

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## BACKGROUND

### Education

- Ph.D. Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, USA, December 1999  
Industrial and Systems Engineering  
Thesis: *Polyhedral Approaches to Capacitated Lot-Sizing Problems*
- M.S. Georgia Institute of Technology, June 1996  
Operations Research
- B.S. Furman University, Greenville, SC, May 1994  
Mathematics, *summa cum laude*

### Professional Experience

#### Employment

- 2008–present Professor, Université Bordeaux 1;  
Team RealOpt, INRIA Bordeaux Sud-Ouest
- 2001–2008 Assistant Professor, Department of Industrial and Systems Engineering,  
University of Wisconsin–Madison
- 1999–2001 Visiting Research Fellow, Center for Operations Research  
and Econometrics, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium
- 1994–1999 Research Assistant, Georgia Institute of Technology
- 1997 Intern/Consultant/Software Developer, Philips Electronics  
North America, Briarcliff Manor, New York, USA

## Consulting

InterTrans Logistics Solutions (1998) I participated in the development of a prototype of Carrier Bid Optimizer, a product marketed by ITLS, a subsidiary of i2.

## RESEARCH

### • Projects

#### External Funding

- “Mixed Integer Programming Approaches to Production Planning Problems.” August 1, 2003–July 31, 2007. Funded by the National Science Foundation, grant # CMMI-0323299. Funding level: \$202,888.
- “Planning Under Uncertainty: Methods and Applications” (co-PI with S.M. Robinson and M.C. Ferris). March 15, 2004–March 14, 2007. Funded by the Air Force Office of Scientific Research, grant # FA9550-04-1-0192. Funding level: \$275,210.
- “Collaborative Research: Exploiting Cyberinfrastructure to Solve Real-time Integer Programs” (co-PI with M.C. Ferris (UW-Madison), J.T. Linderoth and T.K. Ralphs (Lehigh University), and S. Ahmed, G.L. Nemhauser, and M.W.P. Savelsbergh (Georgia Institute of Technology)). September 1, 2005–August 31, 2009. Funded by the National Science Foundation, grant # CMMI-0521953 Funding level (UW-Madison): \$249,889.
- “Planning Under Uncertainty: Methods and Applications” (co-PI with S.M. Robinson and M.C. Ferris). April 1, 2007–November 30, 2009. Funded by the Air Force Office of Scientific Research, grant # FA9550-07-1-0389. Funding level: \$302,667.
- “CIEG: Exploiting Cyberinfrastructure to Solve Real-time Integer Programs” (co-PI with M.C. Ferris (UW-Madison)). September 1, 2005–August 31, 2008. Funded by the National Science Foundation, grant # CMMI-0521953 Funding level: \$15,000.
- “Collaborative Research: Next Generation Mixed Integer Nonlinear Programming Solvers: Structure, Search, and Implementation” (co-PI with J.T. Linderoth and J. Luedtke (UW-Madison) and S. Leyffer

- and Todd Munson (Argonne National Laboratory). August 15, 2008–August 14, 2011. Funded by the Department of Energy, grant # DE-PS02-08ER08-13. Funding level (UW-Madison): \$528,476.
- “Collaborative Research: Next Generation Mixed Integer Nonlinear Programming Solvers: Structure, Search, and Implementation” (co-PI with J.T. Linderoth and J. Luedtke (UW-Madison) and S. Leyffer and Todd Munson (Argonne National Laboratory). January 1, 2009–December 31, 2011. Funded by the National Science Foundation, grant # CSF-0830153. Funding level (UW-Madison): \$199,997.

#### Internal Funding

- “Sequencing and Lot-Sizing in Production Planning: A Branch, Cut, and Price Paradigm.” July 1, 2003–June 30, 2004. Funded by the University of Wisconsin–Madison Graduate School Research Committee. Funding level: \$17,300.
- “Hybrid Methods for Discrete Optimization Problems.” July 1, 2005–June 30, 2008. Funded by the University of Wisconsin–Madison Graduate School Research Committee. Funding level: \$68,158.
- “Advanced Optimization Techniques for Scheduling in the Process Industry” (co-PI with C. Maravelius). July 1, 2005–June 30, 2007. Funded by the University of Wisconsin–Madison Graduate School Research Committee. Funding level: \$26,832.

### • Publications and Papers

#### Refereed Journals

1. On the Capacitated Lot-Sizing and Continuous 0-1 Knapsack Polyhedra. A.J. Miller, G.L. Nemhauser, and M.W.P. Savelsbergh. *European Journal of Operational Research* **125**: 298-315, 2000.
2. On the Polyhedral Structure of a Multi-Item Production Planning Model with Setup Times. A.J. Miller, G.L. Nemhauser, and M.W.P. Savelsbergh. *Mathematical Programming* **94**:375-405, 2003.
3. A Multi-Item Production Planning Model with Setup Times: Algorithms, Reformulations, and Polyhedral Characterizations for a Special Case. A.J. Miller, G.L. Nemhauser, and M.W.P. Savelsbergh. *Mathematical Programming* **95**:71-90, 2003.
4. Tight MIP Formulations for Multi-Item Discrete Lot-Sizing Problems. A.J. Miller and L.A. Wolsey. *Operations Research* **51**: 557-605, 2003.

5. Tight Formulations for Some Simple Mixed Integer Programs and Convex Objective Integer Programs. A.J. Miller and L.A. Wolsey. *Mathematical Programming* **98**: 73-88, 2003.
6. A Nested Partitions Framework for Solving Large-Scale Multicommodity Facility Location Problems. L. Shi, R.R. Meyer, M. Bozbay, and A.J. Miller. *Journal of Systems Science and Systems Engineering* **13**: 158-179, 2004.
7. A Branch-and-Cut Algorithm for the Stochastic Uncapacitated Lot-Sizing Problem. Y. Guan, S. Ahmed, G.L. Nemhauser, and A.J. Miller. *Mathematical Programming* **105**: 55-84, 2006.
8. On Formulations of the Stochastic Uncapacitated Lot-Sizing problem. Y. Guan, S. Ahmed, A.J. Miller, and G.L. Nemhauser, *Operations Research Letters* **34**: 241-250, 2006.
9. Polynomial Time Algorithms for Stochastic Uncapacitated Lot-Sizing Problems. Y. Guan and A.J. Miller. *Operations Research* **56**: 1172-1183, 2008.
10. A Heuristic Approach to Big Bucket Production Planning Problems. K. Akartunalı and A.J. Miller. *European Journal of Operational Research* **193**: 396-411, 2009.
11. Mixing MIR Inequalities with Two Divisible Coefficients. M. Constantino, A.J. Miller, and M. Van Vyve. *Mathematical Programming*, **123**: 451-483, 2010.
12. Optimal Allocation of Surgery Blocks to Operating Rooms Under Uncertainty. B. Denton, A.J. Miller, H. Balasubramanian, and T. Huschka. *Operations Research*, **58**: 802-816, 2010.
13. Linear inequalities for bounded products of variables. P. Belotti, A.J. Miller, and M. Namazifar. *SIAG/OPT Views-and-News*, **22/1**: 1-8, 2011.
14. A Computational Analysis of Lower Bounds for Big Bucket Production Planning Problems. K. Akartunalı and A.J. Miller. Accepted by *Computational Optimization and Applications*, 2012.

Refereed Conference Proceedings (Selection)

15. Facets, Algorithms, and Polyhedral Characterizations for a Multi-Item Production Planning Model with Setup Times. A.J. Miller, G.L. Nemhauser, and M.W.P. Savelsbergh. IPCO, June 2001, Utrecht, Netherlands. *Lecture Notes in Computer Science* **2081**, 318-332, Springer Verlag, 2001.

16. Collaborative decision-making in supply chains using lagrangian duality. S. Poudarikapuram, A. Miller, D. Veeramani. IIE Annual Conference and Exposition, pp. 619-624, May 2004, Houston, TX, USA.
17. Distributed decision-making of integer problems with limited information. S. Poudarikapuram, A. Miller, D. Veeramani. IIE Annual Conference and Exposition, 6 pp., May 2005, Atlanta, GA, USA.
18. A Parallel Macro Partitioning Framework for Solving Mixed Integer Programs. M. Namazifar and A.J. Miller. CPAIOR, May 2008, Paris, France. *Lecture Notes in Computer Science* **5015**, 343-348, Springer Verlag, 2008.
19. A Polynomial Time Algorithm for the Stochastic Uncapacitated Lot-Sizing Problem with Backlogging. Y. Guan and A.J. Miller. IPCO, May 2008, Bertinoro, Italy. *Lecture Notes in Computer Science* **5035**, 450-462, Springer Verlag, 2008.
20. Applications and algorithms for mixed integer nonlinear programming. S. Leyffer, J. Linderoth, J. Luedtke, A. Miller, T. Munson. SciDAC, June 2009, San Diego, California, USA. *Journal of Physics: Conference Series* **180** 012014, Institute of Physics, 2009.
21. Local Cuts and Two-Period Convex Hull Closures for Big Bucket Lot-Sizing Problems. K. Akartunalı and A.J. Miller. ROADEF, February 2010, Toulouse, France. <http://spiderman-2.laas.fr/roadef2010/actes/>.
22. Valid Inequalities and Convex Hulls for Multilinear Functions. P. Bellotti, A.J. Miller, and M. Namazifar. ISCO, March 2010, Hammamet, Tunisia. *Electronic Notes in Discrete Mathematics*, **36**: 805-812, 2010.
23. On the composition of convex envelopes for quadrilinear terms. P. Bellotti, S. Cafieri, J. Lee, L. Liberti, and A.J. Miller. In A. Chinchuluun et al. (eds.), *Proceedings of ICOSC11*, 2012.

#### Submitted Papers

24. Strong Branching Inequalities for Convex Mixed Integer Nonlinear Programs. M.Kılınc, J.T. Linderoth, J. Luedtke, and A.J. Miller.

#### Unpublished Technical Reports

25. Solving Multi-Item Capacitated Lot-Sizing Problems with Setup Times by Branch-and-Cut. A.J. Miller, G.L. Nemhauser, and M.W.P. Savelsbergh. CORE DP 2000/39, CORE, UCL, Belgium, August 2000.

26. Discrete Lot-Sizing and Convex Integer Programming. A.J. Miller and L.A. Wolsey. CORE DP 2001/8, CORE, UCL, Belgium, January 2001.
27. New MIP Cuts for Supply Chain Structures: Final Report on MIP Cuts. Technical Report LISCOS: Large Scale Integrated Supply Chain Optimisation Software Based upon Branch-and-Cut and Constraint Programming. M. Constantino, A. Miller, Y. Pochet, B. Verweij, M. Van Vyve, and L.A. Wolsey. GROWTH Project G1RD-1999-00034, DR2.3.1/U, CORE, 2002.
28. Mechanism Design for Multiple Item Procurement Using a Distributed Ellipsoid Algorithm. A.J. Miller, D. Mishra, and D. Veeramani. CORE DP 2005/87, CORE, UCL, Belgium, December 2005.
29. A Distributed Decision-Making Method for Logistics Network Optimization. S. Poudarikapuram, A.J. Miller, R. Panchalavarapu, and D. Veeramani. June 2006.
30. A Combinatorial Active Set Algorithm for Linear and Quadratic Programming. A.J. Miller. December 2007. <http://www.math.u-bordeaux1.fr/~amiller/PAPERS/Mi07.pdf>.

- **Invited Presentations and Seminars**

- “Solving Multi-Item Capacitated Lot-Sizing Problems with Setup Times by Branch-and-Cut.” CORE, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, October 1999.
- “Discrete Lot-Sizing and Convex Integer Programming.” Mathématiques de la gestion, Université Libre de Bruxelles, November 2000.
- “The Multi-Stage Stochastic Lot-Sizing Problem: a Polynomial Time Algorithm and Valid Inequalities.”
  - \* Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal, December 2001.
  - \* CORE, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, December 2001.
- “Tutorial on Integer Programming.” Institute for Mathematics and its Applications, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, USA, September 2002.
- “Mixing Two Sets of MIR Inequalities.” University of California at Berkeley, USA, November 2002.

- “Polyhedral Approaches to Finding Economic Equilibria.” Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia, Italy, July 2003.
- “Solving Production Planning Problems by Branch-and-Cut Algorithms.” Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia, Italy, July 2003.
- “Solving MRP Production Planning Problems by Mixed Integer Programming.” University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, USA, February 2004.
- “Nested Partitions Based Column Generation.”
  - \* Northwestern University, Evanston, USA, February 2005.
  - \* University of Auckland, New Zealand, August 2005.
- “Heuristics for Big Bucket Production Planning Problems.” University of Auckland, New Zealand, August 2005.
- “Production Planning and Knapsack Problems: A Short Tour of Mixed Integer Programming.”
  - \* Furman University, Greenville, SC, USA, October 2005.
  - \* University of Wisconsin–Stevens Point, USA, December 2005.
- “Parallel Local Search Heuristics for Mixed Integer Programs.” Argonne National Laboratory, Chicago, USA, November 2006.
- “Polynomial Time Algorithms for Stochastic Lot-Sizing Models.” CORE, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, December 2006.
- “Algorithmes rapides et formulations fortes pour l’optimisation stochastique en production par lot.” Université de Bordeaux, France, September 2007.
- “Developing Extended Formulations for Stochastic Lot-Sizing Problems.” Invited presentation for *Topics in integer programming: Workshop on the occasion of the departure of Yves Pochet*. CORE, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, September 2007.
- “Fast algorithms and strong formulations for fundamental stochastic lot-sizing models.” Northwestern University, Evanston, USA, October 2007.
- “A Parallel Marco Partitioning Framework for Solving Mixed Integer Programs”
  - \* Université de Bordeaux, France, January 2008.
  - \* North Carolina State University, Raleigh, USA, February 2008.
  - \* Ecole Polytechnique, LIX, Paris, France, October 2008. ARS08, <http://www.lix.polytechnique.fr/~liberti/ars08/>.

- “On Using 2-Period Submodels to Solve Big-Bucket Production Planning Problems.” IBM T.J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, New York, USA, August 2008.
- “Valid Inequalities and Convex Hulls for Bounded Multilinear Functions”
  - \* North Carolina State University, Raleigh, USA, February 2010.
  - \* MIP 2010, Atlanta, GA, USA, July 2010.

## TEACHING

- **Courses Taught in English**

Bachelor’s

- Introduction to Combinatorial Optimization (Spring 2002, S03, S04, S05, S06, S07,S08)
- Operations Research–Deterministic Modeling (F03, F04, F05)

Master’s/Ph.D.

- Integer Programming (S03, S06, F07)
- Network Flows (Fall 2003)
- Quantitative Methods in Supply Chain Planning (S05, S07, F07)
- Strong Formulations for Mixed Integer Programs (F02, S04, F06)

- **Courses Taught in French**

License

- Modélisation et optimisation (S09)

Master’s

- Gestion des opérations et planification de production (F08, F09)
- Optimisation stochastique (F08,F09)
- Outils et logiciels pour l’optimisation (F08, F09)
- Programmation linéaire II (F08)
- Flots et routages (S09)

Continuing Education (Conservatoire National des Arts et Métiers)

- Modèles et Méthodes d'Optimisation (S09)

- **Ph.D. Students Supervised**

- Seerong Prichanont (2002) (co-supervised with Dharmaraj Veeramani). *Multi-Item Multi-Attribute Outsourcing in Manufacturing Supply Networks*. Currently on the faculty of Chulalongkorn University in Bangkok, Thailand.
- Sricharan Poundarikapuram (2002-2006) (co-supervised with Dharmaraj Veeramani). *Collaborative Planning in Supply Chains with Incomplete Information*. Poundarikapuram is currently an Operations Research Analyst with Decisive Analytics.
- Kerem Akartunali (2002-2007). *Computational Methods for Big Bucket Production Planning Problems: Feasible Solutions and Strong Lower Bounds*. August 2007. Currently a Research Lecturer at Strathclyde Business School at the University of Strathclyde in Glasgow, Scotland.
- Mahdi Namazifar (2006-2008). Namazifar continued his Ph.D. thesis under the supervision of Dr. Jeff Linderoth when I moved to Université Bordeaux 1. He defended his thesis, entitled *Strong Relaxations and Computations for Multilinear Programs*, in July 2011. Namazifar is currently an analyst with Opera Solutions.
- Chun Wang (2005-2008). When I moved to Bordeaux, Wang interrupted his Ph.D. studies at UW-Madison. In September 2009, he entered the Ph.D. program of the Department of Industrial Engineering and Operations Research at Columbia University.
- Nicolas Dupin (2011-present) (co-supervised with François Vanderbeck, Marc Porcheron, and El-Ghazali Talbi). Dupin is investigating how to compute robust maintenance schedules for the set of nuclear reactors operated by Electricité de France.

- **Ph.D Thesis Committees** (in addition to those students supervised)

- Jinho Lim, 2002
- Debasis Mishra, 2004
- Mehmet Bozbay, 2004
- Samik Raychaudhuri, 2006
- Arinbjörn Ólafsson, 2006
- Hoksung Yao, 2006

- Ben Van Roo, 2007
- Shu Lu, 2007
- Bex George Thomas, 2007
- Michael Thompson, 2007
- Christina Oberlin, 2007
- Jun Zhang, 2008
- Benoit Vignac, 2009
- Laurent Gély, 2010
- Cédric Joncourt, 2010

- **Professional Development**

- I participated in the week-long Summer Institute organized by the Teaching Academy of the University of Wisconsin-Madison, during the summers of 2004 and 2005. <http://teachingacademy.wisc.edu/TASI/>

- **Presentations**

- “Teaching the Use of Mixed Integer Programming Models and Algorithms.” Presented at INFORMS, Seattle, USA, November 2007.

## SERVICE

- **External**

International Conferences

- Organizing Committee of MIP 2007, Montreal, Canada, July 30–August 2, 2007  
[http://www.crm.umontreal.ca/MIP2007/index\\_e.shtml](http://www.crm.umontreal.ca/MIP2007/index_e.shtml)
- Organizing Committee of MIP 2008, Columbia University, New York, USA, August 4-7, 2008  
<http://coral.ie.lehigh.edu/mip-2008/index.html>
- Organizer of the Spring Workshop on Computational Issues in Mixed Integer Nonlinear Programming, March 19-20, 2009, Bordeaux, France  
<https://wiki.bordeaux.inria.fr/realopt/pmwiki.php/Project/CIMINLP>

- Program Committee of European Workshop on Mixed Integer Nonlinear Integer Programming, April 12-16, 2010, Marseille, France  
<http://sites.google.com/site/ewminlp/>
- Session organization
  - \* Annual INFORMS National Meetings (2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007)
  - \* Triennial International Symposia on Mathematical Programming (2003, 2006)
  - \* INFORMS Computing Society conference (2009)

#### Editorial Activities

- I am serving as one of the guest editors for a special issue of *Mathematical Programming, Series B* entitled “Mixed Integer Nonlinear Programming”.

#### Professional Society Memberships

- Mathematical Programming Society (MPS)
- Institute for Operations Research and Management Science (INFORMS)

#### Referee

- *Annals of Operations Research*
- *Computational Optimization and Applications*
- *Discrete Optimization*
- *European J of Operational Research*
- *IIE Transactions*
- *INFORMS J on Computing*
- *J of Global Optimization*
- *Management Science*
- *Mathematical Programming*
- *Naval Research Logistics*
- *Operations Research*
- *Operations Research Letters*

#### Software

- I participated in the development of *bc-shell*, *bc-prod*, and *bc-gen*, academic mixed integer programming (MIP) software.
- With a student, I have developed an MIP solver for massively parallel computing architectures. This solver runs on top of optimization algorithms implemented in open-source code (see also publication 16).
- With a student and other co-authors, I have developed heuristics that have been integrated into CBC, a COIN-OR (<http://www.coin-or.org/>) open-source project.

- **Internal**

Committees (ISyE Department, UW-Madison)

- Graduate Policy and Exams 2002-2007
- Faculty Awards and Recognition 2002-2005 (Chair 2003-2005)
- Optimization Qualifying Exam, 2003-2008 (Organizer Fall 2004)
- Quantitative Decision Making Qualifying Exam, 2002-2008
- Performance Evaluation of Stochastic Systems Qualifying Exam, 2004
- ISyE Colloquium Committee 2006-2008 (Chair)
- Workload Policy Committee, 2007-2008
- Student Activities Board, 2007-2008

Committees (UW-Madison)

- Committee on Committees (2006-2008)

Committees (Masters in “Modélisation, Ingénierie Mathématique, Statistique et Economique”, joint program of Universités Bordeaux 1, 2, and 4, <http://www.math.u-bordeaux.fr/DIM/master/mimse/pageweb/pmwiki.php/Main/HomePage>)

- Equipe pédagogique pour la mention (2009-present)
- Chair of the specialty “Recherche Opérationnelle et Aide à la Décision” (2010-2011)

Committees (Université Bordeaux 1)

- Comité de Selection, poste de Maître de conférences/Chair INRIA (position number 1239) (2009)