

Department of Computer Science

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Chair's Corner

Greetings! Our C13 lab got a makeover with “pods” which allow for convenient group interaction and which resulted in more floorspace for our robotics programming. The computers themselves have been upgraded with more RAM and larger SSDs.

We are planning a study-abroad trip to England jointly with the math department for late Spring 2020. By then we hope to have hired a replacement for Dr. Kirk. In the meantime, alumnus Willie George (2005) has agreed to teach the Computer Architecture class for us.

Blessings,
G. Jan Wilms

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Scholarship Symposium Presentations

Programming You Can Hear by *Tanner Cherry*

Efficient Application that Manages Post Office Mailboxes by *Hugo Gaspar*

Moodle 2.0 by *Jacob Cronin, Jacob Laster, and Peyton Woods*

Scholarships and Awards

Donations to help these funds grow are much appreciated!

Hugo Gaspar *The Bill Truex Award in Computer Science*

Laura Hailey *Dr. Joe Tucker Scholarship Recipient*

Hugo Gaspar *First Place in Major Field Achievement Test*

David Cooper *First Year Programming Award*

Ty Michael *Outstanding Research Award from the Center for Scientific Studies*

Hugo Gaspar *Academic Excellence Medal*



Congratulations Graduates LEFT TO RIGHT



Graduates hold positions at

Axiom, Ascension Health Information Services, Aspect Security, Aprimo, AutoZone, Asentinel Belvedere Trading, Benefit Communications, BMC Software, BrickWire, Booz Allen Hamilton, Caleres Inc., Cerner Corporation, Education Networks of America, Deitek Inc., Enterprise Solutions, Ericsson, eviCore Healthcare, FedEx Services, Field Nation, First Bank, Franklin American Mortgage Company, Garmin International Inc., Global Client Solutions, Global Cloud Ltd., GS&F, HAP Innovations LLC, HCI Supply, Hexpol Compounding, Housing Authority, Jackson Madison County Schools, IBM UrbanCode, Ingram Book Company, Iowa State University, iPro Systems, Logical Systems Inc., Kirkland's, Lutheran Senior Services, Marcone, Mid-America Apartment Communities, Modern Telephone Systems, Nash Finch Company, National Security Agency, Nerdvana, Professional IT Management, Pictsweet, Pomeroy IT Solutions, PureSafety, SandStorm IT, SATO, Sedgwick CMS, SG Technology, Simpson Strong-Tie, SocialCoaster, Sprint, Stanley Black & Decker Inc., State of Tennessee, SwiftLink, Tailored Networks, Teknor Apex, Tennessee Independent Colleges and Universities Association, The Aricent Group, Transformations Inc., Twyla Inc., Xerox, Younger Associates, Webtec

Alumni News

Job Updates for Alumni

Jacob Laster (2018): Hexpol Compounding, Memphis, TN

Tanner Cherry (2018): Data Analyst, SocialCoaster, Nashville, TN

Jacob Cronin (2018): Tailored Networks, Jackson, TN

Hugo Gasper (2018): Masters Program in Computer Science, Technico Lisboa

Justyn Hunter (2004): GS&F



The opening of the redecorated lab

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