# **COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING**

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### **CSE RESEARCH INNOVATION & IMPACT**



# SOUNDING AN ALARM: CARS ARE VULNERABLE TO HACKING

Ground-breaking research by CSE and UW scientists led to papers that opened up a new area of cybersecurity research and served as a wake-up call for the automotive industry. This "dream team" has received the Golden Goose Award from the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

#### **\$20M TO CREATE AI RESEARCH INSTITUTE**

Led by CSE and ECE Professor Andrew Kahng, the new Al Institute for Learning-enabled Optimization at Scale, or TILOS, is housed in UCSD's Halicioglu Data Science Institute, and is funded by the NSF. Eleven CSE and CSE-affiliated faculty are engaged with the Institute to pursue foundational breakthroughs at the nexus of artificial intelligence and optimization.



#### UNDERGRAD RESEARCHERS SHINE AT CRA AWARDS

Four standout undergrad engineers were recognized for significant contributions to research. Bonnie Huang and Raechel Walker were named finalists, while Kabir Nagrecha and McKenna Lewis received honorable mentions.

### RESEARCHERS UNCOVER SPECTRE VULNERABILITY

CSE Professor Dean Tullsen and collaborators at UVA discovered a new line of attack that breaks current Spectre defenses, making billions of computers and other devices vulnerable to attack.

## **CSE BY THE NUMBERS**



# FACULTY AWARDS & HONORS

Our faculty members in the 2020-2021 academic year once again received national recognition for contributions to their fields and society. Highlights include:







Nuno Bandeira Biemann Medal



Mihir Bellare Test of Time (ICAR)



William Griswold Test of Time (AITO)







Sicun Gao NSF Career



Victor Vianu Research "Gems" of PODS

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