

# Young Researchers Panel



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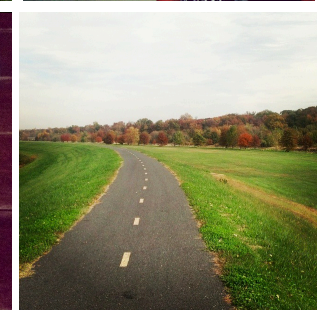
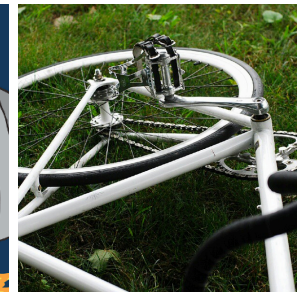
# David Van Horn

## Assistant professor at UMD



- BS in CS at University of Vermont with Christian Skalka
- PhD in CS at Brandeis with Harry Mairson
- CRA Fellow at Northeastern with PRL

Rejected from: PLDI, POPL, ICFP, ESOP, ICALP, VMCAI, CC, NSF, DARPA, ...  
... and hopefully many more to come!





Niki Vazou  
PhD at UCSD



- BA in CSE at NTUA, with Nikos Papaspyrou
- PhD in CS at UCSD, with Ranjit Jhala





# Michael Greenberg

## Assistant professor at Pomona College



- BA in CS and Egyptology at Brown with Shriram Krishnamurthi
- PhD in CS at UPenn with Benjamin C. Pierce
- Postdoc at Princeton with David Walker





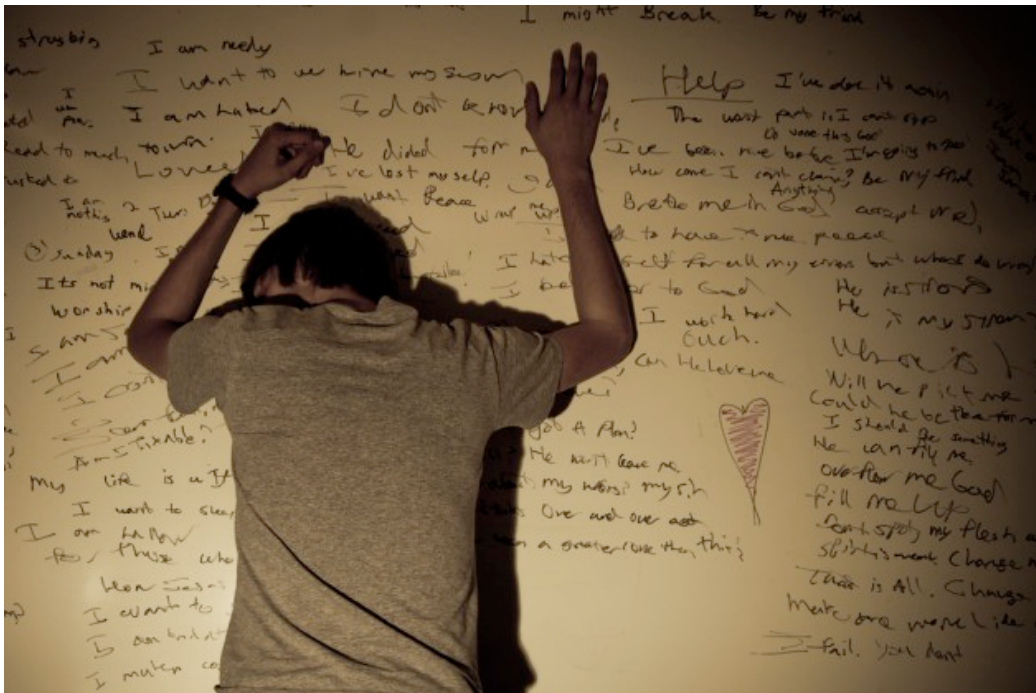


What is your favorite  
thing about doing  
research?

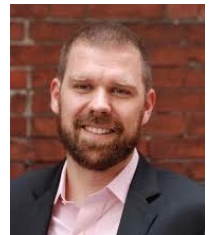




# What is/was the hardest part of doing research? Your PhD?



# How did you pick your research topic?





How did you pick  
your advisor and  
graduate school?

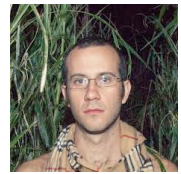


How did you get your  
first job?





Was there a turning point where you started to really believe that you could do this?



What do you do if  
you have problems  
with your advisor?





# Your Questions?

