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INVITED SHORT COURSES

Parallel Processing of Seismic Data, August 2-6, 2004, CPGG/UFBA – Research Center in Geophysics and Geology, Federal University of Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

Parallel Computing for Seismic Processing, August 23-25, 2000, CPGG/UFBA – Salvador, Brazil.

Practical Approaches to Uncertainty Estimation in Geophysical Inversion, Sociedade Brasileira de Geofisica, Sao Paulo, Brazil, September 1997.

Nonlinear Optimization Methods in Geophysics, March 15–17, 1993, Universidade Federal da Bahia, sponsored by the Sociedade Brasileira de Geofisica, Salvador, Brazil.

SYMPOSIA

Oceanography: The Making of a Science, People, Institutions, and Discovery, Sponsored by the Office of Naval Research, Texas A&M University, February 2000.

High Performance Parallel Computing Symposium, Cost effective parallel seismic computing using a PC cluster, Applied Research Laboratories, December 1999.

The Future of Exploration Geophysics: Meeting the Needs of Industry and Academics, UT Department of Geological Sciences, December 1999.

WORKSHOPS/FORUMS

Time Evolution of the Wave Equation Using the Rapid Expansion Method for Highly Accurate TRM, Invited Speaker, EAGE Subsalt Imaging: Focus on Azimuth Workshop, November 15-18, 2009, Cairo.

RTM Problems and Promises Workshop, workshop co-convenor, SEG Annual Meeting, October 29, 2009, Houston.

Applications (Session Chair), SEG Annual Meeting, October 28th, 2009, Houston Stress Effect and Compaction Surveillance

Using 4D Seismic (Session Chair), SEG Annual Meeting, October 27th, 2009, Houston

Seismic Imaging and Velocity Analysis: Current Status and Future Directions, Invited Speaker, Gaussian Beams with Application to Seismology Workshop, November 29, 30, and December 3, 2007, sponsored by Center for Numerical Analysis, ICES, The University of Texas at Austin.

Velocity Analysis for Depth Imaging, co-chair, Ninth International Congress of the Brazilian Geophysical Society, September 2005, Salvador, Brazil

Interactive Workshop to address Current Problems in Acquisition, Processing and Interpretation of Multicomponent Seismic Data (follow-up workshop to the EDGER Workshop held December 2003 at Shell in Houston), December 2004, Houston.

3D Parallel Processing Workshop, Cost effective parallel seismic computing using a PC cluster, Brazilian Geophysical Society, August 1999, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Workshop on Wavelet Estimation and Lithology Inversion, Society of Exploration Geophysicists, SA and GA: Tools for Estimating the Macro-model, Paul L. Stoffa and Mrinal K. Sen, 1996.

Workshop on “Comparison of seismic inversion methods on a single real data set,” AVO analysis of Mobil data by a linearized inversion in the τ - p domain, Xia, Ganyuan, Mrinal K. Sen, and Paul L. Stoffa, 1996.

EAGE Workshop on Removal of Multiples and Free Surface Effects in Marine Seismic Data, May 27, 1995, Glasgow, Scotland.

NATO Workshop on: Rifted Ocean-Continent Boundaries, May 11-14, 1994, Mallorca, Spain.

EDGE/MARGINS Workshop to review recent progress in continental margin research and outline outstanding scientific targets that are addressable seismically, October 1993, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, Woods Hole, Massachusetts.

Workshop on Shallow Water Acoustics, April 24-26, 1991, sponsored by the Office of Naval Research, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, Woods Hole, Massachusetts.

Gas Hydrate Workshop, April 23-24, 1991, sponsored by U.S. Department of Energy, Morgantown, U.S. Geological Survey and Naval Research Laboratory, Reston, Virginia.

A High Resolution 3D Survey, Invited Speaker, April 9-10, 1991, Workshop on High Resolution Offshore Seismic for Defense Purposes, sponsored by Naval Oceanographic and Atmospheric Research Laboratory, University of Houston, Houston, TX.

Workshop on the Antarctic International Lithosphere Project, Invited Speaker, July 19-20, 1989, National Academy of Science, Washington, D.C.

Geophysics and Computers - A Look to the Future, Co-Convener, April 27-28, 1989, Houston Area Research Center, The Woodlands, TX.

Exploration of Deep Continental Margin Crust with Closely Spaced Shots and Receivers, Co-convener, February 27-28, 1989, Houston Area Research Center, The Woodlands, TX.

Continental Margins Workshop, Participant, November 20-23, 1988, National Research Council, Irvine, CA.

INVITED PAPERS

Cost effective parallel seismic computing using a PC cluster, November 1998, Phillips Petroleum Company, Bartlesville, OK.

Migration and Inversion of Seismic Data, May 1994, NATO/ARW Advanced Research Workshop on Rifted Ocean - Continent Boundaries, Mallorca, Spain.

Tau-p: An Alternative Domain for Filtering, Velocity Analysis and Imaging, 1989, Recent Advances and the Road Ahead Symposium, Proceedings of the 59th Annual Meeting of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists, Dallas, TX.

Pre-stack Velocity Analysis in the Tau-p Domain, 1987, Research Workshop, 57th Annual Meeting of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists, New Orleans, LA.

Velocity Analysis in the Tau-p Domain, 1987, Proceedings of the 57th Annual Meeting of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists, New Orleans, LA.

INVITED LECTURES

Inversion for reservoir parameters using both time-lapse seismic and well production data, March 2008, Dallas Geophysical Society, Dallas, TX

Inversion for reservoir parameters using both time-lapse seismic and well production data, August 2007, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

Resolution of seismic and reservoir models, September 2006, Exploration Geophysics Seminar, The University of Texas at Austin.

An analysis of flow-simulation scales and seismic response, August 2006, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

An analysis of flow-simulation scales and seismic response, February 2006, MTEM Limited, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Double plane wave Kirchhoff depth migration, February 2006, MTEM Limited, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Transient EM imaging using split step Fourier methods, February 2006, MTEM Limited, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Flow/Petrogeophysics/Geophysics Integration – Instrumented Oilfield, October 2005, Fifteenth Annual Industrial Affiliates Meeting, Center for Subsurface Modeling, The University of Texas at Austin.

Double plane wave Kirchhoff depth migration, September 2005, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

Research projects at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, April 2005, Department of Earth Science Seminar Series, Rice University, Houston, TX

Research projects at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, February 2005, Society of Petroleum Engineers, Austin

THRUST S1: Energy testbeds, January 2005, Center for Geosystems Engineering Management (C-GEM) ERC Meeting, The University of Texas at Austin.

Flow/geophysics integration, 2004, Fourteenth Annual Industrial Affiliates Meeting, Center for Subsurface Modeling, The University of Texas at Austin.

Status of exploration seismology at other UT research units (UT Institute for Geophysics), EDGER Forum Symposium - Successful Applications of Multicomponent Seismic Data, February 2004, Jackson School of Geosciences, The University of Texas at Austin

Pre stack 3D seismic modeling, 2003, Thirteenth Annual Industrial Affiliates Meeting, Center for Subsurface Modeling, The University of Texas at Austin.

Stoffa, P.L., M. Sen, R. Seifoullaev, R. Pestana, and M. Tanis, 2003, Seismic imaging and velocity analysis: Current status and future directions, SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Austin, Texas, 6.

Research projects at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, October 2002, Bureau of Economic Geology's Fall 2002 Technical Seminar Series, The University of Texas at Austin.

Research in subsurface modeling and geophysics, September 2002, The Institute for Information Science and Technology (IIST) Review Panel Committee's presentation to the O'Donnell Foundation's site visit, The University of Texas at Austin.

Migration velocity analysis: a problem for non linear optimization, August 2002, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

Geophysical research projects at the University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, August 2002, Petrobras, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Estimating pre-critical seismic data from post-critical seismic data, December 2001, University of Houston.

Earth Science Research at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, February 2001, Lakeway Mens Breakfast Club, Lakeway, TX.

Earth Science Research at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, Netherlands Research Centre for Integrated Solid Earth Science Annual Assembly, December 2000, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Research at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, October 2000, Bureau of Economic Geology, UT-Austin.

UTIG: Global-Scale Basic Earth Science Research Using Geophysical Methods, March 1999, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Washington, DC.

Dip Selection 2-D Multiple Attenuation Operators in Plane Wave Domain, June 1998, Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands.

Migration Velocity Analysis, July 1996, Western Atlas, Houston, TX.

Migration Velocity Estimation, May 1996, Rice University, Houston, TX.

Linear Inversion Combined with Nonlinear Optimization to Speed Convergence for Geophysical Inverse Problems, March 1996, Instituto de Geociências, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

Prestack Migration Velocity Analysis using Nonlinear Optimization, March 1995, German Geophysical Society, Hamburg, Germany.

Pre-stack migration velocity analysis using VFSA: A comparison of migrated misfit and reflection tomography, August 1994, Instituto de Geociências, Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Brazil.

Nonlinear Optimization Methods in Geophysics, June 1994, GeoForschungs Zentrum Potsdam, University of Potsdam, Germany.

Nonlinear Optimization Methods in Geophysics, June 1994, Norsk Hydro, Statoil and the University of Bergen, Norway.

Nonlinear Optimization Methods in Geophysics, June 1994, University of Trondheim, Norway.

Nonlinear Optimization Methods in Geophysics, May 1994, Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands.

Geophysical applications of Global Optimization Methods, February 1994, Rice University, Houston, TX.

Seismic Waveform Inversion Using Global Optimization Methods: Examples Using Genetic Algorithms, November 1993, Compagnie Générale de Géophysique, Massy, France.

Seismic Waveform Inversion Using Global Optimization Methods: Examples Using Genetic Algorithms, Petroleum Science and Technology Symposium, October 1992, Cray Research, Inc., Houston, TX.

Seismic Waveform Inversion Using Global Optimization Methods, February 1992, University of New Orleans.

Seismic Waveform Inversion Using Global Optimization Methods, August 1991, Phillips Petroleum Company, Bartlesville, OK.

Experience With a Frequency Wavenumber Migration Algorithm on Parallel Computer Architectures, February 1991, MCC Workshop on Parallel Applications in the Oil Industry, Austin, TX.

Experiences with Supercomputers in Reflection Seismology, November 1989, IEEE-ACM Supercomputing Conference '89, Reno, NV.

3-D Laterally variable phase shift migration with examples from offshore Costa Rica, April 1989, Atlantic Richfield Company, Plano, TX.

Recent Seismic Programs at The University of Texas Institute for Geophysics: Costa Rica 3D, Nankai Trough high resolution 2 ship program, Carolina Trough, March 1989, Rice University, Houston, TX.

Seismic Reflection Programs at the University of Texas at Austin and 3D Survey off Costa Rica, March 1988, The University of Houston, Houston, TX.

Velocity Analysis for Dipping Structures, April 1987, Phillips Petroleum Company, Bartlesville, OK.

Acquisition and Analysis of Wide Angle Reflection and Refraction Seismic Data, February 1985, Geophysical Society of Tulsa, Tulsa, OK.

Acquisition and Analysis of Wide Angle Reflection and Refraction Seismic Data, November 1984, Shell Development Company, Houston, TX.

Acquisition and Analysis of Wide Angle Reflection and Refraction Seismic Data, November 1984, University of Houston, Houston, TX.

PROPOSAL REVIEW PANEL

Peer review panel Small Business Innovation Research/Small Business Technology Transfer, National Science Foundation, September 2000.

Department of Geological Sciences Activities

COMMITTEES

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- 1989 - 1992 Ad Hoc - Department of Geological Sciences/Institute for Geophysics Relations

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GEO 391- Seismic Migration and Inversion I

GEO 394 - Research in Geophysics

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GRADUATE SUPERVISION

Currently Co-supervisor of the following PhD candidates:

Will Burnett

A General Transform for Reversible Seismic Data Processing by Nonstationary Filtering

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Slope tomographic method in an Eulerian framework for seismic macro-velocity estimation

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Chunlei Chu Seismic modeling and imaging with the Fourier method: Numerical analyses and parallel implementation strategies
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Fall 2001

Junru Jiao Residual Migration Velocity Analysis in the Plane Wave Domain:
Theory and Applications – May 2001

Jean-Paul van Gestel Structure and Tectonics of the Puerto Rico-Virgin Islands Platform
and Multi-configuration Ground Penetrating Radar Data – May 2000

Vikramaditya Sen A Seismic Survey in Antarctica, Parallel Schemes for Seismic
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Mehmet Tanis Prestack Split-step Fourier Depth Migration Algorithms and Parallel
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Carlos Varela Automated Background Velocity Estimation in 2D Laterally Varying
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Jinyong Oh	A Deep-Penetration Seismic Study and Structural Interpretation of the Southeastern United States Continental Margin – August 1993
Livia J. Squires	Reducing Artifacts in Tomographic Velocity Reconstruction – May 1993
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Chaoshun Hu	Stochastic tomography and Gaussian beam depth migration – December 2008
Dhananjay Kumar	Analysis of Multicomponent Seismic Data from the Hydrate Ridge, Offshore Oregon - May 2005
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Georgios Tsolfias	Characterization of Near-Surface Hydrogeologic Properties Through High Frequency Electromagnetic Surveying – Fall 1999
Faqi Liu	Free Surface Multiple Elimination Operators and their Applications – August 1999
Faruq Akbar	Pre-stack 2-D and 3-D Depth Migration in the τ -p Domain – August 1997
Carlos Calderon-Macias	Artificial Neural Systems for Interpretation and Inversion of Seismic Data – August 1997
Ganyuan Xia	Prestack Migration and AVO Inversion – August 1997
Raghu Chunduru	Global and Hybrid Optimization in Geophysical Inversion – May 1996

Served on the following PhD committees:

- Tiancong Hong Uncertainties in Reservoir Characterization Using Seismic Data – May 2008
- Irina Filina Geophysical investigations of subglacial lakes Vostok and Concordia, East Antarctica – December 2007
- Rishidev Bansal Seismic Characterization of Fractured Reservoirs – May 2007
- Jason E. Gumble Complete Anisotropic Analysis of Three Component Seismic Data Related to the Marine Environment and Comparison to Nine Component Land Seismic Data – December 2006
- Chandan Kumar Parameter Inversion for Seismic Anisotropy – December 2006
- Celso A.M. Neto Migração Pre-Empilhamento em Profundidade Utilizando Ondas Planas – August 2004 (Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Bahia, Brazil)
- Chengshu Wang Joint Inversion of P- and S-waves: Estimation of Seismic Velocity Structure and Density of Gas Hydrate-bearing Sediments, Offshore Oregon – June 2003
- Eric M. Matzel Seismic Structure of the Upper Mantle Beneath Crotons – April 2002
- J.W. Schoolmeesters Three-Dimensional Processing of Marine Seismic Data by Spectral Decomposition, Delft University of Technology – Spring 2001
- Salem G. Al Juhani Data Integration for Reservoir Characterization: A Central Arabian Oil Field – May 1999
- Rafael E. Banks Time Harmonic Field Electric Logging – August 1998
- Barker, Daniel H.N. Geophysical Investigation of an Extending Marginal Basin in a Convergent Plate Margin Setting – Bransfield Strait/Antarctic Peninsula: its Crustal Structure, Tectonic Evolution, and Implications for Andean Orogenesis – May 1997
- Duk Kee Lee The Upper Mantle Structure Beneath the Colorado Rocky Mountains and the East Pacific Rise – May 1996
- Ran Zhou High Velocity Zone Beneath the Southern Tibetan Plateau and Fast Global Optimization of Earthquake Source Parameters – May 1996
- Xiao-Yang Ding Seismic Structure of the Deep Kurile Subduction Zone – May 1995
- György Marton Jurassic Evolution of the Southeastern Gulf of Mexico – May 1995

James Layton Simmons	Practical Seismic Inversion – May 1993
Steven J. Cardimona	Studies in Seismic Scattering – May 1992
Mark James Graebner	Generalized Linear Inversion in a Transversely Isotropic Solid – May 1991
Nikolaos Bernitsas	Traveltime Inversion, Modeling and Interpretation of Fault Surface Reflections – December 1990
Christopher Jude Finn	Travel Time Inversion in Three-Dimensional, Inhomogeneous Media – December 1990
William Corso	Seismic Stratigraphy of Lower Cretaceous Carbonate Platforms, Florida and Campeche Banks – December 1987
Tracy Joseph Stark	Information from Deep Water Seismic Reflection Data: LASE Line 2 – August 1986

Supervised the following MA candidates:

Ali M. Aljadher	Imaging of R3 Profile of Chicxulub Offshore Seismic Data, For Better Mapping the Deformation Pattern of the Chicxulub Impact Crater – Spring 2008
Hao Xun	A 3-D Seismic Investigation of the Distribution of Gas Hydrate and Free Gas and Their Relationship to the Structure and Stratigraphy of Hydrate Ridge – Summer 2007
Saleh Al-Saleh	Processing and imaging of multi-component ocean bottom cable data in plane wave domain – Summer 2001
John Stachowiak	The Nature and Causes of Backstop Deformation in the Northern Lesser Antilles Subduction Zone – May 2000
Stefan Paul Muszala	Magnetics of the Puerto Rico Trench and Aeromagnetics of the North Slope of Alaska – December 1998
Matt Ralston	Analysis of the COCORP Texas Line – May 1994
Mehmet C. Tanis	A Comparison of Migration Methods in Laterally Varying Media – May 1993

Hugh W. Winkler	Some Strategies for Linear Inversion – May 1992
Walter P. Kessinger, III	2-D and 3-D Migration Comparisons from the Costa Rica 3-D Survey – May 1991
Paul S. Riherd	Seismic Investigations of Two Proposed Nuclear Waste Repositories – May 1990
Warren T. Wood	One and Two-Dimensional Velocity Inversion in the Domain of Intercept Time and Ray Parameter: An Example in the Nankai Trough – August, 1989

Co-supervised the following MA candidates:

Stephan Clark	Non-volcanic Rifted Margin, Offshore Portugal: An Integrated MCS and OBS Study – December 1999
Lis Könnecke	Early Development of the Southern Kerguelen Plateau (Indian Ocean) from Ocean Bottom Seismograph and Multichannel Seismic Reflection Data – December 1997
Eddy C. Luhurbudi	Processing a High Resolution 3D Survey of the Shallow Subsurface on the Continental Shelf of New Jersey – May 1997
Kriyanti Setiyono	A Comparative Study of Multiple Suppression Methods – May 1996

Served on the following MA committees:

Trevor J Aitken	Cenozoic Stratigraphic and Tectonic History of the Grenada and Tobago Basins as Determined From Marine Seismic Data, Wells, and Onland Geology - 2005
David L. Gorney	Chronology of Cenozoic Tectonic Events in Western Venezuela and the Dutch Antilles Based on Integration of Offshore Seismic Reflection Data and Onland Geology - 2005
Erick Leuro	GIS compilation of geologic, geophysical, and remote sensing data from St. Elias Mountains, southern Alaska - 2004
Paulo Ricardo Santos	Inversão Elástica 1-D Utilizando Algoritmos Genéticos Universidade Federal da Bahia – December 1997
Timothy J. Hoar	Altimetric Observations of Oceanic Response to Atmospheric Forcing – December 1993

While at the Universidade Federal da Bahia, Salvador, Bahia, Brazil (July 1985–July 1986) as a Visiting Professor, I supervised 12 MSc. students and the following PhD Candidates:

Raimundo Mesquita de Luna Freire Migração Por Mudança De Fase Em Duas Etapas
(Defense – December, 1987)

Reynam Da Cruz Pestana Deconvoluçã Na Presença De Ruido Coerente De
Alta Amplitude ("Groundroll")(Defense –
December, 1987)

Institute for Geophysics Activities

COMMITTEES

9/94 - 2008	Director
1990 - 1995	UT/TAMU Joint Advisory Council for Marine Programs
1989 - 1991	Ad Hoc - Dept. of Geological Sciences/Institute for Geophysics Relations
1988 - 1994	Associate Director
1988 - 1990	Ad Hoc - New Ship
1988 - 1994	Ship & Equipment (Chairman, 1990 - 92)
1983 - present	Budget Council
1983 - 1994	Science Council (Chairman, 1984)
1983 - 1987	Computer Committee

Postdoctoral Fellows Sponsored:

Armando Sena University of Texas at Austin	November 2007 -
Long Jin China Petroleum University	June 2006 – August 2008
Sanjeev Kumar Kurukshetra Univeristy, India	October 2006 – February 2007
Youlong Xia University of Munich	December 2001 – December 2003
Qiaozhen Mu Peking University	October 2001 – November 2003
Hyeong-Tae Jou Korea Ocean Research & Development Institute Seoul, Korea	October 1998 – September 1999

Reynam Pestana University of Bahia Salvador, Bahia, Brazil	January 1998 – January 1999
Phil Bording University of Tulsa Tulsa, Oklahoma	August 1995 – August 1997
Jay Pulliam University of California at Berkeley Berkeley, California	January 1995 – January 1997
Milton Porsani University of Bahia Salvador, Bahia, Brazil	September 1992 – September 1993
Eiichiro Nishiyama University of Tokyo Tokyo, Japan	March 1988 – December 1988
Marco A. B. Botelho University of Bahia Salvador, Bahia, Brazil	July 1987 – July 1989

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Jacira Freitas University of Bahia Salvador, Bahia, Brazil	November 2004 – March 2005
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Hedi Poot Delft University of Technology The Netherlands	September 1997 – December 1997

Annejifke W. Mulder
Delft University of Technology
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September 1994 – November 1994

Radmila Tatalovic
Delft University
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January 1990 – July 1990

Rigmor Mette Elde
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Bergen, Norway

July 1987 – June 1988

CONTRACTS AND GRANTS RECEIVED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Current Support:

Coupled Seismic and Reservoir Simulation and Inversion

Source of Support: Industry ConocoPhillips

Total Award Amount: \$450,000

Total Award Period Covered: 06/01/06 - 05/31/10

Location of Project: The University of Texas at Austin

Seismic Refraction Study of the Northern Gulf of Mexico

Source of Support: Industry ExxonMobil

Total Award Amount: \$3,267,636

Total Award Period Covered: 03/18/10 - 12/31/12

Location of Project: The University of Texas at Austin

RTM for TTI and Variable Density Wave Equations with Model Updating Using Seismic Waveform Inversion and Non-Linear Optimization

Source of Support: KAUST

Total Award Amount: \$257,230

Total Award Period Covered: 05/01/10 - 04/30/11

Location of Project: The University of Texas at Austin

MRI: Acquisition of a Computational Facility for Geoscience Simulation

and Data Interpretation (pending)

Source of Support: National Science Foundation

Total Award Amount: \$2,300,000

Total Award Period Covered: 10/01/10 - 09/30/13

Location of Project: The University of Texas at Austin

Past Contracts & Grants:

“Reverse Time Migration (RTM) on Distributed Memory Parallel Computer Systems.” Paul Stoffa

\$210,496 1 Sep 08 – 31 Aug 09 2.10 mo

“Coupled Seismic and Reservoir Simulation and Inversion.” Paul Stoffa, Mrinal Sen, Robert Ferguson

ConocoPhillips \$150,000(\$450,000) 1 June 06 – 31 May 09 1.0 mo
(JSG provided 2 year match 1 June 06 – 31 May 08)

“Data Driven Simulation of the Subsurface: Optimization and Uncertainty Estimation.” Mary Wheeler, Hector Klie, Mrinal Sen, Clinton Dawson, and Paul Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$1,100,000 1 Oct 04 – 30 Sept 07 NC

CNS-0427005

“Enhanced Seismic Data Access System for The University of Texas at Austin Institute for Geophysics.” Thomas H. Shipley and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$83,920 9 Sep 03 – 31 Aug 06 NC
OCE-0326679

“Interim IODP Planning.” Paul L. Stoffa and James A. Austin

National Science Foundation \$530,015 6 June 03 – 31 May 05 1.5 mo
OCE-0335224

“Data Intense Challenge: The Instrumented Oil Field of the Future.” Mary Wheeler, Clint Dawson, Małgorzata Peszynska, Mrinal K. Sen, and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$1,461,005 1 Sep 01 – 31 Aug 04 1.75 mo
EIA-0121523

“Air-Borne GPR Investigation of UGF Detection.” Paul L. Stoffa and Mrinal K. Sen

Department of Defense-Army \$116,679 1 June 00 – 31 May 01 NC
DAAD17-01-D0001

“SLOSEIS: Slowness Analysis, Waveform Inversion and Uncertainty Estimation in VTI Media.” Mrinal K. Sen, and Paul L. Stoffa

Joint Industry \$240,759 1 Sep 98 – 31 Aug 01 NC

“Acquisition of an Origin 2000 for Seismic Processing.” Paul L. Stoffa, Thomas H. Shipley, Mrinal K. Sen, Nathan L. Bangs, Kirk D. McIntosh, and James A. Austin, Jr.

National Science Foundation \$399,112 1 Sep 97 – 31 Aug 00 NC
OCE-9724555

“Anisotropic Earth Model Calculations.” Mrinal K. Sen and Paul L. Stoffa

Texas Higher Education
Coordinating Board \$107,157 1 Jan 96 – 31 Dec 97 NC
ARP-135

“Rock Property Estimation from Marine Seismic Data by AVO Inversion.” Mrinal K. Sen and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$292,980 1 Nov 95 – 31 Oct 98 2 mo.
OCE-9503412

“Pre-stack Plane Wave Kirchhoff Migration on Cray T3D.” Paul L. Stoffa and Mrinal K. Sen

Cray Research, Inc. \$60,000 1 Jan 95 – 31 Dec 95 .5 mo.

“Investigation of Upper Plate Response to Subduction Plate Morphology and Seamounts as Subduction Zone Asperities: Cooperative German, Costa Rican and United States Project.” Kirk D. McIntosh, Thomas H. Shipley, Paul L. Stoffa and Yosio Nakamura

National Science Foundation \$922,097 1 Dec 94 – 30 Nov 99 2 mo.
OCE-9402091

“Ocean Science Education in Quantitative Marine Seismology.” P.L. Stoffa

Office of Naval Research \$285,635 1 Feb 94 – 31 Jan 97 1.5 mo.
N00014-94-1-0508

“Hybrid Linear/Nonlinear Methods of Seismic Waveform Inversion.” M.K. Sen and P.L. Stoffa

Texas Higher Education \$129,519 1 Jan 94 – 31 Aug 96 1 mo.
Coordinating Board – 003658264

“SPMD Pre-stack Velocity Estimation Using PVM.” P.L. Stoffa and M.K. Sen

Cray Research, Inc. \$51,000 1 Jan 94 – 31 Dec 94 .75 mo.

“Neural Computing in Geophysics.” Mrinal K. Sen and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$313,469 15 Jul 93 – 30 Jun 97 3 mo.
EAR-9304417

“Seismic Traverse of the Byrd Subglacial Basin – Field Test.” I.W.D. Dalziel, P.L. Stoffa and D.D. Blankenship

National Science Foundation \$571,026 1 Jul 93 – 30 Jun 97 2 mo.
DPP-9119177

“Timing and Comparison of Traveltime.” Paul L. Stoffa

Phillips Petroleum Company \$18,877 1 Jul 93 – 31 Oct 94 NC

“Prestack Migration-Inversion of Seismic Gathers.” Paul L. Stoffa and Mrinal K. Sen

Cray Research, Inc. \$49,000 1 Jan 93 – 31 Dec 93 .5 mo.

“Imaging of Ocean Subbottom Structure Using Swath Mapping Data.” Mrinal K. Sen and Paul L. Stoffa

Office of Naval Research \$69,445 1 Mar 92 – 31 Aug 93 .75 mo.
N00014-92-J-6001

“Three-dimensional survey of the crust, Moho, and mantle near the East Pacific Rise.” Jan D. Garmany and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$664,484 1 Feb 1992 – 31 Jan 1994 2.2 mos.
OCE-9102368

“Three dimensional seismic reflection investigation of fluid flow and structural evolution: Northern Barbados trench.” Thomas H. Shipley and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$497,548 1 Jan 92 – 31 Dec 94 2.5 mos.
OCE-9116172

“Prestack migration velocity analysis in two- and three-dimensions.” Paul L. Stoffa and Mrinal K. Sen

Cray Research, Inc. \$60,000 1 Jan 92 – 31 Dec 92 .5 mo.

Solid Earth Exploration Research (Project SEER)

Various \$75,000/yr 1 Aug 91 – 31 Jul 93 NC

“Nonlinear Inversion of Plane Wave Seismograms Using Global Optimization Methods.”
Mrinal K. Sen and Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$157,156 15 Jul 1991 – 14 Jul 1993 1.4 mos.
EAR-9105922

“Genetic Algorithms, Simulated Annealing and Nonlinear Inversion of Plane Wave Seismograms.” Paul L. Stoffa and Mrinal K. Sen

Cray Research, Inc. \$49,500 1 Apr 1991 – 31 Mar 1992 .5 mos.

“Detecting Clathrate Concentrations Through High Resolution Seismic Velocity Analysis of Shallow Sediments.” Paul L. Stoffa and Thomas H. Shipley

USGS \$30,000 1 Sep 90 – 31 Aug 91 NC

“Inversion of Nankai Trough High Resolution Two-ship Profile.” Paul L. Stoffa and Thomas H. Shipley

National Science Foundation \$117,454 15 Mar 90 – 28 Feb 93 NC
OCE-9000327

“Nonlinear Elastic Inversion for the Background P-wave and S-wave Velocities.” Paul L. Stoffa

American Chemical Society \$40,000 1 Jan 90 – 31 Aug 93 .5 mo.
22411-AC2

“Determination of Rock Properties from Wide Aperture Seismic Profiles: Proposed Low-Level Radioactive Waste.” Joe Phillips and Paul L. Stoffa

Texas Higher Education Coordinating \$88,750 1 Jan 90 – 31 Aug 92 2 mos.
Board

“Nonlinear Elastic Inversion for the Background P-Wave and S-Wave Velocities.” Paul L. Stoffa and Jan D. Garmany

Texas Higher Education Coordinating \$150,000 1 Jan 90 – 31 Aug 92 2 mos.
Board - 003658-327

“Plane Wave Split-step Fourier Migration and Velocity Analysis.” Paul L. Stoffa

Cray Research, Inc. \$42,000 1 Jan 90 – 31 Dec 90 1 mo.

“A 3-D HUNTEC Survey of the New Jersey Shelf.” James A. Austin, Paul L. Stoffa, Thomas A. Davies

Office of Naval Research \$233,767 1 May 89 – 30 Apr 90 1.5 mos.

“Interactive Pre-stack Direct Depth Migration Velocity Analysis.” Paul L. Stoffa

Cray Research, Inc. \$42,000 1 Jan 89 – 31 Dec 89 1 mo.

“Develop and Evaluate Seismic Processing Algorithms.” Paul L. Stoffa

HARC Computer Systems and
Application Research Center \$45,000 1 Nov 88 – 31 Dec 89 NC

“A Deep-penetration Reflection Seismic Study at the Juncture of the Blake Plateau Basin, Carolina Trough, and Southeast Georgia Embayment.” Paul L. Stoffa, Dale S. Sawyer, Joseph D. Phillips, James A. Austin, Jr.

National Science Foundation \$998,674 1 Jan 88 – 31 Dec 90 4 mos.
OCE-8711300

“Multichannel Seismic Study of the Deep Structure of a Cordilleran Orogen: The Southernmost Andes.” Ian W. D. Dalziel, James A. Austin, Jr., Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$478,634 1 Jan 88 – 31 Dec 90 3 mos.
OCE-8716557

“Angle of Incidence Pre-stack Direct Depth Migration.” Paul L. Stoffa

Cray Research, Inc. \$36,827 1 Jan 88 – 31 Dec 88 1 mo.
“3D Subsurface Model Definition and Seismic Modeling Using an Interactive Seismic Workstation.” Paul L. Stoffa

University Partnership Grant Program
Landmark Graphics Corporation \$229,725 1 Jan 88 – 31 Dec 88 NC

“Japan-United States Cooperative Study of the Relationship between Sediment Physical Properties and Subduction Processes in the Nankai Trough.” Thomas H. Shipley, Paul L. Stoffa, G. Moore (U. Tulsa), D. Karig (Cornell)

National Science Foundation \$585,751 1 Mar 87 – 28 Feb 90 4 mos.
OCE-8613774

OCE-8414864 “3D Seismic Modeling using the Split-step Fourier Method.” Paul L. Stoffa

Cray Research, Inc. \$31,600 1 Jun 86 – 31 Dec 87 1 mo.

“Downhole Seismic Profiling and Imaging for the Ocean Drilling Program: Vertical Seismic Profile Experiment Leg 104 Site 642 - Data Processing and Interpretation.” Joseph D. Phillips, Paul L. Stoffa

National Science Foundation \$66,917 1 Feb 86 – 31 Jan 88 NC

“Three-dimensional Seismic Imaging of an Accretionary Wedge: Costa Rica.” Thomas H. Shipley, Mark Cloos, Paul L. Stoffa, Milo Backus

National Science Foundation \$1,036,28 1 Jan 86 – 31 Dec 89 4 mos.
OCE-8511364

“Vertical Seismic Profile (VSP) Experiment Leg 104: Site 642 Data Processing and Interpretation.” Paul L. Stoffa and Joe D. Phillips

National Science Foundation \$55,808

“Implement ODP Underway Navigation.” Paul L. Stoffa

Texas A&M University \$12,650

“Develop a Digital Seismic Data Acquisition and Processing System for the Ocean Drilling Program.” Paul L. Stoffa

Texas A&M University \$51,496

“Enhanced Crustal Imagery Through Compensation of Lateral System and Geophysical Variation.” Milo Backus, Paul L. Stoffa, Stark

National Science Foundation \$83,000

“Deaf Smith and Swisher Counties Seismic Data Study.” Art Maxwell, Paul L. Stoffa, and Charles Denham

Bureau of Economic Geology \$95,300

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- Hu, C., P. Stoffa, K. McIntosh, 2008, First arrival stochastic tomography: Automatic background velocity estimation using beam semblances and VFSA, SEG Annual Meeting, Las Vegas.
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Roy, L., M.K. Sen, D. Blankenship, P.L. Stoffa, and T. Richter, 2003, Gravity inversion and uncertainty analysis using simulated annealing: An application over Lake Vostok, East Antarctica, 8th International Congress of The Brazilian Geophysical Society, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Aldunate G.C., R.C. Pestana & P.L. Stoffa, 2003, Migracao sismica 2D pre-empilhamento em profundidade com os metodos “Split-step”, “Split-step” hibrido e “Split-step” – PSPI: Uma Comparacao, 8th International Congress of The Brazilian Geophysical Society, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

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