

Funded Ph.D. Positions— Spring 2027

Our lab in the School of Building Construction at the Georgia Institute of Technology is seeking applicants for one or two **fully funded Ph.D. positions** beginning in **Spring 2027**.

What do we do?

Our interdisciplinary, human-centered research lies at the intersection of people, technology, and the built environment. We examine how emerging technologies can be designed, evaluated, and integrated into construction and related professional workflows. Current research areas include digital twins, BIM, VR/AR, AI and computer vision, construction safety, technology adoption, construction and engineering education, workforce development, and sustainability.



Minimum requirements:

- Master's degree in construction, engineering, computing, education, or a related field
- Demonstrated research potential and initiative
- Strong written and oral communication skills

Desirable qualifications:

- Research experience (e.g., thesis, publication, presentation, or research project)
- Experience with human-subject, quantitative, qualitative, or mixed-methods research
- Experience with BIM, digital twins, VR/AR, AI, computer vision, Unity, or related technologies

How to express interest

Please email the following materials to Dr. Jing Wen at jwen92@gatech.edu by **Sep 15, 2026**:

- A current CV
- A research statement (two pages maximum) describing your research interests, relevant experience, and reasons for your interest in the lab