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Professional Experience

Biller Scientific, LLC

Principal Consultant

- Proposal Development, Red Team Review 2026 - present
- Commercialization help for technical audiences.

Honeywell International, Advanced Cryogenic Platforms (ACP) Broomfield, CO

R&D Manager, Electromagnetics

2025- 2026

Technical Management

- Manage portfolio of ~\$7 million research projects to support roadmap, and also develop capabilities for future systems
- Guide team of 5-15 physicists, electrical engineers and technicians to develop magnetic, RF, and thermal/IR mitigation in cryogenic environments
- Collaborate with scientists and engineers to develop new concepts for controlling/influencing environment for quantum computing
- Mentor junior managers

Program Management

- Direct team resource allocation to deconflict business development, project work, IRAD to ensure milestones are met
- Tracking and reporting project progress in support of program deliverables and milestones
- Baseline projects and drafting pro-pricer workbooks

Business Development

- Supported road mapping for three different business cases
- Subject Matter Expert (SME) for organization proposal improvement team covering simple proposals through complex (color team review)

TDA Research Inc., Golden, CO

External Funds Awarded: \$15.7 million

Group Leader – New Technology Development & Commercialization

2021 - 2025

- Electromagnetic/RF Related Projects
 - (ARL-SUTECH) High μ_R low $\tan \delta$ substrates for antenna miniaturization
 - (DEVCOM-SC) Far-field, E-field RF shielding effectiveness measurements
 - (DEVCOM-SC) Near-field, H-field RF shielding effectiveness measurements
 - (USDA, DOE, NIH) Resonant structures for in-field magnetic resonance
 - (DOE) Near-field RF for imaging carbon fiber composites
- Manage cross functional team and collaborate with government and commercial stakeholders
 - As founder of the NDE lab, developed several complex electronic systems incorporating digital (AWG/Digitizer), analog (LNA) and RF signals (resonant circuits and pulse schemes)
 - Tracking and reporting technical progress and schedule/budget directly to program managers from DOD, USDA, NIH, DOT, USDA and DOE

- Devise and execute commercialization approach for new technologies
 - Refine RF imaging technology based on iterative prototypes and customer feedback to support product development
- Mentor and develop team members
 - Hold routine 1:1 meeting with direct reports, guiding and/or listening as needed
 - Instruct Sr. Scientists/Engineers (PhD level) on smooth interactions with support staff
 - Teach Sr. Scientists/Engineers how to draft inventions disclosures, provisional, and non-provisional patents

Senior Scientist

2018 - 2021

- Research and Development TRL 0-6
 - Define, develop and test fast turn prototypes to demonstrate critical system requirements during successful SBIR Phase I 6-9 month “sprints”

National Institute of Standards and Technology, Boulder, CO

External Funds Awarded: \$1.5 million

Research Chemist

2017 - 2018

- Interaction with stakeholders across a wide sphere of interest
 - Supported quantitative magnetic resonance imaging effort; co-developed 2018 NIST conference on quantitative MRI with input from government, academia, industry and clinical voices that synchronized direction of quantitative MRI.

National Research Council Post-Doctoral Fellow

2015 - 2017

- Collaborated with other scientists and electrical engineers in the design and construction of low magnetic field spectroscopy instrument incorporating analog, digital and RF circuits.

The University of Denver, Denver, CO

2009-2015

Research Scientist, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

- Facilitated tech transfer under Academic Industrial Partnership (AIP) for commercialization of small animal pre-clinical imager.

The Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN

Technical Specialist I, Trace Metals Laboratory

2007 – 2009

Clinical Laboratory Technologist, Trace Metals Laboratory

2005 – 2007

Patents

1. US Patent **US12276703B2** “Non-Destructive Evaluation of Lithium-Ion Batteries”, published April 15th, 2025
2. US Patent App. # 63/352246 “Encapsulated Nanoparticle Oxygen Imaging Agents for Radiotherapy Guidance”, 06/15/22
3. US Patent App. # 18/222,249 “Electromagnetic Inductive Coupling Analysis for Detection of Carbon Fiber Defects”, 07/15/22
4. US Patent **US1258460B1** “Undercoat Corrosion Monitoring Raman Sensor”, published March 24th, 2026

Grants - \$15.69 million awarded from 2018-2025

1. “Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) Materials and Prototype Development”, Army Research Lab, **co-Primary Investigator**, \$2,400,000
2. “In-Field Magnetometry for Detection of Lithium Battery SOC”, DOT SBIR Phase II, **Primary Investigator**, \$1,000,000
3. “Electromagnetic Inductive Coupling Analysis (EMICA) for In Situ Monitoring of Insulation on Energized Cables”, DOE SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$200,000
4. “Engineered RF Materials for Electrically Small Antenna” DOD SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$240,000
5. “Material & Prototype Development to Support the Army Research Lab”, congressional funding with Army Research Lab, **co-Primary Investigator**, \$2.7 million
6. “Lithium-Ion Battery State-of-Charge Monitoring by Portable In-Field Magnetometry”, DOT SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$200,000,
7. “Ferromagnetic Analysis for Lithium-Ion Battery QA/QC”, DOE SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$200,000
8. “Non-Optical In-Situ Measurement of Phosphorous in Marine Environments”, DOE SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$250,000
9. “3D Kinematic Deformation Sensor Grid”, DHA SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$250,000
10. “Corrosion Indicating Coatings for Aircraft Bilges and Wheel Wells”, Air Force SBIR Phase II Sequential, **Primary Investigator**, \$750,000 (2022)
11. “Onboard Monitoring Method for Detection of Damage to Carbon Fiber Composite Overwrap on Hydrogen Fuel Tanks”, DOE SBIR Phase IIA, **Primary Investigator**, \$1.1 million (2022)
12. “Development of High-Viscosity Pre-Penetrant Etching Materials”, Navy SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$250,000
13. “Fluctuation Enhanced Sensing (FES) for Monitoring of CO2 Storage”, DOE SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$250,000
14. “Paint Additive for Early Detection of Corrosion”, Army Phase II Sequential SBIR, **Primary Investigator**, \$1.1 million
15. “Novel Non-Destructive (NDE) of Defects in Li Ion Batteries”, Air Force SBIR Phase I, Sr. Scientist, \$150,000
16. “Encapsulated Nanoparticle Oxygen Imaging Agents for Radiotherapy Guidance”, NCI SBIR Phase I, **Primary Investigator**, \$400,000
17. “Onboard Monitoring Method for Detection of Damage to Carbon Fiber Composite Overwrap on Hydrogen Fuel Tanks”, DOE SBIR Phase II, **Primary Investigator**, \$1.1 million
18. “Onboard Monitoring Method for Detection of Damage to Carbon Fiber Composite Overwrap on Hydrogen Fuel Tanks” DOE SBIR Phase I, Sr. Scientist, \$200,000
19. “Innovative Material (and Application Method) for a Hydrophobic/Oleophobic Coating to an Aluminum-bodied Heat Exchanger”, Navy SBIR Phase II, Sr. Scientist, \$1 million,
20. “A Novel NDE Instrument for Carbon-Carbon Materials for Hypersonic Applications”, Air Force SBIR Phase I, Sr. Scientist, \$150,000 (2019)
21. “Corrosion Indicating Coatings for Aircraft Bilges and Wheel Wells”, Air Force SBIR Phase II, Sr. Scientist, \$750,000
22. “Rhizosphere Observations Optimizing Terrestrial Sequestration (ROOTS)”, DOE ARPA-E, Research Chemist, \$1.3 million

Service

2015 - SURF Mentor
 2016 - SURF Mentor
 2017 - SURF Mentor
 2018 - NIST SURF Reviewer

2019 - NIST Low Field Magnetic Resonance Workshop
 2020 - NSF Panel Reviewer, SBIR Phase I, Advanced Manufacturing
 2020 - University of Denver Biophysics Career Symposium
 2022 - Community College of Aurora “Career Conversations”
 2024 - NSF Panel Reviewer, SBIR Phase I,
 2024 - DOE Panel Reviewer, Battery Manufacturing

Outreach

2017 – 2026 Grand Awards Judge, Sr. Chem/Biochem Division, CO State Sci & Eng Fair
 2018, 2019 Co-Chair, Bergen Valley & Bergen Meadow K-5 Science Fair (~300 kids)
 2021 – 2023 Director, Bergen Valley & Bergen Meadow K-5 Science Fair (~300 kids)

Publications

Google Scholar: Joshua R. Biller, **h-index:** 14, **i10 index:** 18, **citations:** 692

Reviewer for: Applied Magnetic Resonance, IEEE Transactions on Magnetism, Coatings, Crystals, Applied Sciences, Materials, Sensors

- Ogier, S.E., Russek, S.E., Martinez, J.A., Betz, K.M., Stupic, K.F., Moser, B.L., Simons, M.T., Holloway, C.L., **Biller, J.R.**, Srivastava, D.J., Teixeira, R.P.A.G., Keenan, K.E. “Imaging Cell Phone Radiation in Tissue Mimics with Hyperpolarized Low-Field MRI” *Science Advances*, 12m eaea0223 (**2026**)
- Finch, K., Long, D.C., Ott, T., Spatafore, B., **Biller, J.R.** “Overwrap Damage and Liner Failure in Composite Overwrapped Pressure Vessels Measured Using Electromagnetic Inductive Coupling Analysis” *SAMPE Journal*, **2025**, 61(3)
- Finch, K.F., Long, D.C., Ott, T., Spatafore, B., **Biller, J.R.** “Electromagnetic Inductive Coupling Analysis (EMICA): A New Tool for Imaging Internal Defects in Carbon Fiber Composites” *Journal of Non-destructive evaluation*, **2025**, 44 (1), pg. 15
- Delluva, A., Cook, R.L., Peppel, M., Diaz, S., Martin, R. M., Nguyen, V.T., Elliott, J.E., **Biller, J.R.** “In Situ Raman Spectroscopy for Early Corrosion Detection in Coated AA2024-T3” *Sensors*, 25 (1), 179. (**2025**)
- Finch, K.F. & **Biller, J.R.** “Magnetic Resonance and Magnetometry: Complimentary Tools for Probing Different Size Scales in Lithium-Ion Batteries” *Applied Magnetic Resonance, Special Issue “EPR at 80”* (**2024**)
- Martin, R., Diaz, S., Poncelet, M., Driesschaert, B., Barth, E., Kotecha, M., Epel, B., Eaton, G.R., **Biller, J.R.** “Towards a Nano-encapsulated EPR Imaging Agent for Clinical Use”, *Molecular Imaging & Biology, Special Issue on EPR Imaging, accepted* (**2023**)
- Biller, J.R.** and McPeak, J.E. “EPR Everywhere” *Applied Magnetic Resonance*, 52(8), 1113-1139 (**2021**)
- Russek, S.E., Stupic, K.F., **Biller, J.R.**, Boss, M.A., Keenan, K.E., Mirowski, E. “Electromagnetics for Quantitative Magnetic Resonance Imaging” *Compendium on Electromagnetic Analysis*, Chapter 3, 95-147 (**2020**)
- Gin, D.L., Malecha, J.J., Biller, J.R., Lama, B. “System for Living ROMP of a Paramagnetic FeCL4- Based Ionic Liquid Monomer: Direct Synthesis of Magnetically Responsive Block Copolymers” *ACS Macro Letters*, 9, 140-145 (**2020**)
- Keenan, K.E., **Biller, J.R.**, et. al. “Progress Towards Standards for Quantitative MRI (qMRI) and Outstanding Needs” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance Imaging*, 49(7), e26 (**2019**)
- Biller, J.R.**, McPeak, J.E., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Measurement of T_{1e}, T_{1N}, T_{1HE}, T_{2e} and T_{2HE} by Pulse EPR at X-band for Nitroxides at Concentrations Relevant to Solution DNP” *Applied Magnetic Resonance*, 49(11), 1235-1251 (**2018**)
- Biller, J.R.**, Barnes, R., Han, S. “Perspective of Overhauser Dynamic Nuclear Polarization for the Study of Soft Materials” *Current Opinion in Colloid & Interface Science*, 33, 72-85 (**2018**)

13. **Biller, J.R.**, Stupic, K., Moreland, J. “A table-top PXI based low-field spectrometer for solution dynamic nuclear polarization” *Magnetic Resonance in Chemistry*, 56(3), 153-163 (2018)
14. **Biller, J.R.**, Stupic, K.F., Kos, A., Weilert, T., Rinard, G.A., Nakashima, Y., Moreland, J. “Low Field Digital NMR Spectrometer: Hardware and Characterization” *Concepts in Magnetic Resonance B: Magnetic Resonance Engineering*, 47B (1), e21350 (2017)
15. Quine, R.W., Rinard, G.A., Shi, R., Buchanan, L., **Biller, J.R.**, Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “UHF EPR spectrometer operating at frequencies between 400 MHz and 1 GHz” *Concepts in Magnetic Resonance, Part B: Magnetic Resonance Engineering*, 46B(3), 123-133 (2016)
16. **Biller, J.R.**, Mitchell, D.G., Tseytlin, M., Elajaili, H., Rinard, G.A., Quine, R.W., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Rapid Scan Electron Paramagnetic Resonance Opens New Avenues for Imaging Physiologically Important Parameters *In Vivo*” *Journal of Visualized Experiments* (115), e54068, doi:10.3791/54068, (2016)
17. Elajaili, H., **Biller, J.R.**, Rosen, G.M., Kao, J.P.Y., Tseytlin, M., Buchanan, L.A., Rinard, G.A., Quine, R.W., McPeak, J., Shi, Y., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Imaging disulfide dinitroxides at 250 MHz to monitor thiol redox status” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance*, 260, 77-82 (2016)
18. **Biller, J.R.**, Tseytlin, M., Mitchell, D.G., Yu, Z., Buchanan, L.A., Elajaili, H., Rosen, G.M., Kao, J.P.Y., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Improved Sensitivity for Imaging Spin Trapped Hydroxyl Radical at 250 MHz” *Chemphyschem*, 16 (3), 528-531 (2015)
19. Elajaili, H.B., **Biller, J.R.**, Tseytlin, M., Dhimitruka, I., Khramtsov, V.V., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Electron Spin Relaxation Times and Rapid Scan EPR Imaging of pH-sensitive Amino Substituted Trityl Radicals” *Magnetic Resonance in Chemistry*, 53(4), 280-284 (2015)
20. Elajaili, H., **Biller, J.R.**, Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Frequency Dependence of Electron Spin-lattice Relaxation for Semiquinones in Alcohol Solutions” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance* 247, 81-87 (2014)
21. Tseytlin, M., **Biller, J.R.**, Mitchell, D.G., Yu, Z., Quine, R.W., Rinard, G.A., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Rapid-Scan EPR” *International EPR Society News Letter*, 23 (4), 8-9 (2014)
22. Tseytlin, M., **Biller, J.R.**, Elajaili, H., Eaton S.S., Eaton G.R. “New spectral-spatial imaging algorithm for full EPR spectra of multiline nitroxides and pH sensitive trityl radicals” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance*, 245, 150-155 (2014)
23. **Biller, J.R.**, Tseytlin, M., Quine, R.W., Rinard, G.A., Weismiller, H.A., Elajaili, H., Rosen, G.M., Kao, J.P.Y., Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Imaging of Nitroxides at 250 MHz using Rapid-Scan Electron Paramagnetic Resonance” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance* 242, 162-168 (2014)
24. **Biller, J.R.**, Elajaili, H., Meyer, V., Rosen, G.M., Eaton, S.S., & Eaton, G.R. “Electron spin-lattice relaxation mechanisms of rapidly-tumbling nitroxide radicals” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance*, 236, 47–56 (2013)
25. **Biller, J.R.**, Meyer, M., Elajaili, H., Rosen, G.M., Eaton, S.S., & Eaton, G.R. “Frequency Dependence of Spin Relaxation Times in Aqueous Solution for a Nitronyl Nitroxide Radical and Per-deuterated-Tempone between 250 MHz and 34 GHz” *Journal of Magnetic Resonance*, 225, 52-57 (2012)
26. Rinard, G.A., Quine, R.W., **Biller, J.R.**, & Eaton, G.R. “A wire-crossed-loop resonator for rapid scan EPR” *Concepts in Magnetic Resonance Part B: Magnetic Resonance Engineering*, 37B (2), 86-91 (2010)

Oral Presentations

1. **Biller, J.R.** “In-Field Spectroscopic Analysis of Corrosion Under Coatings to Facilitate Condition Based Maintenance” *DoD Corrosion Prevention Technology & Innovation Symposium: SERDP ASETSDefense Workshop*, Tucson, AZ, August 16th 2023
2. **Biller, J.R.** “Magnetometry Based Approaches for Ferromagnetic Analysis of Lithium-Ion Battery Materials” *Sandia National Labs*, Albuquerque, NM, February 27th 2023
3. **Biller, J.R.** “Magnetometry Based Approaches for Ferromagnetic Analysis of Lithium-Ion Battery Materials” *NIST*, Boulder, CO, February 27th 2023

4. **Biller, J.R.** “Measurement and the Scale of Things” *Colorado School of Mines Ansell Lecture Series*, Golden, CO, February 2nd 2023
5. Martin, R., Driesschaert, B., Kotecha, M., Epel, B., Eaton, G.R., **Biller, J.R.** “Development of an Injectable EPR Imaging Agent for Clinical Use” *Rocky Mountain Conference on Magnetic Resonance*, Copper Mountain, CO July 26th 2022
6. Biller, J.R. “”, *Community College of Aurora, Career Conversations*, February 21st 2022
7. **Biller, J.R.** “Things to do with NMR other than peak assignment: Toward quantitative dynamic nuclear polarization at NIST” *Regis University*, Denver, CO, September 22nd 2017
8. **Biller, J.R.**, Eaton, G.R., Moreland, JM “Nitroxide T1 and T2 from 0.1 to 10 mM: Implications for solution-state DNP experiments at low magnetic field” *International Society for Magnetic Resonance (ISMAR)*, Quebec City, Canada, July 23rd-28th 2017
9. **Biller, J.R.** “One Chemist’s Strange Trip: Low Field Magnetic Resonance at the National Institute of Standards and Technology” *Colorado College*, Colorado Springs, CO, February 26th 2016
10. **Biller, J.R.** “Nitroxide Relaxation Mechanisms From 250 MHz to 34 GHz: Insights for Longer Nitroxide T1” at the 48th Annual International Meeting of the ESR Spectroscopy Group of the Royal Society of Chemistry, Southampton, U.K. 2015
11. **Biller, J.R.**, Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “Probes for In Vivo Imaging with Electron Paramagnetic Resonance” *National Institute of Standards and Technology*, Boulder, CO August 8 2013
12. **Biller, J.R.**, Eaton, S.S., Eaton, G.R. “250 MHz to 34 GHz Study of Nitroxide Relaxation Mechanisms” 55th Rocky Mountain Conference on Analytical Chemistry, Denver, CO July 28-August 1 2013
13. **Biller, J.R.** Eaton, S.S. and Eaton, G.R., “2D Rapid Scan Imaging at 250 MHz” EPR Workshop, 55th Rocky Mountain Conference on Analytical Chemistry, Denver, CO July 28-August 1 2013
14. **Biller, J.R.** “Expression and localization of cel3, a cellulose gene in Arabidopsis associated with abscission and seedling development” *Research Experience and Undergraduate Symposium*, Purdue University, July 21st 2003

Education

PhD, Physical Chemistry

University of Denver, Denver, CO

2009–2014

Dissertation: Nitroxides for Low Frequency *In Vivo* EPR Imaging

B.S., Chemistry, *minor Biology*

Edgewood College, Madison, WI

2001–2005