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### **Biography**

Don Colton is Professor of Computing Sciences at Brigham Young University—Hawaii where he serves as Associate Dean in the College of Business, Computing, and Government. He currently teaches Beginning Programming, Computer Networking, and Artificial Intelligence, and has written the text books used in two of those classes.

In 2011 he was recognized as a Distinguished Fellow of the Education Special Interest Group of the Association of Information Technology Professionals, where he served from 2000 to 2009 as senior editor of their journals and conference proceedings.

Dr. Colton holds a BS in Mathematics and an MBA, both from BYU Provo. His PhD is in Computer Science and Engineering and is from Oregon Graduate Institute (OGI). He joined the faculty at BYU–Hawaii in 1997 after teaching at U Mass Lowell, Griffin College (Seattle), and OGI. He also worked in industry for 10 years at Texas Instruments, a consulting firm in Boston, and Microsoft. He is married to Lois Colton. They are the parents of six children and grandparents of 14.

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