

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### UNIVERSITY EDUCATION:

B.E.E (Electrical Engineering) University of Florida, 1961  
M.A. (Mathematics) University of Florida, 1963  
Ph.D. (Mathematics) University of Birmingham, England, 1970

### TEACHING and RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

Teaching Assistant, Mathematics, University of Florida, 1961-1962. Interim Instructor, Mathematics, University of Florida, 1962-1963. Instructor, Mathematics, Florida Presbyterian College, 1963-64. Programming Analyst, Systems Analyst, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan, 1965-68. Teaching Fellow, Mathematics, University of Michigan, 1964-68. Research Fellow, University of Michigan, 1968. Research Fellow, University of Birmingham, England, 1968-70. Assistant Professor, Mathematics, SUNY, Oswego, 1970-73. Associate Professor, Mathematics, SUNY, Oswego, 1973-78. Visiting Associate Professor, Mathematics, SUNY, Binghamton, Spring 1976. Professor, Mathematics, SUNY, Oswego, 1978. Associate Professor, Computer Science and Mathematics, UNL, 1978-83. Professor, Mathematics and Computer Science, UNL, 1983. Visiting SERC Professor, University of Birmingham, England, 1984-85. Professor, Computer Science, UNL, 1984-present. Distinguished Professor, holding the *Henson Chair for Communication and Information Theory*, UNL 1991-2001. Visiting Research Professor, Centre for Applied Cryptography, C&O Department, University of Waterloo, 1999. Visiting Research Professor, Mathematics Department, University of Rome "La Sapienza", Jan 15 - March 15, 2000. Visiting Research Professor, Mathematics Department, University of Western Australia - Perth, April & May, 2000. *Henson Professor Emeritus*, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, Dec. 2000 - date. Professor of Mathematics, Florida Atlantic University, Dec. 2000 - date.

### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:

Acting Chair intermittently (1985-89), and for the academic year 1989-1990. Prime mover in establishing the *Center for Communication and Information Science*, and Codirector (1987 - 1991), Director (1997), a Research Center established under The *Nebraska Research Initiative*, (budget about \$400,000 per year). Chair, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Florida Atlantic University, August 2004 - May 2009. Director of the *Center for Cryptology and Information Security (CCIS)*, an NSA/DHS designated National Center of Academic Excellence in Information Assurance Research, Florida Atlantic University, 2003-2013; Assoc. Director CCIS, 2013-date.

### AWARDS AND SPONSORED RESEARCH:

1. NSF Undergraduate Research Grant in Mathematics, University of Florida, 1959-60.
2. Work under NSF grant GS-1873, with Prof. D. C. Pelz, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 1968.

3. Research Fellow, University of Michigan, Summer, 1968.
4. Research Fellow, University of Birmingham, England, 1968-70.
5. SUNY Research Foundation grant to investigate *Transitive Extensions of the Higman- Sims Simple Group*, 1971, \$3,000.
6. Visiting Scholar, Mathematics Department, University of Michigan, Summer, 1971.
7. Research Associate at the Center for Human Growth and Development, University of Michigan, Summer, 1971, \$7,000.
8. SUNY Research Foundation grant to study *Transitive Extensions of Finite Simple Groups*, 1973, \$5,000.
9. Associate Director, CAUSE project, NSF Grant, # SER76-15934, 1976-78, \$182,000 plus matching funds.
10. Summer Research Fellowship, UNL Research Council, 1979, *On Transitive Extensions of Groups*, \$5,000.
11. Director, NSF Grant SPI-7901519, 1979-80, \$26,414.
12. Summer Research Fellowship, UNL Research Council, 1981, *On t-Designs and Groups*, \$5,000.
13. Director, DEC: An \$83,340 Digital Equipment Corporation equipment grant for research in Computer Science, Summer, 1982.
14. Director, NSF/NSA Research Grant # MDA904-82-H-001, 1982-84, \$61,314 to study *A New Cryptosystem from Permutation Groups*.
15. SERC (U.K.) Senior Research Fellowship, \$14,550, University of Birmingham, Birmingham, England, 1984-85.
16. Maude Fling Research Fellowship, 1986, *On Projective Planes of Order not a Power of a Prime*, \$5,000.
17. CCIS: Codirector, Center for Communication and Information Sciences, under the Governor of Nebraska Research Initiative, (1988) \$320,000 ; (1989) \$380,000; (1990) \$450,000.
18. *Director*, Analysis and Implementation of PGM Encryption, projects [1] and [2], US West Communications and CCIS, 1989, \$51,000.
19. Director, NSA MDA904-89-H-2044, *Combinatorial Designs and Applications*, two year grant, 1989-1991, with Earl S. Kramer \$115,388.
20. Grant to visit the National Australian University in December, 1990, \$3,500.
21. Director, NSA MDA904-91-H-0032, *Combinatorial Designs*, two year grant, 1991-1993, with Earl S. Kramer \$117,592.
22. DFG (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft) & *Institut für Experimentelle Mathematik* University of Essen, Germany - DM 10,000. Granted for period September 9, through November 10, 1992, for work in cryptology.
23. Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada: *International Scientific Exchange Award*, \$7,600, granted for 1992-93.

24. A second DFG grant (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft) & *Institut für Experimentelle Mathematik*, University of Essen, Germany - DM 10,000. Granted for Summer of 1992, for work in cryptology.
25. NSA MDA904-93-H-3049, with matching from CCIS, *Combinatorial Designs*, two year grant, 1993-1995, with E. S. Kramer and D. R. Stinson \$169,637.
26. National Science Foundation, Grant # NCR-9505845, for research on *A Coding Theoretic Approach to Lossless Image Compression* \$182,708 + CCIS matching \$36,541, for 1995-1998.
27. National Security Agency, grant MSFPF-95-G-091, with matching from CCIS, *Designs and other Combinatorial Problems*, with E. S. Kramer and D. R. Stinson \$40,009 + CCIS matching \$14,812, for 1995-1996.
28. DFG (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft) & *Institut für Experimentelle Mathematik* University of Essen, Germany - DM 8,000. Granted for May, 1996, for work in cryptology.
29. PI: NSF/REU program, summer 1997, for undergraduate student research in Data Compression, \$5,000.
30. Co-PI: UN Foundation, with S. Reichenbach (PI) and others, \$100,000.
31. Co-PI: Proposal with K. Sayood et al, *Mobile Communications Research Project*, Neb. Res. Initiative 1998, (4 yr grant: 1998-2002) \$251,000 per year.
32. PI: National Science Foundation, grant CCR-9610138, *Topics in Unconditionally Secure Cryptography*, with D.R. Stinson, (1997-2000), \$95,316.
33. CO-PI : Federal Earmark 2003-05, DOD/DISA \$ 2 million, *Secure Telecommunication Networks*, with Dean Karl K. Stevens, Dean Mohammad Ilyas and Prof. Paul Hart.
34. CO-PI : National Science Foundation, MRI-0521410, *Acquisition of a NUMA-based Supercomputer for High Performance Computing*, with Jie Wu (PI), Hanqi Zhuang, Shen Li Qiu, and Borko Furht (Co-PI's) (2005), \$447,190.
35. CO-PI : Federal Earmark 2007-08, DOD/DISA, \$ 1 million, *Secure Telecommunication Networks*, project : *Pervasive Computing - Security in GIG-like Architectures*, with Karl K. Stevens, Mohammad Ilyas, Rainer Steinwandt and others.
36. PI: FAU Tech Fee Proposal (\$26,000) to acquire a multinode parallel computing cluster for teaching and research. The cluster (kokowin) has been placed at the FAU Jupiter campus, and operations began in early April, 2015.

## PATENTS

1. Spyros S. Magliveras, Tran van Trung, and Tamas Horváth, *A Secret Key Cryptosystem and Method Utilizing Factorizations of Permutation Groups of Arbitrary Order  $2^L$* . US Patent # 6,038,317 issued on March 14, 2000.
2. Daniel Socek, Hari Kalva and Spyros Magliveras, *Methods for Encrypting and Compressing Video*, US Patent #8,189,664 B2, issued on May 29, 2012.

## PROFESSIONAL AND HONORARY SOCIETIES

Institute of Combinatorics and its Applications, Fellow

$\Sigma T / T B \Pi$  honorary engineering society

$\Sigma \Xi$  national research society

Kappa Mu Epsilon

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

1. Fellow of the Institute of Combinatorics and its Applications.
2. Member of the Council for the Institute of Combinatorics and its Applications.
3. Editor, *Journal of Combinatorial Designs*, 2000-2005.
4. Has refereed for the Journal of Comb. Theory (A) , Journal of Discrete Math., Ars Combinatoria, SIGSAM Bulletin, Annals of Discrete Math., European Journal of Combinatorics, JCMCC, Australasian J. of Combinatorics, the Journal for Designs, Codes & Cryptography, Intern. J. of Algebra and Computation, and the J. of Comb. Designs.
5. Referee for NSF, NSA, NSERC grant proposals in Computer Science, Combinatorics, Coding Theory and Cryptology.
6. General Chair for *Crypto '92*. The international IACR conference to be held at the University of California - Santa Barbara, in August 1992, ex-officio member of the Board of Directors, IACR.
7. Guest Editor for JCMCC, (for the Proceedings of the *Ninth Midwestern Conference on Combinatorics, Cryptography & Computing*)
8. Principal organizer of an International Geometry Conference, the *First Pythagorean Conference*, which took place during June 1-7, 1996, on the island of Spetses - Greece.
9. Co-Editor of the Proceedings of the *First Pythagorean Conference*
10. Ph.D. external examiner for several universities world wide.
11. Principal organizer of the *Crypto/Codes* Conference, June 1 - 7, 1997, Lincoln, NE., USA.
12. Principal organizer of the *Second Pythagorean Conference*, May 30 - June 6, 1999, Pythagorion, Samos - Greece.
13. Co-Editor of the Proceedings of the *Second Pythagorean Conference*, Birkhäuser, vol. 67, 2000.
14. Principal organizer of the *Third Pythagorean Conference*, which took place on June 1 - 7, 2003, Faliraki, Rhodes - Greece.
15. Program Committee member for *Tatracrypt 2003*, "Third Central European Cryptology Conference", Bratislava, Slovakia, June 26-28, 2003.
16. Program Committee member for *WartaCrypt 2004*, "Fourth Central European Cryptology Conference", Bedlewo, Poland, July 1-3, 2004.

17. Co-Editor of the Proceedings of the “Third Pythagorean Conference”, DCC 32, Kluwer, 2004.
18. Program Committee member for the *5th Central European Conference on Cryptography* MoraviaCrypt '05, Brno, Czech Republic, June 15 - 17, 2005.
19. Program Committee member for the *6th Central European Conference on Cryptography* Nyir-Crypt '06, Nyiregyhaza, Hungary, June 15 - 17, 2006.
20. Founder, Editor and one of three Managing Editors, *Journal of Mathematical Cryptography*, *W. de Gruyter*, 2005- date.
21. Program Committee member for the *7th Central European Conference on Cryptography* TatraCrypt '07, Smolenice Castle, Slovakia, June 22-24, 2007.
22. Program Committee member for the *8th Central European Conference on Cryptography* CECC '08, Technical University of Graz, Austria, July 22-24, 2008.
23. Program Committee member for the *9th Central European Conference on Cryptography* CECC '09, at Třebíč. Brno University of Technology, Czech Republic, June 23-26, 2009.
24. Principal organizer of the *Fourth Pythagorean Conference*, which will take place on May 30-June 4, 2010, on the Greek Island of Corfu.
25. General Chair for *ISC 2010*. The “International Information Security Conference” and member of Steering Committee and Program Committee. ( <http://brain.math.fau.edu/cdfg09/> ) to be held in Boca Raton, Florida during October 25–28, 2010.

#### NOMINATIONS - HONORS

1. Nominated for an Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 1980. Mathematics.
2. Nominated for an ORCA Excellence in Research Award, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 1983-84.
3. Recipient of the AMOCO Award of Distinguished Teaching, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 1984.
4. Honorary Senior Research Fellow, University of Birmingham - England, 1985.
5. Recipient of the *Paul and Betty Henson Distinguished Professorship* in Communication and Information Science, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 1991 - 2000.
6. Recipient of a J.D. Edwards Professorship, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 2000.
7. *Paul and Betty Henson Distinguished Professor Emeritus* in Communication and Information Science, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 2000 - date.
8. Recipient of a *Service to Students* award, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 2000.
9. Recipient of the ICA **Euler gold medal** award for lifetime research in Combinatorial Mathematics, 2001.
10. Recipient of the *Charles E. Schmidt College of Science - Teacher of the Year* award, a *A Warren Lloyd Holtzman* grant award, 2010.

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Cryptology, Finite Groups, Combinatorics, Computational Algebra, Coding Theory, Image Compression, Design & Complexity of Algorithms, Algebraic Computer Science, Finite Geometries, Computer Networks.

## COLLOQUIA AND INVITED ADDRESSES

- 1 *On Groups, Graphs and Designs*, Clarkson University, Postdam, N.Y. fall 1976.
- 2 *On Combinatorial Designs of Room Type Induced by Primitive Group Actions*, Humbolt State University, summer 1980.
- 3 *Representation Theory of Finite Groups*, University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario Canada, April 1980.
- 4 Presented an Invited Address on *Geometries, Groups and the New Six Designs* at the University of Athens, Greece, summer, 1982.
- 5 Invited speaker, *Six Designs Exist!*, London Mathematical Society, Symposium on Computational Group Theory, Durham University, England, July - August, 1982.
- 6 Invited Speaker, Conference on Modular Representations of Finite Groups, Birmingham University, England, July, 1983.
- 7 Invited speaker, *Recent Applications of Computational Group Theory to Combinatorics*. First Cayley Conference, Birmingham University, England, June 12-16, 1984.
- 8 Presented a series of lectures on *Computational Methods in Algebra and Geometry* at the "Federico Enriques" Mathematical Institute, Mathematics Department, University of Milano, November 22 - December 10, 1984.
- 9 Presented a seminar to the "Istituto Per La Matematica Applicata, Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche", Genova, Italy, on *Random Number Generators From Permutation Groups*, December 6, 1984.
- 10 Presented a seminar to the "University College of Wales, at Aberystwyth" on *Recent Results in Combinatorial Designs*. February 1, 1985.
- 11 Presented a seminar to the Department of Pure Mathematics at the University of Nottingham, on *Simple 6-Designs from Permutation Groups*, February 8, 1985.
- 12 Presented a seminar to the Computer Science Group, University of Nottingham, on *Applications of Logarithmic Signatures of Nonabelian Groups to Cryptography*. February 13, 1985.
- 13 Presented a lecture at the General Mathematics Colloquium, University of Birmingham, on *Cryptography in Transition*, March 13, 1985.
- 14 Presented a seminar to the Mathematics Department of the University of Manchester, on *Applications of Group Theory to Cryptography*, May 7, 1985.
- 15 Presented a seminar to the Computer Science Department, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, N.Y., on *Groups, Designs and Error Correcting Codes*, May 19, 1986.
- 16 Presented a Colloquium to the Mathematics Department at Colorado State University on *Logarithmic Signatures of Finite Groups*. February 3, 1989.

- 17 Presented a Colloquium to the Department of Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI., on *Cryptography and Computational Group Theory*. February 9, 1989.
- 18 Presented two invited talks at US WEST Advanced Technologies, Denver, Colorado, on July 24, 1989, *Cryptography Today*, and *Properties of Cryptosystem PGM*
- 19 Presented a Colloquium on *Cryptology* at the University of Nebraska - Omaha, Nov 18, 1989.
- 20 Official Guest of *Slovenská Vysoká Škola Technická V Bratislave*, May 31 - June 17, 1990. Presented a Colloquium on *Applications of Computational Group Theory*.
- 21 Presented a Colloquium at the *Slovak Academy of Sciences* on *Groups and Resolutions of Combinatorial Designs*.
- 22 Presented a talk at the CC seminar, EE Department, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, October 2, 1990, *Cryptography Today*.
- 23 Presented a Colloquium at the Australian National University, Mathematics Research Section, on *Computational Group Theory and Cryptography*, Canberra, Australia, Dec. 11, 1990.
- 24 Presented a Colloquium at The Wesleyan University, on *Cryptology*, Lincoln, Nebraska, November 13, 1991.
- 25 Presented a Colloquium at The Michigan Technological University, on *Cryptography Today*, Houghton, Michigan, March 25, 1992.
- 26 Colloquium at *The Institute for Experimental Mathematics* - University of Essen, on *Cryptography*, Essen, October 21, 1992.
- 27 Colloquium at the *Mathematics Department* - University of Heidelberg, Germany, on *a New Public Key Cryptosystem from Permutation Groups*, Heidelberg, November October 21, 1992.
- 28 A series of three talks at the *Combinatorics & Optimization* Department, University of Waterloo, on *Designs from their automorphism groups*, Waterloo, Canada, Jan. 19, 26 and Feb 2, 1993.
- 29 Colloquium at the *Mathematics Department* - State University of New York - College at Oswego, on *Cryptology - From Prehistory to Modern Times*, Oswego, N.Y., February 10, 1993.
- 30 Colloquium at the *Mathematics and CS* Departments, McMaster University, *Logarithmic signatures of finite groups and cryptosystem PGM*, Hamilton, Canada, March 10, 1993.
- 31 Colloquium at the *Computer Science*, University of Toronto, *Tame logarithmic signatures beget wild ones* Toronto, Canada, March 22, 1993.
- 32 Colloquium at the *Mathematics & Computer Science Departments*, Michigan Technical University, *Trap-door, one-way functions from factorization bases in finite groups*. Houghton, Mich., May 6, 1993.
- 33 Colloquium at *The Institute for Experimental Mathematics* - University of Essen, on *Public Key Cryptography from Groups*, Essen, June 23, 1993.
- 34 Colloquium at *RWTH, University of Aachen, Lehrstuhl D für Mathematik* Aachen, Germany - on *Cryptography from factorizations in non solvable groups*, May 3, 1996.
- 35 Colloquium at *The Institute for Experimental Mathematics* - University of Essen, on *Using Treecodes in Lossless image compression*, May 14, 1996.

- 36 Colloquium at *Discrete and Statistical Sciences* - University of Auburn, on *Large Sets of  $t$ -Designs*, Auburn, October 24, 1996.
- 37 Invited talk at the IEEE Computer Society, Nebraska Chapter Section meeting, *Optimal Codes for Lossless Image Compression*, November, 21, 1996.
- 38 Colloquium at the University of Nebraska - Omaha, Computer Science Department, on *Codes in Lossless Image Compression*, March 18, 1997.
- 39 Colloquium at the University of Rome ("La Sapienza"), Mathematics Department, on *Secret- and Public key Cryptography based on Groups*, February 24, 2000.
- 40 Colloquium at the University of Bayreuth (Germany), Mathematics & Computer Science Department, *Intractibility of certain group factorizations and two new public-key cryptosystems*, April 6, 2000.
- 41 Colloquium at the *Technical Slovak University*, Bratislava, Slovakia, *One-way, trap door functions from group factorizations*, April 17, 2000.
- 42 Colloquium at the *University of Western Australia*, Perth, Australia, *Secret- and public-key cryptosystems from covers of Finite Groups*, May 24, 2000.
- 43 Colloquium at *The Institute for Experimental Mathematics* - University of Essen, on *New Results in Groups and Cryptography*, June 11, 2001.
- 44 CCIS Colloquium at *Florida Atlantic University*, on *Non-abelian cryptography*, March 22, 2012.
- 45 Colloquium at *The Institute for Quantum Computing* - University of Waterloo, Canada, *Group-theoretic cryptography*, a post-quantum alternative. May 13, 2013.

#### CONFERENCE PAPERS, ADVANCED INSTITUTES

- 1. *On Weak Equivalence of Transitive Permutation Representations of Finite Groups*, National AMS meeting, Miami, Fla., 1964.
- 2. Finite Group Theory Institute, University of Michigan, summer, 1968.
- 3. NATO Summer Research Institute on Finite Groups, Oxford University, summer, 1969 (invitation).
- 4. Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, Conference on Finite Geometries, April, 1970 (invitation).
- 5. *The Maximal Subgroups of the Higman-Sims Simple Group*, AMS meeting, University of Illinois, Urbana, November, 1970.
- 6. National AMS meeting, Atlantic City, NJ, January, 1971.
- 7. Algebra Symposium, Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada, November, 1971 (invitation).
- 8. Gainesville Conference on Finite Groups, Gainesville, Fla., March, 1972.
- 9. Linear Groups Conference at East Lansing, Michigan, March, 1973 (invitation).



10. *On Methods of Determining Subgroup Structures of Finite Groups*, Galway Conference on Finite Groups and computation, Galway, Ireland, summer, 1973 (invitation).
11. NATO Institute on Combinatorics, Nijenrode Castle, Breukelen, The Netherlands, July, 1974 (invitation).
12. *The Non-existence of Rank-3 Transitive Extensions of the Higman-Sims Simple Group*, Park City Conference on Finite Groups, Park City, Utah, February, 1975.
13. ACM Symposium on Symbolic and Algebraic Computation, Yorktown Heights, N.Y., August, 1976 (participant & reviewer).
14. International Symposium on Information Theory, Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., October, 1977 (invitation).
15. *Tiling the Power Set with Projective Planes*, Symposium on Combinatorics, New York Academy of Science, New York, N.Y., Spring, 1978.
16. International Conference on Optimization and Combinatorial Designs, Fort Collins, Co., June, 1978, (session chairman).
17. *t-Designs from the Mathieu Groups*, Nebraska Academy of Sciences, MAA regional meeting at Wesleyan University, April, 1979.
18. *t-Designs from the large Mathieu Groups*, Part II (contributed Paper), Tenth Southeast Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., April, 1979.
19. Conference on Geometry and Groups, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, March, 1980 (invitation).
20. *Some New Combinatorial Designs of Room-type*, Nebraska Academy of Sciences MAA regional meeting at Doane College, Crete, Nebraska, April, 1980.
21. *Coherent Room Rectangles from Permutation Groups* (contributed paper), Eleventh Southeast Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., March, 1980.
22. *A New Cryptosystem from Permutation Groups* (contributed paper), Twelfth Southeast Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing, LSU, Baton Rouge, La., March, 1981.
23. *Some New 5-designs from Permutation Groups* (contributed paper), Thirteenth Southeast Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., February, 1982.
24. *Six Designs Exist !*, London Mathematical Society, Symposium on Computational Group Theory, Durham University, England, July - August, 1982. (invitation).
25. *Exceptional t-Designs*, Nebraska Academy of Sciences MAA regional meeting, University of Nebraska - Omaha, January, 1983.
26. *Simple 6-(33,8,36) Designs from PGL(2,32)*, Fourteenth Southeast Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida, February, 1983.
27. Conference on Modular Representations of Finite Groups, Birmingham University, England, July, 1983 (invitation)

28. *The Status of Constructions of New Simple  $t$ -Designs at the University of Nebraska Lincoln*, Fifteenth Southeast Conference on Combinatorics Graph Theory and Computing, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, 1984.
29. *Invited speaker* - First Cayley Conference, Birmingham University, Birmingham, England, June 12-16, 1984, *Recent Applications of Computational Group Theory to Combinatorics*.
30. EUROCAL '85, European Conference on Symbolic and Algebraic Computation, J. Kepler University, Linz, Austria, Spring 1985.
31. Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, Finite Geometries Conference, May 26 - June 1, 1985. *New Infinite Families of Simple 5-Designs*, (invitation).
32. *Invited speaker*, Working Conference on Aspects of Formulation and Design - Computational Group Theory, *A Knowledge Base System for Finite Groups and their Geometries*, University of Birmingham - England, June 26-28, 1985.
33. International Conference *Groups - St. Andrews 1985*, sponsored by the London Mathematical Society and the Edinburgh Mathematical Society at the University of Andrews, Scotland; July 27 - August 3, 1985, (invitation).
34. Seventeenth Southeastern International Conference on Combinatorics Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., February, 1986.
35. *Panelist*, AMS - University of South Dakota meeting, Vermilion, *Discrete Structures*. April 11-12, 1986.
36. International Conference on Finite Geometry and Combinatorics, Deinze, Belgium, June 1 - 7, 1986, *Does Primitivity on Lines imply Primitivity on Points?* (invitation).
37. 29th Midwest Symposium on Circuits and Systems, August 11 - 12, 1986. Coauthored two papers, presented one. (Coding Theory session chair)
38. Eighteenth Southeastern International Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Fla., February, 1987. *The Number of Classes Under Permutation Equivalence of  $q$ -valued  $n \times m$  Incidence Matrices*
39. First Vermont Summer Workshop on Combinatorics, June 17-20, 1987, *The Possibility of a New Infinite Family of Room Rectangles*, (invitation).
40. *Organizer*, AMS Special Session on *Finite Geometries and Combinatorial Designs*, Lincoln, Nebraska, October 1987.
41. *Invited speaker*, XXth Ohio State - Denison Mathematics Conference, February 25-27, 1988, Granville, Ohio, *The Steiner Systems  $S(2,4,25)$  with Nontrivial Automorphism Group*.
42. Design Theory Conference, Auburn University, March 21-25, 1988, (invitation.)
43. Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, Computational Group Theory, May 21 - 25, 1988. *On Leavitt's Algorithm for large knapsacks*. (invitation.)
44. Combinatorics '88, International Conference on Incidence Geometries and Combinatorial Structures, Ravello, Italy, May 23 - 28, 1988. Co-authored two papers, presented one : *On certain Steiner Systems with automorphisms*, (invitation.)
45. Crypto '88, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, California, August 21-25, 1988, Rump Session. *Properties of a cryptosystem based on logarithmic signatures of permutation groups*.

46. *Invited speaker*, National AMS meeting in Phoenix Arizona, Jan. 1989, in the Special Session on Computational Group Theory, presented a paper on *Cryptographic Applications of Computational Group Theory*.
47. Twentieth Southeastern International Conference on Combinatorics Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., February, 1989, (session chair,) *The Linear Complexity Profile of Cryptosystem PGM*.
48. *Invited speaker*, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on *Codes and Designs*, Loyolla University, Chicago, Ill. May 19-20, 1989, presented a paper on *Possible Automorphism Groups of an  $S(3,5,26)$* .
49. Third Vermont Summer Workshop on Combinatorics and Graph Theory, Stow, Vermont, June 13-19, 1989, presented a paper on *On the Steiner Systems  $S(3,5,26)$* , (invitation.)
50. Crypto '89, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, August 20-24, 1989, presented paper on *Properties of Cryptosystem PGM*.
51. *Invited speaker*, talk on *Algebraic Cryptosystems*, Third Auburn Combinatorics Conference, March 21-24, 1990.
52. *Invited speaker*, American Mathematical Society, Regional meeting #855 - Manhattan, Kansas, Special Session on *Groups and Geometries*, March 16 - 17, 1990. Talk on *Orthogonal Resolutions of Combinatorial Designs*.
53. Combinatorics '90, Gaeta - Italy, May 20 - 27 1990, Presented a paper on *Large Sets of  $t$ -designs*.
54. Participated in the *Fourth Czechoslovak Symposium on Combinatorics* at Prahatic, Czechoslovakia - June 10 - 16, 1990.
55. Crypto '90, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, August 11-15, 1990.
56. *Invited speaker*, Fifth Carbondale Combinatorics Conference, Southern Illinois University - Carbondale, November 1-3, 1990, *Resolutions of  $t$ -designs*.
57. Sixteenth Australasian Conference on Combinatorial Mathematics and Combinatorial Computing, Talk on *Large sets of  $t - (v, k, \lambda)$  designs*. Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand, December 3-7, 1990.
58. Design Theory Conference, Auburn University, March 19-23, 1991.
59. Third Vermont Conference on Combinatorics, talk: *On automorphisms of an  $S(3,5,26)$* ; Stow, Vermont, June 25-30, 1991, (invitation.)
60. Crypto '91, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, August 11-15, 1991, was elected *General Chair* for Crypto '92.
61. *Invited speaker*, 21st Annual Manitoba Conference on Numerical Mathematics and Computing, October 3-5, 1991.
62. *Organizer*, 6MC<sup>4</sup> :*Sixth Midwestern Conference on Combinatorics, Cryptography and Computing*, held at The University of Nebraska – Lincoln, on October 31 – November 2, 1991.
63. Twenty third Southeastern International Conference on Combinatorics Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Fla., February 3 – 7, 1992, (session chair.)

64. General Chair: Crypto '92, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, August 16-20, 1992.
65. Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, Combinatorics, November 1 - 7, 1992. *New infinite families of large sets of t-designs*, (invitation).
66. Twenty fourth Southeastern International Conference on Combinatorics Graph Theory and Computing, Florida Atlantic University, *Tree-codes in Lossless Image compression*, Boca Raton, Fla., February 22 - 26, 1993, (session chair.)
67. International Conference on Group Theory, *Logarithmic signatures and factorization in Finite Groups* Spetses, Greece, July 13-23, 1993.
68. Crypto '93, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, August 16-20, 1993, (session chair).
69. Eight Midwestern Conference in *Combinatorics, Cryptography & Computing*, Wichita, Kansas, October 20-23, 1993. paper: *Maximum order complexity in DNA*, (session chair.)
70. Fifth Auburn Combinatorics Conference, Auburn University, March 23 - 26, 1994.
71. Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, Combinatorics, April 16 - 23, 1994, conference on *Codes & Designs*, paper: *Block transitive resolutions of t-designs and Room rectangles*, (invitation).
72. Vermont Summer Workshop in Combinatorics, June 14-20, 1994, Univ. of Vermont, Burlington, VT. (invitation).
73. *Invited speaker*, Second Upper-Michigan Combinatorics Workshop on *Codes, Designs, and Geometries*, Michigan Technological University, Houghton, Michigan, August 17-20, 1994.
74. Crypto '94, The annual conference of the International Association for Cryptographic Research, UC Santa Barbara, August 21-25, 1994, paper: *A parallel Permutation Multiplier for a PGM Crypto-chip*, with Tamás Horváth & Tran van Trung,
75. *Organizer*, 9MC<sup>4</sup> :*Ninth Midwestern Conference on Combinatorics, Cryptography and Computing*, held at The University of Nebraska - Lincoln, on October 20-22, 1994.
76. Sixth Auburn Combinatorics Conference, Auburn University, March 23 - 25, 1995, (invitation).
77. DIMACS workshop on Groups and Computation, June 7-10, 1995 *A Cryptosystem Based on Permutation Groups*, (invitation).
78. 25th Manitoba Conference on Combinatorial Mathematics and Computing, September 29 - October 1, 1995, (invitation.)
79. Session chair, 10MC<sup>4</sup> :*Tenth Midwestern Conference on Combinatorics, Cryptography and Computing*, held at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL. on October 18 - 21, 1995.
80. Seventh Auburn Combinatorics Conference, Auburn University, March 20 - 24, 1996.
81. *Principal Organizer* of the *First Pythagorean Conference* An International Research Conference in *Geometry, Combinatorial Designs and Applications* to be held on the island of Spetses, Greece on June 1-7, 1996. The workshop is co-sponsored by several international Institutions.
82. Data Compression Conference, Snowbird, Utah, March 25 - 27, 1997. *A lexical permutation sorting algorithm*, with Z. Arnavut.
83. Eighth Auburn Combinatorics Conference, Auburn University, March 27 - 30, 1997.

84. *Crypto/Codes 1997*, May 31 - June 4, 1997, Lincoln, Nebraska. Principal conference organizer. An event sponsored by the Discrete and Exp. Math. AOS, UNL, and affiliate (CSE, Math-Stats, EE.) Departments.
85. Keynote speaker at the Twelveth Midwestern Conference on Combinatorics, Cryptography and Computing, *On large sets of t-designs*. Indiana State University, Terre Haute, Ind., October 29 - Nov. 2, 1997.
86. Combinatorics '98, Palermo - Italy, *Semiregular Large Sets of t-designs*, June 15 - 20 1998.
87. *Invited speaker*, IMA Workshop on *Coding, Cryptography and Designs*, Institute of Mathematics and its Applications, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, July 6 - 18, 1998.
88. *Principal Organizer* of the *Second Pythagorean Conference* An International Research Conference in *Geometry, Combinatorial Designs and Applications* held at Pythagoreion, Samos, Greece on May 31-June 5, 1999. The workshop was co-sponsored by several international Institutions.
89. *Plenary Speaker*, Regional Conference in the Mathematical Sciences, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, *Groups in Cryptology*, October 27, 2000
90. *Plenary Speaker*, TatraCrypt'01, Liptovsky Jan, Slovakia "The Central European Conference in Cryptography", June 21-23, 2001.
91. *Plenary Speaker*, NSF - EPSCoR Conference, *Diversity of Informatics*, Session on Computer and Information Security, *Towards New Public Key Cryptosystems*, Lincoln, Nebraska, April 4-5, 2002
92. *Invited Speaker*, "Group theoretic cryptography", Canadian Mathematical Society, Summer Meeting 2002, *Université Laval*, Quebec City, June 15-17, 2002, *Session on Cryptology*,
93. *Invited Speaker*, "Non-solvable groups in cryptography", HajduCrypt '02, Second Central European Conference on Cryptology, Debrecen, Hungary, July 4-6, 2002.
94. *Plenary Speaker*, "Trap doors from subgroup chains and recombinant bilateral transversals", VII Spanish Meeting on Cryptology & Information Security , Oviedo, Asturias, Spain, 5-7 September, 2002.
95. *First Irsee Conference*, Finite Geometries, Irsee, Germany, Feb 16-21, 2003.
96. *Plenary Speaker*, "Something Euler Might Have Liked", 34<sup>th</sup> *Southeastern Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing*, Boca Raton, Florida; March 7, 2003.
97. Principal Organizer, Third Pythagorean Conference, *Geometry, Combinatorial Designs and Cryptology*. Faliraki, Rhodes, Greece, June 1-7, 2003
98. *Plenary Speaker*, "Cryptographic Primitives Based on Groups of Hidden Order", TatraCrypt 2003, "The Third Central European Conference on Cryptology", Bratislava, Slovakia, June 26-28, 2003.
99. *Program Committee Member*, WartaCrypt '04, "The Fourth Central European Conference on Cryptology", Bedlewo, Poland, July 1-3, 2004.
100. *Plenary Speaker*, "Group theoretic methods in the construction of large sets of t-designs", Algebraic Combinatorics & Applications (ALCOMA '05), *Designs and Codes*, April 3-10, 2005, Thurnau, Germany.

101. *Program Committee Member*, MoraviaCrypt '05, "The Fifth Central European Conference on Cryptology", Brno, Czech Republic, June 15-17, 2005.
102. *Plenary Speaker*, "Ten Lectures in Cryptology, Groups and Geometry", *Summer School on Combinatorial Geometries "Giuseppe Tallini"*, Potenza - Italy, September 5-9, 2005.
103. *Program Committee Member*, NyirCrypt '06, "The Sixth Central European Conference on Cryptology", Nyiregyhaza, Hungary, June 15-17, 2006.
104. *Invited Speaker*, "New Approaches to Designing Public Key Cryptosystems Based on Finite Groups", 2006 SIAM Discrete Math. MS32, *Cryptography & Security* Victoria, Canada, June 28, 2006.
105. *Plenary Speaker*, "Group Theoretic Cryptography", TatraCrypt '07, The Seventh Central European Conference on Cryptography, Smolenice Castle, Slovakia, June 22-24, 2007.
106. *Plenary Speaker*, "Large sets of t-designs and orthogonality", Conference on Combinatorial Designs (in honor of Alex Rosa's 70th birthday), Bratislava, Slovakia, July 2-6, 2007.
107. *Participant - First Istanbul Design Theory and Combinatorics Conference*, In honor of Curt Lindner's 70<sup>th</sup> birthday. Koç University, Istanbul, June 15 -21, 2008.
108. *Plenary Speaker*, "Orthogonal resolutions of t-designs", *Combinatorics 2008*. International conference on pure and applied combinatorics and its connection with Geometry, Graph Theory and Algebra. Costermano, Lake Garda (VR), Italy, June 22 - 28, 2008.
109. *Plenary Speaker*, "Group factorizations and non-abelian discrete logarithms", *8<sup>th</sup> Central European Conference on Cryptography CECC*. Institut für Mathematik; Institut für Angewandte Informationsverarbeitung und Kommunikationstechnologie, TU, Graz, Austria, July 2 - 4, 2008.
110. *Plenary Speaker*, "Non-abelian discrete logarithms and minimal logarithmic signatures", *22<sup>nd</sup> Midwest Conference on Combinatorics, Cryptography and Computing*, UNLV, Las Vegas, Nevada, October 22 - 24, 2008.
111. *Participant*, *NormFest 2009*, International Conference on Finite Geometry to honor Norman L. Johnson, University of Texas, San Antonio, March 26-29, 2009.
112. *Participant - CDFG 2009*: "Cryptology, Designs, and Finite Groups 2009" Conference. In honor of Spyros Magliveras' 70<sup>th</sup> birthday. Dearfield Beach, Florida, May 17-22, 2009.
113. *Participant*, *CCA 2009* : "Combinatorial Configurations and their Applications 2009", Michigan Technical University, Houghton, Michigan, August 6-8, 2009.
114. *Plenary Speaker*, *MJdR* "A Conference in honor of Prof. Marialuisa J. de Resmini", Università di Roma, *La Sapienza*, Rome, Italy, September 23-25, 2009.
115. *Plenary Speaker*, *LaueFest*, "A Conference in honor of Professor Dr. Reinhard Laue", Universität Bayreuth, Bayreuth, Germany, January 30, 2010.
116. *Principal Organizer* of the *Fourth Pythagorean Conference* An Advanced Research Workshop in *Geometry, Combinatorial Designs and Cryptology* held in Corfu, Greece on May 30-June 4, 2010.
117. *Plenary Speaker*, at the "NATO Advanced Study Institute", Opatija, Croatia, June 7-11, 2010.
118. *Invited Speaker*, at the *Centre de Recherches Mathématiques (CRM)*, "Workshop on Complexity and Group-based Cryptography", August 30-September 3, 2010  
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119. *General Chair and Principal Organizer of ISC 2010 : The 13<sup>th</sup> Information Security Conference*, Annual International Conference on all aspects of Information Security and Applied Cryptology, Boca Raton, Florida , October 25-28 , 2010. ( <http://math.fau.edu/~isc2010/>)
120. *Plenary Speaker*, at the “Second Istanbul Design Theory, Graph Theory and Combinatorics Conference”, *Resolutions of t-designs, orthogonality and group-theoretic constructions*, Istanbul, Turkey, June 27–July 1, 2011.
121. *Participant*, 43<sup>rd</sup> *Southeastern Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing*, Boca Raton, Florida, March 5-9, 2012.
122. *Plenary Speaker*, at “Trung-Fest”, workshop in honor of Prof. Tran van Trung, on *Groups, Designs and Cryptography* at the Institute for Experimental Mathematics, University of Duisburg-Essen, June 21-22, 2012.
123. *Program Committee member, Participant and session Chair*, TatraCrypt 2012 - the 12th Central European Conference on Cryptology , July 2-4, 2012, Smolenice, Slovakia.
124. *Participant*, 44<sup>rd</sup> *Southeastern Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory and Computing*, Boca Raton, Florida, March 4-8, 2013.
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