# Sevan Goenezen, PhD

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EXPERTISE AREA

I have +17 years of experience in computational mechanics using nonlinear finite element analysis (FEA). I have been using FEA to perform stress analysis of aero-engine parts, solve inverse problems in elasticity, compute the stress response in animal tissues, and compute the piezoelectric response. During my PhD program, I have written nonlinear FEA programs from scratch using Fortran 90. Furthermore, as a postdoctoral researcher, I extensively used the commercial software ADINA by Dr. Bathe. I also used the FEA program MSC Patran during an internship at MTU Aero Engines North America. Overall, I have a strong background in stress calculations using FEA and closed form solutions. I have taught the courses Mechanics of Materials, Solid Mechanics in Design, and Theory of Elasticity that involve stress calculations. Finally, I have also experience in CFD and FSI simulations using ADINA.

**EDUCATION** 

### Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York USA

Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering

May 2011

• Dissertation Topic: "Inverse problems in finite elasticity: An application to imaging the nonlinear elastic properties of soft tissues"

Rheinisch-Westfaelische Technische Hochschule Aachen, Aachen, Germany

B.S./M.S. (5 years) in Mechanical/Aero Engineering

December 2006

Professional Experience Lecturer

August 2023 - current

Texas State University, Ingram School of Engineering, San Marcos, Texas

Associate Professor, Adjunct

August 2022 - May 2023

Texas Lutheran University, Math, Computer Science, and Information, Seguin, Texas

Engineering Consultant

July 2020 - June 2023

Engineering Solutions and Quality Products, LLC, San Marcos, Texas

Assistant Professor

August 2013 - June 2020

Texas A&M University, Mechanical Engineering, College Station, Texas

Postdoctoral Researcher

August 2011 - July 2013

Oregon Health & Science University, Biomedical Engineering, Portland, Oregon

Graduate Research Assistant

January 2007 - May 2011

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Mechanical Engineering, Troy, New York

#### Internship

MTU AENA (Aero Engines North America), Rocky Hill/Newington, CT

Engineering Office

April 2005 - September 2005

- Performed finite element simulations of turbine blades using MSC PATRAN.
- Used GEOMAGIC QUALIFY and GEOMAGIC STUDIO to process the three dimensional geometry of scanned hardware.
- Wrote FORTRAN programs to filter and post process data from a large database.

# Honors and Awards

- Office of Naval Research, Summer Faculty Fellowship 2016 at U.S. Naval Research Lab, Washington DC.
- Haythornthwaite Research Initiation Grant Award 2014 via ASME Applied Mechanics Division.
- Lemelson-MIT-Rensselaer Student Prize Finalist 2011. https://www.eurekalert.org/news-releases/657415
- Best Presentation Award 2010/2011 (third place), Graduate Research Forum at RPI.
- Award winning for mentoring high school students at EurekaFestival and Museum of Sciences "Wind Turbine Contest" and setting new record time, 2011.

According to google scholar as of date 06/2021, the total number of citations is 874, the h-index is 15, and the i10-index is 22.

Publications with students are indicated with the superscript \* in the following lists.

# PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- 1. **S. Goenezen**, M. C. Kotecha, J. N. Reddy, "Identification of the 3D crystal-lographic orientation using 2D deformations," *The Journal of Strain Analysis for Engineering Design*, **57** 6, 2022.
- 2. N. Zarei, S. A. Anvar, **S. Goenezen**, "Subjective approach to optimal cross-sectional design of biodegradable magnesium alloy stent undergoing heterogeneous corrosion," *Acta Polytechnica*, **61** 5, 2021.
- 3. Y. Mei, J. Deng, X. Guo, **S. Goenezen**, S. Avril, "Introducing regularization into the virtual fields method (VFM) to identify nonhomogeneous elastic property distributions," *Computational Mechanics*, **67** 6, 2021.
- 4. **S. Goenezen**, B. J. Kim\*, M. Kotecha\*, P. Luo, M. R. Hematiyan, "Mechanics Based Tomography (MBT): Validation using experimental data," *Journal of the Mechanics and Physics of Solids*, **146**, 2021.
- 5. M. Hajhashemkhani\*, M. R. Hematiyan, E. Khosrowpour, S. Goenezen, "A novel method for the identification of the unloaded configuration of a deformed hyperelastic body," *Inverse Problems in Science and Engineering*, 28 10, 2020.

- 6. Y. Mei\*, S. Goenezen, "Quantifying the anisotropic linear elastic behavior of solids," *International Journal of Mechanical Sciences*, **163**, 2019.
- 7. M. Hajhashemkhani\*, M. R. Hematiyan, **S. Goenezen**, "Identification of hyperviscoelastic material parameters of a soft member connected to another unidentified member by applying a dynamic load," *International Journal of Solids and Structures*, **165**, 2019.
- 8. M. Hajhashemkhani\*, M. R. Hematiyan, **S. Goenezen**, "Inverse determination of elastic constants of a hyper-elastic member with inclusions using simple displacement/length measurements," *The Journal of Strain Analysis for Engineering Design*, **53** 7, 2018.
- 9. P. Luo, Y. Mei\*, M. Kotecha\*, A. Abbasszadehrad, S. Rabke\*, G. Garner, **S. Goenezen**, "Characterization of the stiffness distribution in 2D and 3D using boundary deformations A preliminary study," *MRS Communications*, **8** 3, 2018.
- 10. Y. Mei\*, B. Stover\*, N. A. Kazerooni, A. Srinivasa, M. Hajashemkhani, M. R. Hematiyan, **S. Goenezen**, "A comparative study of two constitutive models within an inverse approach to determine the spatial stiffness distribution in soft materials," *International Journal of Mechanical Sciences*, **140**, 2018.
- M. Hajhashemkhani, M. R. Hematiyan, S. Goenezen, "Identification of material parameters of a hyper-elastic body with unknown boundary conditions," *Journal of Applied Mechanics*, 85 5, 2018.
- 12. Y. Mei\* and S. Goenezen, "Mapping the viscoelastic behavior of soft solids from time harmonic motion," *Journal of Applied Mechanics*, **85** 4, 2018.
- 13. S. Sridhar\*, Y. Mei\*, **S. Goenezen**, "Improving the sensitivity to map non-linear parameters for hyperelastic problems," *Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering*, **331**, 2018.
- 14. Y. Mei\*, S. Wang\*, X. Shen\*, S. Rabke\*, **S. Goenezen**, "Mechanics based tomography: A preliminary feasibility study," *Sensors*, Invited Article for Special Issue *Force and Pressure Based Sensing Medical Application*, **17** 5, 2017.
- 15. Y. Mei\*, M. Tajderi\*, **S. Goenezen**, "Regularizing biomechanical maps for partially known material properties," *International Journal of Applied Mechanics*, **09**, 2017.
- 16. Y. Mei\*, R. Fulmer\*, V. Raja\*, S. Wang\*, **S. Goenezen**, "Estimating the non-homogeneous elastic modulus distribution from surface deformations," *International Journal of Solids and Structures*, **83**, 2016.
- 17. S. Goenezen, V.K. Chivukula, M. Midgett, L. Phan, S. Rugonyi, "4D Subject-specific inverse modeling of the chick embryonic heart outflow tract hemodynamics," *Biomechanics and Modeling in Mechanobiology*, **15** 3, 2016.
- 18. V.K. Chivukula, **S. Goenezen**, A. Liu, S. Rugonyi, "Effect of outflow tract banding on embryonic cardiac hemodynamics," *Journal of Cardiovascular De-*

- velopment and Disease, Special Issue: Development and Function of the Cardiac Conduction System in Health and Disease, 3 1, 2015.
- 19. Y. Mei\*, S. Kuznetsov, and **S. Goenezen**, "Reduced boundary sensitivity and improved contrast of the regularized inverse problem solution in elasticity," *Journal of Applied Mechanics*, **83** 3, 2015.
- 20. M. Tyagi, **S. Goenezen**, P. E. Barbone, A. A. Oberai, "Algorithms for quantitative quasi-static elasticity imaging using force data," *International Journal for Numerical Methods in Biomedical Engineering*, **30** 12, 2014.
- 21. J.E. Zelaya, **S. Goenezen**, A.F. Azarbal, and S. Rugonyi, "Improving the efficiency of abdominal aortic aneurysm wall stress computations," *Public Library of Sciences (PLOS) ONE*, **9** 7, 2014.
- 22. M. Midgett, **S. Goenezen**, S. Rugonyi, "Blood flow dynamics reflect degree of outflow tract banding in Hamburger-Hamilton stage 18 chicken embryos," *Journal of the Royal Society Interface*, **11** 100, 2014.
- 23. L. Shi, S. Goenezen, S. Haller, M. Hinds, K.L. Thornburg, S. Rugonyi, "Alterations in pulse wave propagation reflect the degree of outflow tract banding in HH18 chicken embryos," *American Journal of Physiology Heart and Circulatory Physiology*, 1522-1539, 2013.
- 24. **S. Goenezen**, M. Rennie, S. Rugonyi, "Biomechanics of early cardiac development," *Biomechanics and Modeling in Mechanobiology*, special issue devoted to the theme *Mechanics of Development*, **11** 8, 1187-1204, 2012.
- 25. **S. Goenezen**, J. F. Dord, Z. Sink, P. E. Barbone, J. Jiang, T. J. Hall, and A. A. Oberai, "Linear and nonlinear elastic modulus imaging: An application to breast cancer diagnosis," *Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers* (*IEEE*) Transactions on Medical Imaging, **31** 8, 1628-37, 2012.
- 26. **S. Goenezen**, A. A. Oberai, P. E. Barbone, "Solution of the nonlinear elasticity imaging inverse problem: the incompressible case," *Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering*, **200** 13-16, 1406-1420, 2011.
- 27. T. J. Hall, P. E. Barbone, A. A. Oberai, J. Jiang, J. F. Dord, **S. Goenezen**, and T. G. Fisher, "Recent results in nonlinear strain and modulus imaging," *Current Medical Imaging Reviews*, **7** 313-327, 2011.
- 28. A. A. Oberai, N. H. Gokhale, **S. Goenezen**, P. E. Barbone, T. J. Hall, A. M. Sommer, and J. Jiang, "Linear and nonlinear elasticity imaging of soft tissue *in vivo*: demonstration of feasibilty," *Physics in Medicine and Biology*, **54** 1191-1207, 2009.

# PEER REVIEWED BOOK CHAPTERS

 J. F. Dord, S. Goenezen, A. A. Oberai, P. E. Barbone, J. Jiang, T. J. Hall, T. Pavan, "Validation of quantitative linear and nonlinear compression elastography," *Ultrasound Elastography for Biomedical Applications and Medicine*, I. Nenadic, M.W. Urban, J.F. Greenleaf, J. Gennisson, M. Bernal, M. Tanter, Wiley 2018.

- 2. Y. Mei\*, and S. Goenezen, "Spatially weighted objective function to solve the inverse problem in elasticity for the elastic property distribution," Computational Biomechanics for Medicine: New Approaches and New Applications (6th ed), Editors: Doyle, B.J., K. Miller, A. Wittek and P.M.F. Nielson, Springer NY, 2015. ISBN:978-3-319-15502-9.
- 3. P.E. Barbone, A.A. Oberai, J.C. Bamber, G.P. Berry, J-F Dord, E.R. Ferreira, **S. Goenezen**, and T.J. Hall, "Nonlinear and poroelastic biomechanical imaging: elastography beyond Young's modulus," *CRC Handbook of Imaging in Biological Mechanics, CRC Press and Taylor & Francis*, Editors: Corey Neu and Guy Genin, October 2014.

# PEER REVIEWED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS ARTICLES

- 1. S. Goenezen, P. Luo, B. J. Kim, M. Kotecha, Y. Mei, "Mechanics based tomography using camera images," *International Conference on Biomechanics and Medical Engineering (ICBME 2019)*, vol. 16, San Diego, CA, 2019.
- 2. Y. Mei\*, S. Wang\*, S. Goenezen, "Identifying the elastic property distribution of soft solids quantitatively from limited known displacements on boundaries: A theoretical study," 5-th International Conference on Computational and Mathematical Biomedical Engineering (CMBE2017), p.648-651 Pittsburgh, PA, 2017.
- 3. Y. Mei\*, and **S. Goenezen**, "Spatially weighted objective function to solve the inverse problem in elasticity for the elastic property distribution," *MICCAI*, Boston, MA, 2014.
- 4. T. J. Hall, A. A. Oberai, P. E. Barbone, A. M. Sommer, N. H. Gokhale, S. Goenezen, J. Jiang, "Elastic nonlinearity imaging," *Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society* 1967-70, 2009.
- 5. P. E. Barbone, C. E. Rivas, I. Harari, U. Albocher, A. A. Oberai, **S. Goenezen**, "Adjoint-weighted variational formulation for the direct solution of plane stress inverse elasticity problems," *Journal of Physics: Conference Series* **135** 012012, 2008.

# OTHER CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS ARTICLES

- 1. Y. Mei\* and S. Goenezen, "Non-Destructive characterization of heterogeneous solids from limited surface measurements," 24th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Montreal, Canada, August 2016.
- 2. Y. Mei\* and S. Goenezen, "Parameter identification via a modified constrained minimization procedure," 24th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Montreal, Canada, August 2016.
- 3. **S. Goenezen**, Y. Mei\*, "Characterizing the elastic property distribution of soft materials non-destructively," *Society of Engineering Science 51st Annual Technical Meeting*, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, USA, October 2014.

- 4. S. Goenezen, A. A. Oberai, J. F. Dord, J. Sink, P. E. Barbone, "Nonlinear elasticity imaging," *Bioengineering Conference (NEBEC), Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) 37th Annual Northeast*, Troy, NY, 1-2, April 2011.
- 5. T. J. Hall, P. E. Barbone, A. A. Oberai, A. M. Sommer, N. H. Gokhale, S. Goenezen, and J. Jiang, "Imaging the elastic nonlinearity of tissues," *Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) International Ultrasonics Symposium*, New York City, NY, 452-455, 2007.

# Conference Presentations

- 1. **S. Goenezen**, "Utilizing surface displacement fields from a digital image correlation system and inverse algorithms to map the spatial distribution of the shear modulus in 3D," American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE), Pittsburgh, PA, November 2018.
- 2. **S. Goenezen**, "From macroscale to microscale: Inferring 3D model parameter distribution using digital cameras and inverse algorithms," 13th World Congress in Computational Mechanics (WCCM), New York, NY, July 2018.
- 3. **S. Goenezen**, "Non-destructive characterization of soft solids using a digital image correlation system and inverse algorithms," *American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE)*, Tampa, Florida, November 2017.
- 4. **S. Goenezen**, "Monitoring the stiffness distribution of engineered tissues: A preliminary study," *Materials Research Society*, Boston, MA, December 2017.
- 5. **S. Goenezen**, "Non-Destructive characterization of heterogeneous solids from limited surface measurements," 24th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Montreal, Canada, August 2016.
- 6. **S. Goenezen**, "Elastography utilizing material nonlinearity and measured surface data," ASME 2015 International Mechanical Engineering Congress & Exposition, Houston, TX, November 2015.
- 7. **S. Goenezen**, S. Rugonyi, V. Chivukula, and M. Midgett, "Subject specific inverse modeling of the embryonic chick heart hemodynamics," *American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) 2015 International Mechanical Engineering Congress & Exposition (IMECE)*, Houston, TX, November 2015.
- 8. **S. Goenezen**, "Estimating the non-homogeneous elastic modulus distribution from surface deformations," *Society of Engineering Science (SES)*, 52nd Annual Technical Meeting, College Station, TX, October 2015.
- 9. **S. Goenezen**, S. Rugonyi, J. Zelaya, A. Azarbal, P. Dargon, "Wall stress computations in abdominal aortic aneurysms: a clinically feasible approach," *13th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics*, San Diego, CA, July 2015.

- 10. **S. Goenezen**, S. Rugonyi, J. Zelaya, A. Azarbal, P. Dargon, "Efficient computation of wall stresses in abdominal aortic aneurysms," *American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Applied Mechanics and Materials Conference (McMAT)*, Seattle, WA, June 2015.
- 11. **S. Goenezen**, Y. Mei, "Characterizing the elastic property distribution of soft materials non-distructively," 51st Society of Engineering Science (SES) Annual Technical Meeting, West Lafayette, IN, October 2014.
- 12. **S. Goenezen**, Y. Mei, "Spatially weighted objective function to solve the inverse problem in elasticity for the elastic property distribution," *Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Interventions (MICCAI)*, Boston, MA, September 2014.
- 13. **S. Goenezen**, L. Shi, S. Rugonyi, "Pulse wave propagation in the embryonic chick heart" 12th U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics (USNCCM), U.S. Association for Computational Mechanics, Raleigh, NC, July 2013.
- 14. **S. Goenezen**, L. Shi, S. Rugonyi, "Propagation of pulse waves in the embryonic chick heart" *Heart Research Center Retreat, Oregon Health and Science University*, Portland, OR, 2013.
- 15. **S. Goenezen**, A. A. Oberai, J. F. Dord, Z. Sink, P. E. Barbone, "Nonlinear elasticity imaging," 37th Annual Northeast Bioengineering Conference, Troy, NY, 2011.
- 16. **S. Goenezen**, J. F. Dord, P. E. Barbone, A. A. Oberai, "Algorithms for quantitative nonlinear elasticity imaging in three dimensions," *9th International Conference on the Ultrasonic Measurement and Imaging of Tissue Elasticity*, Snowbird, Utah, 2010.
- 17. S. Goenezen, Z. Sink, A. A. Oberai, P. E. Barbone, J. F. Dord, J. Jiang, T. J. Hall, "Breast cancer diagnosis using nonlinear elasticity imaging: some initial results," 9th International Conference on the Ultrasonic Measurement and Imaging of Tissue Elasticity, Poster presentation, Snowbird, Utah, 2010.
- 18. **S. Goenezen**, A. A. Oberai, P. E. Barbone, "Nonlinear elasticity imaging for incompressible solids," 10th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Columbus, Ohio, 2009.
- S. Goenezen, A. A. Oberai, P. E. Barbone, "Nonlinear elasticity imaging for incompressible solids," Seventh International Conference on the Ultrasonic Measurement and Imaging of Tissue Elasticity, Austin, Texas, 2008.

#### INVITED TALKS

- 1. "Mapping the interior mechanical property distribution of solids from exterior camera images," *Research Seminar*, MINES Saint-Etienne, Centre for Biomedical and Healthcare Engineering, Saint Etienne, France, March 2019.
- 2. "Characterizing the heterogeneous material properties of solids non-destructively," *Graduate Seminar*, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, May 2016.

- 3. "Non-invasive approaches to determine the material properties of heterogeneous tissues," Society of Engineering Science (SES) 2015 Mechanobiology Symposium, College Station, TX, October 2015.
- 4. "Biomechanical methods to non-invasively detect breast tumors," Baylor Cancer Center, Texas Oncology, Dallas, TX, October 2015.
- 5. "Novel methods in inverse problems to detect diseased tissues," *Graduate Seminar*, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL, March 2015.
- 6. "New directions in solving inverse problems in elasticity to detect diseased tissues," *Biomedical Imaging & Genomic Signal Processing*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, February 2015.
- 7. "Noninvasive material characterization of soft tissues for breast cancer diagnosis," *Breast Committee Site Meeting*, Baylor Health Cancer Center, Dallas, TX June 2014.
- 8. "Sensitivity of boundary conditions to the solution of the regularized inverse problem in finite elasticity," *Inverse Problems Seminar*, Texas A&M University, Department of Mathematics, College Station, TX, March 2014.
- 9. "Imaging the hyperelastic properties of soft tissues in-vivo and non-invasively," *Graduate Seminar*, Texas A&M University, Department of Biomedical Engineering, College Station, TX, January 2014.
- 10. "Novel diagnostic imaging technique utilizing the nonlinear elastic properties of soft tissues," *Graduate Seminar*, Texas A&M University, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College Station, TX, November 2013.
- 11. "Inverse problems in finite elasticity: An application to imaging the nonlinear elastic properties of soft tissues," *ME Seminar*, Baylor University, School of Engineering and Computer Science, Waco, TX, March 2013.
- 12. "Imaging the nonlinear elastic properties of soft tissues from subsurface displacement fields," *Graduate/Undergraduate Seminar*, SUNY University at Buffalo, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department, Buffalo, NY, February 2013.
- 13. "Breast cancer diagnosis using nonlinear elastic modulus imaging," *Physics Journal Club*, Oregon Health & Science University, Department of Oncology, Portland, OR, November 2012.
- 14. "Nonlinear elasticity imaging of soft tissues: An application to breast cancer diagnosis," *Biomedical Engineering (BME) Seminar*, Oregon Health & Science University, Biomedical Engineering Department, Portland, OR, September 2011.
- 15. "Inverse problems in finite elasticity: An application to imaging the nonlinear elastic properties of soft tissues" *ME Seminar*, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE), Department of Mechanical Engineering, Edwardsville, IL, March 2011.

# PRESENTATION BY STUDENTS

- 1. M. Kotecha, **S. Goenezen**, "Characterizing heterogeneous anisotropic material parameter distribution in 2D using Mechanics Based Inverse Problems," *The International Conference for High Performance Computing, Networking, Storage, and Analysis*, Poster Presentation, Denver, CO, November 2019.
- 2. B. Kim, **S. Goenezen**, "Reconstructing 3D heterogeneous mechanical property distributions using surface displacements," *Third Annual Texas A&M Research Computing Symposium* Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, May 2019.
- 3. M. Kotecha, **S. Goenezen**, "On the feasibility of estimating 3D material parameters of transversely isotropic material using plane stress boundary value problems and Digital Image Correlation (DIC)," *Third Annual Texas A&M Research Computing Symposium*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, May 2019.
- 4. M. Kotecha, **S. Goenezen**, "Mapping the stiffness distribution of solids using digital cameras, mechanics based inverse algorithms, and high performance computing," *Second Annual Texas A&M Research Computing Symposium*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, June 2018.
- 5. Y. Mei, P. Luo, **S. Goenezen**, V. Sarin, "Novel Medical Imaging Preliminary Study: Optimization and Parallelization on Ada," *Texas A&M Research Computing Week*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, June 2017.
- 6. Y. Mei, S. Wang, **S. Goenezen**, "Identifying the elastic property distribution of soft solids quantitatively from limited known displacements on boundaries: A theoretical study," 5-th International Conference on Computational and Mathematical Biomedical Engineering CMBE2017, University of Pittsburgh, PA, April 2017.
- 7. S. Wang, Y. Mei, **S. Goenezen**, "Novel breast cancer screening modality: Parameter identification via surface deformations," *Annual MEEN Kick-off, Department of Mechanical Engineering, TAMU*, College Station, TX, poster presentation, September 2016.
- 8. Y. Mei and **S. Goenezen**, "Parameter identification via a modified constrained minimization procedure," 24th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, Montreal, Canada, poster presentation, August 2016.
- 9. Y. Mei and **S. Goenezen**, "Characterizing non-homogeneous elastic properties non-destructively: A boundary sensitivity investigation," 52nd Society of Engineering Science (SES) Technical Meeting, poster presentation, College Station, TX, October 2015.
- 10. S. L. Sridhar and **S. Goenezen**, "Elastic modulus reconstruction of breast tissues to identify tumors" *Society of Engineering Science (SES) 2015 Mechanobiology Symposium*, poster presentation, College Station, TX, October 2015.
- 11. Y. Mei and **S. Goenezen**, "Regularizing the inverse problem to solve the elastic property distribution of vascular tissues," *U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics (USNCCM)*, San Diego, CA, July 2015.

- 12. Y. Mei and **S. Goenezen**, "Novel regularization method to quantify the elastic property distribution of vascular tissues," *American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) McMAT*, Seattle, WA, June 2015.
- 13. Y. Mei and **S. Goenezen**, "Evaluation of a weighted iterative method for elastic modulus imaging," *Student Research Week*, *GSC*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, April 2014.
- 14. Y. Mei and **S. Goenezen**, "Weighted iterative method for elastic modulus imaging," *Mechanical Engineering Day, MEGSO*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, May 2014.
- 15. R. Fulmer, Y. Mei, and S. Goenezen, "Feasibility study to determine the elastic modulus distribution of soft tissues from surface deformations," *Fall Kick Off Event, Mechanical Engineering*, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, September 2014.

#### Grants

Total Awards: \$2,303,928, Pro-rated Awards: \$652,914.

- National Institutes of Health (NIH) RO1, 2020-2024, PI: Ganesh Sankaranarayanan, collaborator: Sevan Goenezen, "Development and Validation of a Virtual Laparoscopic Hiatal Hernia Simulator (VLaHHS)" total: \$1,800,000, pro-rated: \$285,000
- NSF REU Supplement, Summer 2019, PI: Sevan Goenezen, total: \$16,000, prorated: \$16,000.
- National Science Foundation, 2017-2020, PI: Sevan Goenezen, "Multiscale Analysis of Residual Stresses with Novel Non-Destructive Approaches using In-complete Surface Displacement Measurements" total: \$318,928, pro-rated: \$318,928.
- Research Initiation Grant Award sponsored by the Haythornthwaite Foundation and organized by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Applied Mechanics Division, 2014, PI: Sevan Goenezen, total: \$20k, pro-rated: \$20k.
- National Science Foundation, 2014-2016, co-investigator: Sevan Goenezen, total: \$140k, pro-rated: \$8,986.
- TEES Seed Grant, 2014-2016, co-PI: Sevan Goenezen, total: \$5,000, pro-rated: \$0.
- Southeastern Conference (SEC) Visiting Faculty Travel Grant, 2015 total: \$1,700, pro-rated: \$1,700.
- Faculty Workstation Program, 2013, total: \$1,500, pro-rated: \$1,500.
- Travel Award for the 12th U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics (USNCCM12) in Raleigh, NC, 2013, total: \$800.00, pro-rated: \$800.00.

# GRADUATE STUDENTS ADVISING

#### PhD Students Advised:

• Yue Mei, PhD degree in August 2017 (now a tenured Associate Professor at Dalian University of Technology, China).

#### MS Students Advised:

- Xuchen Liu, MS degree in May 2015.
- Michael Holtzclaw, MS degree in August 2016.

- Shankar Sridhar, MS degree in December 2016.
- Keeley Coburn, MS degree in August 2018.
- Benjamin Stover, MS degree in August 2020.

# AWARDS FOR MY STUDENTS

- Travel Award, \$2,000 for Yue Mei, College of Engineering, TAMU, 2015.
- Summer Scholarship \$3,000 for Ryan Porter Fulmer, Department of Mechanical Engineering, TAMU, 2014.
- Travel Award, \$500 for Yue Mei, American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) McMAT 2015 conference.
- Annual MEEN Kick-off September 2016, Undergraduate Poster Competition, second place for Sicheng Wang.
- Travel Award, \$2,000 for Yue Mei, College of Engineering, TAMU, 2016.
- Cain Undergraduate Excellence Award for Benjamin Stover, Mechanical Engineering Department, TAMU, 2017.

# TEACHING INSTRUCTOR

Design Studio, Introduction to Mechanical Engineering Design (MEEN 401) and Interdisciplinary Design (ENGR 401), senior level undergraduate course, Fall 2013. Overseeing four teams composed of mechanical engineering and electrical engineering students, working on four distinct industry projects.

Mechanics of Materials (CVEN 305, section 505), Spring 2014. 72 students in class.

Theory of Elasticity (MEEN 603), Fall 2014. 22 students in class.

**Mechanics of Materials** (CVEN 305, section 507), Spring 2015. 30 students in class.

**Theory of Elasticity** (MEEN 603), Fall 2015. 16 students in class.

**Solid Mechanics in Design** (MEEN 368, section 503), Spring 2016. 40 students in class.

**Theory of Elasticity** (MEEN 603), Fall 2016. 23 students in class.

**Solid Mechanics in Design** (MEEN 368, section 503 and Honors section 203), Spring 2017. 81 students and 6 honors students in class.

**Mechanics of Materials** (CVEN 305, section 504), Spring 2017. 89 students in class.

Modeling and Analysis of Mechanical Systems (MEEN 602, section 300 and 700), Summer 2017. 11 students in class and 6 distance learning students.

**Theory of Elasticity** (MEEN 603, sections 600 and 700), Fall 2017. 23 students in class and 3 distance learning students.

Solid Mechanics in Design (MEEN 368, sections 501 and 503, including Honors sections 201 and 203), Spring 2018. 95 and 99 students in sections 501 and 201, respectively. 3 and 1 Honors students in sections 201 and 203, respectively.

Statics and Particle Dynamics (MEEN 221, section 503), Fall 2018. 49 students in class.

Statics and Particle Dynamics (MEEN 221, sections 503 and 505), Spring 2019. 98 and 99 students in sections 503 and 505, respectively.

Engineering Analysis for Mechanical Engineers (MEEN 357, section 501), Fall 2019. 63 students in class.

**Dynamics and Vibration** (MEEN 363, section 502), Spring 2020. 65 students in class.

Engineering Analysis for Mechanical Engineers (MEEN 357, section 501), Spring 2020. 27 students in class.

Introduction to Statistics (STAT 374, sections 2 and 3), Fall 2022. 17 and 16 students in sections 2 and 3, respectively.

Introduction to Statistics (STAT 374, sections 3 and 4), Spring 2023. 15 and 14 students in sections 3 and 4, respectively.

**Engineering Graphics** (ENGR 1304, sections 1 and 6), Fall 2023. 33 students in each section, totaling 66 students.

Statics (ENGR 2301, section 3), Fall 2023. 34 students in class.

Engineering Graphics (ENGR 1304, sections 251, 255, and 256), Spring 2024. 30 students in each section, totaling 90 students.

STUDENT TEACHING AND RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Graduate Teaching Assistant at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Fall 2009

- Strength of Materials, ENGR-2530.
- Machining Lab, School of Engineering.

Graduate Teaching Assistant at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Spring 2007

• Dynamics, ENGR-2090.

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant at RWTH-Aachen, Germany

Spring 2006

Numerical Mathematics, Institute for Geometry and Practical Mathematics.

Student Research Assistant at RWTH-Aachen

Fall 2003 - Spring 2005

- Generating three dimensional grids for Navier Stokes and Euler computations.
- Completing computations with software Flower (developed by DLR in Germany).
- Post processing with TECPLOT.

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant at RWTH-Aachen, Germany

Fall 2002 Spring 2003

• Dynamics and Strength of Materials, Institute for General Mechanics.

#### **Memberships**

- American Heart Association: Council on Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis and Vascular Biology Council Member.
- Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society Full Membership.
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME).
- Materials Research Society (MRS).

#### Services

#### Services for external conferences:

- Session Chair at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE) in Mini-Symposium "Symposium on Modeling of the Fracture, Failure and Fatigue in Solids," Pittsburgh, PA, November 2018.
- Organizing a Mini-Symposium at the 13th World Congress in Computational Mechanics (WCCM) on "Computational Modeling of Structure-Function Relationships in Biological Systems" New York, NY, July 2018.
- Session Chair at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE) in Mini-Symposium on "Advanced Manufacturing: Process Modeling", Tampa, FL, November 2017.
- Session Chair at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE) in Mini-Symposium on "3rd Forum on Multiphase Flow with Bio-applications 2", Tampa, FL, November 2017.
- Session Chair at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE) in Mini-Symposium on "Mechanical Characterization of Soft Materials", Tampa, FL, November 2017.
- Session Chair at the 13th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics, San Diego, CA, July 2015.
- Session Chair at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) McMAT, Seattle, WA, June 2015.
- Organizing a Mini-Symposium at the 13th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics on "Modeling of Vascular Tissues," San Diego, CA, July 2015.
- Organizing a Mini-Symposium at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) McMAT on "Modeling of Vascular Tissues," Seattle, WA, June 2015.
- Session Chair at the Society of Engineering Science (SES) Annual Technical Meet-

ing, West Lafayette, IN, October 2014.

# Reviewed articles in the following journals:

- Public Library of Sciences (PLOS) ONE
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Transactions on Medical Imaging
- Additive Manufacturing
- Journal of Medical and Biological Engineering
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Journal of Biomechanical Engineering
- Inverse Problems in Science and Engineering
- Computational Biomechanics for Medicine
- Biomechanics and Modeling in Mechanobiology
- Microsystem Technologies
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Transactions on Computational Imaging
- VII European Congress on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences and Engineering (ECCOMAS Congress 2016)
- Current Medical Imaging Reviews
- Mathematical Biosciences and Engineering

### PhD Committee Member for following students at TAMU:

- Biren Parmar, ECE Department (PhD Thesis Defense 06/2015).
- Huanlin Zhu, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 09/2015).
- Zhujiang Wang, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 02/2016).
- Junwei Xing, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 09/2016).
- Vahid Tajeddini, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 02/2016).
- Sanjay Nair, ECE Department (PhD Thesis Defense 03/2016).
- $\bullet$  Anuj Chaudhry, ECE Department (PhD Thesis Defense, substitute 03/2016).
- Wooram Kim, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 04/2016).
- $\bullet$  Hung-Chieh Chu, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 03/2017).
- Parisa Khodabakhshi, CVEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense, substitute 10/2017).
- Farzam Mortazavi, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense, 09/2018).
- Lingnan Hu, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 10/2018).
- $\bullet$  Peer Mohamed Shajudeen, ECE Department (PhD Thesis Defense 06/2018).
- Veysel Erel, MEEN Department (PhD Preliminary Exam 07/2017).
- $\bullet$  Yiming Fan, MEEN Department (PhD Thesis Defense 06/2018).

#### MS Committee Member for following students at TAMU:

- Jason Kyle Murphy, MEEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 09/2014).
- Ruyue Song, MEEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 10/2015).
- Harika Prodduturu, CVEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 03/2016).
- Scott Lenfest, MEEN Department (to be determined).
- Nathaniel Schulz, CVEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 04/2016).
- Arnab Nanda, MEEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 03/2017).

- John Reis, MEEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 10/2017).
- Roshan Sharma, CVEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 10/2018).
- Brady Reed, MEEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 10/2018).
- Sofokli Cakalli, CVEN Department (MS Thesis Defense 03/2019).

# Synergistic Activities

- Organizing a 3D printing project of biological parts for the ENGAGE Summer Camp at Texas A&M University to motivate female and underrepresented high school students for an engineering degree program, 2015.
  - http://engineering.tamu.edu/easa/camps/engage-summer-camp
- Motivating female high school students for an engineering degree program by demonstrating state of the art diagnostic imaging research using mechanics during the WE IDEAS Summer Camp at Texas A&M University, 2015.
  - http://engineering.tamu.edu/easa/camps/we-ideas-summer-camp
- Mentoring high school students at EurekaFestival and Museum of Science's Wind Turbine Contest and setting new record time, 2011.
  - http://www.mos.org/nctl/news\_article.php?r=5169
- Development of inverse algorithms to diagnose breast cancer using ultrasound techniques with 90% accuracy tested on patients, 2011.
  - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TYZN3gyGceI
- Reviewing journal articles in various biomechanical and mechanical engineering journals regularly, ongoing.