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- National Science Foundation. Planning Grant: Engineering Research Center for Convergence of Scalable and Sustainable Digital Fabrication of Smart Textiles. PI Genevieve Dion, CoPI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$50,000. Period Covered: 9/20 - 8/21.
- DARPA (pass through: MIT-AFFOA). Capacitive Touch Sensors. PI: Genevieve Dion, CoPI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount:\$100,000. Period Covered: 10/19–10/20.
- Environmental Protection Agency. BMP Planning and Reporting: Scaling Precision Conservation throughout Watershed. PI: Ali SHokoufandeh, Co-PI: Lin Perez. Total Award Amount:\$239,085. Period Covered: 12/2018 9/2024.
- DARPA (pass through: Lockheed Martin). Development of Aerial Dragnet Measurement Testbed. PI: Kapil Dandekar, Co-PI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount:\$475,000. Period Covered: 1/2018 – 10/2019.
- Comcast Research. Enhancing the MAC layer for LoraWAN based IoT Networks. PI: Ali Shokoufandeh, Co-PI: Steven Weber. Total Award Amount:\$100,000. Period Covered: 9/2017 - 9/2019.
- William Penn Foundation (pass through: Water Research Center). Model My Watershed: A Tool for Water Resource Management. PI: Ali Shokoufandeh, Co-PI: Scott Haag. Total Award Amount:\$218,000. Period Covered: 1/2017 – 1/2019.
- Stroud Water Research Center. Stream Research Assessment Tool (SRAT). PI: Ali Shokoufandeh, Co-PI: Scott Haag. Total Award Amount:\$25,000. Period Covered: 08/2016 - 12/2016.
- National Science Foundation. PFI:AIR TT: A System for 3D Content-based Data Management (+REU). PI: Ali Shokoufandeh, Co-PI: Gaurav Naik, David Breen. Total Award Amount: \$199,997 (+\$12,000). Period Covered: 09/2016-08/2018.
- National Science Foundation. Similarity Measures Based on Refinement Operators and Metric Embedding Applied to the Analysis of Immune Repertoires. PI: Santiago Ontanon, Co-PI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$139,849. Period Covered: 09/2015–08/2016.
- Comcast Corporation. A Machine Learning Framework for measuring user Quality of Experience (QoE). PI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$87,550. Period Covered: 11/2015-3/2016.
- National Science Foundation. Center for Visual & Decision Informatics: Information Reterival on Multyiple Data Sources Using Graph-based Methods. Total Award Amount: \$30,753. Period Covered: 9/2015–6/2016.
- U.S. Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL). SPRUCE: Software-Intensive Systems Producibility Initiative. PI: Spiros Mancrodis, Co-PI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$300,000. Total Award Period Covered: 1/2008-2/2011.
- Office of Naval Research. ONR-N00014-08-1-0925. Dentification of Canonical Subsets and their Role in Simplification of Complex Patterns. PI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$305,549. Total Award Period Covered: 5/2008-6/2011.
- National Science Foundation. The 3D Colonial Philadelphia Project: Digital Restoration of Thin-Shell Objects for Historical Archaeological Research and Interpretation. PI: Fernand Cohen, Co-PIs: Ali Shokoufandeh, Ko Nishino, Patrice Jeppson, and Glen J. Muschio. Total Award Amount: \$737,737. Total Award Period Covered: 10/2008-9/2011.
- U.S. Army Research, Communications and Electronics Research, Development and Engineering Center (CERDEC) Night Vision (Task 8.12). Study of Compression Algorithms for the Airborne Infrared Cameras. PI: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$150,000. Total Award Period Covered: 9/2008–9/2009.
- National Science Foundation. Digital Engineering Archives. PI: William Regli, Co-PIs: Ali Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$480,000. Total Award Period Covered: 7/2005-8/2008.
- National Institute of Standards and Technology. SURF Program. PI: Ali Shokoufandeh,

Student: Craig Schroeder. Total Award Amount: \$5,950. Total Award Period Covered: 7/2005–9/2005.

- National Science Foundation. Computer-Aided Tissue Engineering. PI: Wei Sun, Co-PIs: Ali Shokoufandeh, and M. Liebschner. Total Award Amount: \$1,000,000. ITR-DMI 0427216. Total Award Period Covered: 10/2004–9/2008.
- Office of Naval Research. ONR-N000140410363. Indexing and Matching Relational Structures for Image Interpretation. PI: A. Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$213,057. Total Award Period Covered: 4/2004-7/2007.
- National Science Foundation. ITRM/M-EIA-02-05178. New Modeling of Dynamic Brain Images for Indexing and Retrieval. (Joint withm Rutgers University). Rutgers PI: Paul Kantor. Drexel PI: A. Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$128,400. Total Award Period Covered: 8/2003–2/2006.
- Nissan Motor Company. An Integrated Approach to Tracking Driver Cognitive State. (No Award Number, Industrial Grant). PI: D. Salvucci, Co-PI: A. Shokoufandeh. Total Award Amount: \$60,000. Total Award Period Covered: 5/2003-5/2004.
- State of Pennsylvania. RFA-01-07-26. Automated Histological Grading of Breast Cancer. Joint PIs: S. McKinney, A. Tozeren, A. Shokoufandeh, A. Ghosh, F. Garcia. Total Award Amount: \$197,969. Total Award Period Covered: 1/2003-1/2004.
- National Science Foundation. DMI-0219176. ITR: Representation and Design of Heterogeneous Structures. PI: W. Sun, Co-PIs: A. Shokoufandeh, W. Regli. Total Award Amount: \$490,806. Total Award Period Covered: 10/2002–9/2005.
- National Science Foundation. CISE/IIS-0136337. SGER: Algorithmic Infrastructure for Knowledge Management. PI: A. Shokoufandeh, Co-PI: W. Regli. Total Award Amount: \$50,000. Total Award Period Covered: 10/2001–9/2002.
- National Science Foundation. DEI/MRI-0079830. MRI: Acquisition of a Complete Whole Arm Manipulator (WAM) Robot System, PI: J. P. Desai, Co-PIs: B.C. Chang, H. G. Kwatny, C. T. Laurencin, A. Shokoufandeh.Total Award Amount: \$182,177. Total Award Period Covered: 9/2000–9/2003.

AWARDS

•	Best I	Paper	Award,	EICS	/PACM,	2020.
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- Best Scientific Paper Award. IAPR-ICPR Confernce, 2016.
- Best of CHI Award. ACM CHI Conference, 2009.
- Outstanding Teacher Award. Drexel University College of Engineering, 2006.
- DIMACS Graduate Award. The Center for Discrete Mathematics and Theoretical Computer Science (A National Science Foundation and Technology Center), 1999.
- DIMACS Graduate Award. The Center for Discrete Mathematics and Theoretical Computer Science (A National Science Foundation and Technology Center), 1998.
- Annual Scientific Award for Best Undergraduate Research Project. Informatica Society of Iran, 1990.

STUDENT SUPERVISION Ph.D. Students Completed

- Andrew W. E. McDonald, Ph.D., Computer Science, Drexel University, 2021. Thesis title: *ploiting Graphical Structures of Data and Neural Network Architectures*
- Denisa Qori McDonald, Ph.D., Computer Science, Drexel University, 2021. Thesis title: On the Real-World Interactivity Potential of Minimalistic Knitted Sensors at the Intersection of Artificial Intelligence and User Experience.
- Scott Haag, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2019. Thesis title: *Geometric* and Combinatorial Methods for Digital Elevation Models.
- Thomas Shortell, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2018. Thesis title: Secure Signal Processing and Secure Machine Learning using Fully Homomorphic Encryption.
- Yusuf Osmanlioglu, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2016. Thesis title: On the Applications of Metric Trees and Metric Labeling to Hard Combinatorial

Optimization Problems.

- Kamelia Aryafar, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2015. Thesis title: Multimodal Information Retrieval and Classification.
- Dmitriy Bespalov, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2012. Thesis title: Large-scale Document Labeling using Supervised Sequence Embedding.
- Walt Mankowski, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2012. Co-supervised with Dr. Dario Salvucci. Thesis title: *Canonical Behavior Patters*
- Thomas Plick, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2012. Thesis title: Graph Theoretical Methods in Object Recognition and Related Problems in Extremal Graph Theory
- Evan Sultanik, Ph.D. Computer Science, Drexel University, 2010. Co-supervised with Dr. W.C. Regli. Thesis title: Automatic Construction, Maintenance, and Optimization of Dynamic Agent Organizations.
- Jeff Abrahamson, Ph.D., Computer Science, 2007. Thesis title: *Optimal Matching* and *Deterministic Sampling*.
- Connie Gomez. Ph.D., Mechanical Engineering, 2007. Co-supervised with Dr. W. Sun. Thesis title: A Unit Cell Based Multi-Scale Modeling and Design Approach for Tissue Engineered Scaffolds.
- Leet Denton. Ph.D., Computer Science, 2007. Thesis title: Subset Selection Using Nonlinear Optimization
- M. Fatih Demirci. PhD. Computer Science, 2005. Thesis title: Many-to-Many Feature Matching for Structural Pattern Recognition.

M.Sc. Students Completed

- Stephen Zakrewsky. M.S., Computer Science, 2016. Thesis title: Item Popularity Prediction in E-commerce Using Image Quality Feature Vectors.
- Craig Schroeder. M.S., Computer Science, 2006. Thesis title: Metric Tree Weight Adjustment and Infinite Complete Binary Trees As Groups.
- Dimitiry Bespalov. M.S., Computer Science, 2005. Co-supervised with Dr. W. C. Regli. Thesis Title: *Scale-sapce Representation of 3D Models*.
- Mitchell Peabody. B.S./M.S., Computer Science, 2002. Co-supervised with Dr. W. C. Regli. Thesis title: *Engineering and Graph Databases*. Science, Drexel University.

Editorial Boards

- Member, Editor, Journal of Pattern Recognition, 2016-present.
- Member, Editorial Board, IET Computer Vision, 2008-2018.
- Member, Editorial Board, Pattern Recognition Letters, 2008-2020.
- Reviewing Editor, Journal of Pattern Recognition, 2006-2008.