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For: **Systems Including Network Simulation For Mobile Application  
Development And Online Marketplaces For Mobile Application  
Distribution, Revenue Sharing, Content Distribution, Or Combinations  
Thereof**

**DECLARATION OF NENAD MEDVIDOVIC, PH.D. IN SUPPORT OF  
PETITION FOR *INTER PARTES* REVIEW  
OF U.S. PATENT NO. 8,924,192**

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**I. Introduction and Qualifications**

1. I have been retained by Capital One, N.A. and Capital One Services, LLC (“Petitioners”) to provide my opinion concerning the validity of claims 60-69 of U.S. Patent No. 8,924,192 (attached to the accompanying Petition as Ex. 1001 and henceforth referred to as “the ’192 patent”) in support of this Petition for Inter Partes Review.

2. I am being compensated for my time in connection with this IPR at my standard consulting rate. My compensation is not dependent in any way upon the outcome of this matter.

3. I received a Bachelor of Science degree, summa cum laude, from Arizona State University’s Computer Science and Engineering department.

4. I received a Master of Science degree from the University of California at Irvine’s Information and Computer Science department.

5. I received a Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of California at Irvine’s Information and Computer Science department. My dissertation was entitled “Architecture-Based Specification-Time Software Evolution.”

6. For over thirty years, my research has focused on software systems; their design, development, maintenance, and evolution; their individual building blocks and overall architectures; and mechanisms for their implementation and

deployment. My Ph.D. dissertation yielded a new design style for the development and evolution of highly distributed software systems built out of independent components that exchange different types of information encoded in messages to accomplish specific goals. This research focused on the design principles behind those systems, the appropriate support for modeling the systems (both at the level of individual modules as well as their integrations into subsystems and entire systems), and the infrastructure for their implementation, deployment, optimization, and long-term evolution. This work was applied across a wide range of domains, from traditional distributed systems, to mobile devices and applications, to embedded systems and autonomous robots.

7. My work has been funded by U.S. government agencies (e.g., National Science Foundation, National Institutes of Health, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, NASA, Department of Homeland Security) and industrial organizations (e.g., Boeing, IBM, Northrop Grumman, Xerox, Google, Bosch).

8. I am employed by the University of Southern California (“USC”) as a faculty member in the Computer Science Department and have been since January 1999. I am a tenured professor. Since July 2022, I have served as my Department’s Chair. Between January 2009 and January 2013, I served as the Director of USC’s Center for Systems and Software Engineering (USC-CSSE), a

large research center that involved the work of a number of USC faculty, students, and staff as well as several dozen industry partners. Under my direction, USC-CSSE was involved in a range of cutting-edge projects for our industry partners, ranging from the Aerospace Corporation to Xerox. Between July 2011 and July 2015, I served as my Department's Associate Chair for Ph.D. Affairs. Between July 2021 and June 2022, I served as my Department's Vice Chair for Tenure Affairs.

9. In 2007 I was offered the position of Chief Software Engineer of the Transformational Satellite Communications System (TSAT) program. This was a \$4B U.S. Department of Defense (DOD) program, sponsored by the U.S. Air Force. The program's charge was to build the satellite grid of the future. With my university's agreement, I was prepared to go on a multi-year leave-of-absence assignment until the TSAT project was operational. Unfortunately, the program's funding was cut before my involvement could begin.

10. I have created and/or taught undergraduate-, Master's-, and Ph.D.-level courses in software engineering, software requirements, software architecture, and embedded systems. As part of these courses, I have developed and taught modules, and created and guided projects that exposed students to the interplay between software and traditional computing devices on one hand, and a

wide range of physical equipment on the other hand, including sensors, RFID tags, cameras, mobile robots, and wearable computing devices.

11. A significant portion of my professional activity centers on conducting research through advising Ph.D. students. I have graduated 21 Ph.D. students to date, and I advise seven students currently pursuing their Ph.D. My students have gone on to successful careers in top software companies (e.g., Google, NVIDIA, Intel, Snap), research institutes (e.g., NASA’s Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Information Sciences Institute, Quandary Peak Research), and universities (e.g., University of Massachusetts, University of California, University of Edinburgh).

12. I served as Program Co-Chair for the flagship conference in my field—International Conference on Software Engineering (“ICSE”)—held in May 2011. I have served as Chair or Co-Chair for various other conferences in the Software Engineering field, including: the Fifth Working Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (“IEEE”)/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture, the Third IEEE International Conference on Self-Adaptive and Self-Organizing Systems, the Fifteenth International Association for Computing Machinery’s (“ACM”) Special Interest Group on Software Engineering (“SIGSOFT”) Symposium on Component Based Software Engineering, the IEEE/CSSE/ISE Workshop on Software Architecture Challenges for the 21st Century, and the



Doctoral Symposia at the Sixteenth ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering and at the 44th International Conference on Software Engineering.

13. I have served as an editor of several peer-reviewed journals, including IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering, ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology, Journal of Software Engineering for Robotics, Elsevier Information and Software Technology Journal, Journal of Systems and Software, Journal of Software Engineering Research and Development, and Springer Computing Journal. I have also served as a guest editor of several special issues for other journals. Between January 2018 and December 2022, I served as Editor-in-Chief of IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering (“TSE”), the flagship software engineering research journal.

14. Between September 2013 and September 2015, I served as Chair of the ICSE Steering Committee. Both before that (2008-2013) and subsequent to that (2015-present) I have been a member of the ICSE Steering committee. I am currently a member of the Steering Committee of the joint European Conference on Software Engineering and the Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (“ESEC/FSE”). From July 2015 to September 2017, I chaired the Steering Committee of FSE, while it was a standalone symposium. I have served

as a member of the Steering Committees of the Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture on two separate occasions, including presently.

15. Between July 2015 and June 2018, I served as Chair of the ACM SIGSOFT, the largest professional organization in my field. During the past year, I have chaired the committee in charge of ACM's Software System Award, one of the most important technical awards in my field.

16. I co-authored *Software Architecture: Foundations, Theory, and Practice*, a widely used textbook in software systems architecture.

17. I have served as editor of various books in the Software Engineering field, including *Proceedings of the 3rd International Conference on Self-Adaptive and Self-Organizing Systems*, *Proceedings of the Warm-Up Workshop for the 32nd International Conference on Software Engineering*, *Proceedings of the 5th Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture*, and 40 Editions of *ICSE—the Ruby Anniversary Celebration*.

18. I have authored or co-authored nearly 300 papers in the Software Engineering field. My work has been cited over 21,000 times. My most cited paper alone has been cited nearly 3,200 times; that paper recently received a decade's Most Influential Paper Award from IEEE TSE. A paper I co-authored in the 1998 ICSE, my field's flagship conference, was given ten years later, in 2008, that conference's Most Influential Paper Award. Another of my publications

received a Most Influential Paper Award in 2020. Several of my other publications have received “best paper” or “most cited” awards.

19. My research frequently results in the development of software tools that accompany and demonstrate the published ideas. A paper describing a security-vulnerability detection and remediation tool for Android devices built in my lab, won the Best Tool Paper award at the 2017 Automated Software Engineering Conference. That idea was subsequently awarded a U.S. patent. I am a co-inventor on two additional issued patents in distributed systems design, implementation, deployment, and computer security.

20. I have been named a Distinguished Scientist of the ACM. I have been elected a Fellow of the IEEE. Fellow of the IEEE is IEEE’s highest grade; less than 0.1% of its membership earns this grade each year. Additional details of my experience may be found in my CV, which is attached as Exhibit A.

## **II. Summary Of Materials Reviewed And Considered**

21. All of the opinions contained in this Declaration are based on the documents I reviewed and my knowledge and professional judgment. In forming the opinions expressed in this Declaration, while drawing on my experience in the field of software development, I reviewed the following documents:

| <b>Ex.</b> | <b>Description</b>                       |
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| 1001       | U.S. Patent No. 8,924,192 (“192 patent”) |

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| Ex.  | Description   |
|------|---|
| 1002 | Prosecution History of U.S. Patent No. 8,924,192 (“’192 PH”)  |
| 1004 | U.S. Patent Application No. 12/759,543 (“’543 application”)   |
| 1005 | Certified Translation of Korean Patent Publication No. KR 2003-0049670 (“Lee”)  |
| 1007 | U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2005/0102638 (“Jiang”)  |
| 1008 | U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2006/0015404 (“Tran”)   |
| 1009 | U.S. Patent No. 7,813,910 (“Poulin-910”)  |
| 1010 | Hassan Artail, <i>A Multiplatform Methodology: Developing Mobile Device Applications</i> , 4 IEEE Pervasive Computing 92 (Apr. – June 2005)             |
| 1011 | Lynne Hall et al., <i>A Development Environment for Intelligent Applications on Mobile Devices</i> , 27 Expert Systems with Applications 481 (2004)     |
| 1012 | U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0184610 (“Chong”)  |
| 1013 | European Patent Specification No. EP 1 332 439 B1 (“Christfort”)  |
| 1014 | Stuart J. Barnes, <i>The Mobile Commerce Value Chain: Analysis and Future Developments</i> , 22 Int’l J. Info. Mgmt. 91 (2002)                          |
| 1015 | U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2004/0192277 (“Pakarinen”)  |
| 1016 | Bert de Reyck & Zeger Degraeve, <i>Broadcast Scheduling for Mobile Advertising</i> , 51 Operations Research 509 (2003)                                  |
| 1017 | Ichiro Satoh, <i>Software Testing For Wireless Mobile Computing</i> , 11 IEEE Wireless Communications 58 (Oct. 2004)                                    |
| 1018 | Trevor J. Young, <i>Using AspectJ to Build a Software Product Line for Mobile Devices</i> (Aug. 2005) (Master’s thesis, University of British Columbia) |
| 1019 | Microsoft Computer Dictionary (5th ed. 2002) (excerpts)   |

| Ex.  | Description  |
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| 1020 | Webster's Unabridged Dictionary of the English Language (2001) (excerpts)  |
| 1021 | S. Kumar & C. Zahn, <i>Mobile Communications: Evolution and Impact on Business Operations</i> , 23 <i>Technovation</i> 515 (2003)  |
| 1022 | Anthony Cataldo, <i>Kyocera Shows Portable Video Phone</i> , EDN (May 18, 1999), <a href="https://www.edn.com/kyocera-shows-portable-video-phone/">https://www.edn.com/kyocera-shows-portable-video-phone/</a> |
| 1023 | Anita Wilhelm et al., <i>Photo Annotation on a Camera Phone</i> , CHI'04 Extended Abstracts of the 2004 Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems 1403 (Apr. 2004)                                      |
| 1024 | Risto Sarvas et al., <i>Metadata Creation System for Mobile Images</i> , Proceedings of the 2nd International Conference on Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services 36 (June 2004)                          |
| 1025 | Russell Beale, <i>Supporting Social Interaction with Smart Phones</i> , 4 <i>IEEE Pervasive Computing</i> 35 (Apr. – June 2005)  |
| 1026 | BBC, <i>A History of Mobile Phones and Smartphones</i> , <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z62gjfr">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z62gjfr</a> (last visited July 10, 2025)            |
| 1027 | Nenad Medvidovic, <i>Software Architectural Support for Handheld Computing</i> , 36 <i>Computer</i> 66 (Sept. 2003)  |
| 1028 | Tim Kindberg et al., <i>The Ubiquitous Camera: An In-depth Study of Camera Phone Use</i> , 4 <i>IEEE Pervasive Computing</i> 42 (2005)   |
| 1029 | <i>App</i> , Britannica, <a href="https://www.britannica.com/technology/mobile-app">https://www.britannica.com/technology/mobile-app</a> (last visited July 10, 2025)  |
| 1032 | Matt Curtin, <i>Write Once, Run Anywhere: Why it Matters</i> (Apr. 9, 1998)  |

22. My opinions are additionally guided by my appreciation of how a person of ordinary skill in the art (“POSITA”) would have understood the claims

of the '192 patent at the time of the alleged invention, which I have been asked to assume is June 10, 2005. However, as detailed below, I understand that the '192 patent may not be entitled to the claim priority to the June 10, 2005 date; regardless, my opinions contained below would not change if a later priority date were applicable.

### **III. Understanding of Legal Standards**

23. I am not an attorney, and I do not opine on matters of law. However, I have been informed by Counsel of certain legal standards, which are set forth below. I have applied those standards in my analysis in this declaration. The material in this section has been supplied to me by counsel.

24. I have been informed by Counsel that the validity analysis is a two-step process. First, the patent claims are construed to ascertain their proper scope. Second, the construed claims are compared to the identified prior art to determine if the claims are valid over the prior art.

#### **A. Claim Construction**

25. I have been informed by Counsel that the claims of a patent define the limits of the patentee's exclusive rights. I have been informed by Counsel that to determine the scope of the claimed invention, courts typically construe claim terms, the meaning of which the parties may dispute. I have been informed by Counsel that claim terms should generally be given their ordinary and customary

meaning as understood by one of ordinary skill in the art at the time of filing of the patent application, after reading the patent and its prosecution history. I also have been informed by Counsel that a basic tenet of claim construction presumes that different words in a claim have different meanings, unless there is evidence to the contrary.

26. I have been informed by Counsel that claims must be construed in light of, and consistent with, the intrinsic evidence. In this context, I have been informed by Counsel that intrinsic evidence includes the claims themselves, the written disclosure in the specification, and the patent's prosecution history, including prior art that was considered by the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO"). I have been informed by Counsel that the specification is always highly relevant to the claim construction analysis and often is the single best guide to the meaning of a disputed term. I have been informed by Counsel that extrinsic evidence may also be considered when construing claims and may include, for example, technical dictionaries, technical publications and books, treatises, and expert testimony.

**B. Obviousness**

27. I have been informed by Counsel that patent claims can be deemed invalid if the differences between the claimed subject matter and the prior art are such that the subject matter as a whole would have been obvious at the time the

invention was made to a person having ordinary skill in the pertinent art. While such conclusions are often based on more than one piece of prior art, only one is required. It is not sufficient that a collection of prior art references merely recites the various elements of a challenged patent claim. Rather, as I have been informed by Counsel, the prior art must present the elements in a manner that is consistent with their arrangement or use in the challenged claims. I have been informed by Counsel that obviousness cannot be based on the hindsight combination of components selectively culled from the prior art.

28. I have been informed by Counsel that a person having ordinary skill in the art (“POSITA”) is a hypothetical person who is presumed to have known the relevant art at the time the invention was made. I have been informed by Counsel that the condition “at the time the invention was made” is imposed to rule out impermissible hindsight. I also have been informed by Counsel that an expert is to analyze the prior art from the perspective of a person of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made, and not simply to provide his/her own personal conclusions.

29. I have also been informed by Counsel that an obviousness determination includes several factual inquiries, including (1) determining the scope and content of the prior art; (2) ascertaining the differences between the claimed invention and the prior art; (3) resolving the level of ordinary skill in the



pertinent art; and (4) taking into consideration any objective indicia of nonobviousness.

30. I have been informed by Counsel that obviousness must be determined as of the date of the invention (i.e., the effective filing date or priority date of the patent). Thus, in considering the reason or motivation to combine references, it is essential to avoid using hindsight. For example, the problem examined when considering obviousness is the general problem that confronted the inventor before the invention was made, not the specific problem solved by the invention. Defining the problem in terms of its solution reveals improper hindsight in the selection of the prior art relevant to obviousness. Further, an overly narrow statement of the problem can represent a form of hindsight, because often the inventive contribution lies in defining the problem in a new revelatory way. Similarly, an assertion that a person of ordinary skill could combine the references, rather than that they would have been motivated to do so, is an impermissible form of hindsight. Moreover, knowledge of a problem and motivation to solve it are entirely different from motivation to combine particular references to reach the particular claimed invention.

31. I have been informed by Counsel that a motivation to solve a problem (or issue) is not the same as a motivation to have combined references. I have been informed by Counsel that whether a skilled artisan would be motivated to make a

combination includes whether he/she would select particular references in order to combine their elements.

32. I have been informed by Counsel that the analysis of the motivation to combine should be explicit. Additionally, it must include articulated reasoning with rational underpinnings to support the conclusion of obviousness. Providing a full explanation of the motivation to combine the references and the reasonable expectation of success is a necessary component of the obviousness inquiry, as inventions in most, if not all, instances rely upon building blocks long since uncovered, and claimed discoveries almost of necessity will be combinations of what, in some sense, is already known. However, conclusory statements fail to adequately explain why a person of ordinary skill would have a motivation to combine the potential prior art references.

33. I have been informed by Counsel that common sense, common wisdom, and common knowledge may be used to support a motivation to combine, so long as the use of common sense in the analysis is explained with sufficient reasoning. But, common sense can only be used to supply a limitation missing from the prior art where the technology is unusually simple and straightforward.

34. I also have been informed by Counsel that evidence suggesting reasons to combine cannot be viewed apart from evidence suggesting reasons not to combine. In analyzing motivation, both advantages and disadvantages must be

considered. Teaching away, for example, is a statement in the prior art that either (i) discourages one from following the path of the claimed invention, or (ii) encourages one to follow a path that diverges from the path of the claimed invention. The concept of teaching away bears directly on whether there was a reason to combine prior art. Known disadvantages in prior art technology or devices which would naturally discourage a search for new inventions may also be taken into account in determining obviousness.

**C. Written Description/Priority**

35. I understand that the written description requirement of the patent statutes ensures that issued claims of a patent correspond to the scope of the written description that was provided in the original application. I understand that in determining whether the patent satisfies the written description requirement, one must consider the description from the perspective of a POSITA at the time of the application's filing. The written description requirement is satisfied if a POSITA reading the original patent application would have recognized that it describes the full scope of the claimed invention as it is claimed in the patent, and that the application reasonably conveys that the inventor possessed the full scope of the invention by the filing date of the original application.

36. I have been informed that the written description requirement may be satisfied by any combination of the words, structures, figures, diagrams, formulas,

and other material contained in the patent application. The full scope of a claim, or any particular limitation of a claim, need not be expressly disclosed in the original patent application, provided a POSITA would have understood that the full scope or missing limitation is inherently contained in the written description of the application.

37. I understand that in considering written description, it is important not to determine written description using the benefit of hindsight, or determining what would have been obvious in light of the written description.

#### **IV. Person of Ordinary Skill in the Art (“POSITA”)**

38. I understand that a person of ordinary skill in the art or POSITA is a hypothetical person who is presumed to be aware of all pertinent art, possesses conventional wisdom in the art, is a person of ordinary creativity, and has common sense. I understand that this hypothetical person is considered to have the normal skills and knowledge of a person in a certain technical field (including knowledge of known problems and desired features in the field).

39. I have been asked to focus my analysis on claims 60-69 of the '192 patent, and prior art relating thereto, from the perspective of such a person at the time of the alleged inventions. I understand that the '192 patent was filed on November 9, 2012, and claims priority to U.S. Patent Application No. 12/759,543, which was filed on April 13, 2010. The '192 patent also claims priority to U.S.

Patent Application No. 11/449,958, which was filed on June 9, 2006, and U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/689,101, filed June 10, 2005.

40. It is my opinion that a person of ordinary skill in the art in the 2005 timeframe would have had a bachelor's degree in computer science or computer engineering, or a similar discipline, and two years of relevant industry experience with software development and software development tools or a related field. This description is approximate, and a higher level of education or skill might make up for less experience, and vice-versa.

41. As of June 10, 2005, I would have qualified as at least a POSITA, and my opinions herein are informed by my own knowledge based on my personal experiences and observing others of various skill levels (including those above and below the level of a POSITA).

42. My opinions below are not restricted to the precise definition of a POSITA above. The claims of the '192 patent are directed to software and software development techniques that were well-known in the art and taught by numerous prior art references, including the references discussed below. Thus, my opinions below would apply under any reasonable definition of a POSITA.

## **V. Summary of the '192 Patent**

### **A. Description**

43. The '192 patent is entitled “Systems Including Network Simulation for Mobile Application Development and Online Marketplaces for Mobile Application Distribution, Revenue Sharing, Content Distribution, or Combinations Thereof” and was issued on December 30, 2014 and filed on November 9, 2012. The patent describes “[a] system and methods” of emulating “an application executing in real time in a mobile device.” Ex. 1001 ['192 patent], Abstract. “The mobile device is emulated in real time using a model running on a processor extrinsic to the mobile device,” wherein “[t]he model is based on characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device” such as network characteristics and resource utilization information “by the application for the mobile device.” *Id.*

44. Further, claim 60 of the '192 application discloses “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device,” wherein the application is developed “using a software authoring platform” with the functionality to emulate “a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application.” *Id.* at Claim 60. The dependent claims 61-69 that depend on claim 60 disclose various additional functionalities of the claimed application such as adding content to modify the photo, distributing the modified photo through a server or Internet

connection, and generating mobile revenues through the modified photo or application. *Id.* at Claims 61-69.

**B. Claim Construction**

**1. Claims 60-69 are Product-By-Process Claims**

45. Claim 60 recites a system comprising an application that enables a user to modify a photo, wherein the application is developed using the recited software authoring platform. A POSITA would understand the plain meaning of the claim to only require a specific application, one that allows photo modification. I understand the remaining limitation to define the process by which the application was developed, including through a software authoring platform.

46. A POSITA would have recognized that “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device” could be developed using any number of software authoring platforms that do not emulate a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application. For example, a POSITA would have known that some software authoring platforms were separate from emulators designed to test the performance of a developed application, or that a developed application could be tested on a hardware device. Ex. 1011 [Hall], p. 487 (explaining the development of a mobile application including using an emulator for Palm OS); Ex. 1010 [Artail] (describing integrated development environments for testing mobile

applications). Consistent with the claim language, a POSITA would have known that an “application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device” could have been developed using such a software authoring platform and then later tested on that separate emulator or hardware device.

47. A POSITA would therefore understand that such emulation does not impart a structural or functional difference on the application itself. Ex. 1017 [Sato]; Ex. 1011 [Hall]. That is, an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device could be developed using a software authoring platform that **did not** emulate hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application. But such a program could have the same structure and functionality as an application developed using a software authoring platform as recited in claim 60 (i.e., an application developed using a software authoring platform that did emulate hardware characteristics). To a user, both applications would be equivalent. As such, it is my understanding that demonstrating invalidity of the limitation “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device, wherein the application is developed using a software authoring platform configured to simultaneously visually emulate, via one or more profile display windows, a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile



device when executing the application” only requires showing, in the prior art, an application that enables a user to modify a photo on a mobile device.

## **2. Previous Court Constructions of the ’192 Patent’s Terms**

48. It is my understanding that certain terms of the ’192 patent have been subject to construction in prior district court litigations. Specifically, the district court in a prior litigation gave the following terms their ordinary meaning: “emulate,” “application,” “on the mobile device.” *WAPP Tech Ltd. P’ship v. JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.*, No. 4:23-CV-1137, 2024 WL 4828080 (E.D. Tex. Nov. 19, 2024). I have applied the plain meaning of these terms as understood by a POSITA.

## **VI. Background of Mobile Application and Software Development**

49. Before addressing the patentability of the challenged claims, below I provide certain background information about the technological field relevant to the ’192 patent, which would have informed a POSITA’s knowledge when reviewing the ’192 patent and the prior art references discussed in my Declaration.

### **A. Prevalence of Mobile Devices**

50. The earliest call made from a mobile phone in history was recorded in 1973 and since then, mobile phones officially started to become both increasingly more “mobile” and widely accessible beginning in the 1990s. Ex.

1026 [BBC].<sup>1</sup> The IBM Simon from 1994 was classified as the first ever consumer smartphone, with capabilities such as a touchscreen, ability to send fax/email, and a calendar function. Ex. 1026 [BBC]. The BlackBerry soon followed in 1999 with similar smartphone capabilities. Ex. 1026 [BBC]. As such, well before 2000, mobile devices began to gain public traction and more consumers began to understand the utility mobile devices and smartphones could bring to everyday lives.

51. By the early 2000s, mobile devices had become increasingly popular. One article noted that, in 2000, worldwide mobile phone sales exceeded 400 million, and were estimated to exceed 400 million in 2002. Ex. 1021 [Kumar], p. 516. According to the article, mobile devices were relied upon by users for a range of functions, including digital camera functionality, digital assistant functionality, and location technology. *See generally* Ex. 1021 [Kumar].

## **B. Rise of Mobile Applications**

52. The concept of mobile applications existed since the 1980s with the release of the first personal digital assistants. Ex. 1027 [Britannica]. Starting in

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<sup>1</sup> Although certain documents cited in this Background section were published after the earliest priority date of the '192 patent, they are consistent with and reflect the knowledge of a POSITA as of the earliest priority date of the '192 patent.

the early 2000s, applications designed for mobile devices became prevalent. For example, EP patent 1332439 B1 (“Christfort”), titled “Developing Applications Online”, was filed on September 6, 2001, published on August 6, 2003, and granted and issued on December 29, 2004, and detailed use of the World Wide Web with a “client program, referred to as a browser, to request, decode and display information” and noted the trend “to expand Internet access to devices other than conventional computer systems. For example, many mobile clients (or mobile devices), such as wireless phones, have been developed that include embedded web browsers. Due to size and cost constraints, the ‘micro browsers’ contained in these devices have very limited functionality relative to the browsers that have been developed for full-fledged computer systems.” Ex. 1013 [Christfort] at 1, [0003], [0005]. Thus, greater reliance on mobile devices and the demand for further utility in mobile devices (e.g., Web and image browsing) began in at least 2001. This increasing reliance on mobile devices led to greater investment in mobile hardware and software as well as the continued deployment of mobile applications for users. Christfort also disclosed the concept of creating applications and services (developing applications online) as well as deploying hosted applications. Ex. 1013 [Christfort] at [0048], [0053]. Furthermore, Christfort disclosed “initially creating the application, subsequently editing of the application, and testing of the application” and “the development website provides the developer or user with an

interface for writing and editing code for the application.” Ex. 1013 [Christfort] at [0053].

53. Likewise, in the early 2000s, both software developers and cell phone providers were seeking to develop mobile applications as Internet-enabled mobile phones drove the need for productivity tools. Ex. 1021 [Kumar], p. 517. The Kumar article noted that the Palm Economy (including developers of Palm OS applications) had created “more than 13,000 software applications.” Ex. 1021 [Kumar], p. 517. The article also noted that developing “applications for mobile units” generated revenues (e.g., for mobile service or cell phone providers). Ex. 1021 [Kumar], p. 517.

54. Relative to the subject matter of the ’192 patent, by the early 2000s, one particular focus of mobile applications included targeting mobile device users who used mobile phones equipped with a camera. Ex. 1023 [Wilhelm], p. 1403. Mobile phones with cameras were introduced to the market in 1999, and by late 2005, they were increasingly common. *See, e.g.*, Ex. 1023 [Wilhelm], p. 1403 (describing “[n]etworked mobile camera phones”); Ex. 1022 [<https://www.edn.com/kyocera-shows-portable-video-phone/>].

55. With consumers producing more digital images, as the Wilhelm article detailed, there was a need for managing those images, and thus, developers created mobile applications tailored to various image-related features. For

example, the Wilhelm researchers developed an application for annotating digital images, while the Sarvas researchers provided solutions for image management. Ex. 1023 [Wilhelm], p. 1403; Ex. 1024 [Sarvas], p. 46. Photo modification applications were also well-known by 2005; for example, the Beale article described a Nokia application that provided “interesting photo-editing ... options” on select Nokia phones. Ex. 1025 [Beale], p. 40.

56. Thus, before 2005, the concept of developing applications for mobile devices was already known. Further, as explained in greater detail below, the concept of testing applications for mobile devices was also known. For example, Christfort disclosed “[t]o test the application, the user can access the application or service via the development website using a mobile device or a mobile device simulator.” Ex. 1013 [Christfort] [0059]. Thus, a developer before 2005 would have already been aware of using simulation to test mobile applications on mobile device simulators. The rise of mobile applications along with increased reliance on mobile devices and applications also led to more streamlined mobile application development and testing frameworks for developers.

### **C. Mobile Software Development**

57. Indeed, before 2005, the concept of mobile application and software development was already gaining widespread traction. For example, U.S. Patent Application Publication 2002/0184610 A1 (“Chong”) filed and published in 2002

disclosed “a visual development tool for rapidly building voice and data applications that may operate across multiple network standards, devices, browsers and languages.” Ex. 1012 [Chong] at [0015]. More specifically, Chong disclosed “a graphical user interface adapted to allow a user to visually build a workflow for an application.” Ex. 1012 [Chong] at [0031]. Thus, development platforms and tools were contemplated alongside the rise of mobile applications before 2005.

58. As another example, in 2003, I co-authored a paper published in IEEE Computer titled “Software Architectural Support for Handheld Computing.” In the paper, my co-authors and I detailed a “set of challenges” related to “software development for highly distributed, dynamic, mobile, heterogeneous computation on large numbers of small, resource-constrained platforms.” Ex. 1027 [Medvidovic], p. 66. The paper detailed the design of an application for “distributed military troop deployment and battle simulations” that utilized “105 mobile devices and mobile device emulators running on PCs.” Ex. 1027 [Medvidovic], p. 67. Our paper also noted that the Prism framework that we created was used to develop “more than a dozen applications” involving “traditional desktop platforms, PalmOS and WindowsCE devices, digital cameras, and motion sensors,” and that those applications included “digital image processing” and other types of applications. Ex. 1027 [Medvidovic], p. 71. Thus, a POSITA would have recognized that developing and testing applications for

mobile devices, where those applications ran on multiple types of mobile devices, and where those applications included digital image processing applications, were well-known concepts by the 2005 earliest priority date of the '192 patent.

59. As another example, U.S. Patent Application Publication 2004/0192277 A1 (“Pakarinen”), filed and published in 2004, disclosed a data system that operates “as a software development environment, enabling at least the testing of different software components” and that this software component “may be for instance a mobile communication application software development tool, terminal, system or service emulator, content development tool, testing tool, or an application program of an external system or device.” Ex. 1015 [Pakarinen] at [0015]. Furthermore, Pakarinen disclosed an application developer that can “test and/or simulate a Bluetooth application in one data processing device by using a terminal emulator” and “a Bluetooth environment simulator.” Ex. 1015 [Pakarinen] at [0050]. Finally, Pakarinen further contemplated the data system associated with the “development and testing of mobile applications” that “can be carried out in several separate devices.” Ex. 1015 [Pakarinen] at [0018]. As such, the concept of developing mobile applications and testing in simulated environments already existed pre-2005 and more mobile developers began to appreciate the importance and utility of such simulated environments in mobile application development.

60. Furthermore, the concept of integrated development environments (“IDEs”) and their applicability to mobile application development was also known to a POSITA before 2005. For instance, the paper “A development environment for intelligent applications on mobile devices” published in 2004 highlighted the necessity of “a development environment for intelligent applications for mobile devices.” Ex. 1011 [Hall] at Abstract. In addition, the paper contemplated the use of “integrated development environments that permit the development of intelligent applications” for mobile devices. Ex. 1011 [Hall], pp. 482-483. The paper additionally disclosed IDEs for mobile devices and the IDE’s utility to provide “an interpreter for the programming language, tools for testing and debugging the systems written using this programming language, and a compiler for generating executable versions of a functioning intelligent system which can be targeted at a range of mobile devices. Ex. 1011 [Hall], p. 483.

61. Also, a 2002 paper titled “The mobile commerce value chain: analysis and future developments” highlighted the increasing utility of mobile applications. In particular, the paper emphasized that mobile technology comes “[e]quipped with micro-browsers and other mobile applications” and its “consumer possibilities are endless, including banking, booking or buying tickets, shopping and real-time news.” Ex. 1014 [Barnes] at Abstract. As such, with the increase of mobile software development and the emphasis on utility of mobile applications, such



applications began to provide various functionalities in everyday lives of consumers.

62. As noted above, this background information would have informed the POSITA's knowledge when analyzing the claims of the '192 patent, as set forth in greater detail below.

## **VII. Ground 1A: Claims 60-65 are unpatentable over Lee**

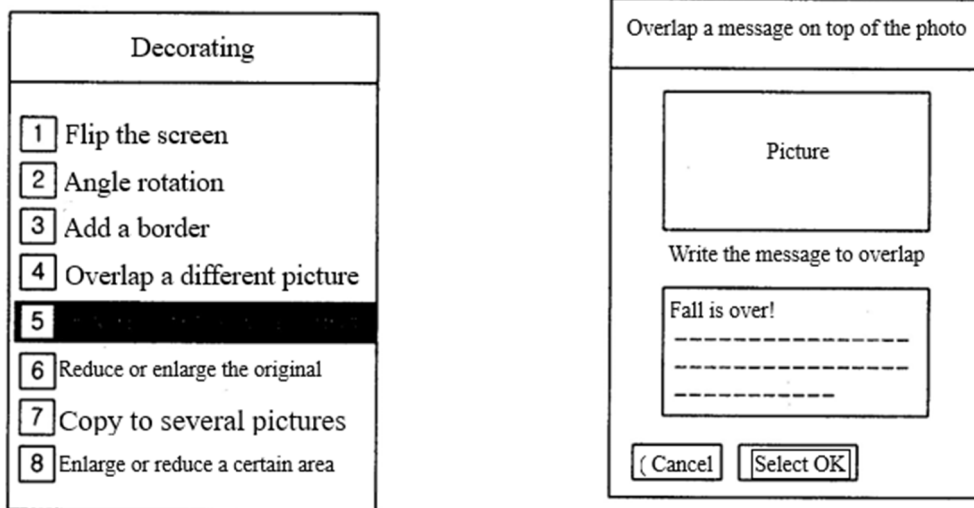
63. As set forth below, it is my opinion that claims 60-65 are rendered obvious by the teachings of Lee.

### **A. Overview of Lee**

64. Lee is a Korean application that was filed on December 17, 2001 and published on June 25, 2003. I have been informed by Counsel that Lee would at least be § 102(b) prior art because it was published more than one year before the '192 patent's earliest claimed priority date. I understand that Lee was originally filed and published in Korean. I have reviewed a translation of Lee, which I understand is submitted as Exhibit 1005 with the Petition.

65. Lee discloses a method of editing a photo and sending a photo mail, and a mobile phone implementing the method. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 1:19-20. Lee further discloses a mobile phone comprised of a memory for storing a program that has an algorithmic structure (i.e., an application) that supports configuring and editing a photo or picture as a photo mail. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 1:20-22. This program

allows the user to edit a picture or photo to be sent as a photo mail to another user through a control unit, and to produce various forms of images and pictures. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 1:22-26.



Ex. 1005 [Lee], Figs. 5c, 5d.

66. Lee is analogous art to the '192 patent, as it is in the same field of endeavor of mobile device applications. *See* Ex. 1001 ['192 patent], Abstract; Ex. 1005 [Lee], 1:19-26.

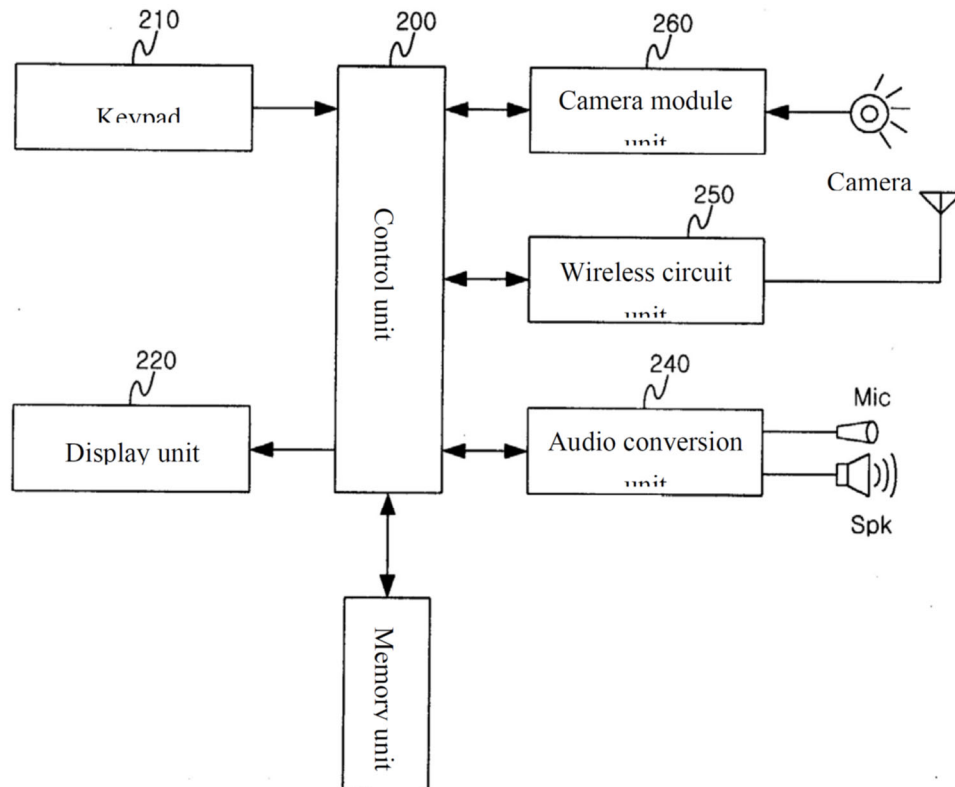
## **B. Claim 60**

### **1. Preamble: "A system comprising"**

67. I do not provide an opinion as to whether the preamble is limiting. Regardless, to the extent the preamble is limiting, the Lee reference discloses "[a]

mobile phone that supports photo editing.” Ex. 1005 [Lee] at 3:1-12, 8:23, 8:3, Fig. 2, 2:24-28. Thus, Lee’s mobile phone discloses a “system” as recited.

**Figure 2**



**2. Limitation: “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device”**

68. Claim 60 further recites “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device, wherein the application is developed using a software authoring platform configured to simultaneously visually emulate, via one or more profile display windows, a plurality of hardware characteristics

indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application.”

Ex. 1001 at Claim 60.

69. Lee discloses that its “mobile phone is composed of a memory that stores a program having an algorithmic structure.” Ex. 1005 [Lee] at 3:27-4:3, *see also* 3:1-3, 5:2-3, claim 1. A POSITA would have recognized a “program having an algorithmic structure” as an “application.” The Microsoft Computer Dictionary (5<sup>th</sup> edition, published in 2002) also confirms this understanding as it defines an application as “[a] **program** designed to assist in the performance of a specific task....” Ex. 1019 [Microsoft Computer Dictionary], p. 31. Consistent with this definition, Lee’s program is designed to assist in the performance of a specific task: photo editing and sending the edited photo as a photo mail. Thus, Lee’s program would have been understood to correspond to an “application” as recited.

70. Lee explains that its program having an algorithmic structure (e.g., application) “supports organizing and **editing photos or pictures** in photo mails” and that “[t]herefore, mobile phone **users can edit photos or pictures** and send them as photo mail.” Ex. 1005 [Lee] at 3:27-4:3; *see also* 5:2-3 (memory unit “stores a program having a function for allowing a user to edit a picture or photo”), 6:17 (“flow chart showing the process of editing a photo”), Fig. 5c (showing “several editing menus” and “representative functions”), 2:25-28. A POSITA would have recognized from Lee’s disclosure that its application supports a user

“editing” photos, which discloses and renders obvious that the application supports a user being able to modify photos. The Webster’s Dictionary also confirms my understanding as it defines “edit” as in the computing field as follows: “8. *Computers*. To modify or add to (data or text).”. Ex. 1020 [Webster’s], p. 620.

71. Thus, the above disclosures demonstrate Lee would have rendered obvious “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device” as recited, because a POSITA would have understood a “memory that stores a program having an algorithm structure,” where the program (an application) “supports organizing and editing photos or pictures” as disclosed in Lee, to teach and render obvious this limitation.

72. I understand and have been informed that the claim language of the “wherein” clause of claim 60 may not be treated as a limitation of the claim, under applicable legal standards. Accordingly, because Lee discloses or renders obvious the “application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device,” and the remainder of claim 60 is not limiting, Lee discloses or renders obvious claim 60.

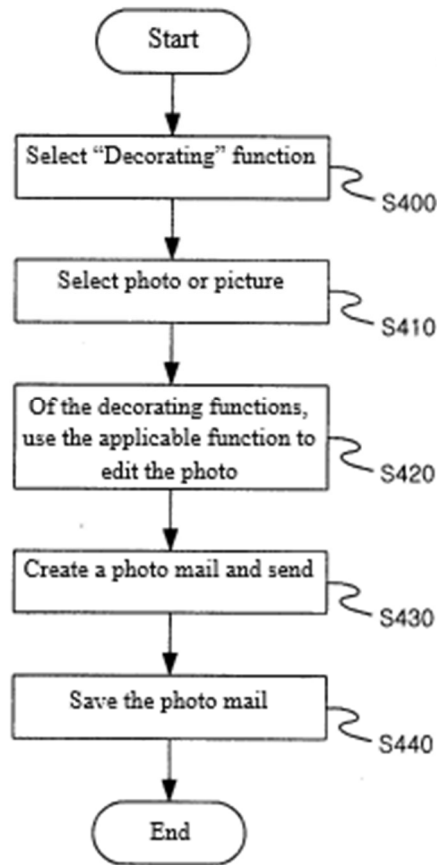
**C. Dependent claims 61-65**

**1. Claim 61: “wherein the application is configured to allow an end user<sup>2</sup> to add content to modify the photo”**

73. Lee teaches a photo application that allows the end user to add content to the photo. Specifically, Lee discloses that its decorating function allows the user to selection a specific function to modify a photo. As Lee explains, “[i]n order to edit pictures or photos using a mobile phone and use them as photo mail, it is possible to configure a ‘decorating’ function in the menu so that the user can select it from the menu.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 6:19-22. Lee also explains that “alternatively, it is possible to provide a separate dedicated key button on the keypad of the mobile phone.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 6:19-22. Figure 4, shown below, illustrates a flow chart showing the process of editing a photo. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 6:17-18. Lee explains that “[w]hen the user selects the decorating function menu on a mobile phone (step S400), a picture selection screen showing a list of pictures that the user can select is displayed on the screen.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:7-8.

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<sup>2</sup> For purposes of my Declaration, I have interpreted “end user” in this claim to refer to the “user” of claim 60.

**Figure 4**

74. Figure 5b, shown below, provides an example of the decorating function screen. On this screen, “the user selects the name of the picture that he or she wants to decorate (step S410).” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:9-10. “This example shows an example in which ‘My Picture’ (510) containing the user’s image is selected.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:10-11. Lee’s decorating function is shown in its various figures, reproduced below.

Figure 5a

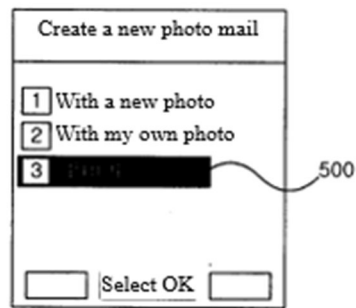


Figure 5c

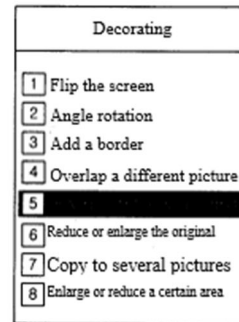


Figure 5b

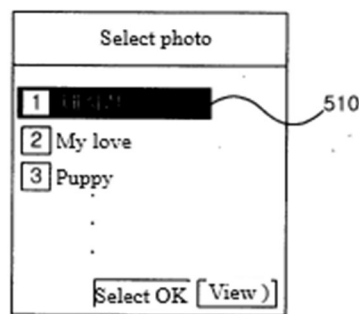
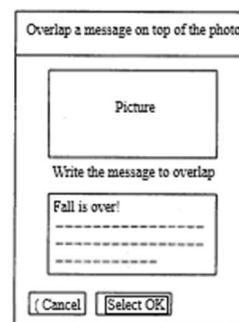


Figure 5d



75. As shown in Figure 5c, Lee includes numerous options for the Decorating function. For example, Lee further explains “a few of” the representative functions of the “decorating function”:

“screen flipping, which allows the user to rotate the photo screen 180 degrees; angle rotation, which allows the user to rotate the photo by setting an angle; **border adding, which allows the user to decorate the edge of the photo in a certain shape; overlap, which allows the user to overlap another picture on top of the photo; overlapping a message on top of the photo, which allows the user to insert a desired message on top of the photo;** reducing and enlarging the original, which allows the user to reduce or enlarge the size of the photo; copying a photo to multiple pictures, which allows



the user to copy a photo to more than one picture; and enlarging and reducing a specific area, which allows the user to enlarge or reduce only a certain area of the photo...”

Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:15-23, claim 3.

76. Reviewing the above Lee disclosures, a POSITA would understand that the representative functions of “border adding,” “overlap” of images, and “overlapping a message” all disclose that Lee’s program is also “configured to allow an end user to add content to modify the photo” as recited in claim 61. For example, “border adding” would add a border (where the border is content) to the photo to modify the photo. The image overlap function allows the user to add another image as content to the photo to modify the photo. And likewise, adding a message allows adding text as content to the photo to modify the photo.

77. Accordingly, Lee discloses or renders obvious “the application is configured to allow an end user to add content to modify the photo” as recited.

## **2. Claim 62: “wherein the content includes text”**

78. As detailed in the analysis of claim 61, above, one of the representative functions of Lee’s decorating functionality includes “overlapping a message on top of the photo, which allows the user to insert a desired message on top of the photo.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:18-20, claim 3. Lee further explains that “[o]n the editing screen, the user can write or load a desired message and add it to the photo.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:27-28. To do so, the application “plac[es] the picture

screen at the top and the message writing screen at the bottom, so that the user can write a message directly or load an existing message.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:28-8:1.

Figure 5c

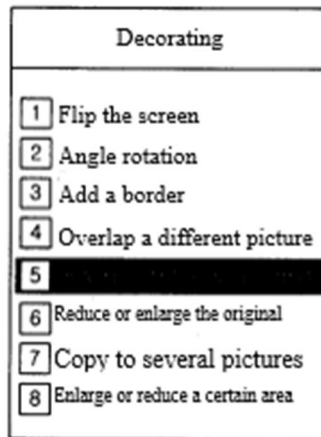
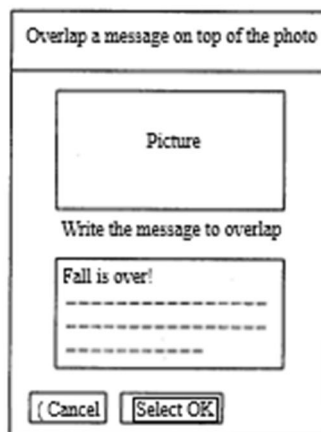


Figure 5d



79. As shown in Figure 5d, the functionality of overlapping a message on the photo adds text to the photo. Accordingly, Lee teaches a user selecting a desired photo, writing or loading a desired message with text, and adding it to the

selected photo, which discloses or renders obvious the limitation of claim 62, “wherein the content includes text.”

### 3. Claim 63: “wherein the text includes a caption”

80. As detailed in the analysis of claim 62, Lee’s decorating functionality provides the ability for the user to overlap “a message on top of the photo, which allows the user to insert a desired message on top of the photo” and an editing screen for doing so. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:18-20. Lee further contemplates that adding the message to the photo “can be done by placing the picture screen at the top and the message writing screen at the bottom, so that the user can write a message directly or load an existing message.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:27-8:2.

Figure 5c

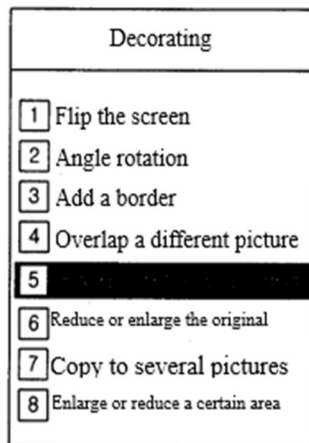


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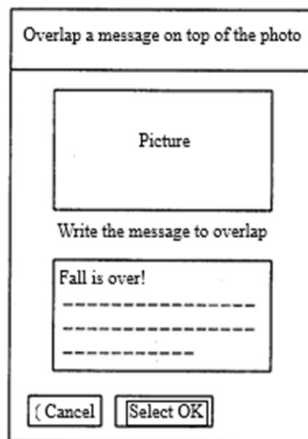
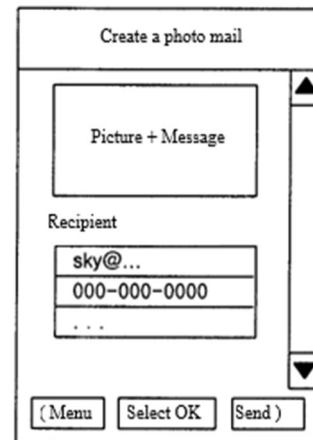


Figure 6



81. The ’192 patent does not define what is meant by a “caption.” However, a POSITA would have understood this term according to its common

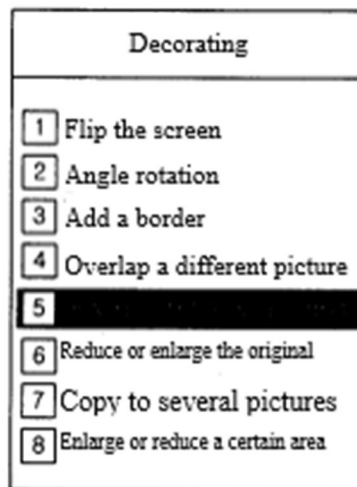
usage; for example, Webster's dictionary provides a definition of a caption as "1. a title or explanation for a picture or illustration ... 3 ... the title of a scene, the text of a speech, etc. superimposed ..." Ex. 1020 [Webster's], p. 311.

82. Based on this definition, a POSITA would have understood Lee's disclosure of adding or overlapping a text message to a photo and the ability to write a message below a photo to disclose or render obvious that "the text includes a caption" as recited.

**4. Claim 64: "wherein the content includes an image"**

83. As also mentioned above, one of the representative functions of Lee's decorating function includes a functionality allowing "the user to overlap another picture on top of the photo." Ex. 1005 [Lee], 7:18, claim 3.

**Figure 5c**



84. Lee's disclosure of functionality to overlap a photo with a different picture teaches that the content added to the photo includes an image for a POSITA. Thus, Lee discloses or renders obvious the limitations of claim 64.

**5. Claim 65: “wherein the application is configured to allow an end user<sup>3</sup> to distribute the modified photo through a server or other connection to the internet.”**

85. Lee's program “supports configuring a photo or picture as a photo mail” and discloses a photo mail writing screen in Figure 6 below. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 1:20-24. Lee also further discloses, within the photo mail writing screen, a user being able to write an additional message or “complete the photo mail writing by simply entering the recipient's email or phone number, and when the second command is executed, the photo mail is sent to the other party (step S430).” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 8:5-7.

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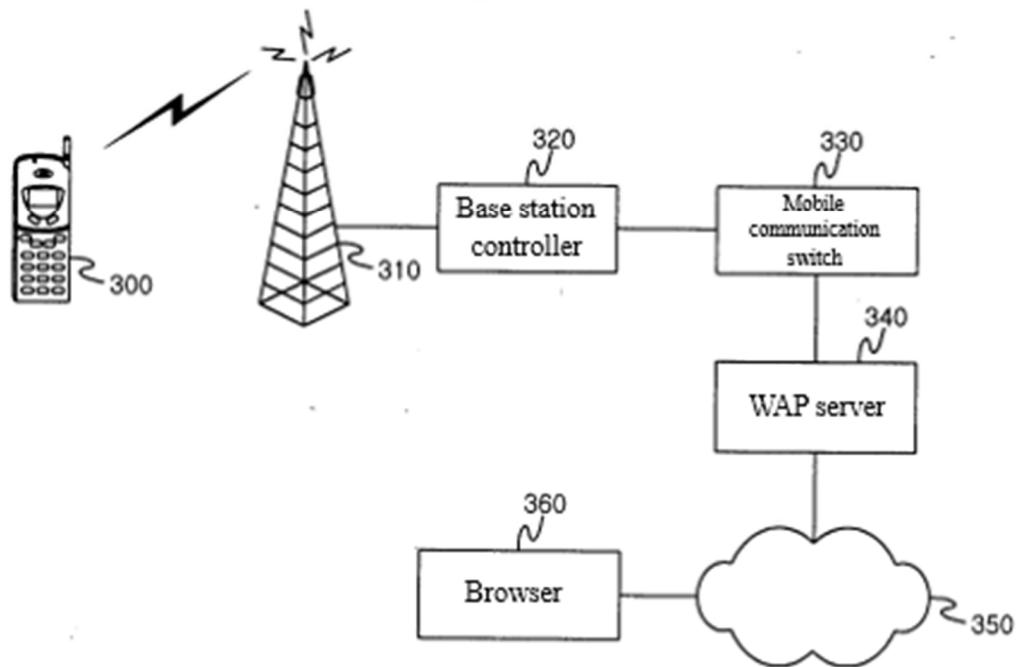
<sup>3</sup> For purposes of my Declaration, I have interpreted “end user” in this claim to refer to the “user” of claim 60.

**Figure 6**

The image shows a mobile phone screen with the title "Create a photo mail". Below the title is a box labeled "Picture + Message". Underneath that is a "Recipient" label followed by a dropdown menu. The dropdown menu is open, showing "sky@..." as the selected option, and below it, a numeric keypad with "000-000-0000" and "x x x" below that. At the bottom of the screen are three buttons: "( Menu", "Select OK", and "Send )".

86. Lee further explains that “a photo mail is transmitted to the corresponding browser (360) through a communication network (350)” and “[t]he communication network (350) consists of a mobile phone operator’s network or a wired network.” Ex. 1005 [Lee], 6:8-11, *see also* 1:19-20, 1:24-26. Lee additionally discloses using a Wireless Application Protocol (“WAP”) server to transmit data to a browser on the client side of the Internet. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 6:4-8. A POSTIA would understand that Lee teaches distributing (e.g., sending a photo) through a server or other connection to the internet (e.g., communication network and WAP server).

**Figure 3**



87. Lee’s description of using the application to send the edited photo through a photo mail via a communication network and through a WAP/Internet server discloses and would have rendered obvious that its “application is configured to allow an end user to distribute the modified photo through a server or other connection to the internet” as recited in claim 65.

**VIII. Ground 1B: Claim 66 is unpatentable over Lee in view of Jiang**

88. As set forth below, it is my opinion that claim 66 would have been rendered obvious by the combined teachings of Lee and Jiang, and that a POSITA would have been motivated to combine the teachings of Lee and Jiang.

**A. Overview of Jiang**

89. I have been informed by Counsel that U.S. Publ. No 2005/0102638 to Jiang (“Jiang”) would at least be § 102(a) prior art because it was published May 12, 2005, prior to the earliest priority date of the ’192 patent.

90. Jiang teaches a system for navigating photos in mobile applications. Specifically, Jiang describes manipulating (e.g., moving and rearranging) images on the display of a mobile device and discloses the involvement of a server in communication link with a plurality of mobile devices. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0007]-[0008]. Jiang also discloses a method for providing image movement on a display by click and drag navigation, utilizing placeholders in the memory of the mobile device. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0009]. Jiang’s system seeks to address the limited memory capacity of mobile devices and improve the range of image viewing and web browsing capabilities with minimal impact on the resource consumption of the device. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0006].

91. Jiang is analogous art to the ’192 patent, as it also discloses mobile device applications. *See* Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0002].

**B. Motivation to Combine**

92. At the time of the ’192 patent, consumers were becoming increasingly reliant on the usage of mobile devices as well as appreciative of image viewing and Web browsing capabilities of these mobile devices. For example, in 2005,



researchers at Hewlett-Packard and Microsoft published a paper titled “The Ubiquitous Camera: An In-depth Study of Camera Phone Use,” detailing the industry’s hopes that “‘picture messaging’ using mobile phones with integrated cameras will establish photographic images as a new genre in mobile communication.” Ex. 1028 [Kindberg], p. 1. With the increased reliance on mobile devices and their associated features, a POSITA would have had the motivation and desire to improve a mobile device’s user experience and user interface by providing a streamlined process to manage (e.g., move and rearrange) photos and images using the mobile display as well as within various mobile applications to increase application utility and usage. Indeed, researchers conducted interviews with camera phone users in the United States and United Kingdom to “examine[] the whole range of activities that constitute camera phone usage with an eye to the design of future technologies.” Ex. 1028 [Kindberg], p. 2. One implication from the study is that “Better Tools for Deleting and Archiving” photos would be helpful because “users tended to have many images on their phones that they would delete if they had time.” Ex. 1028 [Kindberg], p. 9. Kindberg summarized that this meant there was a “need for quicker and easier tools to help people sift through and delete or archive camera phone images.” Ex. 1028 [Kindberg], p. 9.

93. Based on this knowledge in the art, a POSITA would have recognized and appreciated the teachings of Jiang as a potential way of improving on prior image viewing and web browsing capabilities, and would have been motivated to incorporate Jiang's teachings of manipulating images on the mobile display as well as Jiang's "backup and restore concept." Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0008]. A POSITA would have been motivated to improve Lee's photo modification application with Jiang's image manipulation capabilities, including its backup/upload capabilities. Jiang acknowledges that "the advanced display capabilities of mobile devices lack certain user interface features" and thus proposes "ways to improve the range of image viewing and web browsing capabilities with minimal impact on" resource consumption within mobile devices. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0005]-[0006]. This motivation would have also been apparent with the continuously increasing amount of data for mobile devices and applications, where such data can consist of images and photos. Thus, a POSITA would have been motivated to combine the teachings of Jiang to improve image and photo viewing capabilities on mobile devices.

94. Further, Jiang teaches that, with the capabilities added by its teachings (in particular, its upload capabilities), "users can capture photo images in their mobile devices, store and manipulate the captured images, and upload data of the captured images to a server (e.g., server 18)." Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0025]. In this

way, the “server 18 operates as a repository for the data of photo images” which enables “[p]hotos resident on one mobile device [to be] shared with another.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0025]. A POSITA would have recognized that incorporating the teachings of Jiang and providing the ability for Lee’s users to “upload data” of modified images (consistent with Jiang’s teachings of manipulated images) would have been desirable, given the knowledge in the art (e.g., as demonstrated in Kindberg) that sharing images was common prior to the ’192 patent, but that barriers existed to sharing images. Ex. 1028 [Kindberg], p. 7. A POSITA would have recognized that incorporating Jiang’s teachings of providing a server to upload images for sharing serves as a way of addressing these barriers to sharing. Additionally, Kindberg teaches that users desired an ability to “keep images ... long term” including on the web (Ex. 1028 [Kindberg], p. 4), and Jiang’s teachings provide this capability, further motivating the combination of Lee’s teachings with Jiang.

95. Also, a POSITA would have had a reasonable expectation of success in improving Lee’s mobile application which enables a user to modify a photo using Jiang’s image viewing capabilities and functionalities, including its upload functionality. Jiang teaches its techniques “can be implemented in various applications” and its application runs “on a mobile phone, and more specifically, a mobile camera phone” (Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0022]) just like Lee’s device, and

therefore, adding Jiang's techniques to mobile devices and applications, like the application of Lee, would have been nothing more than routine software development for a POSITA motivated to address the increasing user demand for more efficient image manipulation and viewing on mobile devices and applications and archiving/sharing functionality. Thus, implementing Jiang's teachings on a mobile device like Lee's would have been both obvious and merely consist of routine software development for a POSITA to increase the overall utility of mobile devices and applications for mobile users.

**C. Dependent claim 66**

- 1. Claim 66: “wherein the application is configured to allow an end user<sup>4</sup> to manage or update the modified photo or photo application through a server or other connection to the internet”**

96. Jiang teaches that “users can capture photo images in their mobile devices, store and manipulate the captured images, and upload data of the captured images to a server.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0025]. Jiang also teaches that the user may manipulate photo images on the mobile phone by selecting the “online album” option on the phone. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0046]. The “online album” option “allows the user to access and manipulate photo images that have already been uploaded to

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<sup>4</sup> For purposes of my Declaration, I have interpreted “end user” in this claim to refer to the “user” of claim 60.

the server from the user's PC or mobile phone and stored in the online album.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0046]. As Jiang explains, this “online album is dynamically rendered within the client (Mobile device) based on the client-server interactions (i.e., photos are pulled from the server dynamically and placed in the online album).” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0046].

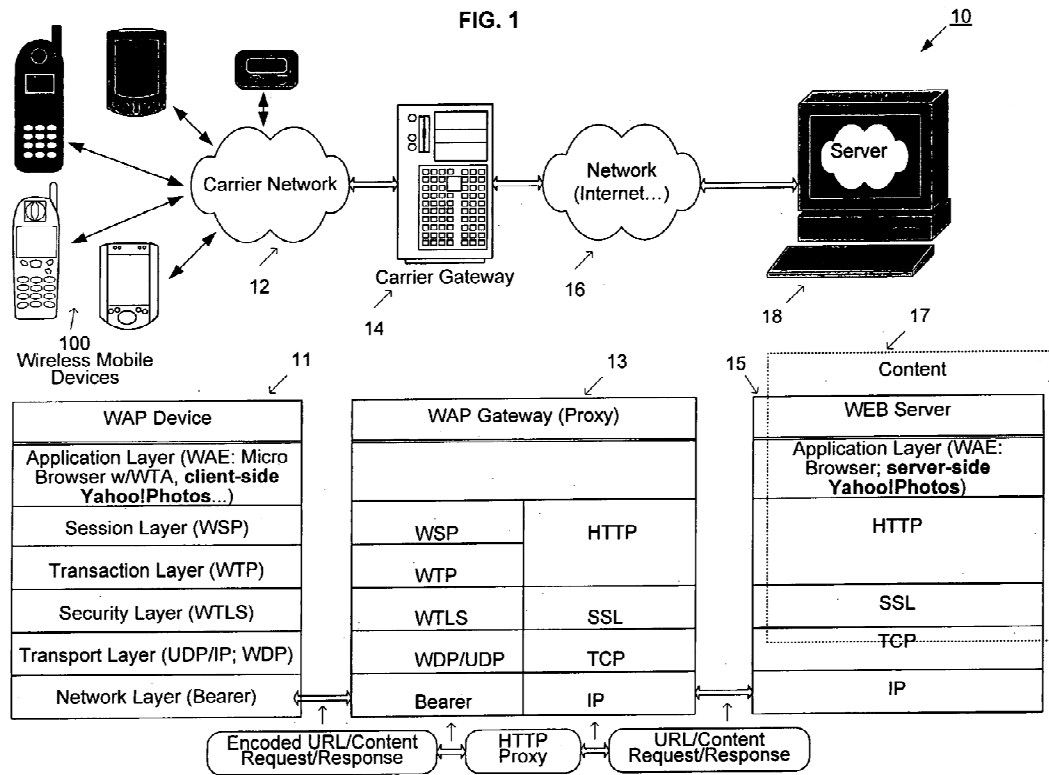
97. Jiang further teaches that after the user selects “online album,” the user is shown a page that “lists the names of photo albums available to the named user which are associated with the user's account.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0048]-[0049]. Figure 4A illustrates the screen flows for the user. The list shown to the user includes “only albums that are on the server and can be dynamically pulled from it.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0049]. Once the user selects a photo, it may be opened or other actions can be invoked. *Id.* These actions may include ““save to mobile,’ ‘email photo,’ ‘screen saver,’ ‘thumbnails,’ ‘online albums,’ and ‘home,’” are available through a menu. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0049]-[0054].

98. Jiang explains that “thumbnails” will “show[] a group of thumbnail photo images from the selected album.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0051]. “The user can then move between the images back and forth (scroll back and forth) and select any one of the photos in the ‘thumbnails’ page.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0051]. When a user selects the “save to mobile,” “it causes the selected photo image (previously downloaded from the server) to be saved in the mobile album on the mobile

phone.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0052]. Jiang also explains that the “email photo” function “shows the photo(s) selected for emailing and prompts the user for the email address.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0053]. When the “screen saver” is selected, “the selected photo will be used to populate the screen when the phone is idle, standing by, or starting up.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0054].

99. If the user selects “mobile album,” it “allows the user to access to manipulate photo images that have been already downloaded from the server and saved in the mobile album.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0047], [0055]. Similarly, the user is presented with “two action means, ‘open’ and ‘action.’” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0056]. Jiang explains that these actions include “‘slide show,’ ‘move,’ ‘delete photo,’ ‘delete all’ (photos), ‘thumbnails,’ ‘history,’ and ‘home.’” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0056]-[0061]. Jiang further explains that the “move” function allows the user to “rearrange the photos using the 5-point navigation key, as well as choose to drop a photo or save it.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0059]. Based on these teachings, a POSITA would understand that Jiang teaches an application “configured to allow an end user to ... manage or update the modified photo ... through a server” as recited. For example, in the combination, a photo, edited/modified as taught by Lee, would be uploaded to a server as taught by Jiang and managed or updated (e.g., moved, deleted, etc.).

100. Jiang teaches that the server “operates as a repository for the data of photo images, and users can download from the server to their mobile devices data of previously capture photo images, as well as store and manipulate such images.” Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0025]. As shown in Figure 1, the wireless mobile devices are connected to the server via the Internet. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], Fig. 1, [0024]. Jiang explains that the mobile devices in the system are WAP-enabled and the server supports the world wide web protocol. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0026]-[0032]. Additionally, Jiang teaches that the program provides the ability to “push and pull information via the Internet” including photos. Ex. 1007 [Jiang], [0024]; see also [0046] (“live online connection”). Thus, Jiang teaches an application “configured to allow an end user to manage or update the modified photo ... through [an] ... other connection to the internet.”



101. Based on the above disclosures, Jiang renders claim 66 obvious, and a POSITA would have had the motivation to combine Jiang and Lee to allow an end user to manage or update the modified photo or photo application through a server or Internet connection as mere routine software development and a necessary improvement to maximize mobile utility for everyday mobile users (*see also* VIII.B on Motivation to Combine).

#### IX. Ground 1C: Claims 67-69 are unpatentable over Lee in view of Tran

102. As set forth below, it is my opinion that claims 67-69 are rendered obvious by the combined teachings of Lee and Tran, and that a POSITA would have been motivated to combine the teachings of Lee and Tran.



**A. Overview of Tran**

103. I have been informed by Counsel that U.S. Publ. No 2006/0015404 to Tran (“Tran”) would at least be § 102(e) prior art because Tran’s filing date of May 31, 2005 pre-dates the earliest priority date of the ’192 patent.

104. Tran discloses a consumer purchasing behavior profiling system in which consumer profiles are created based on various data points, including demographic data, lifestyle affinity, brand affinity, product preferences, real-time responses to advertising messages, price sensitivity, and market trends. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0018]. As relevant to challenged claims 67-69, Tran teaches that advertisers “send targeted advertising messages to the consumers” on “wireless devices.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], Abstract, [0019].

105. As such, Tran is analogous art to the ’192 patent, as it is also in the same field of endeavor of mobile device applications. *See* Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0053] (“application ... can be a small program that can be deployed onto the mobile phones”).

**B. Motivation to Combine**

106. Before the ’192 patent, a POSITA would have recognized that targeted advertisements within mobile devices and applications were already gaining widespread traction and support, and thus a POSITA would have been motivated to incorporate targeted ads within a mobile application, such as the

mobile application taught by Lee. Based on Tran's teachings, a POSITA would have recognized the numerous benefits of targeted ads in mobile devices and applications and thus would have been motivated to incorporate Tran's teachings of mobile targeted advertising on both mobile devices and within applications. Accordingly, a POSITA would have been motivated to improve Lee's mobile photo editing application with Tran's targeted advertising capabilities.

107. With the implementation of mobile targeted advertising on mobile devices and applications, a POSITA would have been motivated to naturally consider generating revenue through mobile webpages or applications, particularly through targeted mobile ads. Furthermore, with targeted advertising, it would have been obvious for a POSITA to consider the marketing of specific brands through mobile ads to generate various revenue streams. Implementing targeted ads in mobile devices and applications to generate revenue streams (also with the incorporation of brand marketing capabilities) would have been both obvious and mere routine software development for a POSITA. Specifically, as Tran teaches, "advertising messages on wireless devices can be fine tuned so that they are relevant, personalized, and anticipated to the individual consumers" (Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0019]) and thus a POSITA would have recognized an explicit benefit and motivation to incorporate Tran's teachings of displaying advertisements on mobile phones, such as the mobile phone of Lee. Further, combining the teachings of

Tran's mobile cookie application and mobile advertising application, which displays advertisements on a user's mobile device (*see, e.g.*, Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0122]), with Lee's mobile phone would have been nothing more than combining these known prior art elements by known methods (*e.g.*, software programming to add Tran's advertising functionality to Lee's code) to yield the predictable result of a mobile phone with software capable of displaying advertisements.

108. Finally, a POSITA would have reasonably expected to succeed in improving mobile applications (such as Lee's mobile application which enables a user to modify a photo) through routine software development with the incorporation of Tran's targeted advertising and consumer profiling system capabilities. For example, a POSITA would have recognized the modification as involving nothing more than routine software programming, within the level of skill in the art, to incorporate code corresponding to the mobile cookie application functionality taught by Tran within the code of Lee's mobile application.

**C. Dependent claims 67-69**

**1. Claim 67: “wherein mobile revenues are created using the modified photo or application”**

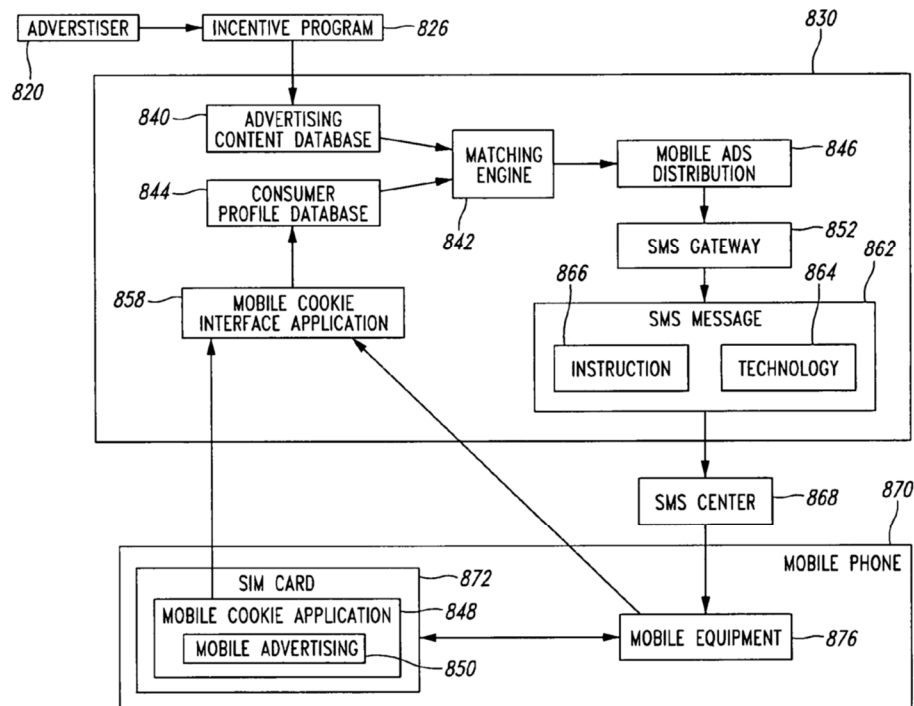
109. Tran teaches a consumer purchasing behavior profiling system on mobile devices that enables advertisers to send targeted advertising to consumers. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0018]. Tran acknowledges the “[r]ecent advancement of wireless devices such as mobile phones” and that “advertising messages on

wireless devices can be fine tuned so that they are relevant, personalized, and anticipated to the individual consumers.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0019].

110. Tran’s system includes a “Membership Service Provider,” which is “the entity providing service of distributing electronic coupons, discount offers, advertising messages, and ticket information to consumers.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0024]. The relationship between the consumer, membership service provider, retailers, and other service companies is illustrated in Tran’s Figure 1. Ex. 1008 [Tran], Fig. 1, [0021]-[0025]. Tran explains that the process works with the consumer submitting personal profile data, the service companies and retailers creating incentive programs, the membership service providing the advertisements to consumers, the consumers purchasing products or redeeming coupons, and the service providers reimbursing the retailers and membership service providers. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0026]-[0044]. The membership service provider creates revenue through a mobile application using Tran’s system. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0044].

111. Tran also discloses a “**mobile application suite**” with various applications and that the wireless ticket distribution and redemption system provides important benefits such as “**revenue recovery** from potentially unsold tickets” and “venue sponsors to launch more personalized incentive programs,” maximizing “profit margins.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0090], [0116].

112. In one implementation of Tran’s system, Tran describes a mobile cookie application for implementing advertisements in a nonintrusive manner. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0045], [0080], [0117]-[0119], [0122], Figs. 2, 7, and 8. Specifically, Tran’s “Mobile Cookie application 848” includes a “Mobile Advertising application 850” within the user’s mobile phone that “displays [an] ad.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0121]. Figure 8 illustrates the “Mobile Cookie application 848,” which resides on the SIM card 872 of a mobile phone. Ex. 1008 [Tran], Fig. 8, [0117]-[0140].



*Fig. 8*  
MOBILE COOKIE APPLICATION

113. The mobile cookie application 848 registers with the mobile phone’s operating system and requests it “to forward all messages with specific headers

and/or message types to the Mobile Cookie application 848.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0121]. When the membership service sends an ad, as described by the process in Figure 1, the mobile phone’s operating system recognizes the message is for the mobile cookie application. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0122]. The application then launches the “Mobile Advertising application 850” if the user is not using the mobile phone. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0122]. The Mobile Advertising application also determines which technology was used to send the ad and then follows the instructions for retrieving and displaying the ad. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0122].

114. Tran explains that once a user receives an advertising message, the system sends data about the consumer to the advertisers and manufacturers. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0059]-[0060], [0067], [0098], [0102]-[0104]. The advertisers and manufacturers in turn pay the membership service provider “for the services associated with distributing and clearing redeemed coupons.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0067], *see also id.* [0104]. Tran also describes important benefits of such mobile applications, including “revenue recovery from potentially unsold tickets” and “venue sponsors to launch more personalized incentive programs,” maximizing “profit margins.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0116].

115. A POSITA would have recognized that displaying (targeted) advertisements on mobile phones generates revenue for at least the party providing the advertisement display facility (e.g., the provider of Tran’s mobile cookie

application and mobile advertising application) and resources to display ads from the advertiser. It is a well-known concept that providing advertising space (e.g., billboards, radio advertising opportunities, television advertising opportunities) generates revenue for the party providing the display facility (e.g., the company owning the billboard, the radio station, or the television station in the above examples). This concept is also explicitly discussed, for example, in Reyck, which details a “broadcast scheduling system developed for a precision marketing firm” that sought to “maximiz[e] customer response and revenues from retailers paying for each ad broadcast.” Ex. 1016 [Reyck], 509.

116. Thus, by teaching a mobile device application that displays ads, which a POSITA would have recognized as creating revenue, a POSITA would have been motivated and found it obvious to combine the teachings of both Lee and Tran to render obvious that “mobile revenues are created using the modified photo or application” as recited in claim 67.

**2. Claim 68: “wherein the revenues include ads”**

117. As described above for claim 67, Tran teaches a consumer purchasing behavior profiling system on mobile devices that enables advertisers to send targeted advertising to consumers. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0018]. The membership service provider sends an ad, such as a coupon or incentive program, to the mobile phone, and returns consumer data in exchange for payment. Ex. 1008 [Tran],

[0026]-[0044]. When the ad is sent, a mobile cookie application stored on the mobile phone, retrieves and displays the advertisements on the consumer's mobile phone. Ex. 1008 [Tran], Fig. 8, [0117]-[0140]. The ad may be sent via Short Message Service (SMS), Multimedia Messaging Service (MMS), Java 2 Platform Micro Edition (J2ME), Binary Runtime Environment for Wireless (BREW), Wireless Application Protocol (WAP), and WAP Push. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0122]-[0123].

118. Tran discloses that “it is advantageous to have the ability to display an ad on the consumers’ wireless communication devices without requiring the consumer to initiate the ad viewing process and to observe in real-time the consumers’ responses to the **targeted ads**.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0118]. Tran also further contemplates the recent advancement of mobile phones and that “advertising messages on wireless devices can be fine tuned so that they are **relevant, personalized, and anticipated** to the individual consumers.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0019]. Finally, Tran discloses that the redemption system provides important benefits such as “**revenue recovery** from potentially unsold tickets” and “venue sponsors to launch more personalized incentive programs,” maximizing “**profit margins**.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0116].

119. Tran explains that once a user receives an advertising message and redeems or purchases items, the system sends data about the consumer to the



advertisers and manufacturers. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0059]-[0060], [0067], [0098], [0102]-[0104]. The advertisers and manufacturers in turn pay the membership service provider “for the services associated with distributing and clearing redeemed coupons.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0067], *see also id.* [0104].

120. Based on the above disclosures Tran teaches that “revenues include ads” as recited in claim 68.

**3. Claim 69: “wherein the revenues include brand marketing”**

121. Tran discloses a consumer purchasing behavior profiling system where consumer profiles are created based on various data points, including “**brand affinity**” and that this brand affinity “can include names of products and/or manufacturers that the consumers want to receive advertising messages from.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0118], [0047]. Also, Tran further contemplates the recent advancement of mobile phones and that “advertising messages on wireless devices can be fine tuned so that they are relevant, personalized, and anticipated to the individual consumers.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0019]. The membership service provider sends an ad, such as a coupon or incentive program, to the mobile phone, and returns consumer data in exchange for payment. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0026]-[0044]. The membership service provider constructs “personalized advertising messages” based on the consumer who will receive the coupon. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0059], *see also id.* [0052], [0088], [0127]-[0128].

122. Tran explains that once a user receives an advertising message and redeems or purchases items, the system sends data about the consumer to the advertisers and manufacturers. Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0059]-[0060], [0067], [0098], [0102]-[0104]. The advertisers and manufacturers in turn pay the membership service provider “for the services associated with distributing and clearing redeemed coupons.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0067], *see also id.* [0104].

123. Tran additionally discloses that the redemption system provides important benefits such as “**revenue recovery** from potentially unsold tickets” and “venue sponsors to launch more personalized incentive programs,” maximizing “profit margins.” Ex. 1008 [Tran], [0116]. It is a well-known concept that companies advertise to gain exposure for their brands, and thus a POSITA would have recognized brand marketing as a common method for generating revenue.

124. Based on the above, a POSITA would have recognized that Tran teaches that “revenues include brand marketing” as recited in claim 69.

**X. Ground 2A: Claims 60-65 are unpatentable over Lee in view of Poulin-910**

125. For the reasons discussed below, it is my opinion that claims 60-65 of the '192 patent would have been obvious to a POSITA in view of the combined teachings of Lee and Poulin-910.

126. As detailed above, I have been informed by Counsel of the written description standard in patent law. I have been informed that a patent's priority

applications must contain sufficient disclosures consistent with the written description standard to support the claims of the later patent for that later patent to claim the benefit of the filing date of the earlier priority applications.

127. I understand that the '192 patent issued from U.S. Application No. 13/673,692 (the "'692 application"), filed November 9, 2012. I understand that the '692 application was a continuation of U.S. Application No. 12/759,543, filed April 13, 2010, which in turn was a continuation of U.S. Application No. 11/449,958, filed June 9, 2006. The '692 application further claims priority to an earlier provisional application filed on June 10, 2005.

128. I understand this means that, for those claims of the '192 patent for which written description support appears in the '543 application or an earlier application, the claims of the '192 patent are considered to have been filed on the filing date of that earlier application for the purposes of determining, as to those claims, whether a reference will qualify as prior art.

129. I also understand that, for any claims of the '192 patent for which written description support ***does not*** appear in the earlier application (such as the '543 application), the '192 patent is not considered to have been filed on the date of the earlier application's filing. Thus, depending on the adequacy of written description support for any particular claim, the effective filing date for that particular claim may be as early as June 9, 2006 (i.e., the filing date of the '543

application or earlier, e.g., June 10, 2005), or as late as November 9, 2012, the filing date of the '692 application that issued as the '192 patent.

130. I understand that claims 60-69 of the '192 patent are being challenged in this inter partes review, with claim 60 being the independent claim. I have reviewed claim 60 and the '543 application to determine whether the claims of the '192 patent have written description support in the '543 application. In view of the limitations recited in independent claim 60, it is my opinion that independent claim 60 recites subject matter that is not expressly disclosed, and is not reasonably conveyed, by the '543 application.

131. I understand that this means that the '192 patent is only entitled to its actual filing date of November 9, 2012. I understand that this means that Poulin-910 qualifies as prior art to the '192 patent.

**A. The '192 patent's claims are not supported by its parent, the '543 Application**

132. As previewed above, I have been informed by Counsel that a patent's ancestor application must contain sufficient disclosures to support the claims of the patent. As I explained in the Legal Understanding section near the beginning of this declaration, a claim has sufficient written description support when the disclosure (including the as-filed claims) would have reasonably conveyed to a POSITA that the inventor was in possession of the claimed subject matter as of the filing date.

133. Claim 60 of the '192 patent recites an “application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device.” *See* Ex. 1001 ['192 patent], Claim 60. The dependent claims 61-69 recite further features of the application, including adding content (e.g., text, an image) to the photo, distributing the modified photo, managing or updating the modified photo or photo application, or creating mobile revenues. *See* Ex. 1001 ['192 patent], Claims 61-69.

134. For the reasons discussed below, it is my opinion that the '543 application (including its as-filed claims), which is the '192 patent's immediate parent, lacks the disclosure necessary to support the claims of the '582 patent.

135. All of the '192 patent's challenged claims require an “application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device.” *See* Ex. 1001 ['192 patent], Claim 60. The '543 application lacks any disclosure of such an application.

136. The '543 application describes a system and method for developing a mobile application, where the application may be a frame based application. Ex. 1004 ['543 App.], [0024]. The system comprises an emulator implemented on a computer for testing the developed frame based applications on an emulated mobile device. Ex. 1004 ['543 App.] [0024]-[0028]. However, the '543 application does not provide any specific examples of the frame based applications that are developed using the emulator. That is, the '543 application fails to provide

any specific examples of frame based applications that are developed using the disclosed emulator in the '543 application. In particular, as relevant to the limitations recited in the challenged claims, the '543 application does not describe or provide written description support for, or reasonably convey to a POSITA possession of, the development of any application that enables “a user to modify a photo on the mobile device” as required by claim 60.

137. At most, the '543 application states, in one portion, that a frame based application being developed using the emulator may include multiple frames. Those frames may include “graphics and/or action scripts that generate the graphical image for display.” Ex. 1004 ['543 App.] [0043]. Additionally, a frame may include “multiple graphic elements and/or action scripts that involve image manipulation (e.g., retrieving data from non-volatile storage, Avatar manipulations, animations, etc.)”, that is, the described frame based application with an action script may provide a software author the ability to create moving images within the application. But this does not disclose or reasonably convey to a POSITA possession of providing any ability for a **user** (i.e., a mobile device user) of an application to **modify** a photo, as would be required for written description support of claim 60. Accordingly, it is my opinion that the '543 application does not provide written description support for the full scope of claim 60 of the '192 patent.

138. Additionally, the '543 application does not describe the specific modifications to a photo that the application recited in claim 60 provides (by way of the limitations recited in the dependent claims), including adding content, such as text, a caption, an image, or animation. There is likewise no description of allowing the end user to distribute the modified photo or manage or update the modified photo or photo application through a server or other connection to the internet.

139. The '543 application's as-filed claims do not provide the requisite written description support, either. Those claims instead recite a system and method for emulating an application executing on a mobile device, not a mobile application, let alone a mobile application that enables a user to modify a photo.

140. In sum, nowhere does the '543 application, including its as-filed claims, describe or reasonably convey to a POSITA possession of a mobile application that enables a user to modify a photo, as required by claim 60, and accordingly, claim 60 does not have written description support in the '543 application. Based on this conclusion, it is my understanding that claims 60-69 of the '192 patent are not entitled to claim priority to the effective filing date of the '543 application or any effective filing date any earlier than the filing date of the application that matured into the '192 patent. I understand that this means that the proper priority date of the '192 patent is therefore no earlier than the filing date

of U.S. Application No. 13/673,692 that matured into the '192 patent: November 9, 2012. Accordingly, I understand that Poulin-910 qualifies as prior art and may be used against the '192 patent in an obviousness analysis.

**B. Motivation to Combine**

141. For the reasons detailed below, it is my opinion that a POSITA would have been motivated to combine the teachings of Lee with those of Poulin-910.

142. As a preliminary matter, Poulin-910, the patent that issued from the earliest non-provisional application in the '192 patent's alleged priority chain, is analogous art to the '192 patent, as both are within the field of endeavor of developing mobile device applications.

143. Lee discloses an application on a mobile device that allows users to modify photos. Ex. 1005 [Lee], 3:24-4:3 ("mobile phone users can edit photos or pictures and send them as photo mail"). However, Lee does not explain how the mobile device application was developed. A POSITA developing software (particularly software for mobile devices) prior to the '192 patent would have been aware of development environments for software, including software development environments for mobile applications, and thus would have been motivated to consider and combine the teachings of Poulin-910 of a software authoring platform which emulates characteristics indicative of performance of a mobile device when executing an application. Further, a POSITA would have recognized that models



for the software development processes included various steps of testing, debugging, and validation, and thus would have combined the teachings of a testing environment for software development (like Poulin-910), when developing a photo modification application like disclosed in Lee.

144. As one example of the well-known nature of software authoring platforms for emulating hardware characteristics indicative of performance of a mobile device when executing an application, in 2005, a professor described his “senior and graduate course on pervasive computing taught at the American University of Beirut” that included “a strong programming component that includes three different platforms for developing mobile applications.” Ex. 1010 [Artail], p. 92. Professor Artail described how his course focused on “three integrated development environment (IDE) packages” for various mobile device platforms: “Microsoft’s Visual Studio .NET 2003 for developing WinCE applications, Metrowerks’ CodeWarrior for developing Palm OS applications, and Sun’s Open Network Environment Studio 5 Mobile Edition for developing J2ME applications.” Ex. 1010 [Artail], p. 93. The article also noted that “[f]or testing and deployment, students depend mostly on the emulators that come with the three development environments.” Ex. 1010 [Artail], p. 93. A POSITA would understand that the state of the mobile application development and testing as of

2005 relied on emulators to test mobile applications as part of developing mobile applications.

145. As another example of the well-known nature of software authoring platforms for emulating hardware characteristics indicative of performance of a mobile device when executing an application, a 2004 article titled “A development environment for intelligent applications on mobile devices,” detailed the challenges and potential solutions when constructing “intelligent systems” and applications ... targeted at a range of different mobile devices.” Ex. 1011 [Hall], p. 482. The Hall article detailed “a number of applications and environments that have been developed to permit the development of intelligent applications for mobile devices” (i.e., software authoring platforms) that address issues including application “portability across multiple platforms for intelligent applications” using “the use of integrated development environments.” Ex. 1011 [Hall], p. 482-483. The Hall article described an IDE called “MADE ... used to construct prototype intelligent systems that are ultimately to be targeted at a range of mobile devices.” Ex. 1011 [Hall], p. 485. The article explains that “[o]nce a working intelligent system has been constructed using MADE, target versions of the working software can be generated for a range of mobile devices” and then “tested using an emulator.” Ex. 1011 [Hall], p. 486. Thus, the Hall article shows that it

was known for software authoring platforms (e.g., its IDE called MADE) to be used to develop software and known for emulators to be used to test the software.

146. Another researcher, Ichiro Satoh, published a new approach for “testing software designed to run on mobile terminals” in 2004. Ex. 1017 [Satoh], p. 58. Satoh explained that “4G wireless networks make it increasingly difficult to develop and test application software for mobile terminals in comparison with 3G or earlier generations.” Ex. 1017 [Satoh], p. 58. In order “[t]o construct correct software to run in mobile terminals for 4G wireless networks and wireless LANs, it must be tested in all the networks to which the terminal could be moved and be connected,” Satoh “present[ed] a new approach, called Flying Emulator, to test[] software designed to run on mobile terminals.” Ex. 1017 [Satoh], p. 58. The emulator allowed the view of graphical user interface (GUI) data during use of the tested software. Satoh’s Flying Emulator uses multiple windows in a graphical user interface to control the emulation and test the software. *See, e.g.*, Ex. 1017 [Satoh], p. 63. Thus, like the articles above, the Satoh article shows that it was known to develop software for mobile devices and test that software using an emulator.

147. Other researchers noted that “[s]oftware development for mobile devices has become very popular in the last few years” and there were “hundreds of programmable micro devices on the market.” Ex. 1018 [Young] at Abstract (ii).

There was a desire to “save a great deal of time and effort to program an application in a way that allows it to run on all of these devices without modification.” Ex. 1018 [Young] at Abstract (ii). Young “designed and implemented a prototype application in J2ME and tested the execution and build process on a variety of micro devices and emulators.” Ex. 1018 [Young], p. 4. Specifically, Young “designed a mobile application”: “a photo album (image viewer) appropriate for cellular phones, personal digital organizers or Blackberry devices.” Ex. 1018 [Young], p. 11. The application was designed to “run on multiple devices with different variations in API support.” Ex. 1018 [Young], p. 11. Young tested one version of its MobilePhoto application “on a number of device emulators from different vendors” including Nokia, Palm, Motorola, and RIM. Ex. 1018 [Young], p. 18. As of 2005, a POSITA would have understood that developing mobile photo applications was well-known and testing such applications was part of the software development process.

148. Based on the above knowledge of a POSITA, it was therefore well-known that, during the software development process for an application for mobile devices, that mobile applications would have been developed for many varying types of mobile devices, and thus it was known and desirable to test the mobile application on multiple types of varying mobile device hardware and characteristics, and to do so using emulators. Indeed, long before the ’192 patent,

the computing industry had also sought to develop software applications in a manner than would permit running applications on multiple types of varying devices for maximum compatibility. *See, e.g.*, Ex. 1032 [Curtin], p. 1 (describing the “Write Once, Run Anywhere” philosophy of the Java programming language, which was intended to support development of applications that could run on different types of computers).

149. Consistent with this knowledge in the art, a POSITA would have recognized Poulin-910’s software authoring tool as an example similar to the many software development tools available before the earliest effective filing date of the ’192 patent that allowed developers to develop mobile applications and test those applications by emulating hardware characteristics of multiple mobile devices to test the applications. Thus, utilizing a software authoring tool like Poulin-910’s to develop a mobile application like the application disclosed in Lee would have been nothing more than using or applying a widely known technique (software development tools including the ability for emulating mobile devices) to a known method (e.g., development of mobile device applications, like Lee’s mobile device application), which would have improved the process of software development for Lee’s mobile applications, and would have resulted in the predictable result of a mobile device application developed using a software development tool with emulation capabilities.

150. A POSITA would have also been motivated to develop Lee's mobile application using Poulin-910's software authoring tool because Poulin-910 provides an express motivation to do so, which would have been known to a POSITA. Poulin-910 acknowledges that "[w]hen an application is targeted to play on many types of mobile device, it must be transferred and tested on a mobile device representative of each targeted mobile device type" but this "transferring and testing process is time-consuming and therefore costly for the application author." Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 1:58-62. Poulin-910 purports to provide a solution to this problem, as it teaches a development system whereby "[c]haracteristics for each mobile device to be emulated may be downloaded from a server for a determined price" that would "save each developer purchasing each target mobile device ... as well as alleviating the need to travel to a wireless network location whilst testing each mobile device before public release, two substantial development and release costs." Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 12:26-43. Poulin-910 also notes that the increase in the numbers of mobile devices "requires that applications designed to run on these mobile devices also sustain rapid development" and provides techniques for such rapid development. Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 12:26-43. Thus, a POSITA would have recognized an express motivation to combine Poulin-910's teachings, e.g., reduced software development costs and faster software development.

151. Thus, a POSITA would have recognized that combining Lee and Poulin-910 would have been nothing more than the combination of known prior art elements (Lee's mobile device application and Poulin-910's software development environment for mobile device applications) according to known methods (developing an application using a development environment). Additionally, a POSITA would have recognized an express motivation to combine Poulin-910's teachings in order to streamline and reduce software development costs which would also lead to more efficient, faster (mobile) software development. Finally, a POSITA would have reasonably expected to succeed in developing Lee's mobile application (which enables a user to modify a photo) using the software authoring tool disclosed by Poulin-910, because combining the teachings of Poulin-910 and Lee merely involves applying Poulin-910's widely known software development environment to a particular, well known piece of software, an image modification tool.

**C. Independent Claim 60**

**1. Preamble: "A system comprising"**

152. To the extent the preamble is limiting, Lee discloses it for the same reasons detailed above in Section VII.B.1.

**2. Limitation 60[a]: “an application configured to enable a user to modify a photo on the mobile device”**

153. Lee discloses or renders obvious limitation 60[a] of claim 60 for the same reasons as detailed above in Section VII.B.2.

**3. 60[b]: wherein the application is developed using a software authoring platform configured to simultaneously visually emulate, via one or more profile display windows, a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application**

154. As noted above, Lee does not explicitly disclose how its application is developed. However, a POSITA would have combined teachings of a software development environment to develop Lee’s application, and in particular, for the reasons stated above, would have been motivated to combine the teachings of Poulin-910’s software authoring platform to develop the application of Lee.

155. Poulin-910 describes developing an application using its software authoring platform. For example, Poulin-910 states that an “[a]pplication 104 may be developed using a frame based application development tool 112.” Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 3:38-40; *see also* Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 3:38-58 (the mobile application is “transferred to emulator 101 for playing within mobile device model 102 to estimate resource usage of application 104 when played on mobile device 114” and the “emulator 101 is integrated with flash development tool 112 to form an authoring environment 122 that facilitates development and testing of



application 104”). Thus, Poulin-910 teaches “the application is developed using a software authoring platform.”

156. Next, Poulin-910 teaches emulating “a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application.” Poulin-910 explains that it provides a “system 100 for emulating and profiling a frame based application 104 playing on a mobile device 114.” Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 3:19-31. Poulin-910 further states that “Emulator 101 generates a mobile device model 102, based upon mobile device characteristics 115 of mobile device 114.” Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 3:19-31. The emulator in Poulin-910 also includes “model algorithms 148 [that] define operation of mobile device 114 based upon mobile device characteristics.” *Id.*, 4:10-19. Further, Table 1 below includes an exemplary list of characteristics of the mobile device, including processor speed and storage access speed. A POSITA would have recognized at least the mobile device characteristics in Table 1 to teach “hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application” as recited. For example, in Table 1 below, a POSITA would have known that “Processor Speed,” “Processor Availability,” “RAM Availability,” “Storage Availability,” and other characteristics would be “indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application.” *See, e.g.*, Ex. 1019 [Microsoft Computer Dictionary], p. 55 (“benchmark[] n. A test used to measure hardware or software performance.

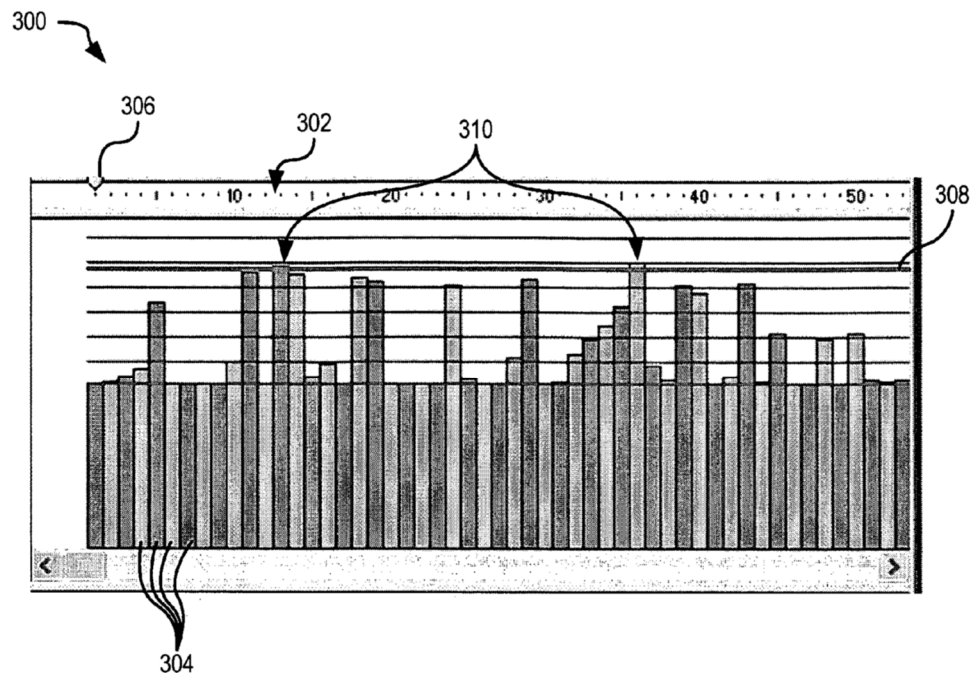
Benchmarks for hardware use programs that test the capabilities of the equipment—for example, the speed at which a CPU can execute instructions....”).

TABLE 1

| Mobile Device Characteristics |                   |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Parameter                     | Value             |
| Name                          | NOKIA 3650        |
| Processor                     | ARM 4T            |
| Processor Speed               | 104 MHz           |
| Storage Access Speed          | 5.88 files/second |
| RAM Size                      | 256 MB            |
| Storage Size                  | 512 MB            |
| Display Width                 | 256               |
| Display Height                | 394               |
| Pixel Depth                   | 24                |
| Processor Availability        | 60%               |
| RAM Availability              | 60%               |
| Storage Availability          | 40%               |

157. In addition, Poulin-910 teaches that its software authoring platform is “configured to simultaneously visually emulate, via one or more profile display windows, a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application.” For instance, Poulin-910 teaches displaying resource utilization of each frame of the application as it is played in real time on the emulated mobile device. Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 6:51-65 (explaining that “one or more profiler modules 202, 204, 206 and 208 within profiler 106 monitor resource utilization of each frame, storing results as profiled data 152” which is then “displayed as a frame based profile data 110 on display 140 for review by the user”). For example, in Figure 3, Poulin-910 shows a display

with a timeline of the application where each vertical bar indicates resource utilization of the processor of the emulated device. Ex. 1009 [Poulin-910], 6:65-7:22 (“display 300 is shown with a timeline 302 that represents timeline 222 of application 104” and “each bar 304 indicates processor resource utilization for certain frames 223 of application 104”).



**FIG. 3**

158. Although Poulin only shows a single “profile display window,” it would have been obvious for a POSITA to display multiple such windows to show, for instance, where one window shows the processor performance of the emulated mobile device, and a second window shows the storage performance of the emulated mobile device.

159. Accordingly, Poulin-910 teaches an “application” that “is developed using a software authoring platform configured to simultaneously visually emulate, via one or more profile display windows, a plurality of hardware characteristics indicative of performance of the mobile device when executing the application.”

160. The combined teachings of both Lee and Poulin-910 therefore render obvious claim 60’s limitations as recited.

**D. Dependent claims 61-65**

161. Dependent claims 61-65 are disclosed or rendered obvious by Lee’s teachings for the same reasons as set forth above in the analysis of Ground 1A.

**XI. Ground 2B: Claim 66 is unpatentable over Lee in view of Poulin-910 and Jiang**

162. Claim 66 is rendered obvious by the combined teachings of Lee, Poulin-910, and Jiang for the same reasons as set forth above in the analysis of Ground 1B.

**XII. Ground 2C: Claims 67-69 are unpatentable over Lee in view of Poulin-910 and Tran**

163. Claims 67-69 are rendered obvious by the combined teachings of Lee, Poulin-910, and Tran for the same reasons as set forth above in the analysis of Ground 1C.

### **XIII. CONCLUSION**

All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. Further, I am aware that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on July 15, 2025, in Barcelona, Spain.

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| 2024       | Most Influential Paper Award, IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering   |
| 2023       | Alumni Hall of Fame, School of Information and Computer Sciences,<br>University of California, Irvine                   |
| 2023       | IEEE Computer Society Golden Core Member  |
| 2022       | Elected Member of IFIP Working Group 2.4 – Software Implementation<br>Technologies                                      |
| 2020       | ACM SIGSOFT Distinguished Service Award   |
| 2020       | Most Influential Paper Award, International Symposium on Software Engineering<br>for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems |
| 2018       | Distinguished Engineering Merit Award, Orange County Engineering Council  |
| 2018       | Best Paper Award, International Conference on Software Architecture   |
| 2017       | Best Tool-Paper Award, International Conference on Automated Software<br>Engineering                                    |
| 2017       | Best Paper Award, International Conference on Software Architecture   |
| 2016       | Fellow, IEEE  |
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| 2009       | Best Poster Award, International Conference on Program Comprehension  |
| 2008       | Most Influential Paper Award, International Conference on Software Engineering  |
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## 4 Selected Statistics

- *Total number of citations* (scholar.google.com) 21,356
- *h-index* (scholar.google.com) 65
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- N7** Yuriy Brun and **Nenad Medvidović**. Discreetly Distributing Computation via Self-Assembly. USC Center for Systems and Software Engineering Technical Report, USC-CSSE-2007-714, April 2007.
- N8** David Woollard, Chris A. Mattmann, and **Nenad Medvidović**. Injecting Software Architectural Constraints into Legacy Scientific Applications. USC Center for Software Engineering Technical Report, USC-CSE-2007-701, January 2007.
- N9** Chiyoung Seo, Sam Malek, and **Nenad Medvidović**. An Energy Consumption Framework for Distributed Java-Based Software Systems. Technical Report USC-CSE-2006-604, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, December 2006.
- N10** Sam Malek, Marija Mikic-Rakic, and **Nenad Medvidović**. A Decentralized Redeployment Algorithm for Improving the Availability of Distributed Systems. Technical Report USC-CSE-2004-506, USC Center for Software Engineering, March 2004.
- N11** Nikunj Mehta and **Nenad Medvidović**. Checking Style Conformance of Software Architectural Compositions. Technical Report USC-CSE-2004-504, USC Center for Software Engineering, February 2004.
- N12** Nikunj Mehta and **Nenad Medvidović**. Composition of Style-Based Software Architectures from Architectural Primitives. Technical Report USC-CSE-2004-503, USC Center for Software Engineering, February 2004.
- N13** Nikunj Mehta and **Nenad Medvidović**. Toward Composition Of Style-Conformant Software Architectures. Technical Report USC-CSE-2004-500, USC Center for Software Engineering, January 2004.
- N14** Marija Mikic-Rakic, Sam Malek, and **Nenad Medvidović**. Improving Availability in Large, Distributed, Component-Based Systems via Redeployment. Technical Report USC-CSE- 2003-515, USC Center for Software Engineering, December 2003.
- N15** Nikunj Mehta and **Nenad Medvidović**. Concise Composition of Architectural Styles from Architectural Primitives. Technical Report USC-CSE-2003-510, USC Center for Software Engineering, October 2003
- N16** Roshanak Roshandel and **Nenad Medvidović**. Relating Software Component Models. Technical Report USC-CSE-2003-504, USC Center for Software Engineering, March 2003.
- N17** Nikunj R. Mehta and **Nenad Medvidović**. Distilling Software Architecture Primitives from Architectural Styles. Technical Report USC-CSE-2002-509, USC Center for Software Engineering, September 2002.

- N18** Marija Mikic-Rakic and **Nenad Medvidović**. Software Architecture-Based Development Support for Ubiquitous Systems. Technical Report USC-CSE-2002-508, USC Center for Software Engineering, September 2002.
- N19** Ebru Dincel, **Nenad Medvidović**, and Andre van der Hoek. An Example Product Line Architecture: The Library System. Technical Report USC-CSE-2002-507, USC Center for Software Engineering, September 2002.
- N20** Ebru Dincel, **Nenad Medvidović**, and Andre van der Hoek. An Example Product Line Architecture: Troops Deployment System. Technical Report USC-CSE-2002-506, USC Center for Software Engineering, September 2002.
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- N22** Marija Mikic-Rakic, **Nenad Medvidović**, and Vladimir Jakobac. Middleware for Software Architecture-Based Development in Distributed, Mobile, and Resource-Constrained Environments. Technical Report USC-CSE-2002-501, USC Center for Software Engineering, February 2002.
- N23** **Nenad Medvidović** and Marija Mikic-Rakic. Architectural Support for Programming-in-the-Many. Technical Report USC-CSE-2001-506, USC Center for Software Engineering, September 2001.
- N24** Ebru Dincel, Roshanak Roshandel, and **Nenad Medvidović**. ADL-Independent Architectural Representation in XML. Technical Report USC-CSE-00-519, USC Center for Software Engineering, May 2000.
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- N26** **Nenad Medvidović**, Peyman Oreizy, Richard N. Taylor, Rohit Khare, and Michael Guntersdorfer. An Architecture-Centered Approach to Software Environment Integration. Technical Report USC-CSE-00-516, USC Center for Software Engineering, March 2000.
- N27** Nikunj R. Mehta, **Nenad Medvidović**, and Marija Rakic. Why Consider Implementation-Level Decisions in Software Architectures? Technical Report USC-CSE-00-514, USC Center for Software Engineering, February 2000.
- N28** Alexander Egyed, Paul Gruenbacher, and **Nenad Medvidović**. Refinement and Evolution Issues between Requirements and Product Line Architectures. Technical Report USC-CSE-00-515, USC Center for Software Engineering, February 2000.
- N29** **Nenad Medvidović**, David S. Rosenblum, and Richard N. Taylor. A Type Theory for Software Architectures. Technical Report, UCI-ICS-98-14, Department of Information and Computer Science, University of California, Irvine, April 1998.
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- N32** Jason E. Robbins, E. James Whitehead Jr., **Nenad Medvidović**, and Richard N. Taylor. A Software Architecture Design Environment for Chiron-2 Style Architectures. Arcadia Technical Report UCI-95-01, University of California, Irvine, January 1995.

## 7 Research Support

### Current Support

- G1** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Sole PI at USC; collaborative proposal with Georgia Institute of Technology and UC Irvine  
A General Framework for Automated Test Transfer  
Duration: 10/1/21 - 9/30/25  
Grant Number: 2105871  
Award Amount to USC: \$400,000

### Past Support

- G2** Department of Homeland Security  
Sole PI; subcontract to Rochester Institute of Technology  
National Vulnerability Intelligence Platform  
Duration: 1/1/23 - 10/1/23  
Subcontract Amount: \$493,522
- G3** Google Research  
Sole PI  
Automatic Program Patching and Synthesis  
Duration: 5/1/22 - 12/31/23  
Award Amount: \$50,000
- G4** National Science Foundation — Community Infrastructure Planning  
Sole PI at USC; lead institution on collaborative proposal with UC Irvine, Rochester Institute of Technology, University of Hawaii, Drexel University, and Stevens Institute of Technology  
Constructing a Community-Wide Software Architecture Infrastructure  
Duration: 9/1/18 - 8/31/23  
Grant Number: 1823354  
Award Amount to USC: \$684,000
- G5** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Sole PI  
Rooting Out Data- and Control-Flow Anomalies in Event-Based Systems Duration: 8/15/17 - 7/31/22  
Grant Number: 1717963  
Award Amount: \$500,000

- G6** Office of Naval Research  
Co-PI  
Ensuring Security of Android Software via Tailorable Multi-Layer Customization  
Co-PIs: Chao Wang, USC (lead PI)  
William GJ Halfond, USC  
Duration: 9/1/17 - 8/31/21  
Grant Number: N00014-17-1-2896  
Award Amount: \$1,082,320
- G7** Google  
Sole PI  
Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt  
Duration: 10/1/19 - 4/30/21  
Award Amount: \$42,500
- G8** National Science Foundation — Community Infrastructure Planning  
Sole PI  
Planning and Prototyping a Community-Wide Software Architecture Instrument  
Duration: 8/1/16 - 7/31/19  
Grant Number: 1629977  
Award Amount: \$70,000
- G9** Huawei Technologies  
Sole PI  
Advanced Support for Software Architecture Recovery and Maintenance  
Duration: 2/15/18 - 2/14/19  
Award Amount: \$200,000
- G10** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Sole PI  
Techniques for Pruning Problem and Solution Spaces to Enable Methodical Exploration  
of Software Development Alternatives  
Duration: 6/1/16 - 5/31/19  
Grant Number: 1618231  
Award Amount: \$500,000
- G11** Huawei Technologies  
Sole PI  
Automated, Intelligent Support for Architecture-Based Forward- and Reverse-  
Engineering  
Duration: 12/1/16 - 11/30/17  
Award Amount: \$145,000
- G12** Northrop Grumman  
Sole PI  
Parametric and Simulation Models Research and Calibration  
Duration: 8/16/2014 - 5/15/2017  
Award Amount: \$30,000

- G13** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Co-PI  
Helping Developers Improve the Energy Consumption of Smartphone Applications  
Co-PIs: William GJ Halford, USC (lead PI)  
Ramesh Govindan, USC  
Duration: 7/1/13 - 6/30/17  
Grant Number: 1321141  
Award Amount: \$500,000
- G14** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Sole PI  
From Scenario-Based Software Requirements to Component-Level Behavior  
Duration: 9/01/12 - 8/31/16  
Grant Number: 1218115  
Award Amount: \$500,000
- G15** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Sole PI  
Automating the Detection of Architectural Degradation in Software Systems  
Duration: 8/01/11 - 7/31/15  
Grant Number: 1117593  
Award Amount: \$300,000
- G16** Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)  
Lead PI  
Testing Privacy-Preserving Distributed Systems on SAFERlab  
Co-PIs: Yuriy Brun, University of Massachusetts  
Sam Malek, George Mason University  
Contract Number: N66001-11-C-4021  
Duration: 11/1/13 - 2/28/15  
Award Amount: \$300,000
- G17** Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity (IARPA)  
Lead PI  
OpTile: Private Computing in the Open  
Co-PIs: Yuriy Brun, University of Massachusetts  
Sam Malek, George Mason University  
Contract Number: N66001-13-1-2006  
Duration: 9/27/13 - 9/26/14  
Award Amount: \$300,000
- G18** Northrop Grumman  
Sole PI  
Architectural Transformation of Legacy Systems to Future Systems  
Duration: 1/1/14 - 5/15/14  
Award Amount: \$30,000

- G19** Northrop Grumman  
Sole PI  
Domain-Specific Modeling and Simulation in Collaborative Software Development Projects  
Duration: 8/16/13 - 5/15/14  
Award Amount: \$10,000
- G20** Infosys Technologies Ltd.  
Sole PI  
CoDesign - A Collaborative Software Design Environment  
Duration: 10/1/11 - 8/31/14  
Award Amount: \$200,000
- G21** Northrop Grumman  
Sole PI  
Domain-Specific Modeling and Simulation  
Duration: 8/16/12 - 5/15/13  
Award Amount: \$10,000
- G22** Northrop Grumman  
Sole PI  
Exploring Design Alternatives in Software-Intensive Projects  
Duration: 8/16/11 - 5/15/12  
Award Amount: \$10,000
- G23** National Science Foundation — Software and Hardware Foundations  
Lead PI  
Early Reliability Modeling and Prediction of Embedded Software Systems  
Duration: 3/01/10 - 8/31/12  
Co-PIs: Leana Golubchik, USC  
Gaurav Sukhatme, USC  
Grant Number: 0905665  
Award Amount: \$210,000
- G24** Stevens Institute of Technology — Systems Engineering Research Center  
Sole PI  
Requirements for Net-Centric Enterprises (RT-25)  
Duration: 10/1/10 - 12/31/11  
Award Amount: \$270,298
- G25** National Science Foundation — Software for Real-World Systems  
Sole PI at USC; collaborative proposal with UC Irvine  
Recombinant Services - Recasting the Web for Continuously Evolving Systems  
Duration: 9/15/08 - 8/31/11  
Grant Number: 0820170  
Award Amount to USC: \$193,670



- G26** Office of Secretary of Defense — UAST  
Sole PI; subcontract to MIT  
A Prescriptive and Adaptive Testing Framework (PATFrame) for Unmanned and Autonomous Systems of Systems  
Duration: 10/1/09 - 9/30/10  
Subcontract Amount: \$128,649
- G27** Infosys Technologies Ltd.  
Sole PI  
An Extensible Infrastructure for Collaborative Architecture-Based Development of Distributed Software-Intensive Systems  
Duration: 9/1/08 - 12/31/10  
Grant Number: 0208  
Award Amount: \$200,000
- G28** Jet Propulsion Laboratory — SURP  
Co-PI  
Reconfigurable Software for Recovering from Component Failures in Long Duration Missions  
Co-PIs: Gaurav Sukhatme, USC (co-PI)  
Duration: 9/1/09 - 5/31/10  
Award Amount: \$75,000
- G29** National Institutes of Health Co-PI  
Mobile Device Biomonitoring to Prevent and Treat Obesity in Underserved Minority Youth  
Duration: 8/1/08 - 7/31/10  
Co-PIs: Donna Spruijt-Metz, USC (lead PI)  
Murali Annavaram, USC  
Urbashi Mitra, USC  
Shrikanth Narayanan, USC  
Gaurav Sukhatme, USC  
Award Amount: \$948,348
- G30** Robert Bosch Research and Technology Centers  
Sole PI  
Software Architectural Support for Embedded Systems  
Duration: 3/1/06 - 5/31/09  
Award Amount: \$470,000
- G31** National Science Foundation — Information Technology Research  
Sole PI  
Software Architectural Support for Programming-in-the-Small-and-Many  
Duration: 9/1/03 - 8/31/09  
Grant Number: 0312780  
Award Amount: \$448,000

- G32** National Science Foundation — Computer Systems Research  
Lead PI  
Engineering Reliability into Hybrid Systems: A Compositional and Hierarchical Approach  
Duration: 8/01/07 - 7/31/09  
Co-PIs: Leana Golubchik, USC  
Grant Number: 0720612  
Award Amount: \$40,000
- G33** U.S. Army  
Co-PI  
Future Combat Systems Software Definition, Design, Development, and Deployment  
Duration: 1/1/08 - 12/31/08  
Co-PIs: Barry Boehm (lead PI)  
Award Amount: \$425,000
- G34** IBM Real-Time Innovation  
Sole PI  
Prism-RT: A Java-Based Architectural Middleware Platform for Real-Time Embedded Systems  
Duration: 12/1/2007 - 12/31/08  
Award Amount: \$20,000
- G35** National Science Foundation — Science of Design  
Co-PI  
Value-Based Science of Design  
Duration: 12/15/04 - 11/30/08  
Co-PIs: Barry W. Boehm, USC (lead PI)  
Grant Number: 0438931  
Award Amount: \$400,000
- G36** National Science Foundation — Computer Systems Research  
Lead PI  
Engineering Reliability Into Hybrid Systems via Rich Design Models  
Duration: 7/1/05 - 6/30/07  
Co-PIs: Leana Golubchik, USC  
Grant Number: 0509539  
Award Amount: \$100,000
- G37** National Science Foundation — Federal Cyber Service: Scholarship for Service  
Co-PI  
An Innovative Information Assurance and Security Technology Capacity Development and Outreach Program  
Duration: 8/1/04 - 7/31/07  
Co-PIs: Leana Golubchik, USC (lead PI)  
B. Clifford Neuman, USC  
Gerard Medioni, USC  
Grant Number: 0417274  
Award Amount: \$300,000

- G38** Okawa Research Foundation  
Sole PI  
The GridLite DREAM: Bringing the Grid to Your Pocket  
Duration: 10/1/05 - 9/30/06  
Award Amount: \$10,000
- G39** Boeing  
Sole PI  
C4ISR SADD Development Assistance (FCS)  
Duration: 10/1/05 - 3/31/06  
Award Amount: \$100,000
- G40** Jet Propulsion Laboratory Sole PI  
Software Connectors for Data Distribution  
Duration: 7/1/05 - 8/31/05  
Award Amount: \$18,144
- G41** NASA High-Dependability Computing Consortium  
Co-PI  
Empirical Research on High Dependability Computing  
Duration: 4/1/01 - 3/31/06  
Co-PIs: Barry W. Boehm, USC (lead PI)  
Award Amount: \$2,500,000
- G42** National Science Foundation — CAREER  
Sole PI  
Architecture-Based Support for Software Application Families  
Duration: 7/1/00 - 6/30/05  
Grant Number: 9985441  
Award Amount: \$241,000
- G43** Boeing  
Sole PI  
Software Architecture-Based Development of Product Lines for the Tactical Radio Domain  
Duration: 1/1/04 - 12/31/04  
Award Amount: \$57,500
- G44** Jet Propulsion Laboratory  
Sole PI  
Extensible Architectural Technology for Managing Complex Space Data Systems  
Duration: 11/1/03 - 8/31/04  
Contract Number: 579951  
Award Amount: \$50,000

- G45** Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)  
Lead PI  
 Dynamic Assembly, Assessment, Assurance, and Adaptation via Heterogeneous Software Connectors  
 Duration: 7/1/00 - 10/31/03  
 Co-PIs: Barry W. Boehm, USC  
 Contract Number: F30602-00-2-0615  
 Award Amount: \$460,000
- G46** Jet Propulsion Laboratory  
Sole PI  
 Relating State-Based and Component/Connector-Based Architectural Styles  
 Duration: 8/1/00 - 8/31/03  
 Contract Number: 1219801  
 Award Amount: \$95,672
- G47** U.S. Army Tank-Automotive and Armaments Command  
Sole PI  
 COTS Components and Connectors  
 Duration: 9/1/01 - 3/31/03  
 Contract Number: 1400508  
 Award Amount: \$68,350
- G48** Xerox Corporation  
Sole PI  
 Architecting Application Families  
 Duration: 9/1/00 - 8/31/02  
 Award Amount: \$60,000
- G49** Intel Corporation  
Lead PI  
 Embedded Systems Lab: A Teaching and Research Facility  
 Award Date: July 2001, July 2002  
 Co-PIs: Gaurav Sukhatme, USC  
 Award Amount: \$95,000 (in equipment and cash)
- G50** Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)  
Sole PI; subcontract to UC Irvine  
 Architecture-Centric Dynamic Adaptation of Deeply Networked Embedded Systems  
 Duration: 9/23/99 - 1/22/01  
 Contract Number: F30602-99-C-0174  
 Subcontract Amount: \$92,500

## 8 Patents

- 07/2022 Latency Minimization in Mobile Applications  
 U.S. Patent 11,379,551
- 11/2020 SEALANT: Security for End-users of Android via Light-weight ANalysis Techniques  
 U.S. Patent 10,827,349
- 12/2012 Tile Architectural Style for Privacy-Preserved Distributed Computing  
 U.S. Patent 8,332,457

## 9 Teaching

### University of Southern California

#### Courses Developed and Taught

- T1** CSCI 699 — Software Forensics  
Ph.D.-level seminar  
Spring 2020
- T2** CSCI 578 — Software Architectures  
Graduate-level course, a core course for the M.S. specialization in Software Engineering  
Spring 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018  
Fall 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014; 2019, 2020
- T3** CSCI 310 — Software Engineering  
Upper-division undergraduate course Spring 2021  
Fall 2016, 2017
- T4** CSCI 589 — Software Engineering for Embedded Systems  
Graduate-level course  
Fall 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2015
- T5** CSCI 499 — Modeling Software-Intensive Systems  
Upper-division undergraduate / lower-division graduate seminar  
Spring 2011
- T6** CSCI 377 — Introduction to Software Engineering  
Upper-division undergraduate course  
Fall 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
- T7** CSCI 599 — Formal Methods in Software Architectures  
Graduate seminar  
Fall 2000
- T8** CSCI 599 — Current Issues in Software Architectures  
Graduate seminar  
Fall 1999

#### Courses Developed

- T9** CSCI 568 — Requirements Engineering  
Graduate-level course, a core course for the Certificate in Software Architecture

#### Courses Taught

- T10** CSCI 591 — Computer Science Research Colloquium  
M.S.-level research seminar series  
Fall 2023
- T11** CSCI 477 — Design and Construction of Large Software Systems  
Upper division undergraduate / lower-division graduate course  
Spring 2003

## Other Universities

- T12** Mining Software Repositories for Architectural Knowledge  
International Summer School on Software Engineering, Salerno, Italy  
Graduate, half-day course  
July 2017
- T13** Software Architecture and Robotics  
LASER Summer School  
Advanced graduate, one-week course  
September 2017
- T14** Software Architectures  
Universidad Politécnica de Madrid, Spain  
Graduate, one-week course, part of European Master of Software Engineering program  
March 2011
- T15** Advanced Software Architectures  
Politecnico di Milano, Italy  
Graduate course  
July 2010  
Two-week course, part of PoliMi's Ph.D. program
- T16** Software Architecture  
University of Buenos Aires, Argentina  
Graduate, one-week course  
Part of UBA's Winter School  
August 2009
- T17** NSEN 6111 — Software Architectures  
Walden University, USA  
Graduate online course  
Co-taught with Richard N. Taylor and Eric Dashofy  
Spring 2008

## Industry

- T18** Advanced Topics in Software Architecture  
Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd., Suwon, South Korea  
2-day professional development course  
June 2013
- T19** Software Architecture  
Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd., Suwon, South Korea  
3-day professional development course  
June 2013
- T20** Software Architecture  
Infosys Technologies Ltd., Mysore, India  
3-week professional development course  
December 2009

**T21** Software Architectures  
Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA  
10-week professional development course  
Spring 2001, 2002; Summer 2001, 2002

## **Teaching Assistantships**

- T22** ICS 121 — Introduction to Software Engineering  
Junior/senior-level undergraduate course (Summer 1994)  
University of California, Irvine
- T23** ICS 141 — Programming Languages  
Junior/senior-level undergraduate course (Spring 1994)  
University of California, Irvine
- T24** ICS 52 — Systematic Software Construction  
Sophomore-level undergraduate course (Fall 1993, Winter 1994)  
University of California, Irvine
- T25** CSE 460/598 — Software Project Management and Development I  
Senior-level undergraduate course (Fall 1992, Spring 1993, Summer 1993)  
Arizona State University

## **10 Supervised Students**

### **Current Doctoral Students - Advisor**

- Satyaki Das  
Start date: August 2021
- Syeda Tasnim Fabiha  
Start date: August 2022
- Abid Hassan  
Start date: August 2023
- Jincheng He  
Start date: August 2020
- Tooraj Helmi  
Start date: August 2020
- Tuan Ngo  
Start date: August 2023
- Ghazal Rafiei  
Start date: August 2013

### **Doctoral Students - Dissertation Committee Member**

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- Yazeed Alabdulkarim
- Reem Alfayez
- Celia Chen
- Paul Chiou
- Greg Harris

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- Sara Mohammadinejad
- Khiem Ngo
- Xin Qin
- Selva Samuel, Carnegie Mellon University
- Hao Shi
- Sasha Volokh
- Jingbo Wang
- Di Wu

### **Graduated**

- Marwan Abi-Antoun, CMU
- Negarsadat Abolhassani
- Mohammad-Mirza Aghatabar
- Abdulmajeed Alameer
- Mohamed Al Said
- Muhammad Ali Amer
- Jesper Andersson, Linkoping University, Sweden
- Pongtip Aroonvatanaporn
- Adi Azar
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- Sumita Barahmand
- Pooyan Behnamghader
- Jesal Bhuta
- Yue Chen
- Zhihao Chen
- Hugo Cheung
- Leslie Cheung
- Kun Young Chung
- Jürgen Cito, University of Zurich
- Eric Dashofy, UC Irvine
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- Jiaping Gui
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- Kan Qi
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- Giordano Tamburrelli, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
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- Ye Yang
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## **Masters Students**

### **Graduated**

- Ian Elston
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- Marwan Abi-Antoun
- Raghbir Banwait

- Miheer Bhachech
- Ebru Dincel
- Lei Ding
- Luka Dojcilovic
- Brian D'Souza
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- Prakash Gupta
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- Himanshu Joshi
- Suhrid Karthik
- Armagan Kilic
- Vishal Kudchadkar
- Chenggang Li
- Mehrdad Mahdavi
- Sean McCleese
- Suhas Mehta
- Daye Nam
- Mahindra Pai
- Sandeep Phadke
- Aliasgar Rampurwala
- Tatsuhiko Tomita
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- Michael Wakerly
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## **Undergraduate Students**

### **Graduated**

- Nels Beckman
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- Trevor Johns
- Yi (Nick) Kuang
- Jerry Lin
- Jacob Schaider

- Anita Singh
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- Paul Wat
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## 11 Formal Presentations

### Keynote Presentations

- P1** *Software Archipelagos as Impediments to Scientific Progress*. Montenegrin Academy of Sciences and Arts, Podgorica, Montenegro, November 2022.
- P2** *Software Archipelagos as Impediments to Scientific Progress*. Central European Conference on Information and Intelligent Systems (CECIIS 2022), Dubrovnik, Croatia, September 2022.
- P3** *Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt*. International Workshop on Mining Software Repositories for Software Architecture (MSR4SA), held with the European Conference on Software Architecture, online, September 2021.
- P4** *Human Archipelagos Have Been Induced by COVID but Architectural Archipelagos Are All Our Own Doing*. IEEE 18th International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2021), online, March 2021.
- P5** *Stemming Architectural Decay in Software Systems*. Fourth International conference on Tools and Methods of Program Analysis (TMPA-2017), Moscow, Russia, March 2017.
- P6** *Software Decay as a Big-Data Problem Viewed Through the Architectural Lens*. 2016 International Simulation Multi-Conference (AsiaSim / SCS AutumnSim 2016), Beijing, China, October 2016.
- P7** *Viewing Software Decay Through the Architectural Lens*. International Symposium on Software Engineering and Applications (SEA 2015), Marina del Rey, CA, October 2015.
- P8** *What Architecture Can Teach Us About When, Where, and Why Software Systems Decay*. 9th European Conference on Software Architecture (ECSA 2015), Dubrovnik/Cavtat, Croatia, September 2015.
- P9** *Adapting Our View of Software Adaptation: An Architectural Perspective*. 9th International Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2014), Hyderabad, India, June 2014.
- P10** *PhD Research: What, Where, Why, When, How*. INCOSE/CSER Systems Engineering and Architecting Doctoral Student Network (SEANET), University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2014.
- P11** *When, Where, and Why Software Systems Decay and What We Can Do about It*. University of California Irvine (UCI) Institute for Software Research Forum, Irvine, CA, May 2013.
- P12** *Software Architecture Challenges & Opportunities for the 21st Century: Dynamism, Mobility, Autonomy, Services, Grids & Clouds*. 11th Brazilian Symposium on Software Quality, Fortaleza, Brazil, June 2012.

- P13** *Software Architecture Challenges & Opportunities for the 21st Century: Dynamism, Mobility, Autonomy, Services, Grids & Clouds*. 5th India Software Engineering Conference (ISEC 2012), Kanpur, India, February 2012.
- P14** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance*. International Workshop on Software Architectures and Mobility (SAM 2008), Leipzig, Germany, May 2008.
- P15** *Moving Architectural Description from Under the Technology Lamppost*. Brazilian Symposium on Software Components, Architectures, and Reuse (SBCARS 2007), Campinas, Brazil, August 2007.
- P16** *Moving Architectural Description from Under the Technology Lamppost*. 32nd EUROMICRO Conference on Software Engineering and Advanced Applications (EUROMICRO'06), Dubrovnik, Croatia, August, 2006.
- P17** *From Dependable Architectures to Dependable Systems*. Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2004) held in conjunction with the International Conference on Dependable Systems and Networks (DSN 2004), Florence, Italy, June 2004.

### **Academic Conference Presentations**

- P18** *Software Architecture and COVID: A Marriage of (In)Convenience*. New and Emerging Ideas Panel: Software Architecture in the COVID-19 Reality. IEEE 18th International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2021), online, March 2021.
- P19** *Online Sports Betting Through the Prism of Software Engineering*. Joint European Software Engineering Conference and Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2020), November 2020.
- P20** *An Architectural Style for Solving Computationally Intensive Problems on Large Networks*. (with Yuriy Brun) 15th International Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2020), Seoul, South Korea, May 2020.
- P21** *ARCADE: A Workbench for Mining Architectural Information and Identifying Technical Debt*. Workshop on the National Java Repository Project, San Diego, CA, November 2019
- P22** *Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt*. Southern California Software Engineering Symposium, Irvine, CA, June 2016.
- P23** *Viewing Software Decay Through the Architectural Lens*. 2nd Latin American School on Software Engineering, Porto Alegre, Brazil, July 2016.
- P24** *An End-to-End Domain-Specific Modeling and Analysis Platform*. 8th International Workshop on Modeling in Software Engineering (MISE 2016), Austin, TX, May 2016.
- P25** *Extracting the Essence of Software Systems' Architectures Through Unstructured-Data Mining*. Mining and Modeling Unstructured Data in Software - Challenges for the Future, Shonan Village, Japan, March 2016.
- P26** *An Empirical Study of Architectural Decay in Software Systems*. 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2017) Warm-up Workshop, Maceio, Brazil, October 2014.
- P27** *An ARCADE for Architecture Analytics*. Dagstuhl Seminar on Software Development Analytics, Dagstuhl, Germany, June 2014.

- P28** *Component-Aware Triggered Scenarios*. Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA 2014), Sydney, Australia, April 2014.
- P29** *When, Where, and Why Software Systems Decay and What We Can Do about It*. International Symposium to Commemorate the 45th Anniversary of the First Software Engineering Conference (SE@45), University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, October 2013.
- P30** *Platform Architectures*. Dagstuhl Seminar on Customizing Service Platforms, Dagstuhl, Germany, April 2013.
- P31** *When, Where, and Why Do Software Systems' Architectures Decay?* Workshop on Modularity and Software Architecture, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, March 2013.
- P32** *Impact Analysis for Distributed Event-Based Systems*. 6th ACM International Conference on Distributed Event-Based Systems (DEBS 2012), Berlin, Germany, July 2012.
- P33** *The Impact of Architectural Design Decisions on Non-Functional Properties of Software Systems*. OOP 2010 - Software Engineering and Management Conference, Munich, Germany, January 2010.
- P34** *A Framework for Modeling Software Product Lines*. OOP 2010 - Software Engineering and Management Conference, Munich, Germany, January 2010.
- P35** *LVC Software Architecture Support for PATFrame*. International Test and Evaluation Association (ITEA) Live Virtual Constructive Conference, El Paso, TX, January 2010.
- P36** *The Anatomy and Physiology of the Grid Revisited*. IEEE/CSSE/ISR Workshop on Software Architecture Challenges for the 21st Century, Los Angeles, CA, June 2009.
- P37** *Center for Systems and Software Engineering Overview*. IEEE/CSSE/ISR Workshop on Software Architecture Challenges for the 21st Century, Los Angeles, CA, June 2009.
- P38** *Architecture-Based Software Development of Mobile and Embedded Systems*. 2nd International ICSE Warm-up Workshop (WUP 2009), Cape Town, South Africa, April 2009.
- P39** *Service-Oriented Architectures*. 13th Ground System Architectures Workshop (GSAW 2009), Torrance, CA, March 2009.
- P40** *Architecture and Mobile/Embedded Systems - An Uneasy Alliance or a Marriage Made in Heaven*. USC-CSSE Annual Research Review Executive Workshop, Los Angeles CA, March 2009.
- P41** *Software Architecture Modeling with Uncertainty*. AADL Workshop, Los Angeles, CA, February 2009.
- P42** *Architecture and Hardware/Software/System Engineering Integration*. USC-CSSE COCOMO Workshop, Los Angeles, CA, October 2008.
- P43** *Runtime Software Adaptation: Framework, Approaches, and Styles*. (with Peyman Oreizy and Richard N. Taylor) 30th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2008), Leipzig, Germany, May 2008.
- P44** *Estimating the Energy Consumption in Pervasive Java-Based Systems*. 6th IEEE International Conference on Pervasive Computing and Communications (PerCom 2008), Hong Kong, March 2008.

- P45** *An Introduction to Architecture-Level Reliability Analysis*. Tutorial, with Roshanak Roshandel, Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA), Vancouver, Canada, February 2008.
- P46** *Software Architectures and Embedded Systems*. Korean Computer Scientists and Engineers Association in America, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, December 2007.
- P47** *Improving a Distributed Software System's Quality of Service via Architecture-Driven Dynamic Redeployment*. Tutorial, Brazilian Symposium on Software Components, Architectures, and Reuse (SBCARS 2007), Campinas, Brazil, August 2007.
- P48** *Construction of Analytic Frameworks for Component-Based Architectures*. Brazilian Symposium on Software Components, Architectures, and Reuse (SBCARS 2007), Campinas, Brazil, August 2007.
- P49** *From Dependable Architectures to Dependable Systems*. USC-CSSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, February 2007.
- P50** *A Classification of Disconnected Operation Techniques*. 32nd EUROMICRO Conference on Software Engineering and Advanced Applications (EUROMICRO'06), Dubrovnik, Croatia, August, 2006.
- P51** *Improving a Distributed Software System's Quality of Service via Redeployment*. Workshop on State of the Art in Software Engineering, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, June 2006.
- P52** *The GridLite DREAM: Bringing the Grid to Your Pocket*. Monterey Workshop, Laguna Beach, CA, September 22-23, 2005.
- P53** *A View from the Trenches*. ICSE 2005 New Software Engineering Faculty Symposium, St. Louis, MO, May 2005.
- P54** *Modeling Behavior in Compositions of Software Architectural Primitives*. 19th IEEE International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2004), Linz, Austria, September 2004.
- P55** *Toward Architecture-Based Reliability Estimation*. Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2004) held in conjunction with the International Conference on Dependable Systems and Networks (DSN 2004), Florence, Italy, June 2004.
- P56** *Style-Based Software Architectural Compositions as Domain-Specific Models*. Workshop on Directions in Software Engineering Environments (WoDiSEE 2004), Edinburgh, UK, May 2004.
- P57** *Software Architectures and Embedded Systems*. Monterey Workshop on Software Engineering for Embedded Systems: From Requirements to Implementation, Chicago, IL, September 2003.
- P58** *Coupling Architectural Discovery and Recovery to Stem Architectural Erosion*. Dagstuhl Workshop on Software Architecture Recovery and Modeling (SWARM), Dagstuhl, Germany, February 2003.
- P59** *A Family of Software Architecture Implementation Frameworks*. 2002 Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architectures (WICSA-3), Montreal, Canada, August 2002.

- P60** *On the Role of Middleware in Architecture-Based Software Development*. 14th International Conference on Software Engineering and Knowledge Engineering (SEKE 2002), Ischia, Italy, July 2002.
- P61** *Architecture-Level Support for Software Component Deployment in Resource Constrained Environments*. IFIP/ACM Working Conference on Component Deployment (CD 2002), Berlin, Germany, June 2002.
- P62** *Focus: A Light-Weight, Incremental Approach to Software Architecture Recovery and Evolution*. 2001 Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architectures (WICSA-2), Amsterdam, the Netherlands, August 2001.
- P63** *Software Model Connectors: Bridging Models across the Software Lifecycle*. 13th International Conference on Software Engineering and Knowledge Engineering (SEKE 2001), Buenos Aires, Argentina, June 2001.
- P64** *What Young Faculty Members Still Want to Know*. ICSE 2001 New Software Engineering Faculty Symposium, Toronto, Canada, May 2001.
- P65** *Exploiting Software Architecture Implementation Infrastructure in Facilitating Component Mobility*. ICSE 2001 Workshop on Software Engineering and Mobility, Toronto, Canada, May 2001.
- P66** *xADL: Enabling Architecture-Centric Tool Integration With XML*. 34th Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS-34), Maui, Hawaii, January 2001.
- P67** *Programming in the Small and Many: A Software Engineering Research Agenda for the 21st Century*. 2000 ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE-8), Wild Ideas and Fun Flames, San Diego, CA, November 2000.
- P68** *Towards Software Multioperability: Bridging Heterogeneous Software Interoperability Platforms*. Fourth International Software Architecture Workshop (ISAW-4), Limerick, Ireland, June 2000.
- P69** *Using Off-the-Shelf Middleware to Implement Connectors in Distributed Software Architectures*. 21st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'99), Los Angeles, CA, May 1999.
- P70** *A Language and Environment for Architecture-Based Software Development and Evolution*. 21st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'99), Los Angeles, CA, May 1999.
- P71** *Modeling Software Architectures in UML*. Workshop on Software Architectures and the Unified Modeling Language, Denver, CO, April 1999.
- P72** *An Approach to Architecture-Based Software Integration*. Ground System Architectures Workshop (GSAW 99), El Segundo, CA, March 1999.
- P73** *Assessing the Suitability of a Standard Design Method for Modeling Software Architectures*. First Working IFIP Conference on Software Architecture, San Antonio, TX, February 1999.
- P74** *A Comparative Analysis of Architecture Description Languages*. USC-CSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, February 1999.
- P75** *Assessing UML's Suitability for Modeling Software Architectures*. USC-CSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, February 1999.

- P76** *Employing Off-the-Shelf Connector Technologies in C2-Style Architectures*. California Software Symposium (CSS'98), Irvine, CA, October 1998.
- P77** *An Architecture-Based Approach to Software Evolution*. International Workshop on the Principles of Software Evolution, Kyoto, Japan, April 1998.
- P78** *Domains of Concern in Software Architectures and Architecture Description Languages*. USENIX Conference on Domain-Specific Languages, Santa Barbara, CA, October 1997.
- P79** *A Framework for Classifying and Comparing Architecture Description Languages*. Sixth European Software Engineering Conference together with the Fifth ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE'97), Zurich, Switzerland, September 1997.
- P80** *Reuse of Off-the-Shelf Components in C2-Style Architectures*. 1997 Symposium on Software Reusability (SSR'97) and 1997 International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'97), joint session on Software Reuse, Boston, MA, May 1997.
- P81** *Reusing Off-the-Shelf Components to Develop a Family of Applications in the C2 Architectural Style*. First International Workshop on Development and Evolution of Software Architectures for Product Families, Las Navas del Marqués, Spain, November 1996.
- P82** *ADLs and Dynamic Architecture Changes*. Second International Software Architecture Workshop (ISAW-2), San Francisco, CA, October 1996.
- P83** *Using Object-Oriented Typing to Support Architectural Design in the C2 Style*. Fourth ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE4), San Francisco, CA, October 1996.
- P84** *Formal Modeling of Software Architectures at Multiple Levels of Abstraction*. California Software Symposium, Los Angeles, CA, April 1996.
- P85** *A Component- and Message-Based Architectural Style for GUI Software*. Technology Presentation Track, 17th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE17), Seattle, WA, April 1995.

## **University and Research Institute Presentations**

- P86** *Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt*. Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, November 2019
- P87** *Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt*. University College London, UK, July 2019
- P88** *Loose Coupling in Mobile Systems: Challenges and Opportunities*. Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, April 2019.
- P89** *Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt*. Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, April 2019.
- P90** *Teaching CS and SE at USC*. Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, April 2019.
- P91** *Publishing Strategies for Top SE Venues*. Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, April 2019.
- P92** *Ph.D. Research: What, Where, Why, When, How*. Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, April 2019.



- P93** *Introduction to Software Architecture*. Faculty of Organizational Sciences, University of Belgrade, Serbia, March 2017.
- P94** *Architectural Decay in Software Systems: Symptoms, Causes, and Remedies*. University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA, November 2013.
- P95** *Architectural Decay in Software Systems: Symptoms, Causes, and Remedies*. McGill University, Montreal, Canada, October 2013.
- P96** *When, Where, and Why Do Software Systems' Architectures Decay?* University of Lugano, Lugano, Switzerland, October 2012.
- P97** *When, Where, and Why Do Software Systems' Architectures Decay?* University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, October 2012.
- P98** *Architectural Degradation - The Plague of Maturing Software Systems*. University of California Irvine Institute for Software Research Annual Research Review, Irvine, CA, May 2012.
- P99** *Overview of Software Engineering Research at USC*. Computer Science Department Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, March 2012.
- P100** *A Framework for Maintaining a Distributed Software System's QoS*. Computer Science Department Annual Research Review, USC, Los Angeles, March 2010.
- P101** *Academic Career Work-Life Balance - A View from the Trenches*. University of Southern California, April 2011.
- P102** *Overview of Software Engineering Research at USC*. University of Southern California, Computer Science Research Day, March 2011.
- P103** *A Framework for Early Estimation of Software System Reliability*. University of California, San Diego, February 2011.
- P104** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance?* University College, London, UK, October 2010.
- P105** *A Framework for Early Estimation of Software System Reliability*. University of Zurich, Switzerland, September 2010.
- P106** *The Future of Software Architecture: Challenges and Opportunities*. Federal University of Bahia, Salvador, Brazil, August 2010.
- P107** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance?* Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, August 2010.
- P108** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance?* Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro, August 2010.
- P109** *A Framework for Early Estimation of Software System Reliability*. Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, April 2010.
- P110** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance*. Institute for Software Research, Distinguished Speaker Series, University of California, Irvine, February 2010.
- P111** *Improving a Distributed Software System's Quality of Service via Architecture-Driven Dynamic Redeployment*. Institute for Software Research Forum, University of California, Irvine, June 2007.

- P112** *Dynamic Software Architectures*. Jesper Andersson Dissertation Defense Opponent, Linköping University, Sweden, April 2007.
- P113** *From Dependable Architectures to Dependable Systems*. USC-CSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, February 2007.
- P114** *Moving Architectural Description from Under the Technology Lamppost*. USC Center for Systems and Software Engineering Convocation, October 2006.
- P115** *Endowing Legacy Applications with Software Architectural Capabilities*. University of Southern California - Information Sciences Institute, Marina del Rey, CA, October 2006.
- P116** *The Prism Project: Software Architectural Support for Highly Distributed Environments*. Bosch Research and Technology Center, Palo Alto, CA, January 2006.
- P117** *Coupling Architectural Discovery and Recovery to Stem Architectural Erosion*. USC-CSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, March 2003.
- P118** *Exploiting Architectural Style, Connectors, and Types in Large-Scale Software Development and Evolution*. University of Texas, Austin, TX, April 2001.
- P119** *An Architecture-Based Approach to Developing Heterogeneous, Highly Distributed Software Systems*. University of Southern California - Information Sciences Institute, Marina del Rey, CA, February 2001.
- P120** *Programming in the Many: Software Engineering Paradigm for the 21st Century*. USC-CSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, February 2001.
- P121** *An Architecture-Based Approach to Developing Heterogeneous, Highly Distributed Software Systems*. University of Washington, Seattle, WA, January 2001.
- P122** *From Programming in the Large to Programming in the Small and Many*. University of California, Santa Cruz, CA, October 2000.
- P123** *Exploiting Architectural Style, Connectors, and Types in Large-Scale Software Development and Evolution*. Rice University, Houston, TX, September 2000.
- P124** *SAAGE — An Environment for Software Architecture, Analysis, Generation, and Evolution*. USC-CSE Annual Research Review, Los Angeles, CA, February 2000.
- P125** *A Style-Based Approach to the Design and Evolution of Adaptable Software*. University of Texas, Austin, TX, November 1997.

### **Professional Organization, Industry, and Funding Agency Presentations**

- P126** *On Selecting Datasets for DL-based Vulnerability Detection*. 68th Meeting of the IFIP Working Group 2.4, online, November 2023.
- P127** *On Automated Mobile-App Test Generation and Transfer*. 66th Meeting of the IFIP Working Group 2.4, Salzburg, Austria, July 2022.
- P128** *Protection of Intellectual Property Through the Prism of Software Engineering*. Logate Institute Live Meetup, Podgorica Montenegro, online, May 2022.
- P129** *Classifying and Identifying Noise in Software Patches*. 64th Meeting of IFIP Working Group 2.4, online, May 2021.
- P130** *Events in Mobile Systems: A Blessing and a Curse*. 62nd Meeting of IFIP Working Group 2.4, Port Elizabeth, South Africa, January 2020.

- P131** *Architectural Decay in Open-Source Software*. Google, Irvine, CA, October 2019.
- P132** *Ensuring Security of Android Software via Tailorable Multi-Layer Customization*. Office of Naval Research (ONR) Total Platform Cyber Protection (TPCP) Program Annual Review, Boston, MA, June 2019.
- P133** *Mining Architectural Information to Stem Technical Debt*. Google, Los Angeles, CA, June 2019.
- P134** *Architectural Decay in Large Software Systems*. Google, Los Angeles, CA, November 2017.
- P135** *Correlating Implementation Issues with Architectural Decay in Large Software Systems*. Huawei Vision Forum, Santa Clara, CA, October 2017.
- P136** *Using Architecture Recovery to Stem Software System Decay*. Huawei Vision Forum, Santa Clara, CA, October 2016.
- P137** *Software Architecture Recovery, Event-Based App Analysis, and Mobile Security*. Huawei Technologies Site Visit, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, June 2016.
- P138** *Correctness, Security, and Adaptation in Distributed Event-Based Systems*. Army Research Laboratories Site Visit, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, April 2016.
- P139** *The Flame Project*. Infosys Site Visit, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, February 2016.
- P140** *Architectural Decay in Software Systems: Symptoms, Causes, and Remedies*. United Technologies Research Center, Hartford, CT, October 2013.
- P141** *sTile: Securing the Insecure Cloud*. DARPA Site Visit, Information Sciences Institute, Marina del Rey, CA, May 2012.
- P142** *CoDesign - A Collaborative Software Design Environment*. Infosys Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, May 2012.
- P143** *Software Architecture Challenges & Opportunities for the 21st Century: Dynamism, Mobility, Autonomy, Services, Grids & Clouds*. Infosys, Mysore, India, March 2012.
- P144** *The Anatomy and Physiology of the Grid Revisited*. Infosys, Bangalore, India, March 2012.
- P145 P136** *Software Architecture Challenges & Opportunities for the 21st Century: Dynamism, Mobility, Autonomy, Services, Grids & Clouds*. IBM Research, Delhi, India, February 2012.
- P146** *sTile: Securing the Insecure Cloud*. CIA, Washington, DC, November 2011.
- P147** *sTile: Securing the Insecure Cloud*. DARPA, Arlington, VA, June 2011.
- P148** *Desiderata and Challenges in Globally-Distributed Software Development*. Infosys Aurora, Las Vegas, NV, August 2011.
- P149** *Modern Software Architectural Challenges: Dynamism, Mobility, Services, Grids, and Clouds*. Aerospace Corporation, El Segundo, CA, November 2010.
- P150** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance?* Northrop Grumman, Los Angeles, CA, September 2010.

- P151** *Software Architecture and Mobility: A Perfect Marriage or an Uneasy Alliance?* Infosys, Bangalore, India, December 2009.
- P152** *Software Architecture Support for PATFrame*. PATFrame project kick-off meeting, Ft. Hood, TX, August 2009.
- P153** *An Extensible Infrastructure for Collaborative Architecture-Based Development of Distributed Software-Intensive Systems*. Infosys site visit, April 2009.
- P154** *Architecture and Hardware/Software/System Engineering Integration*. Lockheed Martin Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, December 2008.
- P155** *An Extensible Infrastructure for Collaborative Architecture-Based Development of Distributed Software-Intensive Systems*. Infosys project progress meeting, August 2008.
- P156** *An Extensible Infrastructure for Collaborative Architecture-Based Development of Distributed Software-Intensive Systems*. Infosys project kick-off meeting, August 2008.
- P157** *Architecture-Based Modeling and Simulation*. Boeing Professor Day, Seal Beach, CA, February 2008.
- P158** *Overview of Software Architecture Research at USC*. Bosch Research and Technology Center, Palo Alto, CA, January 2007.
- P159** *Identifying and Addressing Uncertainty in Architecture-Level Software Reliability Modeling*. NSF Next Generation Software Program (NSFNGS) Workshop, Long Beach, CA, February 2007.
- P160** *Multi-Framework Programming via Software Architecture and Architectural Middleware*. DARPA Multi-Framework Programming Workshop, Menlo Park, CA, August 2007.
- P161** *Overview of Software Architecture Research at USC*. USC Computer Science Department Industrial Advisory Board Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, April 2006.
- P162** *Overview of Software Architecture Research at USC*. General Electric Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, February 2006.
- P163** *Software Architecture for DREAM Environments*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, January 2005.
- P164** *DeSi - An Environment for Modeling, Analyzing, and Simulating Deployment Architectures*. Boeing, Anaheim, November 2004.
- P165** *Overview of Software Architecture Research at USC*. Northrop Grumman Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, April 2004.
- P166** *Overview of Software Architecture Research at USC*. Microsoft Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, March 2004.
- P167** *Overview of Software Architecture Research at USC*. Airbus Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, February 2004.
- P168** *DeSi - A Tailorable Environment for Assessing the Quality of Distributed Software Architectures*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, January 2004.
- P169** *Overview of Software Engineering Research at USC*. Boeing Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, November 2003.

- P170** *Software Architecture Research at USC-CSE: An Overview*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, September 2003.
- P171** *Software Architectures and Self-Healing Systems*. Boeing, Anaheim, CA, May 2003.
- P172** *Software Architectures and Self-Healing Systems*. Boeing-DARPA Future Combat Systems Meeting, Boeing, Anaheim, CA, September 2002.
- P173** *Software Connectors for Programming-in-the-Many*. Boeing, Seattle, WA, November 2001.
- P174** *Software Architecture Collaboration between JPL and USC*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, September 2001.
- P175** *Relating State-Based and Component/Connector-Based Architectural Styles: Technical Project Review*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, August 2001.
- P176** *Architectural Support for Programming-in-the-Many*. U.S. Army Tank-Automotive and Armaments Command (TACOM), Detroit, MI, July 2001.
- P177** *Software Architecture Research at USC: Programming in the Large and Many*. Xerox Corporation, El Segundo, CA, January 2001.
- P178** *From Programming in the Large to Programming in the Small and Many*. Microsoft USC Site Visit, Los Angeles, December 2000.
- P179** *Software Architecture at USC and JPL*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, October 2000.
- P180** *Programming in the Small, Large, and Many*. Xerox Corporation, El Segundo, CA, October 2000.
- P181** *Programming in the Small, Large, and Many*. Schlumberger Corporation, Houston, TX, September 2000.
- P182** *Dynamic Assembly, Assessment, Assurance, and Adaptation via Heterogeneous Software Connectors*. DARPA/ISO DASADA Project Kick-off Meeting, Santa Fe, NM, September 2000.
- P183** *UML and Software Architectures*. DARPA/ISO DASADA Project Kick-off Meeting, Santa Fe, NM, September 2000.
- P184** *An Approach to Architecture-Based Software Development and Evolution*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, May 2000.
- P185** *SAAGE — An Environment for Software Architecture, Analysis, Generation, and Evolution*. Lockheed Martin USC Site Visit, Los Angeles, CA, May 2000.
- P186** *On the Role of UML in Modeling Software Architectures*. Southern California Software Process Improvement Network, Long Beach, CA, April 2000.
- P187** *Software Architecture Research and Practice*. Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, CA, April 2000.
- P188** *Architecture-Centric Dynamic Adaptation of Deeply Networked Embedded Systems*. DARPA/ITO RENES Project Kick-off Meeting, Arlington, VA, November 1999.
- P189** *Software Architecture Research and Practice*. NSF Software Engineering Strategies Workshop Briefing, National Science Foundation, Arlington, VA, September 1999.

- P190** *Assessing the Suitability of UML for Modeling Software Architectures*. Bay Area Round Table (BART), Palo Alto, CA, July 1999.
- P191** *A Classification and Comparison Framework for Software Architecture Description Languages*. Second DARPA EDCS Architecture/Generation Workshop, Santa Fe, NM, April 1997.
- P192** *Component-Based GUI Architecture*. Hughes Aircraft Corp., El Segundo, CA, January 1997.
- P193** *What's New with C2?* Arcadia Research Meeting, Portland, OR, August 1996.
- P194** *Chiron-2: A Component- and Message-Based Architectural Style for GUI Software*. Sun Microsystems Laboratories, Palo Alto, CA, June 1995.
- P195** *Chiron-2: A Component- and Message-Based Architectural Style for GUI Software*. Bay Area Round Table (BART), Palo Alto, CA, June 1995.

## **12 Professional Service**

### **Professional Organization and Journal Leadership**

- S1** Editor-in-Chief, IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering (1/18 - 12/22)
- S2** Chair, ACM Software System Award Committee (7/21 - 6/22)
- S3** Deputy Chair, ACM Software System Award Committee (7/20 - 6/21)
- S4** Chair, Editor-in-Chief Search Committee, ACM Transactions on Autonomous and Adaptive Systems (6/20 - 9/20)
- S5** Chair, ACM Publications Board Task Force on Improving Peer-Review Incentives (1/19 - 7/20)
- S6** Chair, ACM SIGSOFT (7/15 - 6/18)
- S7** Chair, Committee on Capture/Streaming at ACM Conferences, ACM SIG Governing Board (10/16 - 6/18)
- S8** Chair, Steering Committee, ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (7/15 - 9/17)
- S9** Chair, Steering Committee, International Conference on Software Engineering (11/13 - 10/15)

### **Editorial Boards and Steering Committee Membership**

- S10** Member, Joint ICSE/FSE/ASE Conference Consolidation Committee (7/20 - present)
- S11** Member, Executive Committee, ACM Special Interest Group on Software Engineering (SIGSOFT) (7/18 - 6/24)
- S12** Member, Steering Committee, International Conference on Software Engineering (5/08 - present)
- S13** Member, Steering Committee, ACM International Conference on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE) (5/17 - 6/24)

- S14** Member, ICSE Journal-First Task Force (5/16 - 12/23)
- S15** Member, ACM SIG Governing Board (7/15 - 6/20)
- S16** Member, ACM Publications Board (7/18 - 6/20)
- S17** Guest Editor, IEEE Software, 50th Anniversary of Software Engineering (6/17 - 10/18)
- S18** Associate Editor, ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology (3/14 - 12/17)
- S19** Associate Editor, Journal of Software Engineering for Robotics (12/08 - 12/17)
- S20** Editorial Board Member, Journal of Software Engineering Research and Development (4/12 - 12/17)
- S21** Editorial Board Member, Springer Computing Journal (2/11 - present)
- S22** Editorial Board Member, Elsevier Journal of Systems and Software (1/11 - 12/17)
- S23** Editorial Board Member, Elsevier Information and Software Technology Journal (1/08 - 12/17)
- S24** Associate Editor, IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering (1/10 - 12/13)
- S25** Guest Editor, Elsevier Journal of Systems and Software, The Future of Software Engineering FOR/IN the Cloud (7/11 - 7/13)
- S26** Guest Editor, The Science of Computer Programming Journal Best Papers of the CompArch 2012 Conference (7/12 - 9/14)
- S27** Member, Steering Committee, Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (1/05 - 2/08)

### **Advisory Boards and Award Committees**

- S28** Member, Graduate Program Review Committee, Computer Science, University of California Riverside (2024 – 2025)
- S29** Co-Chair, ICSE 2011 Most Influential Paper Award (3/19 - 5/21)
- S30** Member, ACM Software System Award Committee (9/18 - 7/20)
- S31** Member, Selection Committee, 2016 ACM SIGSOFT Impact Paper Award (12/16 - 5/17)
- S32** Member, Selection Committee, 2015 ACM SIGSOFT Impact Paper Award (12/15 - 5/16)
- S33** Member, Selection Committee, 2014 ACM SIGSOFT Outstanding Research Award (8/13 - 5/14)
- S34** Member, International Selection Committee, Bower Award for Achievement in Science (8/13 - 11/13)
- S35** Member, President's Advisory Board, Carnegie Mellon University - Silicon Valley (1/13 - 4/13)

### **Conference/Workshop Chairmanship**

- S36** General Co-Chair, 21st IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2024), Hyderabad, India, 2024
- S37** Chair, Barry Boehm Memorial Symposium, Los Angeles, CA, September 2014

- S38** Co-Chair, ICSE Showcase, 45th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2023), Melbourne, Australia, May 2023
- S39** Co-Chair, Doctoral Symposium, 44th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2022), Pittsburgh, PA, May 2022
- S40** Co-Chair, 2nd International Workshop on Establishing the Community-Wide Infrastructure for Architecture-Based Software Engineering (ECASE 2019), Montreal, Canada, May 2019
- S41** Co-Chair, 50 Years of Software Engineering Track, 40th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2018), Gothenburg, Sweden, May 2018
- S42** Co-Chair, 2nd International Workshop on Infrastructures and Instruments For Software Architecture (REINFORCE), Urbana-Champaign, IL, November 2017
- S43** Co-Chair, 1st International Workshop on Establishing the Community-Wide Infrastructure for Architecture-Based Software Engineering (ECASE 2017), Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 2017
- S44** Program Co-Chair, Innovations in Software Engineering Conference (ISEC 2017), Jaipur, India, February 2017
- S45** Co-Chair, 1st Workshop on Infrastructures and Instruments For Software Architecture (REINFORCE), Los Angeles, CA, January 2017
- S46** Co-Chair, Workshops, 36th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2014), Hyderabad, India, June 2014
- S47** Chair, International Symposium to Commemorate the 45th Anniversary of the First Software Engineering Conference (SE@45), University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, October 2013
- S48** Program Co-Chair, 15th International ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on Component Based Software Engineering (CBSE-2012), Bertinoro, Italy, June 2012
- S49** Program Co-Chair, 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2011), Honolulu, HI, May 2011
- S50** Program Co-Chair, Workshop on Software Engineering for Cloud Computing (SECCLOUD 2011), Honolulu, HI, May 2011
- S51** Program Co-Chair, 3rd IEEE International Conference on Self-Adaptive and Self-Organizing Systems (SASO 2009), San Francisco, CA, September 14-18, 2009
- S52** Workshop Co-Chair, IEEE/CSSE/ISE Workshop on Software Architecture Challenges for the 21st Century, Los Angeles, CA, June 2009
- S53** Program Co-Chair, 2nd International ICSE Warm-up Workshop (WUP 2009), Cape Town, South Africa, April 2009
- S54** Workshop Chair, USC-CSSE Annual Research Review and Executive Workshop, Los Angeles, CA, March 2009
- S55** Program Chair, Doctoral Symposium, 16th ACM SIGSOFT International Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 16), Atlanta, GA, November 2008



- S56** Program Chair, Special Session on Software Architecture for Pervasive Systems (SAPS), 34th Euromicro Conference in Parma, Italy, September 3-5, 2008
- S57** Program Co-Chair, 2005 Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA 2005), Pittsburgh, PA, November 2005
- S58** Chair, Executive Workshop on Model-Driven Architecture, Annual Research Review, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2005
- S59** Chair, Workshops, 26th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2004), Edinburgh, UK, May 2004
- S60** Co-Chair, Tutorials, 9th European Software Engineering Conference and 11th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2003), Helsinki, Finland, September 2003
- S61** Chair, State-of-the-Art Track, 24th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2002), Orlando, FL, May 2002
- S62** Co-Chair, First International Workshop on Evaluating Software Architecture Solutions (WESAS), Irvine, CA, May 2000

### **Conference/Workshop Organization**

- S63** Organizing Committee Member, First International Workshop on Bringing Architecture Design Thinking into Developers' Daily Activities (Bridge 2016), Austin, TX, May 2016
- S64** Organizing Committee Member, 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2017) Warm-up Workshop, Maceio, Brazil, October 2014
- S65** Technical Paper Session Chair, 22nd ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 2014), Hong Kong, November 2014
- S66** Workshops Selection Committee Member, 8th Joint meeting of the European Software Engineering Conference and the ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2011), Szeged, Hungary, September 2011
- S67** Technical Paper Session Chair, 12th European Software Engineering Conference and 17th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2009), Amsterdam, the Netherlands, August 2009
- S68** Student Volunteer Coordinator, 30th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2008), Leipzig, Germany, May 2008
- S69** Technical Paper Session Chair, Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA 2008), Vancouver, Canada, February 2008
- S70** E-Publicity Chair, 29th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2007), Minneapolis, MN, May 2007
- S71** Session Chair, USC Center for Systems and Software Engineering Convocation, Los Angeles, CA, October 2006
- S72** Panelist, New Software Engineering Faculty Symposium (NSEFS 05), 27th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2005), St. Louis, MO, May 2005

- S73** Technical Paper Session Chair, 19th IEEE International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2004), Linz, Austria, September 2004
- S74** Session Organizer and Chair, Annual Research Review, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2004
- S75** Session Organizer and Chair, Annual Research Review, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2003
- S76** Session Chair, Dagstuhl Workshop on Software Architecture Recovery and Modeling (SWARM), Dagstuhl, Germany, February 2003
- S77** Chair, Tutorials, The Third Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA-3), Montreal, Canada, August 2002
- S78** Technical Paper Session Chair, The Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA-3), Montreal, Canada, August 2002
- S79** Technical Paper Session Chair, 24th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2002), Orlando, FL, May 2002
- S80** Session Organizer and Chair, Annual Research Review, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2002
- S81** Technical Paper Session Chair, Eighth European Software Engineering Conference and Ninth ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2001), Vienna, Austria, September 2001
- S82** Technical Paper Session Chair, 23rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2001), Toronto, Canada, May 2001
- S83** Session Organizer and Chair, Annual Research Review, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2001
- S84** Technical Paper Session Chair, Eighth ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE8), San Diego, CA, November 2000
- S85** Session Organizer and Chair, Annual Research Review, Center for Software Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, March 2000
- S86** Organizing Committee Member, NSF Workshop on Software Engineering Research Strategies, Los Angeles, CA, August 1999
- S87** Student Volunteer Coordinator, 21st International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'99), Los Angeles, CA, May 1999
- S88** Co-Chair, DARPA/ITO EDCS Workshop on Architecture Description Language Toolkits, San Diego, CA, October 1998
- S89** Chair, DARPA/ITO EDCS Workshop on the UML, Austin, TX, November 1997
- S90** Webmaster, 1997 International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE'97), Boston, MA, May 1997

### **Program Committee Membership**

- S91** Program Committee Member, 45th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2023), Melbourne, Australia, May 2023

- S92** Program Committee Member, 44th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2022), Pittsburgh, PA, May 2022
- S93** Program Committee Member, 5th IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2021), Stuttgart, Germany, March 2021
- S94** Program Committee Member, Journal-First Track, International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2020), Seoul, South Korea, May 2020
- S95** Program Committee Member, 4th IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2020), Salvador, Brazil, March 2020
- S96** Program Committee Member, ACM SIGSOFT Joint European Software Engineering Conference and Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2019), Tallinn, Estonia, August 2019
- S97** Program Committee Member, Journal-First Track, International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2019), Montreal, Canada, May 2019
- S98** Program Committee Member, ACM SIGSOFT Joint European Software Engineering Conference and Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2018), Lake Buena Vista, FL, November 2018
- S99** Program Committee Member, 40th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2018), Gothenburg, Sweden, May 2018
- S100** Program Committee Member, International Workshop on Software Fairness (FairWare 2018), Gothenburg, Sweden, May 2018
- S101** Program Committee Member, 2nd IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2018), Seattle, WA, April 2018
- S102** Program Committee Member, Innovations in Software Engineering Conference (ISEC 2018), Hyderabad, India, February 2018
- S103** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 11th joint meeting of the European Software Engineering Conference and the ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2017), Paderborn, Germany, September 2017
- S104** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2017), Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 2017
- S105** Program Board Member, 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2017), Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 2017
- S106** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 39th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2017), Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 2017
- S107** Program Committee Member, 1st IEEE International Conference on Software Architecture (ICSA 2017), Gothenburg, Sweden, April 2017
- S108** Mentoring Committee Member, 24th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 2016), Seattle, WA, November 2016
- S109** Program Committee Member, 11th International Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2016), Austin, TX, May 2016

- S110** Program Committee Member, Joint 13th Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA), 19th International ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE), and 12th International ACM SIGSOFT Conference on the Quality of Software Architectures (QoSA), Venice, Italy, April 2016
- S111** Program Committee Member, 9th Annual India Software Engineering Conference (ISEC 2016), Goa, India, February 2016
- S112** Program Board Member, 38th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2016), Austin, TX, May 2016
- S113** Program Committee Member, 5th International Workshop on the Twin Peaks of Requirements and Architecture, Florence, Italy, May 2015
- S114** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 37th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2015), Florence, Italy, May 2015
- S115** Program Committee Member, Technical Briefings, 37th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2015), Florence, Italy, May 2015
- S116** Program Committee Member, 22nd ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 2014), Hong Kong, November 2014
- S117** Program Committee Member, 8th European Conference on Software Architecture (ECSA 2014), Vienna, Austria, August 2014
- S118** Expert Reviewer Panel Member, 28th IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2013), Palo Alto, CA, November 2013
- S119** Program Committee Member, 9th joint meeting of the European Software Engineering Conference and the ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2013), Saint Petersburg, Russia, August 2013
- S120** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 9th joint meeting of the European Software Engineering Conference and the ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2013), Saint Petersburg, Russia, August 2013
- S121** Program Committee Member, 7th European Conference on Software Architecture (ECSA 2013), Montpellier, France, July 2013
- S122** Program Committee Member, 7th ACM International Conference on Distributed Event-Based Systems (DEBS 2013), Arlington, TX, June-July 2013
- S123** Program Committee Member, 16th International ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering, Vancouver, Canada, June 2013
- S124** Program Committee Member, 4th International ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on Architecting Critical Systems (ISARCS), Vancouver, Canada, June 2013
- S125** Program Committee Member, 33rd International Conference on Software Engineering - New Ideas and Emerging Results Track, San Francisco, CA, May 2013
- S126** Program Committee Member, 2nd International Workshop on the Twin Peaks of Requirements and Architecture, San Francisco, CA, May 2013

- S127** Program Committee Member, 1st International Workshop on the Twin Peaks of Requirements and Architecture, Chicago, IL, September 2012
- S128** Program Committee Member, 6th ACM International Conference on Distributed Event-Based Systems, Berlin, Germany, July 2012
- S129** Program Committee Member, 7th International Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2012), Zurich, Switzerland, June 2012
- S130** Program Committee Member, 3rd International Workshop on Software Engineering for Sensor Network Applications, Zurich, Switzerland, June 2012
- S131** Mentoring Committee Member, 34th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2012), Zurich, Switzerland, June 2012
- S132** Program Committee Member, 22nd IEEE International Symposium on Software Reliability Engineering, Hiroshima, Japan, November-December 2011
- S133** Program Committee Member, 9th IEEE International Conference on Software Engineering and Formal Methods, Montevideo, Uruguay, November 2011
- S134** Expert Reviewer Panel Member, 26th IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2011), Lawrence, KS, November 2011
- S135** Workshops Committee Member, The joint meeting of the European Software Engineering Conference and the ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2011), Szeged, Hungary, September 2011
- S136** Program Committee Member, 5th Brazilian Symposium on Software Components, Architectures, and Reuse (SBCARS), Sao Paulo, Brazil, September 2011
- S137** Program Committee Member, 9th IEEE/IFIP Working Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA), Boulder, CO, June 2011
- S138** Program Committee Member, 6th International Symposium on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS), Honolulu, HI, May 2011
- S139** Program Committee Member, IEEE Globecom 2010 Workshop on Pervasive Group Communications (PerGroup), Miami, FL, December 2010
- S140** Program Committee Member, 18th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 2010), Santa Fe, NM, November 2010
- S141** Program Committee Member, International Symposium on Architecting Critical Systems (ISARCS 2010), Prague, Czech Republic, June 2010
- S142** Program Committee Member, 32nd International Conference on Software Engineering, Cape Town, South Africa, May 2010
- S143** Program Committee Member, 5th International Workshop on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS), Cape Town, South Africa, May 2010
- S144** Program Committee Member, Workshop on Flexible Modeling Tools (FlexiTools), Cape Town, South Africa, May 2010
- S145** Program Committee Member, Workshop on Quantitative Stochastic Models in the Verification and Design of Software Systems (QUOVADIS), Cape Town, South Africa, May 2010

- S146** Expert Panel Member, 24th IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2008), Auckland, New Zealand, November 2009
- S147** Program Committee Member, 8th Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA) and 3rd European Conference on Software Architecture (ECSA), Cambridge, UK, September 2009
- S148** Program Committee Member, 12th European Software Engineering Conference and 17th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2009), Amsterdam, the Netherlands, August 2009
- S149** Program Committee Member, 8th International Workshop on the Foundations of Coordination Languages and Software Architectures (FOCLASA'09), Rhodes, Grece, July 2009
- S150** Program Committee Member, DSN 2009 Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2007), Lisbon, Portugal, June 2009
- S151** Program Committee Member, 5th International Conference on the Quality of Software Architecture (QoSA 2009), East Stroudsburg, PA, June 2009
- S152** Program Committee Member, 6th International Conference on Autonomic Computing (ICAC), Barcelona, Spain, June 2009
- S153** Program Committee Member, 4th International Workshop on UML and AADL, Potsdam, Germany, June 2009
- S154** Program Committee Member, 31st International Conference on Software Engineering, Vancouver, Canada, May 2009
- S155** Program Committee Member, 4th International Conference on the Quality of Software Architectures (QoSA 2008), Karlsruhe, Germany, October 2008
- S156** Program Committee Member, 11th International Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE 2008), Karlsruhe, Germany, October 2008
- S157** Program Committee Member, 23rd IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2008), L'Aquila, Italy, September 2008
- S158** Program Committee Member, 2nd Brazilian Symposium on Software Components, Architectures, and Reuse (SBCARS 2008), Porto Alegre, Brazil, August 2008
- S159** Program Committee Member, 7th International Workshop on the Foundations of Coordination Languages and Software Architectures (FOCLASA'08), Reykjavik, Iceland, July 2008
- S160** Program Committee Member, DSN 2008 Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2007), Anchorage, AK, June 2008
- S161** Program Committee Member, 30th International Conference on Software Engineering, Leipzig, Germany, May 2008
- S162** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 30th International Conference on Software Engineering, Leipzig, Germany, May 2008
- S163** Program Committee Member, 3rd International Workshop on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2008), Leipzig, Germany, May 2008

- S164** Program Committee Member, International Workshop on Software Architectures and Mobility (SAM 2008), Leipzig, Germany, May 2008
- S165** Program Committee Member, 22nd IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering, Atlanta, GA, November 2007
- S166** Program Committee Member, International Workshop on the Engineering of Software Services for Pervasive Environments (ESSPE), Dubrovnik, Croatia, September 2007
- S167** Program Committee Member, 10th International Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE 2007), Boston, MA, July 2007
- S168** Program Committee Member, 3rd International Conference on the Quality of Software Architectures (QoSA 2007), Boston, MA, July 2007
- S169** Program Committee Member, First IEEE International Conference on Self-Adaptive and Self-Organizing Systems (SASO 2007), Boston, MA, July 2007
- S170** Program Committee Member, DSN 2007 Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2007), Edinburgh, UK, June 2007
- S171** Program Committee Member, 2nd International Workshop on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS 2007), Minneapolis, MN, May 2007
- S172** Program Committee Member, 2nd Workshop on Sharing and Reusing Architectural Knowledge - Architecture Rationale and Design Intent (SHARK/ADI), Minneapolis, MN, May 2007
- S173** Tutorials Committee Member, 29th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2007), Minneapolis, MN, May 2007
- S174** Program Committee Member, Workshop on Tools, Operating Systems and Programming Models for Developing Reliable Systems (TOPMoDeLS), Long Beach, CA, March 2007
- S175** Program Committee Member, 6th International Workshop on Software and Performance (WOSP 2007), Buenos Aires, Argentina, February 2007
- S176** Program Committee Member, 6th Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture, Mumbai, India, January 2007
- S177** Program Committee Member, 14th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 14), Portland, OR, November 2006
- S178** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 14th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE 14), Portland, OR, November 2006
- S179** Expert Reviewer Panel Member, 21st IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2006), Tokyo, Japan, September 2006
- S180** Doctoral Symposium Committee Member, 21st IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2006), Tokyo, Japan, September 2006
- S181** Program Committee Member, 9th International Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE 2006), Västerås, Sweden, June/July 2006
- S182** Program Committee Member, ICSE 2006 Workshop on Software Engineering for Adaptive and Self-Managing Systems (SEAMS), Shanghai, China, May 2006

- S183** Tutorials Committee Member, 28th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2006), Shanghai, China, May 2006
- S184** Program Committee Member, 20th IEEE International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2005), Long Beach, CA, November 2005
- S185** Program Committee Member, 10th European Software Engineering Conference and 13th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2005), Lisbon, Portugal, September 2005
- S186** Program Committee Member, 9th International Software Product Line Conference (SPLC- EUROPE 2005), Rennes, France, September 2005
- S187** Program Committee Member, 5th International Workshop on Software Engineering and Middleware (SEM 2005), Lisbon, Portugal, 5-6 September 2005
- S188** Program Committee Member, Workshop on Architecture-Centric Evolution (ACE 2005), Glasgow, UK, July 2005
- S189** Program Committee Member, 4th International Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2004), St. Louis, MO, May 2005
- S190** Program Committee Member, 8th International Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE8), St. Louis, MO, May 2005
- S191** Program Committee Member, Workshop on Software Composition (SC 2005), Edinburgh, UK, April 2005
- S192** Program Committee Member, Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences, Mini- Track on Strategic Software Engineering, Hawaii, January 2005
- S193** Program Committee Member, 2004 Workshop on Self-Managed Systems, Newport Beach, CA, November 2004
- S194** Program Co-Chair, Workshop on Software Architecture Description & UML, Lisbon, Portugal, October 2004
- S195** Program Committee Member, 19th IEEE International Conference on Automated Software Engineering (ASE 2004), Linz, Austria, September 2004
- S196** Program Committee Member, 4th IEEE/IFIP Working Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA-4), Oslo, Norway, June 2004
- S197** Program Committee Member, Workshop on Capturing Experience in Software Architecture Best Practices, Oslo, Norway, June 2004
- S198** Program Committee Member, Twin Workshops on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2004), Edinburgh, UK, May 2004 and Florence, Italy, June 2004
- S199** Program Committee Member, 2nd International Working Conference on Component Deployment (CD 2004), Edinburgh, UK, May 2004
- S200** Program Committee Member, 7th International Symposium on Component-Based Software Engineering (CBSE7), Edinburgh, UK, May 2004
- S201** Program Committee Member, International Workshop on Incorporating COTS into Software Systems: Tools and Techniques (IWICSS), Redondo Beach, CA, February 2004



- S202** Program Committee Member, 10th Working Conference on Reverse Engineering (WCRE 2003), Victoria, BC, Canada, November 2003
- S203** Program Committee Member, 5th International Workshop on Product Family Engineering (PFE-5), Siena, Italy, November 2003
- S204** Program Committee Member, 2nd International Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2003), Portland, OR, May 2003
- S205** Program Committee Member, Conference on Generative and Component-Based Software Engineering (GCSE), Pittsburgh, PA, October 2002
- S206** Program Committee Member, The Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA-3), Montreal, Canada, August 2002
- S207** Program Committee Member, 2nd Software Product Line Conference (SPLC-2), San Diego, CA, August 2002
- S208** Program Committee Member, International Workshop on Mobile Teamwork, Vienna, Austria, July 2002
- S209** Program Committee Member, ECOOP 2002 Workshop on Concrete Communication Abstractions Of The Next 701 Distributed Object Systems, Malaga, Spain, June 2002
- S210** Program Committee Member, 24th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2002), Orlando, FL, May 2002
- S211** Symposium Committee Member, Doctoral Symposium, 24th International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2002), Orlando, FL, May 2002
- S212** Program Committee Member, 1st International Workshop on Architecting Dependable Systems (WADS 2002), Orlando, FL, May 2002
- S213** Program Committee Member, 4th International Workshop on Product Family Engineering (PFE-4), Bilbao, Spain, October 2001
- S214** Program Committee Member, 8th European Software Engineering Conference and 9th ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (ESEC/FSE 2001), Vienna, Austria, September 2001
- S215** Program Committee Member, The Second Working IEEE/IFIP Conference on Software Architecture (WICSA-2), Amsterdam, The Netherlands, August 2001
- S216** Program Committee Member, 23rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE 2001), Toronto, Canada, May 2001
- S217** Program Committee Member, Second International Workshop on Engineering Distributed Objects (EDO 2000), Davis, CA, November 2000
- S218** Program Committee Member, Eighth ACM SIGSOFT Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering (FSE8), San Diego, CA, November 2000
- S219** Program Committee Member, Fourth International Software Architecture Workshop (ISAW-4), Limerick, Ireland, June 2000
- S220** Program Committee Member, Third International Workshop on Software Architectures for Product Families (IW-SAPF-3), Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain, March 2000

## **Referee and Reviewer Service**

- S214** Journal of Empirical Software Engineering 2017
- S221** National Science Foundation, Review Panel 1/2000, 10/2003, 11/2013, 1/2016, 3/2018, 10/2021, 10/2024
- S222** ACM Transactions on Autonomous and Adaptive Systems 2015
- S223** ACM Transactions on Software Engineering and Methodology
- S224** 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013
- S225** IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
- S226** Elsevier Information and Software Technology Journal 2007, 2008, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016
- S227** Journal of Software Engineering for Robotics 2009
- S228** Architecting Dependable Systems VI, LNCS, Springer Verlag 2009
- S229** IEEE Software 2008
- S230** IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics 2008
- S231** Journal of Systems and Software 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2011, 2015
- S232** University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Research Growth Initiative 2006
- S233** Journal of Automated Software Engineering 1999, 2000, 2005
- S234** 28th International Conference on Software Engineering, Outside Reviewer 2005
- S235** Architecting Dependable Systems III, LNCS, Springer Verlag 2005
- S236** Architecting Dependable Systems II, LNCS, Springer Verlag 2004
- S237** IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems 2003, 2004
- S238** National Science Foundation, Proposal Reviewer (PASI) 2/2011
- S239** IEEE Computer, Special Issue on Handheld Computing 2003
- S240** Architecting Dependable Systems, LNCS, Springer Verlag 2003
- S241** International Journal on Software Maintenance and Evolution 2002
- S242** Science Foundation Ireland 2002
- S243** IEE Proceedings - Software Engineering 1998
- S244** Conference on User Interface Software and Technology, Outside Reviewer 1996
- S245** 19th International Conference on Software Engineering, Outside Reviewer 1997

## **Other**

- S246** Member, IFIP Working Group 2.4 – Software Implementation Technologies (2020 - present)
- S247** Participant, IFIP Working Group 2.10 - Software Architecture (2002 - 2007)

### **13 University Service**

- S248** Chair, Thomas Lord Department of Computer Science, USC (7/22 – present)
- S249** Vice-Chair for Tenure Affairs, Department of Computer Science, USC (7/21 – 6/22)
- S250** Chair, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2/21 – 6/22)
- S251** Chair, Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (10/21 – 5/22)
- S252** Chair, Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (10/20 - 5/21)
- S253** Member, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (1/20 - 3/21)
- S254** Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure (APT) Committee, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (8/20 - 7/21)
- S255** APT Executive Committee, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (8/20 - 7/21)
- S256** Area Lead, Computer Systems Area, Computer Science Department, USC (8/19 - 8/20)
- S257** Member, Faculty Hiring Committee - Software Engineering, Computer Science Department, USC (12/19 - 5/20)
- S258** Member, Faculty Hiring Committee - Programming Languages, Computer Science Department, USC (12/19 - 5/20)
- S259** Chair, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (12/19 - 3/20)
- S260** Member, Research Ethics Committee, University of Southern California (2/19 - 5/20)
- S261** Committee on Academic Policies and Procedures, University of Southern California (8/17 - 8/21)
- S262** Chair, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (8/19 - 1/20)
- S263** Member, Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (10/18 - 5/19)
- S264** Member, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (12/18 - 5/19)
- S265** Chair, Teaching Faculty Merit Review Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (1/18 - 5/18)
- S266** Chair, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (8/17 - 12/17)
- S267** Member, Joint-Appointment Review Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (9/17 - 11/17)
- S268** Member, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (3/17 - 5/17)
- S269** Chair, Faculty Hiring Committee - Programming Languages, Computer Science Department, USC (12/16 - 5/17)
- S270** Member, Merit Review Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2/17 - 3/17)

- S271** Chair, Merit Review Process Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(8/16 - 2/17)
- S272** Chair, Merit Review Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2/16 - 3/16)
- S273** Chair, Research Faculty Promotion Committee Computer Science Department, USC  
(1/16 – present)
- S274** Chair, Research Faculty Promotion Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(11/15 - 11/16)
- S275** Chair, Faculty Hiring Committee - Software Engineering, Computer Science Department,  
USC (12/15 - 5/16)
- S276** Chair, Faculty Hiring Committee - Programming Languages, Computer Science  
Department, USC (12/15 - 5/16)
- S277** Chair, Ad-Hoc Promotion and Tenure Committee, Computer Science Department USC  
(3/15 - 5/16)
- S278** Ad-Hoc Promotion Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (5/15 - 5/16)
- S279** Associate Chair for Ph.D. Affairs, Computer Science Department, USC (7/11 - 6/15)
- S280** Chair, PhD Program Reboot Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(8/13 - 6/15)
- S281** Chair, Ph.D. Admissions Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (7/11 - 6/15)
- S282** Ph.D. Council, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (1/12 - 6/15)
- S283** Research Committee, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (7/12 - 8/13)
- S284** Transformative Faculty Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(6/12 - 5/13)
- S285** Director, Center for Systems & Software Engineering, Viterbi School of Engineering  
USC (1/09 - 2/13)
- S286** Joint Faculty Appointment Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(11/12 - 12/12)
- S287** Department Chair Search Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (9/11 - 5/12)
- S288** Chair Performance Evaluation Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(3/12 - 5/12)
- S289** Department Ranking Committee, Computer Science Department (2/12 - 5/12)
- S290** Engineering Faculty Council (EFC), Viterbi School of Engineering, USC  
(1/02 - 5/05, 8/06 - 5/10)
- S291** New Building Faculty Advisory Committee, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC  
(1/10 - 3/14)
- S292** EFC Academic Senate Alternate, USC (8/08 - 8/09)
- S293** Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure (APT) Committee, Viterbi School of  
Engineering, USC (8/08 - 5/10)
- S294** Ph.D. Admissions Committee, Computer Science Department, USC  
(8/04 - 5/05, 8/07 - 8/15)

- S295** Ph.D. Fellowships Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (8/07 - 8/15)
- S296** Group Leader, Software Systems and Engineering, Computer Science Department, USC (8/08 - 8/10)
- S297** Chair, Faculty Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (8/08 - 5/09)
- S298** Department Chair's Advisory Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (8/07 - 7/08)
- S299** Merit Review Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2000, 2004, 2008, 2010)
- S300** Provost/Academic Senate Committee on Information Services, USC (8/06 - 5/08)
- S301** Dean/EFC Standing Committee on Best Practices, USC (1/08 - 8/08)
- S302** Dean/EFC Standing Committee on Faculty Recruitment and Retention, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (8/07 - 8/08)
- S303** EFC Research Committee, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (1/07 - 8/07, 1/10 - 5/10)
- S304** Chair, Interaction Group, Computer Science Department, USC (8/06 - 8/07)
- S305** Chair, EFC Merit Review Committee, Viterbi School of Engineering, USC (8/06 - 8/08)
- S306** Qualifying Exam Timeline Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (4/06 - 5/07)
- S307** M.S. Program Review Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (12/03 - 5/05)
- S308** Research Faculty Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2002, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008)
- S309** Dean's Evaluation Committee, School of Engineering, USC (11/04 - 1/05)
- S310** M.S. Program Review Committee, School of Engineering, USC (9/03 - 12/03)
- S311** Faculty Hiring Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2001, 2004)
- S312** Interview Panel, Trustee Scholarship, School of Engineering, USC (3/02, 3/04)
- S313** EFC Committee on Research Faculty Rights and Responsibilities, School of Engineering, USC (11/02 - 5/03)
- S314** Chair, Computer Systems Group, Computer Science Department, USC (12/99 - 5/02)
- S315** College of Engineering Commencement Marshal, USC (2000, 2002)
- S316** Industrial Liaison Committee, Computer Science Department, USC (2000)

## **14 Professional Associations**

- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)
- ACM Special Interest Group on Software Engineering (SIGSOFT)
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
- IEEE Computer Society (CS)

## **15 Consulting**

- 2010 - present     Expert witness in multiple legal matters involving software technology
- 2/11 - present     Aerospace Corporation, El Segundo, CA
- 6/00 - 6/03        Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL), Pasadena, CA