Graduate Assistantship in Computational/Experimental Fracture Mechanics Applied to Advanced Materials (UT Arlington, MAE)

Laboratory for Integrity and Reliability of Advanced Materials (LIRAM) is looking for two fully funded Ph.D. students working on computational/experimental fracture mechanics for predicting and validating damage and failure in advanced materials, such as carbon fiber reinforced polymer composites, bioinspired 3D printed materials, semiconductor materials, etc. The Ph.D. students are expected to work on both computational and experimental analyses. The students are to be enrolled in Spring 2024/Fall 2024.

Applicants should have B.S. degrees in subjects such as Mechanical Engineering, Aerospace Engineering, Naval Architecture and Ocean Engineering, Civil Engineering, and Material Science. A graduate student with an M.S. degree is preferred. Research experiences in the following areas will be a great advantage: composite materials (manufacturing/testing/analysis), FEA simulation (using Abaqus/Ansys/LS-Dyna/COMSOL/in-house codes), scientific coding (numerical algorithms, mesh generation, data visualization, etc.)

Interested applicants can visit Dr. Lin's home page for more information (<u>https://www.uta.edu/academics/faculty/profile?username=lins2</u>). To apply for this position, please contact Dr. Shiyao Lin (<u>shiyao.lin@uta.edu</u>) through email with a C.V. and transcript attached.

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