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## **Dr. Adhikari, Mitra and Rashidi Win CPWR Grant**

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The national Center for Construction Research and Training (CPWR) has awarded grant funds to Atin Adhikari, environmental health sciences (PI), Aniruddha Mitra, prof., MechE and Abbas Rashidi, visiting assist. prof., MechE (Co-PIs). Drs. Adhikari, Mitra, and Rashidi will study the effectiveness of N-95 respirator masks against construction site nanoparticles.

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## **Drs. Lei Chen and Hayden Wimmer, IT, win NSA Grant**

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The National Security Agency (NSA) has awarded a grant to Dr. Kania Greer, i2STEMe (PI), Lei Chen, assoc. prof. of IT, and Hayden Wimmer, assist. prof. of IT (Co-PIs). Drs. Greer, Chen and Wimmer will use the award to build “Junior Detectives,” a summer camp for students in grades six through eight to learn about and gain experience in cybersecurity and digital forensics.