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Education

Ph D. in Physics, University of London (1979-1983).
B.S. in Physics, University of London (1976-1979).

Professional Experience

1996– Research Scientist, NPAC, Syracuse University **1994–1995** Programmer, High Performance Computing Centre, Southampton, UK. **1989–93** Research Fellow in Department of Electronics and Computer Science and Department of Physics, Southampton, UK. **1989** Employed at “Transputer Technology Solutions”, Southampton, UK. **1985–1988** Research Fellow in Department of Physics, Southampton, UK. **1985** Royal Society Overseas Fellowship at DESY, Hamburg. **1983–1984** Research Fellow in Theoretical Physics Department, Edinburgh University.

Selected List of Publications:

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Summary of Interests:

Carpenter has worked in parallel computing since 1985, when he was one of the first scientists to exploit the Inmos transputer for simulations of physical systems. Working at the University of Southampton, UK he became involved with design of libraries to support parallel computing. In a fruitful collaboration with John Merlin, then also at Southampton, he was codeveloper of the *shpf* system, an early implementation of subset HPF. This work produced the first implementation of the Adlib runtime library. After moving to Syracuse in 1996, Carpenter worked in the PCRC project. As part of this work the Adlib library was substantially redesigned to meet the requirements of a new HPF compiler, and reimplemented. Eventually it was delivered as the NPAC PCRC runtime kernel. Work on C++ interfaces to Adlib was a formative influence in the current work on HPJava and HPspmd.

Ph.D. Advisor

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