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EDUCATION

Master of Science in Aerospace Engineering, University of Southern California, 1987

Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering, Iowa State University, 1985

EXPERIENCE

2020-present: CSSI Director and Director, COMSPOC Integrated Operations, COMSPOC Corporation, Colorado Springs, CO

- Director of AGI's Center for Space Standards and Innovation research group.
- Program Manager for Space Data Center, providing on-demand SSA for global space community spanning all orbit regimes, including 60% of operational GEO satellites.
- Developed international standards in collision avoidance, orbit life estimation & space ops.

2018-2020: Director, Center for Space Standards and Innovation (CSSI), Analytical Graphics, Inc., Colorado Springs, CO

- Directed and managed AGI's 4-person Center for Space Standards and Innovation research group.
- Founder and Administrator, Space Safety Coalition (spacesafety.org)
- Program Manager for Space Data Center, providing on-demand SSA for global space community spanning all orbit regimes, including 60% of operational GEO satellites.

2010-2018: Senior Research Astrodynamicist and SDC Program Manager, Analytical Graphics, Inc., Colorado Springs, CO

- Member of AGI's 5-person Center for Space Standards and Innovation research group.
- Extensive research and operations in Space Situational Awareness, EMI/RFI, Conjunction Assessment, astrodynamics, small satellites, mission design, and standards compliance
- Worked with space operators from many different countries globally.
- Program Manager for Space Data Center, providing on-demand SSA for global space community spanning all orbit regimes, including 60% of operational GEO satellites.
- Developed international standards in collision avoidance, orbit life estimation & space ops.

2003-Present: CEO and Senior Analyst, 1Earth Research, LLC, Colorado Springs, CO





- Founder and Senior Analyst of a technical consulting firm leveraging advanced techniques and algorithms from the space industry toward the improvement of both space and terrestrial processes.
- Extensive mission design, launch and early orbit operations, systems engineering, flight operations & tracking for CubeSat, small satellite, and University Nanosat programs.
- Develop software and international standards for space operations, debris mitigation & astrodynamics.
- Space and terrestrial modelling for satellites and Remotely Piloted Vehicles (RPVs).
- CFO; Contracts Officer; designed/operated multiple computer networks; FSO.

2005-2011: Lead Systems Engineer, SkySentry, LLC, Colorado Springs, CO

- Engineering expertise to SkySentry LLC (High Altitude Airships & Missile Defense Agency)
- Missile fly-out modelling, constellation coverage, intercept dynamics, STK simulations
- Communications modelling, relay contention, tools interfaces
- Missile defense; post-engagement breakup modelling; Airship weather modelling.
- Led development of heavier-than-air 6-DoF model for Army Battle Lab federated tool suite.
- Managed the implementation of statistical weather (from 1948 to present)

2000-2003: Senior Project Engineer, The Aerospace Corporation

- Effective supervision of resources and innovative ideas and process resulted in improved modelling capabilities, performance assessments and robustness.
- Lead Technical Analyst in Space Operations Support Office (SOPSO). Provided vision and direction to all phases of SOPSO activities, leading teams from two to fifteen people.
- Engineering team technical lead for advanced analysis tool technologies:
 - Worldwide Radio Frequency (RF) Impingement & Interference software 'EMTR_RF'
 - Optimal burn reconstruction and performance assessment tool 'AVALON'
 - Conceived & developed nation's COLA & RFI tool suite "Collision Vision."
 - Conceived & developed system-of-systems satellite constellation performance assessment tool 'BLINE', now a principal National rapid concept assessment tool.
- NRO Tier III Award for anomaly investigation and resolution for critical system
- Detected and mitigated severe re-contact threat for new National satellite.

1995-1999: Project Engineer, The Aerospace Corporation, Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, CO

 Principal Technical Analyst for Air Force Space Command Directorate of Requirements, Requirements Analysis Center. Developed system requirements and independently assessed system performance. Directed requirements tracking & analysis, analysis of alternatives and trade studies.





- Five years Air Force Space HQ executive staff; policy, advocacy, consensus building
- Requirements tracking between EELV Requirements & Spec. documents (DOORS); identified unmet and extraneous requirements, saving millions.
- Missile Warning/Space Surveillance Network performance assessment

1985-1995: Engineering Specialist, The Aerospace Corporation, El Segundo, CA

- Lead engineer for high-priority projects
- Led and mentored numerous operations teams for launch, early orbit, and on-orbit activities
- Developed interdisciplinary, integrated satellite operations tool; adopted by government as operational spacecraft control software.
- Independently verified software & ascent trajectories for multi-billion-dollar programs.
- Created a novel, highly efficient ephemeris reconstruction and satellite tracking tool 'CPLANE' that is fifteen times faster and much more accurate than other methods.
- Pioneered system-of-systems satellite constellation performance assessment tool 'BSPACE;' developed industry-unique optimal tasking algorithms, satellite coverage and sensor models.
- Created innovative covariance-based ground antenna search and acquisition software.
- Developed integrated numerical 6-Degrees-of-Freedom (position, attitude under full range of perturbations; magnetic and aero-torque spin control) simulations.
- Developed antenna signal strength & link analysis software for launch vehicles.
- Analyzed all facets of launch, early orbit, on-orbit and disposal/re-entry operations.

TRAINING AND CERTIFICATIONS

Analytical Graphics, Inc. (AGI) "Certified Rocket Scientist" – STK expert qualified status 2006-2007

bmdBenchmark Training Course O Georgia Technical Research Institute O 2005

Small Business Innovative Research Course, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, 2003

Nx Level Business Development Course, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, 2003

ArcGIS 8.2 Certification Course O University of Colorado at Colorado Springs O 2003

Satellite Tool Kit Beginner and Advanced Courses O Analytic Graphics, Inc. O 1998-2006

Satellite Tool Kit Introductory Course O Analytic Graphics, Inc. O 1998





Microsoft Access User's Course O Peterson Air Force Base O 1997

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

Sr. Member, American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA), 1982 – present

Member, AIAA Astrodynamics Standards Technical Review Committee

Member, International Standards Organization, Space Operations Working Group, 2003 - present.

Deputy Convener, International Standards Organization, Orbital Debris Mitigation Working Group, 2011 - present.

Member, The Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems (CCSDS) Navigation Working Group, 2014 - present.

Member, American Astronautical Society (AAS), 2003 - present

Member, International Academy of Astronautics (IAA), 2015 - present

Member, Sigma Gamma Tau (Aerospace Engineering Honor Society

HONORS AND AWARDS:

STK Certified Rocket Scientist, Analytical Graphics, Inc., June 2007

Recipient of over 40 distinct commendations from government and commercial customers for exemplary performance, distinguished service, critical support, and key contributions:

- Picosatellite Operations Lead for Popular Science's 100 "Best of What's New in 2000"
- Twice nominated for President's Award for RF and Collision Avoidance tools development
- NRO Tier III Award Feb 2002 and two NRO Director's Team Awards (2001 & 2002)





Authored and presented over 50 professional papers and presentations, as well as technical journal articles and two commissioned chapters for technical textbooks <u>Space Systems</u> <u>Modelling and Simulation</u> and <u>Small Satellites</u>: <u>Past, Present and Future</u>.

BOOK CHAPTERS:

- 1. Oltrogge, D.L. and Gist, R.G., Collision Avoidance and Radio Frequency Interference, Chapter 15 of book entitled, *Space Systems Modeling and Simulation (SMSS)*, ISBN 1-884989-15-2, The Aerospace Press/AIAA, 2004.
- 2. Oltrogge, D.L. and Hast, S.L., Small Satellite Mission Design and Operations, Chapter 2 of book entitled, *Small Satellites: Past, Present and Future*, The Aerospace Press/AIAA, 2008.
- 3. Oltrogge, D.L. and Cooper, J.A., Space Situational Awareness & Space Traffic Management, Chapter in book entitled, *The Space Debris Peril: Pathways to Opportunities*, CRC Publishing, 2020.

PATENTS:

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- 2. Patent No.: US 10,558,320, "Probability of Collision Topology," 11 February 2020, Salvatore Alfano and Daniel Oltrogge.
- 3. Patent No.: US 10,551,994 B2, "Probability of Collision Bounding Surfaces," 4 February 2020, Salvatore Alfano and Daniel Oltrogge.

Lead/Co-lead editor on international standards:

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- 3. Swinburne, B. and Oltrogge, D.L., Conjunction Data Message, CCSDS 508.0-B-1, https://public.ccsds.org/Pubs/508x0b1e2c1.pdf, 2019-present.





- 4. Oltrogge, D.L., "ISO Space Systems Design, Testing and Operation of a Spacecraft Large Constellation," 2020-present.
- 5. Oltrogge, D.L., "ISO NWIP: Space systems Space Traffic Coordination and Management," 2020-present.

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- 1. Hast, S. L., Oltrogge, D.L. and Hart, M.J., "Compact Finite Burn Targeting and Reconstruction Algorithm," Journal of Guidance, Control and Dynamics, Vol. 19, No. 4, July-August 1996.
- 2. Finkleman, D., Oltrogge, D.L. and Stokes, H., "Space Standards Establish Norms for Space Operations," International Standards Organization Magazine, 15 November 2011.
- 3. Oltrogge, D.L., "Efficient Solutions of Kepler's Equation via Hybrid and Digital Approaches," Journal of Astro Sci JASS-D-15-00005, Volume 62, Issue 4, pp 271-297, December 2015.
- 4. D.L. Oltrogge, S. Alfano, C. Law, A. Cacioni, T.S. Kelso, "A comprehensive assessment of collision likelihood in Geosynchronous Earth Orbit," Acta Astronautica (2018), doi:10.1016/j.actaastro.2018.03.017.
- 5. Alfano, S. and Oltrogge, D., "Probability of Collision: Valuation, variability, visualization, and validity," Acta Astronautica (2018), doi:10.1016/j.actaastro.2018.04.023.
- 6. Alfano, S and Oltrogge, D.L., "Volumetric Assessment of Encounter Probability," Acta Astronautica 2018, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.actaastro.2018.09.030, 1 October 2018.
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- 8. Oltrogge, D.L. and Christensen, I.A., "Space governance in the new space era" Journal of Space Safety Engineering, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jsse.2020.06.003, July 2020.

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- 2. Oltrogge, D.L., "Forward Prediction Capability of the NORAD and SCF Propagators for the ITV Mission," Aerospace Technical Operating Report to ITV Conference, 16 September 1987.
- 3. Oltrogge, D.L., "User's Guide to the 6-D SPIN Program," Aerospace Technical Operating Report, 15 November 1991.
- 4. Chao, C.C., Strizzi, J.D., Oltrogge, D.L., Johnson, C.J., and Williams, S.D., "Improved Reentry Impact Point Prediction Using NORAD Elements and the LIFETIME program," Paper AAS 94-159, AAS Space Flight Mechanics Conference, Cocoa Beach, Florida, February 1994.





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- 6. Oltrogge, D. L., "RF Power Impingement Analysis," REEF Conference, Chantilly, VA, 1995.
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- 34. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space Debris and the SSA Picture," AGI User's Conference, Chicago IL, 7-10 October 2008.
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- 41. Oltrogge, D.L., "Know Your Space Population Opportunities for More Effective Operations," 2011 Improving Our Vision SSA Conference, Luxemburg, 28 June 2011.
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- 43. Oltrogge, D.L. and Alfano, S., "Determination of Orbit Cross-Tag Events and Maneuvers with Orbit Detective," Paper AAS 11-413, Girdwood AK, 1 August 2011.
- 44. Oltrogge, D.L. and Kelso, T.S., "Getting to Know Our Space Population from The Public Catalog," Paper AAS 11-416, Girdwood AK, 1 August 2011.
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- 49. Finkleman, D. and Oltrogge, D.L., "Commercial Collaboration for Collision Avoidance and Flight Operations," SpaceOps 2012 Conference, Stockholm, Sweden, 29 May 2012.
- 50. Oltrogge, D.L., "SSA in Tag Clouds: SSA Improvements Using a Holistic Approach," 2012 AAS/AIAA Astrodynamics Specialist Conference, Minneapolis, MN, 14 Aug 2012.
- 51. Oltrogge, D.L. and Rashid, H., "Effective Strategies for Satellite Communications RFI Mitigation," ESTEL Conference, Rome, Italy, 22 October 2012.
- 52. Oltrogge, D.L., "Effective Strategies for RFI Mitigation," Satellite Interference Reduction Group, Dubai, 18 Nov 2012.
- 53. Kato, A., Lazare, B., Oltrogge, D., and Stokes, H., "Standardization by ISO to ensure the sustainability of space activities," ESA Space Debris, Darmstadt, Germany, 25 April 2013.
- 54. Smith, S. and Oltrogge, D., "Framework for Informed and Actionable SSA," Improving Space Operations Workshop, San Antonio, TX, 31 April 2013.
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- 57. Oltrogge, D.L., "Efficient Solutions of Kepler's Equation Via Hybrid and Digital Approaches," Paper AAS 14-228, Santa Fe, NM, 16 January 2014.
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- 6. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space Debris Seminar," University of Southampton, Southampton, UK, 10 February 2017.
- 7. Oltrogge, D.L., "Conjunction Junction: A Space Debris Seminar," Pentagon, 16 May 2017.
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INVITED PANELIST/SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

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- 2. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space Debris Observation Needs for Actionable SSA," Panel Presentation, 2011 AMOS SSA Conference, Maui, HI, 15 September 2011.
- 3. Oltrogge, D.L., "Defining the Space Traffic Management Problems Why Finding a Solution is Exceedingly Complicated," Federal Communications Bar Association Continuing Legal Education on Space Traffic Management, 4 April 2018.
- 4. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space Traffic Management Lessons Learned and Suggested Solutions," Spring 2018 Meeting Of The Aeronautics And Space Engineering Board, Focus Session on Orbital Debris," 1 May 2018.
- 5. Oltrogge, D.L., "Protecting DoD COMSATCOM in our challenging space environment," COMSATCOM Mission Assurance Panel, DoD SATCOM Conference 2018, Alexandria, VA, 12 December 2018.
- 6. Oltrogge, D.L., "India ASAT intercept characterization," AIAA-Los Angeles/Las Vegas New Space mini-conference, Hawthorne Memorial Center, 6 April 2019.
- 7. Oltrogge, D.L., "Sustainability of LEO: interference and deorbit assurance," US Chamber of Commerce Small Satellite Workshop, 9 July 2019.
- 8. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space Traffic Management and Space Situational Awareness," Association of Space Explorers XXXII Congress, Rice University, Houston, Texas USA, 17 October 2019.
- 9. Oltrogge, D.L., "Characterization of global space governance," IAC 2019 Special Session: "Space Traffic Management: Working Together to Enhance Safety and Sustainability," 23 October 2019.
- 10. Oltrogge, D.L., "Addressing Space Traffic Management at Multinational, national and industry levels," World Space Forum, 22 November 2019.
- 11. Oltrogge, D.L., "Knowledge and monitoring of the space environment via commercial means," European Union Ad-Hoc Seminar on Security, Safety, Sustainability: Promoting Good Behavior in Outer Space, 9 December 2019.
- 12. Oltrogge, D.L., "The Space Safety Coalition in the context of international space cooperation," ANSI Commercial Space Industry Standardization Coordination Meeting, Washington, D.C., 31 January 2020.
- 13. Oltrogge, D.L., "How the commercial industry can help with LTS implementation," Secure World Foundation, Panel on LTS Guideline Implementation, 5 February 2020.
- 14. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space Debris Coordination: What is Needed to Realize Space Policy Directive 3 ?," Satellite 2020 Government and Military Forum, 10 March 2020.
- 15. Oltrogge, D.L., guest of The Space Show hosted by Dr. David Livingston, 20 March 2020.





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- 20. Oltrogge, D.L., "Steps industry can take to address long-term sustainability of space activities," Secure World Foundation, Capacity-building for space sustainability, 23 July 2020.
- 21. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space flight safety: Looking back at the past decade, looking ahead at the next five years," Secure World Foundation Webinar, 29 July 2020.
- 22. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space safety coalition: space industry's contributions to sustainability," Rand Responsible Space Behavior Workshop, 2 September 2020.
- 23. Oltrogge, D.L., "The Space Data Center's decade of Safety of Flight Services: Contributions to Space Traffic Management," AMOS Conference Spotlight Session, 3 September 2020.
- 24. Oltrogge, D.L., "AMOS Dialogue: S&T priorities for improving SSA and STM, 21 September 2020.
- 25. Oltrogge, D.L., "Update on 2020 STCM-relevant standards and industry best practices," 2020 International SSA Data Operator Exchange Workshop, AMOS conference, 22 September 2020.
- 26. Oltrogge, D.L., "Space industry contributions to a holistic approach to space governance," Space Information Sharing and Analysis Center (Space ISAC) Summit, 16 October 2020.
- 27. Oltrogge, D.L. et al, "Space Traffic Coordination and Management Demonstration," Gnosis SSA Data Management Workshop, 4 November 2020.

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE

Created many software tools to perform multi-discipline engineering analyses, including:

- 1. **EMTR_RF**, software and utilities I wrote to process a 200,000-emitter worldwide database & compute RF environment experienced by launching and/or on-orbit vehicles;
- 2. **SPIN** "Special Perturbations Integration" S/W to integrate orbit and attitude (6 DoF).
 - High fidelity orbit integration, including a blowdown propulsion model;





- High fidelity attitude integration, (magnetic torquing, ring-dampers, aero torquing);
- Ground station contacts with refraction and obscurae;
- Relative motion and collision assessment;
- Oltrogge, D.L., "User's Guide to the 6-D SPIN Program," 15 November 1991.
- 3. **OPUS** Orbit Propagation and Utility Software.
 - Optimal maneuver reconstruction and orbit/covariance propagation;
 - 'Eigenmorphing,' the 'morphing' of error covariances between known event times to best represent error growth/dynamics during periods of unknown perturbations;
 - Covariance-based antenna scanning and search/acquisition plans;
 - Export of ephemerides, facilities and satellite data for import into STK;
- 4. **Collision Vision** I was the project leader in the creation of the official DoD/National launch collision avoidance toolset.
- 5. **BSPACE, BLINE** Original programmer and algorithm team member for the system-of-systems constellation performance assessment tool suite, adopted in the NRO's Director's Demo Tool and used for systems constellation performance assessments for many programs of national significance.
 - Very fast, accurate constellation performance metrics which facilitate optimization;
 - Digitized collector satellite and relay supply times versus on-ground requirements;
 - Probability of Cloud Cover (PCC) using NCAR 10-year climatological model;
 - Conceived & implemented "Valley Fill" optimal accommodation algorithm;
- 6. **LIMEAWAY** Created operational satellite attitude selection program.
 - Created digitized attitude representation of higher resolution than the similar implementation in STK attitude model in use today;





- Used innovative bitmasks to store time-varying constraint violation data;
- Integrated power, thermal & orbit disciplines into single spacecraft systems model;
- 7. **RF Interference** Created Radio Frequency Interference modules for Collision Vision.
 - Carrier over Noise + Interference; detailed 3-D antenna models.
- 8. **Benchmark/STK/Qualnet (BSQ) Program Interface** Co-developing joint simulation environment program which will interface between Benchmark, STK & Qualnet S/W.
 - Defined object classes to contain missile, network, event, radar and C2BMC objects;
 - Devised recursive object structure to hold missile parent/child relationships;
- 9. "DEBris Breakup from Impact of Engagement (DEBBIE) Implemented impact equations based on empirical NASA Evolve and ESA breakup models.
 - Interfaces with STK; Conserves mass as well as linear and kinetic energy;
- 10. "Computation of Aero-vehicle Ephemeris Subject to Aerodynamic Reactions (CAESAR)

 -Airship flight 6DoF model incorporating rudimentary thruster control laws.
 - Incorporates winds aloft based upon random draws of historical data;
- 11. "QPROP" Orbit Lifetime Model Implements Gaussian Quadrature for orbit decay due to atmospheric drag, Solar Radiation Pressure and 3rd-body perturbations.
 - Highly efficient propagator; used in development of ISO Orbit Lifetime standard;
- 12. **AstroHD Digital Astrodynamics Framework** Implements a high-precision, memory-mapped (dense) equal angles distribution framework. Framework permits increases in computations and storage by up to 45%. Developed and proved framework utility by implementing a digital gravity model, realizing >600% increase in speed for the same accuracy and also facilitating tremendous orbit propagation accuracy improvements.
 - Can store any three-dimensional data;
 - Excellent way to discretize fragmentation events and maintain physics laws.





- 13. "DistroND" Statistical Distribution and Stochastic Framework Implements a framework (again memory-mapped) to permit the extensive statistical examination of multivariate relationships for billions of data points. Permits stochastic modeling upon population of the framework.
 - When coupled with the AstroHD framework, permits stochastic propagation;
 - Applied extensively to characterize atmospheric weather;
 - Natural characterization of collision threat parameters and close approach geometries.
- 14. "Winds at High Altitude Modeling" (WHAM) Stochastically simulates the winds as they effect aerostats, airships and UAVs.
 - Permits very rapid simulation of thousands of potential air platform trajectories.
- 15. "Analysis and Visualization for Orbit Insertion Deconfliction" (AVOID) Comprehensive and efficient Launch Collision Avoidance (LCOLA) assessment tool.
 - Fast runtime:
 - Simultaneously assesses both miss distance-based and probability-based thresholds.
 - Avoids numerous shortcomings introduced by discretization sampling approaches commonly used.
 - Provides graphical output of underlying topologies.







