

**TUESDAY, SEPT. 23, 2025**  
**12:00 - 1:30 P.M.**  
**STEWART 279**

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED FOR ATTENDEES  
PLEASE REGISTER IN ADVANCE

# BUILDING A CENTER OF EXCELLENCE THROUGH INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS

*The Office of Industry Partnerships invites you an interactive workshop that will explore the intersection of industry partnerships, educational opportunities, and research, highlighting how collaboration drives innovation and impact. The Co-Directors of ICON "Institute for Control, Optimization and Networks" will lead the panel discussion among faculty and how the Office of Industry Partnerships can work with you on successful connections. Participants will gain insights into best practices, emerging trends, and strategies to strengthen connections between academia and industry.*

**The Office of Industry Partnerships (OIP)** is dedicated to fostering strategic collaborations between Purdue University and industry partners to advance innovation, research, workforce development, and economic impact.

## Register Today



**Shaoshai Mou**

Elmer Bruhn Associate Professor in the School of Aeronautics and Astronautics, Co-Director, Institute for Control, Optimization & Networks (ICON)



**Shreyas Sundaram**

Marie Gordon Professor, Elmore Family School of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Co-Director, Institute for Control Optimization & Networks (ICON)



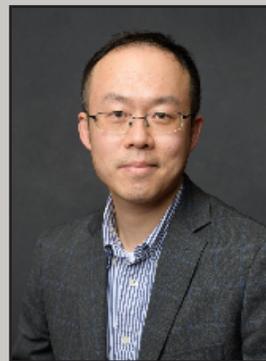
**Aniket Bera**

Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science, Director of IDEAS Labs



**Nathan Hartman**

Dauch Family Professor of Advanced Manufacturing and Associate Head, School of Engineering Technology



**Jian Jin**

Associate Professor, Agriculture & Biological Engineering



**Yunyue Elita Li**

Mary J. Elmore New Frontiers Professor in Data Science in EAPS with courtesy appt in Mathematics



**Greg Shaver**

Reilly Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Director of Herrick Labs



**Ziran Wang**

Assistant Professor of Civil & Construction Engineering with courtesy appt in Electrical & Computer Engineering