

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN:



Chip Klostermeyer
CCEC DEAN

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UNF's College of Computing, Engineering, and Construction (CCEC) is pleased to send you our inaugural newsletter. We hope to keep you informed of the exciting activity in the college. This past year, the college enrolled more than 2,000 students for the first time. Three groups of CCEC faculty received National Science Foundation awards this year, which is a first and an amazing accomplishment! Additionally, all our programs went through successful reaccreditation this past year, Computing and Engineering via ABET and Construction Management via ACCE. In addition, this past year the School of Computing was designated as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Education.

This year, we held the spring and summer terms mostly online due to the COVID-19 virus, but our faculty and students managed to continue in a very professional manner. We are looking forward to an exciting 2020-2021 academic year with several new faculty and projects, some of which you will read about in these pages. We are especially appreciative of our donors and industry partners, who provide scholarships and career opportunities to our students, and who help us provide an excellent education to our students through their projects, internships, and counsel. Thank you!

CCEC SPOTLIGHT

A SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR DONOR OF THE MONTH



We are leaders in the construction industry, bringing significant expertise and experience to building premiere multifamily and senior living communities. With our passion and dedication to perfection, we have established a new standard for excellence in construction.

NSF Grant Award

Faculty from UNF's College of Education and Human Services (Dr. Brian Zoellner) and College of Computing, Engineering, and Construction (Dr. Chip Klostermeyer) received a two-year NSF award in the amount of \$291,579 in the area of computer science education.

In partnership with Duval County Schools, the aim of the project is to provide public school teachers with the content and pedagogical knowledge to be effective computer science teachers.

Meet A Club:

SWAT - Society for Women Advancing Technology and Computing

is a student club open to any UNF student with interests in supporting women and future women entering the tech industry. SWAT hosts tech workshops, panels, presentations from local CEOs/CTOs/CIOs, visits local companies to meet their teams, learn firsthand about their goals and work-life culture.

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CAREER RESOURCES

HANDSHAKE

Looking to hire from CCEC? Handshake is UNF's hiring website for careers, internships and co-op positions.

To get started just [Click Here!](#)

Host a Zoom Employer Q&A:

Looking to connect with our students directly? CCEC is now offering remote Employer Question & Answer sessions to promote and recruit for your jobs!

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EVENTS LOOK BACK

EMPLOYER SHOWCASE

March 5, 2020

The College of Computing, Engineering & Construction would like to thank our employer partners for a record-breaking career fair. 153 employers met with 686 students and alumni for a great day of hiring from UNF. Be on the lookout for more details on our Fall event on October 1st!

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Meet The Faculty:



Grant Bevill

Mechanical Engineering Assistant Professor

Dr. Bevill is the head of the Injury and Safety Biomechanics Lab which uses experimental and computational approaches to understand how injuries occur. Focusing on how they can be prevented.

Some Focus areas include:

- (1) The prevention of head/brain injuries in sports and occupational settings by developing new designs for protection to current commercial models
- (2) Pediatric safety in rehabilitative settings (with Dr. Juan Aceros and Dr. Mary Lundy's Adaptive Toy Vehicle program)
- (3) Finite element modeling of biological systems to understand structure function relationships.

WOMEN IN STEM

March 3, 2020

The Center for the Advancement of Women in Engineering and the College of Computing, Engineering and Construction hosted the 6th Annual Women Leaders in STEM Conference at the UNF Adam W. Herbert University Center. The keynote speaker for the event was Yolande Piazza, Managing Director, Citi Global Consumer Bank and Founder, Citi's Women in Technology (WIT) Program.

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