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Biographical Sketch

At Notre Dame, Dan is the Senior Associate Dean for Education and Undergraduate Programs in the College of Science and a Professor in the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry. He directs the undergraduate affairs of the College of Science, serves as chair of the college undergraduate studies committee and the college council, and is liaison to the Registrar's Office, the Office of Undergraduate Admissions, and other colleges on campus.

He earned his bachelor's degree in chemistry and philosophy from Duke University and was a Churchill Scholar at the University of Cambridge. He earned his doctoral degree in chemistry from the University of California, Berkeley, before working as postdoctoral research scientist in the Department of Chemistry at Columbia University. He was hired as an associate professor at the University of Notre Dame in 1999 and was promoted to full professor in 2015.

As a member of the Notre Dame chemistry faculty, he served as both the director of undergraduate studies and the director of graduate admissions. He has earned several teaching awards, including the Shilts / Leonard teaching award in 2020, the Rev. Edmund P. Joyce Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching in both 2013 and 2020, and the 2023 Provost's Award for Teaching Excellence in the Core Curriculum.

In 2018, he developed a program to support underserved groups in science and engineering, and particularly those from lower-income backgrounds or who are the first generation in their families to attend college. This has now become the Mary E. Galvin Science and Engineering Scholars program, which welcomes 80 incoming first year students with intended STEM majors each year. Galvin Scholars become part of a learning community and enroll in small (~40 seat) classes for foundational courses in chemistry, calculus, and physics. The program provides talented students the support they need to thrive in these areas. It also helps students find a supportive group of peers through mentoring and can help to seek out research and internship opportunities throughout their undergraduate career. The Galvin scholars program has become the premiere model for academic support programs at Notre Dame. Dan has taught the 6 credit general chemistry course for the Galvin scholars for 5 years, and continues to volunteer his time and effort in support of this program.

Dan's research in chemistry focuses on molecular dynamics of complex interfaces. His laboratory develops new simulation methodology and software, simulates ice/water interfaces, metallic nanoparticles in liquid environments, lipid bilayers, and phase transitions and enantiomer separation in water.

Education

PhD, Chemistry	University of California at Berkeley
1995	Research Advisor: William H. Miller
CPS, Chemistry	Churchill College, University of Cambridge
1990	Research Advisor: Ray Freeman
BS, Chemistry & Philosophy	Duke University
1989	*cum laude* and with Distinction in Chemistry

Appointments

2023-present	**Senior Associate Dean for Education and Undergraduate Programs**
	College of Science, University of Notre Dame
2020 - 2023	**Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies**
	College of Science, University of Notre Dame
2015 - present	**Professor**
	Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame
2005 - 2015	**Associate Professor**
	Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame
1999 - 2005	**Assistant Professor**
	Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame
1996 - 1999	**Postdoctoral Research Scientist**
	Department of Chemistry, Columbia University

Honors, Awards, and Fellowships

2023	Provost's Award for Teaching Excellence in the Core Curriculum
2020	Shilts / Leonard Award for Outstanding Teaching in the College of Science
2013, 2020	Rev. Edmund P. Joyce Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching
2018-2019	Kaneb Center Faculty Fellow
2002	NSF Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Award
1999	Henry & Camille Dreyfus New Faculty Award
1990-1993	National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship in Chemistry
1989	Churchill Scholar

Research Interests

- Development of methodology for advanced molecular simulations. Specific interests in: real-space methods for electrostatic interactions, non-equilibrium molecular dynamics, Langevin dynamics for rigid molecular substructures, and coarse-grained modeling for membranes and liquid crystals
- Simulations of mass and energy transport at complex heterogeneous interfaces. Specific interests in: thermal conductivity at metal / ligand / solvent interfaces, vibrational and alloying dynamics in metallic nanoparticles, the behavior of ice / water interfaces, friction and tribology
- Spectroscopy in condensed phases
- Dynamics and thermodynamics of non-equilibrium condensed phases (e.g. glasses and ice polymorphs)
- Open-source scientific software

Publications

Key: $ = undergraduate, @ = graduate student, % = post-doc, † = faculty, * = corresponding authors
Citation counts from Web of Science as of June 7, 2024.

1. Sydney A. Shavalier@ and J. Daniel Gezelter†*, "Thermal Transport Through CTAB- and MTAB-Functionalized Gold Interfaces using Molecular Dynamics Simulations," submitted (2024).

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9. Hemanta Bhattarai@, Kathie E. Newman†, and J. Daniel Gezelter†*, "Polarizable Potentials For Metals: The Density Readjusting Embedded Atom Method (DR-EAM)," *Phys. Rev. B* **99**, 094106 (2019).
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10. Patrick B. Louden[@] and J. Daniel Gezelter[†*], "Why is Ice Slippery? Simulations of Shear Viscosity of the Quasi-Liquid Layer on Ice," *J. Phys. Chem. Lett.* **9**, pp. 2686-3691 (2018).
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11. Suzanne M. Neidhart[@] and J. Daniel Gezelter[†*],"Thermal Transport is Influenced by Nanoparticle Morphology: A Molecular Dynamics Study," *J. Phys. Chem. C*, **122**(2), pp. 1430-1436, (2018).
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21. James M. Marr[@] and J. Daniel Gezelter[†*], "Nitrile vibrations as reporters of field-induced phase transitions in 4-cyano-4'-pentylbiphenyl (5CB)," *J. Phys. Chem. B* **118** (28) pp. 8441-8448 (2014)
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31 citations

Publications as Software

OpenMD OpenMD is an open source parallel molecular dynamics engine that is the group's major research workhorse. (See openmd.org for more details) It has had more than **5,383** external downloads and is actively used by other research groups, notably at Southampton University (UK), Texas A&M, the University of Pittsburgh, University of Akron, Beijing University of Chemical Technology, University of Nevada at Reno, the Slovak Academy of Sciences, University of Texas El Paso, and the Los Alamos National Laboratory.

Algorithms from this program also appear in other major simulation codes (e.g. LAMMPS, and DL_POLY)

Jmol Jmol is an open source molecular dynamics viewer that originated in my lab. I was the lead developer from 1998-2002, and contribute occasionally now. Jmol has seen more than **1,726,775** downloads as an application, and *millions* more as an embedded structure viewer for chemical journals, the protein data bank and many other sites. (See jmol.sf.net for more details.) It has also been independently cited 556 times.

Jmol has evolved into *one of the most widely-used scientific software tools*.

Tilted RSA Tilted RSA is a program which performs Random Sequential Adsorption simulations on models for molecules adsorbing onto Gold surfaces. See github.com/GezelterLab/tiltedRSA for more details.

xyz2pov This is a general purpose program which generates graphical inputs to ray-tracing programs from the results of a molecular simulation. See github.com/GezelterLab/xyz2pov for more details.

Research Support

Current Awards

2020 *CDS&E: Development of methods for molecular simulation of enantiomeric separation and metal-oxide formation*
NSF CHE-1954648, 8/1/2020 - 7/31/2023, $486,433 (sole-PI)

Completed Research Support

2019 *Developing a multi-scale understanding of microtubule dynamic instability*
NSF CHE-180406, 7/15/2018 – 6/30/2022, $987,675 (0.25 months / year as "Other Key Participant", PI: Holly Goodson)

2016 *CDS&E: Method Development for Coupled Charge and Thermal Transport in Molecular Simulations*
NSF CHE-1663773, 8/1/2017 - 7/31/2020 + 1 year no-cost extension, $450,000 (sole-PI)

2014 *Real space electrostatics and non-equilibrium molecular dynamics for nanoscale transport*
NSF CHE-1362211, 7/1/2014 - 6/30/2018, $447,121 (sole-PI)

2012 *Design of Nanocatalysts for Selective Production of Liquid Fuels from Alternative Energy Sources: Experimental Studies and Advance Molecular Simulations*
Notre Dame SEI, $65,000, co-PI with Franklin Tao

2011 *Surface restructuring of model metal catalysts under reaction conditions: experiment and theory*
Notre Dame SEI, $65,000, co-PI with Franklin Tao

2009 *Computational Methods for Simulating Metal Nanoparticle-solvent interfaces*
NSF CHE-0848243, 8/15/2009 - 7/31/2014, $400,000 (sole-PI)

2003 *CAREER: Dynamics of Model Biological Membranes and Glass Formation in Liquid Metals*
NSF CHE-0134881, 6/19/2003 - 6/18/2008, $465,000 (sole-PI)

2002 *Acquisition of a High Performance Computing System*
NSF DMR-0079647, $320,000 (co-PI with Olaf Wiest, Laszlo Barabasi, Ed Maginn, and Mark Stadtherr)

2002 *New Faculty Award*
Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation, $40,000 (sole-PI)

2000 *The OpenScience Project*
Alfred P. Sloan Foundation, $30,000 (sole-PI) + $2,700 in additional private donations

Invited Lectures and Addresses

2024 "Structural & Dynamic Changes at ice / water interfaces in contact with small molecule cryoprotectants," Workshop on Structure and Dynamics of Ice Surfaces, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2024 "Structural & Dynamic Changes at ice / water interfaces in contact with small molecule cryoprotectants," ACS National Meeting, New Orleans, LA

2023 "Molecular Pitch Matrices," Chemical Dynamics in Complex Environments (Chem-DICE), Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2022 "Thermal Transport in Citrate-Capped Gold Interfaces using a Polarizable Force Field" Workshop on Thermal Transport at the Nanoscale, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2022 "Why is ice slippery? Simulations of solid-liquid friction and the shear viscosity of the quasi-liquid layer on ice," Workshop on Structure and Dynamics of Ice Surfaces, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2022 "Separation of Enantiomers Using Vortex Flow," Chemical Engineering Seminar Series, University of Illinois, Chicago

2021 "Why is ice slippery? Simulations of solid-liquid friction and the shear Cryopreservation, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2021 "Separation of Enantiomers Using Vortex Flow," Chemical Dynamics in Complex Environments (Chem-DICE), Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2019 "Why is ice slippery? Simulations of solid-liquid friction and the shear viscosity of the quasi-liquid layer on ice," ACS National Meeting, San Diego, CA

2019 "Polarization Effects in Interfacial Thermal Transport at Metal Surfaces," Thermal Transport at the Nanoscale workshop, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2019 "Modeling Polarization and Charge Transfer at Metal Surfaces" Chemical Dynamics in Complex Environments (Chem-DICE) meeting, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2017 "Real-Space Electrostatics," Chemical Dynamics in Complex Environments (Chem-DICE) meeting, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2017 "Non-Equilibrium Molecular Dynamics for Nanoscale Thermal Transport," Midwest Theoretical Chemistry Conference, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

2017 "Code as a Research Product: Open Source for Open Science," SIAM Conference on Computational Science & Engineering, Atlanta, GA

2016 "Simulating thermal transport at Nanoparticle Interfaces," Computational Materials Chemistry symposium at the Midwest regional ACS meeting, Manhattan, KS

2016 "Simulating thermal transport at Nanoparticle Interfaces," Thermal Transport at the Nanoscale workshop, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2015 "Friction at Water / Ice-I_h interfaces: Do the Facets of Ice Have Different Hydrophilicity?" Chemical Dynamics in Complex Environments (Chem-DICE) meeting, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2014 "Code as a Research Product: Open Source for Open Science," NIAID/NIH Bioinformatics Festival, Bethesda, MD, April 8, 2014

2014 "Thermal transport at metal nanoparticle interfaces: ligand and curvature effects," University of Nevada, Reno, NV, March 28, 2014.

2013 "Simulating heat conduction at thiolate-capped gold surfaces: chain length, solvent penetration, and surface curvature," Chemical Dynamics in Complex Environments (Chem-DICE) meeting, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2013 "Simulating heat conduction at thiolate-capped gold surfaces: chain length, solvent penetration, and surface curvature," Thermal Transport at the Nanoscale, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2012 "Dynamics at the nanoscale: modeling what goes on at the surfaces of metallic nanoparticles," Grand Valley State University, Grand Rapids, MI
2012 "Simulating mass and heat transport at the interfaces of metallic nanoparticles," Telluride Nanomaterials Conference, Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO
2012 "Dynamics at the nanoscale: chemically-realistic modeling of interfacial transport," Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL
2010 "Open Science, Reproducible Experiments, and Experimental Archives," Archive '10 workshop on Archiving Experiments to Raise Scientific Standards. University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
2010 "Interesting phase behavior exhibited by coarse-grained models for lipids and water," Department of Physics, Indiana University Purdue University, Indianapolis, IN
2009 "Rippled Membranes and the Condensed Phases of Water," Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI
2008 "From Open Source to Open Science," Open Access conference, Braga, Portugal
2008 "Real-space alternatives to the Ewald sum for electrostatic interactions," Telluride workshop on Many-Body Interactions, Telluride, CO
2008 "From Open Source to Open Science," New Communication Channels for Biology Workshop, La Jolla, CA
2008 "Rippled Membranes and Imaginary Ice: Surprises from Molecular Dynamics," Chemistry Department Seminar, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
2008 "Rippled Membranes and Imaginary Ice: Surprises from Molecular Dynamics," Chemistry Department Seminar, Boston College, Boston, MA
2007 "Rippled Membranes and Imaginary Ice: Surprises from Molecular Dynamics," Chemistry Department Capstone Seminar Series, Northeastern Illinois University, North Park, IL
2007 "Glass formation in bimetallic nanoparticles," Condensed Matter Seminar, Department of Physics, University of Notre Dame
2007 "Rippled Membranes and Imaginary Ice: Surprises from Molecular Dynamics," Chemistry Department Seminar, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN
2007 "Avoiding the Bottleneck in Molecular Dynamics Simulations," Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, University of Notre Dame
2005 "(The Math Underlying) Computer Simulations of Water Phase Transitions," Applied Math Seminar, Department of Mathematics, University of Notre Dame
2004 "Simulations of slow condensed phases: Rippled Membranes and Imaginary Ice," Chemistry Department Seminar, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS
2004 "Anomalous Dynamics in Metallic Glasses and Core-Shell Nanoparticles," Inorganic Chemistry Seminar Series, Department of Chemistry, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN
2003 "Simulations of slow condensed phases: Metallic Glasses, Alloying & Vibrating Nanoparticles," and
"Simulations of slow condensed phases: Rippled Membranes (with a side of water)," Joint Harvard, MIT, and Boston University theoretical chemistry seminar series, Cambridge, MA
2003 "Mesoscale Models for Phospholipid Simulations," CERC3 Workshop on Computer Modelling of Chemical and Biological Systems, Porto, Portugal
2003 "Anomalous Dynamics in Metallic Nanoparticles," Theoretical Chemistry Institute Seminar, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
2002 "Anomalous Dynamics in Metallic Nanoparticles," Joint Georgia Tech and Emory University Chemical Physics Lecture Series, Atlanta, GA
2001 "Dynamics of Diffusion in Metallic Glasses and in Bimetallic Core-Shell Nanoparticles," Departmental Seminar in Chemical Engineering, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN
2001 "The alloying mechanism in bimetallic core-shell nanoparticles," Midwest Theoretical Chemistry Conference, Minneapolis, MN

2001 "Random Sequential Adsorption on surfaces and the Dynamics of Diffusion in Metallic Glasses," Physical Chemistry seminar series, Department of Chemistry, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN

2001 "Cage correlations and Continuous-time Random Walks in a model glass-former," Miller Chemical Dynamics Conference, Berkeley, CA

2001 "A Reductionist Model for Ripple Phase Formation in Phospholipid Membranes," 2001 Mesilla meeting on Biomembranes, Mesilla, NM

1999 "Self-Diffusion in Condensed Phases: Hopping Times & Cage Correlations," NIDDK Chemical Physics Seminar, National Institutes of Health

1998 "Self-Diffusion in Condensed Phases: Hopping Times & Cage Correlations," Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, University of Notre Dame

1997 "Diffusion in Condensed Phases: Instantaneous Normal Modes of Cage Correlations?" Department of Chemistry, Iowa State University

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Contributed Lectures & Addresses

2019 "Lattice Models and Coarse Grained Simulations of Rippled Membranes," Biochemistry Seminar, University of Notre Dame, November 1, 2019

2014 "Molecular dynamics methodologies for nanoscale transport," Department of Chemistry, University of Notre Dame, October 14, 2014

2012 "Developing gentler approaches to reverse nonequilibrium molecular dynamics (RNEMD) for computing transport properties," ACS national meeting, San Diego

2012 "Simulating interfacial thermal conductance at metal-solvent interfaces: The role of chemical capping agents," ACS national meeting, San Diego

2010 "Constant pressure and temperature dynamics for non-periodic systems using the convex hull," ACS national meeting, San Francisco, CA

2009 "Real-Space Alternatives to the Ewald Sum for Electrostatic Interactions," 2009 ACS Great Lakes Regional Meeting, Lincolnshire, IL

2007 "Is the Ewald summation still necessary? Pairwise alternatives to the accepted standard for long range electrostatics," ACS national meeting, Chicago, IL

1999 "Catalyzing Open Source development in science: The OpenScience Project," OpenSource / OpenScience conference at Brookhaven National Labs

1999 "On the Cage-correlation Function," CECAM workshop on the INM Approach to Dynamics in Liquids, Lyon, France.

1997 "Instantaneous Normal Modes and The Cage-Correlation Function," Enrico Fermi summer school on Computer Simulation of Rare Events in Condensed Phases, Lerici, Italy

Teaching

In the Notre Dame Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, the typical teaching load for research-active faculty is 1 full course per semester, with faculty sometimes taking on responsibility for additional one-credit seminar courses. During my time at Notre Dame, my teaching responsibilities have been split between the following courses:

Undergraduate Courses

CHEM 10171/13171
General Chemistry I for the Galvin Scholars
40-45 students per section
Fall 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022

One-semester (6 credit: lecture + lab + tutorial + problem solving skills), freshman-level class for science, engineering, and pre-professional majors in the Mary E. Galvin Science & Engineering Scholars program. This course covers the fundamental principles governing chemical structure and reactivity, including the quantum mechanical structure of atoms, models of chemical bonding, chemical equilibrium, acidity and basicity, thermochemistry and thermodynamics. It is accompanied by laboratory work and by a tutorial section. An additional two-credit course for the Galvin Scholars provides a comfortable environment with guided practice in numerical problem solving and critical thinking skills.

Chemistry 113/114, 10171
General Chemistry I and II
144-240 students per section
Spring 2006,
Fall 2006, 2007, and 2010

These are one-semester (3 credit + lab + tutorial), freshman-level service classes that are requirements for most science, engineering, and pre-professional majors. The courses cover the fundamental principles governing chemical structure and reactivity, including the quantum mechanical structure of atoms, models of chemical bonding, chemical equilibrium, acidity and basicity, thermochemistry and thermodynamics. They are accompanied by laboratory work and by a tutorial section.

Chemistry 20262
Mathematical Methods for the Chemical Sciences
37-42 students per section
Spring 2012, 2013, 2018

This is a one-semester, 3 credit, sophomore-level class that is required for all chemistry and biochemistry majors. It was originally developed to enhance the mathematical background of students leading up to the physical chemistry sequence that is taken in the junior year. The class provides chemistry and biochemistry majors with mathematical background, chemical context, and problem-solving methods for problems that involve multivariate calculus, differential equations, linear algebra, and probability and statistics. All of the teaching materials (including some in-class computational labs) are available online.

Chemistry 30321 / 30322
Physical Chemistry I and II
25-46 students per section
Fall 2003, 2004, 2011, 2012
Spring 2004, 2014, 2022

This is a two-semester sequence (6 credits + lab) taken by all junior-level chemistry and biochemistry majors. The physical chemistry sequence is a set of challenging courses in the fundamentals of physical chemistry, including chemical thermodynamics, kinetics and the elements of atomic and molecular structure. For pedagogical reasons, Notre Dame reverses the topic ordering compared with other institutions, placing an emphasis on the microscopic theory (quantum mechanics) in the first semester, and then building on this with the macroscopic theories (statistical mechanics, thermodynamics and chemical kinetics) in the following semester.

Chemistry 40426 *The Chemistry of Fermentation and Distillation*
14-24 students per section
Fall 2015, 2016, 2017

This is a one-semester (4 credit) science elective that is an overview of the chemical and physical processes that take place during the fermentation and distillation of alcoholic beverages. It provides the chemical concepts needed to understand the molecules, reactions, separations, and physical transformations during the production of wine, beer, and distilled spirits, but it also discusses fermentation in a broader culinary, cultural, and industrial context. Hands-on activities include: chemical analysis of sugars, sulfites, and titratable acidity of starting materials, initiation and monitoring of a fermentation process, distillation of a multicomponent solution, and analysis of the distillate at multiple stages of the process. Students also have the opportunity to tour off-campus facilities, including a working winery and distillery.

Graduate Courses

Chemistry 60641 *Statistical Mechanics I*
10-20 students per section
Spring 2001, 2005, and 2011
Fall 2009 2013, 2014, and 2023

Statistical mechanics is a core course for physical chemistry and chemical engineering graduate students. The topics covered include: the foundations of statistical mechanics, including introductions to chemically relevant ensembles; thermodynamics; partition functions; chemical equilibria; quantum statistics; spin glasses and chemical kinetics. The students who enroll in this course are highly motivated and have a deep background in a related area. Final projects in the class are directly related to research that is ongoing at Notre Dame. For example, to illustrate the properties of the Ising spin model, students are asked to model chains of quantum cellular automata (QCA) devices with this model. The course also covers topics not traditionally covered in basic statistical mechanics courses such as liquid theory, glassy materials, protein folding, and computer simulation methods.

Chemistry 60642 *Statistical Mechanics II*
5-15 students per section
Spring 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2016

This is an advanced graduate course aimed at physical chemistry and chemical engineering graduate students. The topics covered include: spin-lattice models, atomic and continuum models for fluids, free energy perturbation theories, electron transfer, quantum statistical mechanics, rare event sampling, path integral theories, tunneling, Ising/Quantum correspondence and biased Monte Carlo methods.

Chemistry 60649 *Quantum Mechanics I*
7-12 students per section
Fall 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2008

This is a chemically oriented survey of quantum mechanics at an intermediate level. The subjects that are discussed include quantum mechanical operators, commutator relations, angular momentum, central field problems, harmonic oscillators, and approximation methods. It is the core course that all entering physical chemistry graduate students take to prepare for research, although advanced undergraduates also occasionally enroll.

Chemistry 90650 / 40650
Computational Chemistry
15-20 students per section
Spring 2002, 2010, 2015, 2017
Fall 2005

This class is taught to a mixed group of graduate & undergraduate students from organic chemistry, biochemistry, physical chemistry, and across the college of engineering. The course is an overview of the fundamental theory, methodology, and applications of computational chemistry. Topics include simulation techniques such as molecular dynamics and Monte Carlo.

Every fourth meeting of the class is a hands-on practical lab. The computer labs cover a wide range of topics, including operating systems, text editors, programming, and software packages such as Avogadro, OpenMD, and Packmol. In addition to impacting the students at Notre Dame, the course web site allows students at other universities to teach themselves about computer simulation and assists professors designing similar courses at other universities.

This version of the course emphasized force-field based approaches such as molecular modeling, molecular dynamics, Monte Carlo sampling, and minimization methods. For a final project, the students were asked to utilize these techniques on a molecule related to their own research.

Other Courses

I have taught various one-semester seminar courses (CHEM 23201/23202) which are one-credit offerings that give our undergraduate majors a chance to hone their presentation skills. These seminar courses often have a theme, and in Spring 2010, the theme chosen was *Science 2.0*. This theme allowed us to cover some big picture topics in modern science like Open Access publishing; Open Data and data archiving; intellectual property distinctions for papers, data and code; pre- and post-publication peer review; scholarly metrics; the third and fourth legs (simulation and big data), and social networking for science. This course was repeated in the Fall of 2015 and 2017.

In Spring 2014, I was placed in charge of the supervised teaching experience for one of the GAANN fellows, Paul Johns. Paul was given primary lecturing responsibilities for a second-semester physical chemistry course for three students who were out of sequence from the normal physical chemistry curriculum. Paul used lecture notes and problem sets that I prepared in advance and had meetings with me before each lecture. He was coached in effective lecture pacing and student engagement and was observed in the classroom. Paul was eventually responsible for creating assignments and exam questions himself, and became quite self-sufficient during the semester.

In Spring 2002, I was responsible for a half semester of CHEM 324 (Physical Chemistry for Engineers) that was team-taught with Dennis Jacobs.

Courses in which I have given guest lectures include many of the courses listed above as well as an ACMS class taught by Mark Alber.

Advising & Mentoring

Post-doctoral Researchers (1)

Dr. Jayashree Saha Dr. Saha is now a Professor of Physics at Calcutta University, India
1999-2001

Doctoral Dissertations Directed (13)

Dr. Hemanta (Manu) Bhattarai *Polarizable potentials for metals and metal oxides : structural, elastic, and thermal transport properties*
2021
After a postdoctoral position at Pennsylvania State University, Manu is now an Assistant Professor of Physics at Goshen College.

Dr. Anderson DaSilva Duraes *Enantiomeric Separation and the Hydrodynamic Properties of Chiral Molecules*
2023
Anderson is currently a postdoctoral research at Dartmouth College

Dr. Christopher Fennell *Development of Molecular Dynamics Techniques for the Study of Water and Biochemical Systems*
2007
After a post-doc with Ken Dill at UCSF & Stony Brook, Chris started his career as an Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Oklahoma State University in 2013. He was tenured and promoted to Associate Professor in 2019, and is the Acting Chair of the Department of Chemistry.

Dr. Shenyu Kuang *Atomistic Simulations of Nanoscale Transport Phenomena*
2012
Shenyu is now a Research & Development Engineer at Synopsys in Boston.

Dr. Teng Lin *Molecular Dynamics Methodology and Simulations of Phospholipid Bilayers and Liquid Crystals*
2006
Teng is now the SVP of Business Development at XtalPi, Inc.

Dr. Madan Lamichhane *Development and Applications of Real-Space Electrostatic Interaction Methods for Charge-Multipoles in Condensed Phase Environments (co-advised with Kathie Newman)*
2016
Madan is now the Senior Manager in the Retail Banking Analytics Team at FICO in San Diego.

Dr. Patrick Louden *Discovering the Molecular Origins of Solid-Liquid Friction at Ice-I_h / Water Interfaces*
2018
Patrick is currently the Manager for Data Science at Domino's

Dr. James Marr *Atomic Force Microscopy and Raman Spectroscopy Experiments with Molecular Dynamics for the Study of Field-dependent Chemical and Morphological Changes (co-advised with Zac Schultz)*
2014
James is currently a product manager at Leica Microsystems

Dr. Matthew Meineke *Statistical Mechanics Simulations of Surface Coverage and Phospholipid Bilayers*
2004
Matt is now a Clinical Radiation Physicist at the Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center.

Dr. Joseph Michalka *Adsorbate Induced Reconstructions of Metal Surfaces*
2016
Joseph left ND for a position at Southern Baptist University

Dr. Suzanne Neidhart *Exploration of Interfacial Thermal Conductance of Gold Nanoparticles Using Molecular Dynamics*
2019
After a post-doc with George Schatz at Northwestern, Suzanne started as an Assistant Professor at Henderson State University in 2020. She is now a Sr. R&D Scientist in Computational Materials at the Kansas City National Security Campus.

Dr. Sydney Shavalier *2024*	*Reverse non-equilibrium molecular dynamics simulations of thermal transport through functionalized gold interfaces* Sydney is now a Visiting Professor at Grand Valley State University (GVSU)
Dr. Kelsey Stocker *2014*	*Development and Application of Non-periodic and Non-equilibrium Molecular Dynamics Simulation Methods* After a post-doc with George Schatz at Northwestern, Kelsey started her career as an Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Suffolk University in Boston in 2016. She was promoted to Associate Professor with tenure in 2023
Dr. Xiuquan Sun *2008*	*Algorithms for Modeling the Dynamics and Phase Transitions of Lipid Bilayers* Xiuquan was a post-doctoral researcher with Liem Dang at PNNL (2008-2012), and is currently living in Bellevue, WA.
Dr. Charles F. Vardeman II *2009*	*Computational Studies of Metallic Glasses and Nanoparticles* Chuck is now a Computational Scientist at the Center for Research Computing and Research Assistant Professor in Computer Science and Engineering at the University of Notre Dame.

Masters Students (5)

Kyle Daily *2006*	*Size-dependent Cutoff Methods: A Statistical, Dynamic, and Structural Comparison* Kyle is now a chemistry teacher at the Milton Hershey School.
Dr. Chunlei Li *2010*	*Computational Studies of Beetle Anti-freeze Protein Binding to Ice I_h* Chunlei transferred to the Applied & Computational Mathematics and Statistics (ACMS) program and earned his PhD with Mark Alber in 2014. He is now a senior manager in AI Data Science at Meta.
Alex Mazanek *2019*	
Changsen Xu *2001*	*Reaction Path Hamiltonian Analysis of Dynamical Solvent Effects on Claisen Rearrangement and a Random Matrix Theory for Liquid Vibrational Densities of States (co-advised with Sharon Hammes-Schiffer)* Changsen is now a software engineer at *BillJC.com*
Yang Zheng *2005*	*Size-dependent Cutoff Methods for Molecular Dynamics* Yang is now a Manager of the Cogito Reporting Tapestry at Cook Children's Health Care System in Fort Worth, TX

Undergraduate Research Students Advised (19)

Heather Chiarello	*BS (2013), currently an Orthodontic Resident at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine*
Dr. Dan Combest	*BS (Wash. U, St. Louis, 2004), PhD from WUSTL in 2012.* *Dan is now Staff CFD Engineer at Rivian in St. Louis*
Dr. Patrick Conforti	*BS (2003), PhD from Penn State in 2008.* *Patrick is now a Senior Scientist at Spectral Sciences, Inc.*
Dr. Peter DeCarlo	*BS (2001), PhD from the University of Colorado, Boulder in 2007. Peter is now an Associate Professor in the Department of Environmental Health and Engineering at Johns Hopkins University*
Kenneth Fletcher	*BS (Andrews University, 2008) MS (University of Michigan, 2011), Ken is now a QC Chemist at Voyant Beauty.*
Skyler Hamilton	*BS (2022), currently working at Dunagan Yates and Alison Plastic surgery center in Huntsville, AL*

Erik Helgesen	*BS (2012), currently a documentary and landscape photographer in Columbus, Ohio.*
Dr. Soren Holm	*BS (2018), PhD in chemistry from Stanford in 2024*
Patrick Holvey	*BS (2010), J.D. from NYU School of Law in 2015, currently an Intellectual Property Trial Attorney at the U.S. Department of Justice*
Dr. Andrew Latham	*BS (2017), PhD from MIT in 2022. Andrew is currently a Postdoctoral scholar at UCSF.*
Patrick McIntyre	*BS (2013), currently at the Indiana University School of Dentistry*
Nicholas Milikich	*BS (2020), MS (2021), currently a Lead Data Scientist at Bain*
Jennifer (Morton) O'Mahony	*BS (2008), M.S. in Industrial Engineering from the University of Pittsburgh in 2014, currently an Industrial Engineer at Cleaveland/Price Inc.*
Thomas Parsons	*BS (2016), currently a Senior Data Scientist at Amazon Robotics*
Chelsea Popoola	*BS (2022), ME in Bioengineering and Biomedical Engineering from Dartmouth (2023), currently an Embedded Software Developer at GE HealthCare*
Dr. Christie (Puglis) Francia, OD	*BS (2008), OD from the Southern College of Optometry in 2012. Christie is now an optometrist for Wing Eyecare in Cincinnati, Ohio*
Jasmine Sindelar	*BS (2022), Currently a medical student at the Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science*
Megan Sprague	*BS (2003), attended graduate school in chemistry at the University of Wisconsin, Megan is currently Adjunct Instructor of Chemistry at Heartland Community College in Normal, Illinois*
Jenna Stevens	*BS (2007), current whereabouts unknown*

Awards to Gezelter graduate students:

- **Cody Drisko** was awarded a *MolSSI Fellowship* in 2022
- **Chris Fennell** was awarded the 2006 *Rohm and Haas award for Outstanding Graduate Research*
- **Teng Lin** was awarded the 2005-2006 *Center for Applied Mathematics (CAM) fellowship*
- **Joseph Michalka** was awarded the *Best Contributed Talk* award at the 2015 Midwest Theoretical Chemistry Conference
- **Suzanne Neidhart** was awarded the *Journal of Physical Chemistry Best Student Poster Award* at the 2017 Midwest Theoretical Chemistry Conference
- **Matt Meineke** (2003), **Chris Fennell** (2005) and **Charles Vardeman** (2008) were awarded *CRC/SGI awards in Computational Science and Visualization*
- **Matt Meineke** (2001), **Chris Fennell** (2002), **Teng Lin** (2003), **Charles Vardeman** (2007), **Kelsey Stocker** (2010) , and **Joseph Michalka** (2014) were awarded *Outstanding Graduate Student Teaching* awards from the Kaneb Center for Teaching and Learning
- **Kyle Daily** (2006) and **Joseph Michalka** (2011) were awarded the department's *Emil T. Hoffman Award* for outstanding teaching in the first year program
- **Kelsey Stocker** was awarded the department's 2012 *Rudy Bottei Graduate Teaching Award*
- **Chris Fennell** (2002) and **Charles Vardeman** (2006) were awarded the department's *Jeremiah P. Freeman teaching award*

Awards to Gezelter undergraduate research students:

- **Christie (Puglis) Francia** was awarded the 2007 Wiech Research Fellowship
- **Andrew Latham** was awarded the 2017 Outstanding Chemistry Research Award
- **Nicholas Milikich** was awarded the 2019 Wiech Award
- **Thomas Parsons** was awarded the 2015 Wiech Award, and the 2016 Outstanding Biochemistry Research Award.

Students presently under direction:

Cody Drisko	*6th year Chemistry graduate student*
Veronica Freund	*3rd year Chemistry graduate student*
Benjamin Harless	*4th year Biophysics graduate student*
Nhat Pham Minh	*2nd year Chemistry graduate student*

Thesis committees served on:

Chemistry & Biochemistry (50 students)
Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering (16 students)
Physics (4 students)
Aerospace & Mechanical Engineering (2 students)
Computer Science & Engineering (1 student)
As outside chair (13 students)

Service

Departmental Service

2015-2020	**Director of Undergraduate Studies**
2006-2007, 2012-2015	**Physical/Analytical Chemistry Group Coordinator (Group Leader)**
1999-present	**Departmental Web Team**
2006-2011	**Director of Graduate Admissions**

2020	**Member of CA/CRPT Executive Committee**
2006	**Member of Committee on Appointments and Promotions**
2001-2002	**Physical chemistry representative to the Graduate Studies Committee**
2004-2005, 2011-2012, 2020	**Physical chemistry representative to the Undergraduate Studies Committee**
1999-2000, 2006-2011	**Physical chemistry representative of the Graduate Admissions Committee**
2003-2004, 2020	**Physical chemistry representative of the Lectures Committee**
2000, 2002, 2004, 2010	**Member of various physical chemistry faculty search committees**

University or College Service

2022-present	**Provost's committee on Promoting success of students from lower-resourced backgrounds**
2020-present	**Advisory Committee on the Academic Code and Policies**
2020-2021	**Learning Management System (LMS) Succession Committee**
2020-2021	**Faculty Task Force on Instructional Continuity**
2020	**Valedictorian Selection Committee**
2018-2020	**Kaneb Center Faculty Fellow**
2000-present	**Faculty advisor for (and member of) the Notre Dame Bagpipe Band**
2018-present	**Core Curriculum Subcommittee on Science and Technology**
2013-2020	**Learning Management Guidance Council**
2006-2011	**CRC Faculty Advisory Committee**
1999-2005	**Committee on Technical Computing**
2006-2009	**Search Committee for the CRC Director**
2008-2010	**College of Science Computing Committee**
2007, 2009, 2011-2012	**University Committee on Academic Technologies (UCAT)**
2000-2005	**Campus representative for the Churchill Scholarship**
2006-present	**Founding co-organizer of the Notre Dame Theory "Super-Group"**

Service to the profession

1999-present	**Director of the Open Science Project** *(See openscience.org for more details)* Founding member of the Open Science movement, participant in many Open Science workshops and panels, invited to present at the OSTP / White House *Open Science Champions of Change* event on June 20, 2013
2022-24	*Symposium co-organizer, ACS National Meeting, Spring 2024*

2020, 2024 **Workshop Organizer**
Structure and Dynamics of Ice Surfaces, held at the Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2016, 2019 **Workshop Organizer**
Thermal Transport at the Nanoscale, held at the Telluride Science Research Center, Telluride, CO

2011, 2019 **Conference Organizer**
43rd and 51st Midwest Theoretical Chemistry Conference, held on the campus of the University of Notre Dame

1999-Present **Reviewer** for journals including the *Journal of Physical Chemistry, Journal of Chemical Physics, Journal of Chemical Theory and Computation,* Chemical *Physics Letters, Physical Review E, Journal of Cheminformatics,* and *Journal of Molecular Structure: THEOCHEM*

2002-2004 **Grant reviewer and panelist** for the National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) at the NIH

2002-Present **NSF Grant review panels** (and ad hoc reviewer) - CHE, OCI, CDS&E programs

2008 **Speaker and Panelist** at the *New Communication Channels for Biology* workshop sponsored by the California Institute for Telecommunication and Information Technology (CalIT2)

2009 **Speaker and Panelist** at the Kauffman Innovation Roundtable on *Sharing Data and Code in Computational Science* at the Yale Information Society Project

2010 **Speaker and Panelist** at the NSF-sponsored workshop on *Archiving Experiments to Raise Scientific Standards*

2014 **Invited Speaker** on *Open Science* at the NIAID Bioinformatics and Computational Biosciences Festival

Community Service

2018-2022 **Science Olympiad (ChemLab) Coach -** John Adams High School

2009 **Chemistry Presenter for Ms. Wizard Day**

2010 **Chemistry Presenter for College Mentors for Kids**

2012 **Presenter for the CRC Summer Scholars program**

Media Reports

An interesting Open Science story that featured our comments:
Brian Owens: "Montreal institute going 'open' to accelerate science," *Science* **2016**, 351, 239
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