officials from government, industry, and academia to share the latest challenges, innovations, and opportunities for collaboration. If you have a role or interest in education and training modernization, you’ll want to be part of iFEST 2022.

**Who Attends?**

500+ attendees from military, government, industry, and academia.

**Why Attend?**

Share the latest challenges and innovations in distributed learning innovation.
**AGENDA | WEDNESDAY, 11 MAY**

1340 – 1400  
**Applying Learning Experience Design to Real-time Simulator-Based Adaptive Training**  
Trish Mulligan-Renaud  
TTD Learning Solutions, LLC  
Tim Cooley, Ph.D.  
DynamX Consulting  
Ivar Oswalt, Ph.D., CMSP  
The MIL Corporation

1430  
**SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATIONS**  
MAIN SALONS DE  
Scholarship Awardees from Old Dominion University

1430 – 1600  
**SPECIAL EVENT: MSVE CAPSTONE PRESENTATIONS**  
MAIN SALONS DE  
The Modeling, Simulation & Visualization Engineering (MSVE) student capstone event will showcase presentations from the annual Old Dominion University Modeling, Simulation & Visualization Student Capstone Conference (MSVSCC) that was hosted at ODU-VMASC. Presenters are all best paper award winners in their domains and will provide perspective on how tomorrow’s M&S practitioners are already shaping the future of MODSIM.

- **Infrastructure, Security & Military Track**  
  “DeepSECURE Computational Training for Cybersecurity: Third Year Improvements and Impacts”  
  Bahador Dodge, Jacob Strother, and Dr. Wirawan Purwanto

- **Transportation, Business & Industry Track**  
  “A Discussion on Supplier Selection Modeling Approaches”  
  Sheida Etemadidavan

- **Virtual Environments Track**  
  “Engaging Human-in-the-Loop for Autonomous Vehicle Simulation”  
  John di Battista, Christian Johnston, and Valerie Randall

- **General Sciences & Engineering Track**  
  “Is Explainability Always Necessary? Discussion on Explainable AI (XAI)”  
  Gayane Grigoryan

1600  
**CLOSING REMARKS & ADJOURN**
KENYTH CAMPBELL
Sr. Supply Chain Analyst
Ferguson Enterprise

Kenyth Campbell is a Senior Supply Chain Analyst at Ferguson Enterprises. In this role, Mr. Campbell is responsible for designing and generating executive level statistical reports that highlight company performance in meeting inventory goals and addressing market needs. His role also includes executing and supporting projects related to whole stack supply chain inventory planning and advanced analytics applications. Before joining Ferguson Enterprises, Mr. Campbell served as a Modeling and Simulation Product Owner with Newport News Shipbuilding, leading project teams during the creation and utilization of modeling and simulation applications for multiple shipyard operations. Mr. Campbell possesses a Master’s Degree from Old Dominion University in International Studies with a concentration and certification in Modeling and Simulation, as well as a Bachelor’s Degree from Christopher Newport University in Political Science.

RESE CLEAVER
Director, Product Management
DroneUp

Ms. Cleaver is a leader at DroneUp’s aviation technology organization, directing strategy and execution of its UTM, airspace and drone services platforms. With over 12 years of experience in the technology industry, she has indepth experience in successfully bringing leading edge technology solutions to market at scale in global markets.

Prior to joining DroneUp, Ms. Cleaver served in product management leadership roles, overseeing SaaS platforms servicing large-scale government and Fortune 500 clients. Rese also has a consistent track record of closing the “say-do gap” to solve operational challenges through leading edge tech including NASA LRC, DoD and NATO.

Ms. Cleaver serves on local and national councils which drive innovation, best practices and skill development in unmanned aerial vehicle operations, and is also an FAA Part 107 Certified Remote Pilot.

MARY CLAIRE MCLAUGHLIN
Digital Capabilities Lab Manager
Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS)

Mary Claire McLaughlin is the Digital Capabilities Lab Manager at Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS). Ms. McLaughlin was born in Norfolk and raised in Hampton Roads. She earned a bachelor’s degree in Mechanical Engineering from Old Dominion University in 2010.

Ms. McLaughlin joined NNS in 2011 and worked in submarine engineering as the lead of the external hydraulic system on the Columbia Class Submarine Program. Early in her career, she recognized the potential of Augmented Reality (AR) to empower the industrial workforce. She joined the AR Team at NNS in 2014 after many years of following the development of the technology. In 2017 she became the AR Project Supervisor leading an experienced team of AR experts that develop and deploy innovative industrial AR solutions to the shipyard, the Navy, and commercial clients. In 2018 Ms. McLaughlin and her team took on the responsibility of conducting research and rapid prototypes across multiple strategic technologies forming Newport News Shipbuilding’s Digital Capabilities Lab. In 2019 the Lab’s area of responsibility grew to include the NNS Mobile Center of Excellence. Ms. McLaughlin and her team are focused on creating advanced technology solutions to drive the digital transformation at Newport News Shipbuilding.
RICHARD BOYD
CEO
Tanjo, Inc.

Mr. Boyd is the CEO of Tanjo, a human-based neural net company designed to help businesses achieve the right balance between humans and machines. Over the last 25 years, Mr. Boyd has led or helped create some of the most innovative game technology companies in the industry. At Lockheed Martin, he created and led a group of innovative engineers and designers across all mission areas called Virtual World Labs. Mr. Boyd joined Lockheed Martin in 2007 with the acquisition of 3Dsolve, a North Carolina-based computer game technology firm where he was founder and CEO. He served for a decade on the executive management team of Virtus Corporation where he helped create several pioneering computer gaming companies including Red Storm Entertainment with author Tom Clancy, iRock Entertainment with Ozzy Osbourne, and Timeline Computer Entertainment with author Michael Crichton.

DENNIS BELLIVEAU
Explorer in Residence and Author, “In The Footsteps of Marco Polo”

Mr. Belliveau is a photographer, author and explorer whose career has taken him to over 70 countries and whose work has been widely published in books and periodicals including Photographic Magazine, Smithsonian Magazine and the companion book for the BBC documentary series, Planet Earth. He is the recipient of numerous awards from professional photographers organizations as well as Eastman Kodak’s highest honor, the Gallery Award. In 1996, he received an Emmy® nomination in 2009 for writing and directing his acclaimed documentary film, In The Footsteps of Marco Polo. For over a decade, his live Explorer-in-Residence program has been a staple at select schools all over the world.

ANIL MENON, PH.D.
Executive Vice President, Community & Urban Services
Sharecare, Inc.

Mr. Menon is a member of the managing board and Head of the Centre for Global Industries at the World Economic Forum. He served as Global President, Smart+Connected Communities, Cisco Systems from 2009 –16, and Deputy Chief Globalization Officer. He led Cisco’s globalization headquarters in Bangalore, India and was a former Chairman of Cisco India’s Advisory Board. From 2002 – 09, he served in global functional roles at IBM, ranging from Chief Marketing and Strategy Officer for IBM to managing IBM’s transition from a hardware to a business technology brand. He was a tenured professor, Graduate Faculty, at Emory University’s Goizueta Business School and holds a PhD in Marketing Strategy, Multivariate Statistics and Linear Equation Modelling, Strategic Planning Council from Cambridge, MA. He was a Sony Business Fellow at Sony Corporation and was awarded the American Marketing Association’s Alpha Kappa Psi award and the Academy of Marketing Science's Distinguished Practitioner award. He is a board member of the Board of Directors, Center for Customer Insights, Yale University School of Management. He has served on the board of Coca-Cola Company’s Technology Incubator, Fizzion, and as Citibank India’s board of advisors.

MARC PRENSKY
Renowned author and creator of the term “digital natives”

ANDREW COLLINS, PH.D.

Assistant Professor
Old Dominion University

Andrew J. Collins, Ph.D., is an assistant professor at Old Dominion University in the Department of Engineering Management and Systems Engineering. He has a Ph.D. in Mathematics was from the University of Oxford. He has published over 90 peer-review articles. He has been the Principal Investigator on projects funded to the amount of approximately $7 million. Dr. Collins has developed several research simulations including an award-winning investigation into the foreclosure contagion that incorporated social networks.

His website and full resume can be found at www.drandrewjcollins.com.

Tuesday, 10 May | 1300 – 1400 | Main Salons DE

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The 2022 M&S Leadership Summit, co-located with TSIS 2022, will discuss the potential policy and legislative impacts of the Metaverse and Augmented Reality/Virtual Reality (AR/VR).

WHY THE M&S LEADERSHIP SUMMIT?

The Modeling & Simulation Leadership Summit is an event sponsored by the National Training and Simulation Association (NTSA) in support of the Modeling and Simulation Congressional Caucus. The purpose of the event is to bring the M&S Community of Practice together to discuss important issues related to Modeling and Simulation, and to try to reach consensus on one or two specific, actionable initiatives for the Congressional M&S Caucus to take for action.
HAPPENINGS IN MEDICAL M&S PANEL BIOGRAPHIES

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BOB ARMSTRONG

Assistant Professor, School of Health Professions and Executive Director, Sentara Center for Simulation and Immersive Learning
Eastern Virginia Medical School (EVMS)

Mr. Bob Armstrong is passionate about leveraging modeling and simulation technologies to improve patient safety and outcomes. He serves as an Assistant Professor within the School of Health Professions and as Executive Director of the Sentara Center for Simulation and Immersive Learning at Eastern Virginia Medical School (EVMS) in Norfolk, Virginia. He is also the Program Director for the National Center for Collaboration in Medical Modeling and Simulation, and EVMS Director of Corporate Relations. Mr. Armstrong served as the President of the Society for Simulation in Healthcare in 2020. He is a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy and Naval Postgraduate School, retiring from the U.S. Marine Corps as a Lieutenant Colonel in 2005.

FRANK KARLUK

Account Executive, Medical Modeling and Simulation
DLH Corporation

Frank J. Karluk, MA, PMP, NRP has over 30 years’ experience in the medical field in multiple areas including advancing patient care on the battlefield, direct patient care in the hospital setting, instruction, and curriculum development. Twenty-one of these years were in service to the United States Army with various assignments that included combat operations in the Helmand Province of Afghanistan. During this deployment, he served as the Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge of an Army MEDEVAC detachment that was tasked to directly support the Special Operations Command during high-risk kinetic operations involving active warfare, including lethal force. He and his unit were the first Army MEDEVAC unit to conduct in flight blood resuscitation and he is credited with being the first flight paramedic to perform an emergency escharotomy in flight under the remote direction of a trauma surgeon. He maintains active licensure and certifications and is currently a faculty member at The George Washington University. Mr. Karluk has been invited to speak at international conferences and has been a spokesperson within the Medical/Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and high yield Explosives (CBRNE) community before the Joint Chiefs, and other high-level government leaders post 9/11.

PHILIP LEDUC, PH.D.

William J. Brown Professor, Mechanical Engineering Department
Carnegie Mellon University

Philip LeDuc (Ph.D. Johns Hopkins University; post-doctoral fellow, Children’s Hospital and Harvard Medical School) is the William J. Brown Professor in the Mechanical Engineering Department at Carnegie Mellon University with appointments in Biomedical Engineering, Computational Biology, Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Biological Sciences. He received the National Science Foundation CAREER Award, the Beckman Foundation Young Investigators Award, while also being selected as a faculty member for the Sloan Foundation minority Ph.D. Program. He has also been funded by other organizations including the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, Office of Naval Research, Department of Energy, National Institute of Health, and Keck Foundation. During his career, he has published articles in many journals, including Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Nature Nanotechnology, JACS, Applied Physics Letters, Methods in Cell Biology, Advanced Materials, Nano Letters, Nature Protocols, Nature Communications, and Nature and has held seminars across the world including South Africa, India, and Brazil. He has helped organize many scientific meetings including for the National Academy of Engineering, the National Academy of Sciences, the National Academy of Medicine, and the U.S. Congress and was elected to the Science Advisory Council of the Beckman Foundation, the Board of Directors for the Biomedical Engineering Society and the American Institute for Medical & Biological Engineering. He is also a Fellow of the Biomedical Engineering Society, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, International Academy for Medical and Biological Engineering, and American Institute for Medical & Biological Engineering. He and his wife, Rachel have a daughter and two sons. He has also been involved with many philanthropic organizations including raising for non-profit organizations and missions trips to Africa and Armenia.
BOB KLEINHAMPLE

Strategic Account Executive
Improbable U.S. Defense & National Security

Mr. Robert “Bob” Kleinhample is a Strategic Account Executive for Improbable U.S. Defense & National Security. In this role he leads the vision, strategy, development and knowledge sharing of transformative solutions and capabilities in the synthetic environments market.

With a focus on fostering an agile culture of innovation through research, product development, and technical excellence, Mr. Kleinhample positions Improbable as a leader in the synthetic environments market serving the U.S. defense and national security community. In this role, Mr. Kleinhample strategically shapes synthetic environment capabilities solving emergent customer problems in the area of virtual worlds demanding high scale and complexity.

He is an active member in the training and simulation community through his involvement and leadership in the Interservice/Industry, Training, Simulation, and Education Conference (I/ITSEC) committees, including his current role as the I/ITSEC Next Big Thing Committee Chair which is leading the adoption of emerging technologies in the training and simulation market.

He is a 20-year military career veteran as a U.S. Army Field Artillery Officer and earned his Bachelors of Science degree in Engineering Management from the U.S. Military Academy and his Masters of Engineering in Operations Research from the Old Dominion University.

JOHN BURWELL

Global Lead, Simulation and Training
Varjo

Mr. Burwell has over 30 years of experience developing innovative and disruptive technologies used in the simulation and training industry. With a focus on the representation of virtual environments, Mr. Burwell has been involved with development of image generation systems, virtual worlds, and AR/VR/MR solutions.

He currently drives Varjo’s Training and Simulation business supporting development of AR/VR/MR solutions leveraging Varjo’s human-eye resolution HMDs. Prior to Varjo, Mr. Burwell played a pivotal role in several technology companies including Bohemia Interactive Simulations, Silicon Graphics and Forterra Systems.

Mr. Burwell has a bachelor’s degree in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from the University of Colorado and an MBA in International Management from Thunderbird.

GASTAO DE FIGUEIREDO

SVP Strategic Partnerships
Blackshark.ai

Mr. De Figueiredo leads strategic partnerships for Blackshark.ai, the first company to create a semantic digital twin of the entire planet, where he oversees alliances to build breakthrough products, capabilities, and joint go-to-market. Prior to Blackshark.ai, Mr. De Figueiredo held leadership roles at Microsoft, Apple, and Sun Microsystems. Gastao holds a BSEE and an MS in Computer Sciences.
LUKE DEVORE
Senior Client Partner
Unity Technologies

Luke DeVore is a Senior Client Partner at Unity Technologies where he works with partners across the Government and Aerospace markets to deliver solutions that leverage the world’s most innovative real-time 3D technologies. Prior to joining Unity Technologies, Mr. Devore spent time with SAIC and Design Interactive, Inc., providing him with an appreciation for large-scale digital transformation IDIQs as well as human performance and training system development SBIRs and OTAs. Mr. Devore is excited to see how real-time 3D and XR technologies will blur the lines between learning and performing, and how human machine interfaces will incorporate contextual, sensor, and human data to become increasingly personalized and adaptive.

CAITLIN DOHRMAN
General Manager
Improbable U.S. Defense and National Security

Ms. Dohrman is responsible for the overall growth of Improbable’s U.S. Defense and National Security business and enabling our customers’ success using Improbable’s technology for national security challenges. Ms. Dohrman has worked in technology for 15 years, bringing innovative solutions to bear on U.S. defense and intelligence missions. Prior to joining Improbable in 2018, Ms. Dohrman was an Enterprise Lead and Product Manager at Palantir Technologies, where she was responsible for the company’s national security portfolio. Prior to Palantir, Ms. Dohrman worked at Booz Allen Hamilton and Intergraph as a systems engineer. She studied Computer Engineering at Mississippi State University and Systems Engineering at Virginia Tech.

TIM WOODARD
Senior Solutions Architect
NVIDIA

Mr. Tim Woodard is a Senior Solutions Architect with NVIDIA’s Professional Visualization group, working with federal integrators and customers to get the most out of NVIDIA’s professional visualization solutions. This includes leveraging NVIDIA’s professional GPUs, advanced rendering technology, virtualization, XR, AI, and omniverse for MS&T. Tim has over 25 years of experience designing and developing software architectures for real-time simulation visual systems including medical, driving, and flight. He serves on the I/ITSEC Simulation subcommittee, has received patents for run-time simulator database generation technology, and has published and presented papers at NVIDIA’s GPU Technology Conference, I/ITSEC, IMAGE, FSEMC, ASQ, and IT2EC. Mr. Woodard lives in Virginia Beach, Virginia with his wife and two boys, is a mediocre guitar player, amateur painter, and an avid homebrewer.
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NICK DRUCKER | CONFERENCE CHAIR
Manager, Enterprise Centers of Excellence
Huntington Ingalls Industries (HII)

Mr. Nick Drucker is the Manager of the Enterprise Centers of Excellence at Huntington Ingalls Industries (HII). In this role Mr. Drucker is responsible for leading the corporate centers of excellence for Analytics, Innovation and Cloud Technologies across HII’s three divisions. Prior to taking this role, Mr. Drucker led the Enterprise Architecture and strategy team for Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS), a division of HII, aligning technical capabilities against business needs and establishing strategic plans for the adoption of innovative solutions to meet NNS’ performance goals. Mr. Drucker previously held positions leading the Data Analytics and Advanced Technology teams at NNS, served as a Product Manager for the federal energy market space, and served as a Modeling and Simulation Product Owner, focused on the utilization of modeling and simulation applications for multiple shipyard operations. Before joining NNS Mr. Drucker held multiple leadership roles for a small modeling and simulation company in Portsmouth, VA. Mr. Drucker possesses a Master's Degree from Old Dominion University in International Studies with a concentration and certification in Modeling and Simulation as well as a Bachelor's Degree from Christopher Newport University in Political Science with a minor in Psychology.

STEFANI BRIGHAM | DEPUTY CONFERENCE CHAIR
Software Engineer
Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS)

Ms. Stefani Brigham is a Software Engineer in Newport News Shipbuilding’s (NNS) Digital Capabilities Lab. Ms. Brigham serves as technical lead, senior software developer, and delivery owner for a software delivery team responsible for creating microservices and cross-platform applications that utilize IIoT, cloud, and other emerging technologies to solve complex NNS problems. Prior to joining the lab, Ms. Brigham developed and implemented change management initiatives in support of the Integrated Digital Shipbuilding Program. Previously she worked as an M&S engineer, developing several simulations for modeling logistics and nuclear operations for the DoD. She has also served as technical lead and senior software developer on multiple nuclear modeling and simulation projects in support of the Department of Energy. Ms. Brigham received degrees from the College of William and Mary including a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics and Computer Science and a Master of Science in Computational Operations Research.

JULIAN ABICH, IV, PH.D. | PROGRAM CHAIR
Senior Human Factors Engineer
Quantum Improvements Consulting

Dr. Julian Abich IV is a Senior Human Factors Engineer at Quantum Improvements Consulting. He has over 15 years of experience applying human factors & ergonomics (HF/E) principles, M&S approaches, and instructional design methodology to assess, predict, and improve human performance. His work focuses on taking a user-centered approach to design, develop, and assess innovative training solutions. He has extensive experience working side-by-side with end-users evaluating training solutions to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of their application. These training solutions span mobile, immersive, and emergent technological platforms, such as augmented, virtual, and mixed reality. He continues to serve the research community through his publications and presentations, journal reviews, and participation in conference program committees. He previously served on the UCF faculty but continues to support the Modeling and Simulation graduate program as a Graduate Faculty Scholar. He also advocates for Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) outreach efforts by encouraging public support within these domains.
CLAIRE HUGHES | DEPUTY PROGRAM CHAIR

Research Associate III, eXtended Reality Division
Design Interactive, Inc.

Ms. Claire Hughes is a Research Associate III in the eXtended Reality Division at Design Interactive. Her focus is on emerging technology delivery to diverse stakeholders, including the Joint Program Committee, and the Army Futures Command. Her current work is centered around the design and delivery of XR training technologies across the Department of Defense, with a focus on driving user-centered design for scalable adoption of AR/VR/MR training and job aid solutions. She holds a Master of Science in Human Factors and Systems Engineering from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from Hillsdale College.

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VANCE SOUDERS | CHAIR

Founder
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Mr. Vance Souders has over 22 years of software engineering, design, and leadership experience focused on creating cutting-edge immersive experiences. He has played a critical role or spearheaded the development of over 40 innovative projects, driving value across various verticals, including health care, defense, and education. He has led diverse teams composed of on-site and remote engineers, artists, designers, clinicians, and scientists across multiple time zones.

His latest project in 2022, for a private healthcare communications company, involves leading a team responsible for the integration of biometric data from wearables and the overall design for a serious game focused on improving retention rates and outcomes for CDC’s National Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP). In addition, his experience creating Bionautica Trails gives him direct and relevant insight of how immersive, game-based experiences can be integrated into clinical settings to improve the quality of life for patients.

TRACK CHAIR BIOGRAPHIES

COMMUNITY

LARA BOVE | CHAIR

Instructional Designer and Customer Experience Lead
SAIC

Ms. Lara Bove is an Instructional Designer and Customer Experience Lead with SAIC. Ms. Bove has more than twenty years of training development experience, and has worked on training solutions for federal clients, state governments, the Department of Defense, Federal Aviation Administration, and the Department of Veterans Affairs. She holds an MS Ed from James Madison University with a concentration in Adult Learning and Human Resource Development. She is currently working on a Ph.D. in Learning Technologies Design Research. Ms. Bove uses design research principles to address workplace challenges.

NINA ROTHSTEIN | DEPUTY CHAIR

Ph.D. Candidate
Drexel University

Ms. Nina Rothstein is a Ph.D. Candidate at Drexel University in the Applied Cognitive and Brain Sciences Program. She is a member of the CONQUER Collaborative Lab. She has a BS in Psychology from the University of North Florida and an MS in Modeling and Simulation from the University of Central Florida.

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JASON BEWLEY | DEPUTY CHAIR

President
Applied Training Solutions, LLC

Mr. Jason Bewley is the president of ATS, managing all aspects of the business. He is a lifelong entrepreneur, founding and leading four successful companies before joining ATS where he first served as Vice President for Business and Strategic Development. As president, Mr. Bewley’s previous leadership experience continues to inspire the company to achieve new heights. Mr. Bewley is a proud Eagle Scout who continues to serve the scouting community.

JAY GENDRON | DEPUTY CHAIR

Data Scientist
United Services Automobile Association (USAA)

Mr. Jay Gendron is a data scientist with United Services Automobile Association (USAA). He has worked as a data scientist in industries including software development, management consulting, national defense, and financial services. Mr. Gendron served in the U.S. Air Force for over 20 years as a program manager, educator, and operations research analyst. Mr. Gendron is the author of the book Introduction to R for Business Intelligence and a number of chapters in edited titles.

HALEIGH BENSON | CHAIR

Systems Engineer
Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS)

Ms. Haleigh Benson is a Systems Engineer in Newport News Shipbuilding’s (NNS) Data Science & Advanced Data Solutions group. In this role, Ms. Benson is responsible for supporting the Data Science team as well as the Robotic Process Automation (RPA) group developing “bots” used to automate workflows. In addition to RPA, Ms. Benson assists the data scientists within the group to create solutions to empower better decision making. Prior to this role, Ms. Benson was a business analyst assisting with the implementation and support of business information systems in order to help achieve the business’ goals. Ms. Benson possesses a Bachelor’s of Science degree from Old Dominion University in Business Management and Business Analytics as well as a Master’s of Science in Business Analytics from the College of William and Mary.

EMILY GRUBBS | DEPUTY CHAIR

Senior Lead Data Scientist
Booz Allen Hamilton

Ms. Emily Grubbs spent eight years on active duty in the U.S. Navy as a Surface Warfare Officer, including two deployments to the SEVENTH Fleet Area of Responsibility. In her experience as a SWO, she saw first-hand how predictive analytics could support sailors at sea in areas as diverse as predictive maintenance, supply chain management, and tactical decision support. She currently leverages her mathematical background and operational experience to create innovative solutions for defense-related decision support. Ms. Grubbs holds a double Bachelor of Science with honors in Mathematics and English Literature from the U.S. Naval Academy, and a Master of Science in Operations Research from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
JESSICA JOHNSON

Director, STEM and Student Engagement and Curriculum Coordinator, Digital Ship
Old Dominion University’s Virginia Modeling, Analysis & Simulation Center (ODU-VMASC)

Ms. Jessica Johnson is the Director for STEM and Student Engagement and Curriculum Coordinator for Digital Ship at Old Dominion University’s Virginia Modeling, Analysis & Simulation Center (ODU-VMASC). She is a doctoral candidate in Educational Psychology, with a degree conferral in June 2022 from Regent University. She also holds an Educational Specialist (Ed.S) degree in Educational Psychology and a Master's in Education (M.Ed) for Curriculum Development and Instruction from Regent University. She graduated from Edinboro University of Pennsylvania with a Bachelor of Science (B.S) in Cognitive Psychology. Prior to joining ODU-VMASC, she was a contracted instructional designer for regional community colleges in Pennsylvania. In addition, she held several appointments within K-12 education as an educator, STEM Coordinator, and Differentiated Instruction Lead Coordinator.

As a cognitive and educational psychologist, she has experience in cognitive science, learner analytics, immersive learning design, and adaptive instructional systems. Her research pertains to autonomous learning in simulation education and training, learning experience design in serious games, and learner feedback loops utilizing various mechanisms of artificial intelligence. She has received over $3.2 million in funding for applied research and development from the Department of Education, Systems Engineering Research Center, U.S. Navy, U.S. Air Force, and Epic Games.

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ECOSYSTEM OF LEARNING

NTSA’s EcosySTEM of Learning spans the lifecycle of learning. Opportunities abound for elementary and secondary students, college students, and the workforce to experience modeling and simulation through science, technology, engineering, and mathematics experiences. The four cornerstones of the program provide varying ways to engage with others in the modeling and simulation industry, through focused workshops, industry visits, and outreach encounters, the Discovery Den at I/STEC and career investment opportunities to include scholarship and career fairs. These events, occurring throughout the year, support learning at all levels, as well as professional development and workforce engagement.

PATIENT SAFETY INITIATIVE

Several years ago, NTSA launched an initiative to address the alarming statistics related to active and latent errors in healthcare which affect patient safety. Training through simulation has been shown to minimize errors and improve performance for healthcare workers in high stress environments. A working group was established to delve deeper into ways that simulation can improve patient safety and thus lessen the number of errors in the patient care arena. This working group holds regular meetings and has established a campaign through the Modeling and Simulation Congressional Caucus to raise awareness of this issue, and establish legislation to support the application of modeling and simulation to this critical need.

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