

# Theresa Migler

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## EDUCATION

*Ph.D.*, Computer Science, June 2014

Oregon State University, Corvallis  
Major: Computer Science  
Minor: Mathematics  
Advisor: Glencora Borradaile

*MS*, Computer Science, June 2013  
Oregon State University, Corvallis  
Major: Computer Science

*MS*, Mathematics, December 2006  
California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo  
Major: Mathematics

*BS*, Mathematics, June 2004  
California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo  
Major: Mathematics  
Minor: Philosophy

## EXPERIENCE

*Assistant Professor* Fall 2018 - Present

California Polytechnic State University, Computer Science Department  
• CSC 348 - Discrete Structures  
• CSC 349 - Design and Analysis of Algorithms  
• CSC 549 - Advanced Algorithm Design and Analysis  
• CSC 570 - Advanced Algorithmic Graph Theory

*Visiting Professor* Fall 2018 - Winter 2019  
Munich University of Applied Science, Computer Science and Mathematics  
• Algorithms and Datastructures I  
• Graduate Graph Theory

*Lecturer* Fall 2015 - Spring 2018  
California Polytechnic State University, Computer Science Department  
• CPE 101, 103 - Fundamentals of Computer Science  
• CSC 348 - Discrete Structures  
• CSC 349 - Design and Analysis of Algorithms  
• CSC 448 - Bioinformatics Algorithms

*Lecturer* Fall 2014 - Spring 2015  
University of California Santa Cruz, Jack Baskin School of Engineering  
• CMPS 5P - Introduction to Python  
• CMPS 10 -Introduction to Computer Science  
• CMPS 17 - Social Networks

<i>Lecturer</i> Oregon State University, EECS Department • CS 325 - Undergraduate Algorithms	Summer 2012, 2014
<i>Teaching Assistant</i> Oregon State University, EECS Department • CS 325 - Undergraduate Algorithms • CS 381 - Undergraduate Programming Languages • CS 515 - Graduate Algorithms	Fall 2010 - Spring 2014
<i>Teaching Assistant</i> Oregon State University, Math Department • MATH 111, 112, 251 - Calculus and Pre-Calculus	Fall 2008 - Spring 2010
<i>Lecturer</i> California Polytechnic State University, Math Department • Math 116, 117, 118, 119, 141, 142, 143 - Calculus and Pre-Calculus	Fall 2006 - Spring 2008
<i>Lecturer</i> Cuesta Community College, Math Department • Math 23, 27, 32 - College Algebra and Pre-Calculus	Fall 2006 - Spring 2008
<i>Teaching Associate</i> California Polytechnic State University, Math Department • Math 116, 117, 118, 119 - Pre-Calculus	Fall 2004 - Spring 2006
<b>PUBLICATIONS</b> Kirsten Mork, Theresa Migler, Zoë Wood • Introducing Computing to a Cohort of Incarcerated Youth <i>SIGCSE '20: Proceedings of the 49th ACM Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education</i> , 2020	
Conor Carroll, Nupur Garg, Theresa Migler, Barbara Walker, and Zoë Wood • Mapping and Visualization of Publication Networks of Public University Faculty in Computer Science and Electrical Engineering <i>Proceedings of 35th International Conference on Computers and Their Applications</i>	
Logan McNichols, Gabriel Medina-Kim, Viet Lien Nguyen, Christian Rapp, Theresa Migler • Gender's Influence on Academic Collaboration in a University-Wide Network <i>International Conference on Complex Networks and Their Applications</i> , 2019	
Christopher Siu, Theresa Migler • Vaccination Strategies on a Robust Contact Network <i>International Conference on Complex Networks and Their Applications</i> , 2019	
Sean Gonzales, Theresa Migler • The Densest k Subgraph Problem in b-Outerplanar Graphs <i>International Conference on Complex Networks and Their Applications</i> , 2019	
Glencora Borradaile, Theresa Migler, and Gordon Wilfong. • Density Decompositions of Networks <i>Journal of Graph Algorithms and Applications</i> , 2019	
Iris Kohler, Theresa Migler, Foaad Khosmood.	

- Composition of Basic Heuristics for the Game 2048 *FDG '19 Proceedings of the 14th International Conference on the Foundations of Digital Games* 2019

Theresa Migler, Glencora Borradaile, and Gordon Wilfong.

- Random Network Models Based on Density *Complex Networks* 2018

Theresa Migler.

- Lower Bounds for Testing Digraph Connectivity with One-Pass Streaming Algorithms. *IEEE Letters of the Computer Society* 2018

Theresa Migler, Lizabeth Schlemer.

- Engagement in Practice: Teaching Introductory Computer Programming at County Jails *ASEE* 2018

Theresa Migler, Glencora Borradaile, and Gordon Wilfong.

- Density Decompositions of Networks *CompleNet* 2018

Glencora Borradaile, Jennifer Iglesias, Theresa Migler, Antonio Ochoa, Gordon Wilfong, and Lisa Zhang.

- Egalitarian Graph Orientations. *Journal of Graph Algorithms and Applications*, 2017

Theresa Migler, Kent Morrison, Mitchell Ogle.

- How Much does a Matrix of Rank  $k$  Weigh? *Mathematics Magazine* 2006

## GRANTS

“Bioinformatics Cross-Disciplinary Studies Minor”

Co-PI (Edward T. Himmelblau, PI)

Center for the Advancement of Women in Technology

\$400,000

## STUDENT SUPERVISION

*Current MS Students*

- Iris Kohler
- Lauren Nakamichi

*Current Senior Project and Independent Study Students*

- Andrew Keshishian
- Jasmine Patel
- Sreelakshmi Kariyadan
- Nicole Hill
- Nicholas Balestrino
- Nicole Griffith
- Evan Shui
- Selynnna Sun
- Ryan Zesch
- Viet Nguyen
- Joshua Boe
- Ryan Solarzano

*MS Students Defended*

- Christopher Siu *Simulating Epidemics and Interventions on High Resolution Social Networks* Spring 2019
- Michael Cantrell *Observations of the Copenhagen Networks Study* Spring 2019
- Siddhant Kahal *Bird Abundance at Bird Feeders in Response to Temperature, Wind Speed, and Precipitation during the Winter Season* Spring 2018

*SURP 2019 Students*

- Logan McNichols
- Gabriel Medina-Kim
- Viet Nguyen
- Christian Rapp

*Past Senior Projects and Independent Studies*

- Alexander James Bailey
- Samuel Chase
- Sean Gonzales
- David James
- Sharon Kuang
- Mitchell Overfield
- Jonathan Pautz
- Dmitriy Timokhin
- Collin Wong
- Samuel Chase
- Daniel Yao
- Timothy James Jyung
- Lohit Vankineni

*Students Involved in Jail Project*

- Cassie Hamilton
- Caleb Kim
- Yusuf Bahadur
- Terry Wambolt
- Larry Hu
- Chris Moranda
- Abby Schmiedt
- Hayley Cushing

**SERVICE**

*Creator of Computer Program at local jails*

Summer 2015 - Present

- Proposed a new program for the Men's and Women's jails, and the Men's and Women's honor farms.
- Created materials for an Introduction to Programming with Python course - a course similar to the first 4 weeks of CPE101.
- Taught this course four times.
- Involved 10 Cal Poly students in creating materials and assisting in teaching at the jail.

*Indian Student Association Faculty Advisor*

Fall 2016-2017

*Wikipedia author/editor*

2011-Present

*Maryknoll lay volunteer*

Summer 2012

- Volunteer math teacher to Mon refugees at Wat Prok in Bangkok, Thailand.
- Collaboratively developed and taught an introductory programming course using Python.

*Get on the Bus- bus coordinator*

2007-2008

<b>AWARDS AND HONORS</b>	SWE “Most Supportive Professor” Nominee	Fall 2015
	M. Lehman Mathematics Educator Scholarship Recipient	2006
	National Science Foundation Scholarship Recipient	2005-2006
	College of Science and Mathematics Senior Recognition Award Contributions to the Objectives and Public Image of the University	2004