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LETTER FROM THE IEEE PRESIDENT AND AWARDS BOARD CHAIR

## Dear IEEE Members.

Distinguished Colleagues, and Friends,

The recipients of the 2007 IEEE medals and awards are pioneers and leaders who dared to dream and ventured into the unknown to turn their ideas into reality. At the annual Honors Ceremony, and at IEEE events and conferences throughout the world, we pay tribute to these individuals for their impressive technical and scientific accomplishments, for their commitment to the education of future engineers, for their support of the IEEE and the profession, and ultimately for their impact on humanity.

These recognitions could not be possible without the generous support of IEEE awards program sponsors. These leading corporations, foundations, organizations, and individuals share a commitment to promoting the IEEE areas of interest and celebrating the impact of our award recipients' accomplishments.

Additionally, the IEEE Foundation, sponsor of the IEEE Medal of Honor, supports the scientific and educational purposes of the IEEE, serving as a key partner in spreading the awareness of technology and the engineering profession to even wider audiences.

As you reflect on the work of the exceptional individuals featured here, we encourage you to consider nominating others who have led developments in your own areas of expertise. They, too, dared to dream — and turned their dreams into a reality.

IEEE President and CEO, Leah H. Jamieson

IEEE Awards Board Chair. Paul Y.S. Cheung

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MEDAL OF HONOR

## 2007 IEEE Medal of Honor



**Thomas Kailath** 



For exceptional development of powerful algorithms in the fields of communications, computing, control and signal processing

In a career spanning more than 40 years, Thomas Kailath has distinguished himself with significant accomplishments as a scholar, academic and entrepreneur. Currently Hitachi America Professor of Engineering, Emeritus, at Stanford University, Dr. Kailath is a respected leader in digital signal processing and system theory. In addition to influencing modern work in semiconductor manufacturing and wireless communications, he has also mentored and personally trained several generations of electrical engineers and applied mathematicians.

Dating back to his early writings in the late 1950s, Dr. Kailath recognized that engineering theory would play a critical role in meeting technological challenges in the disciplines of communication, computation, control and signal processing. Since then, his theoretical work has led to fundamental breakthroughs in communications, information theory, signal detection and estimation, sensor array signal processing, VLSI architectures for signal processing and semiconductor manufacturing. He also contributed to probability and statistics, linear algebra, and matrix and operator theory.

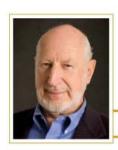
He has written several books, authored or co-authored over 300 journal articles and papers, and shared in the development of 13 patents. Specific contributions by him

and his over ninety Ph.D. students and postdoctoral scholars include algorithms for feedback communications, universal estimator-correlator detector structures for random signals in noise and the concept of displacement structure leading to fast algorithms in many fields, such as estimation, control, direction of arrival estimation, adaptive filtering, channel identification and equalization, VLSI systems for signal processing, matrix theory and linear algebra. Much of his early work outpaced what could be implemented at the time. As technology advanced, Dr. Kailath and his students were able to successfully address industrial issues in areas such as optical lithography and multiple antenna wireless communications.

An IEEE Life Fellow, he is a past president of the IEEE Information Theory Society and a recipient of its Shannon Award. Other honors include - IEEE James H. Mulligan Jr, Education and the IEEE Jack S. Kilby Signal Processing Medals, Guggenheim and Churchill fellowships, and election to the National Academy of Engineering, the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, the National Academy of Sciences, the Indian National Academy of Engineering and the Silicon Valley Engineering Hall of Fame. Dr. Kailath received his bachelor's from the College of Engineering in Pune, India, and a master's and doctorate degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

#### 2007 IEEE Alexander Graham Bell Medal

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Norman Abramson

For contributions to the development of modern data networks through fundamental work in random multiple access

Norman Abramson is a pioneer in the field of wireless and local area networking. While at the University of Hawaii, he led efforts that gave rise to the construction and operation of the ALOHAnet, the first wireless packet network, and to the development of the theory of random access ALOHA channels. ALOHA channels have yielded significant advancements within wireless and local area networking, with versions still in use today in all major mobile telephone and wireless data standards. This influential work also developed the core concepts found today in Ethernet.

Dr. Abramson previously served as chair of the University of Hawaii's information and computer sciences department and director of the ALOHA System research project. Dr. Abramson is a founder of ALOHA Networks, Inc and of SkyWare, Inc., both wireless communications companies located in San Francisco.

Additionally, Dr. Abramson served as a consulting expert in communication systems, data networks and satellite networks for the International Telecommunication Union (Geneva), the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (Paris) and the United Nations Development Programme (Jakarta).

An IEEE Life Fellow, he holds eight U.S. and international patents, and has published more than 50 technical papers. Dr. Abramson has a bachelor's degree in physics from Harvard University, a master's degree in physics from The University of California, Los Angeles, and a doctoral degree in electrical engineering from Stanford University, California. Dr. Abramson has received the IEEE Koji Kobayashi Computers and Communications Award, the Golden Jubilee Award sponsored by the IEEE Information Theory Society and the Eduard Rhein Foundation Technology Award.

#### 2007 IEEE **Edison Medal**

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Russell Dean Dupuis

For pioneering contributions to metalorganic chemical vapor deposition technology and continuous-wave room-temperature quantum-well lasers

Russell Dean Dupuis is a pioneer in the use of metalorganic chemical vapor deposition (MOCVD) technology for the production of semiconductor devices. He was the first to use MOCVD to grow III-V compound solar cells, injection lasers and light-emitting diodes (LED), and demonstrated for the first time room-temperature continuous-wave operation of A1GaAs-GaAs quantum-well injection lasers, establishing that such lasers are reliable enough for practical use. Today these lasers have a wide variety of commercial uses, including laser printers, optical communication systems, CD and DVD players, bar-code scanners and medical applications. A1GaAs-GaAs is also a core element in fiber optic systems being deployed around the world. In addition, he is responsible for seminal advances in the MOCVD crystal growth process and for the initial development of sophisticated equipment for vapor-phase growth of advanced semiconductor heterostructure devices.

Dr. Dupuis is currently a professor in the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta where he holds the titles of the Steve W. Chaddick Endowed Chair in Electro-Optics and Georgia Alliance Eminent Scholar, as well as Director of the Center for Compound Semiconductors.

An IEEE Fellow, he has previously been recognized for his achievements and contributions with the IEEE Morris N. Liebmann Memorial Award, the IEEE/LEOS Engineering Achievement Award, and the National Medal of Technology. He received a bachelor of science, master of science degree and doctorate in electrical engineering from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL.

#### 2007 IEEE Founders Medal

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Anita K. Jones

For outstanding leadership in academic research and in directing science and engineering research in the Department of Defense

Anita K. Jones, a leader in the field of computer science, has made significant contributions to computer science research and in the Department of Defense (DOD) science and technology programs. Dr. Jones served as the Director of Defense Research and Engineering in the Pentagon for over four years, where she controlled the budget for research and engineering for the DOD, and was recognized for her exemplary service to the country with the Department of Defense Award for Distinguished Public Service. The U.S. Navy (which is authorized to name undersea mountains) named a seamount in the North Pacific Ocean (51° 25′ N and 159° 10' W) for her.

Dr. Jones' service to the computer science industry is also well known—she has served as founding editor-in-chief of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Transactions on Computer Systems and as an editor of the Communications of the ACM, two of the more widely circulated journals within the field, served on several advisory boards including MIT Lincoln Laboratories Advisory Board, the Defense Science Board and has served on or chaired numerous national academies' committees. Her research has produced seminal results in several areas including operating systems, protection, security and software engineering. Dr. Jones was instrumental in building a "top-notch" computer science research program at Virginia.

Dr. Jones served as vice chair on the National Science Board where she took a leadership position in fostering advancement in longlived data repositories, increased investment in small and medium research infrastructure and more transparent management of the major research equipment construction processes. Currently, Dr. Jones is the Lawrence A. Quarles Professor of Engineering and Applied Science and University Professor in the department of computer science at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va., where she has taught for 19 years.

An IEEE Fellow, Dr. Jones has a bachelor's degree in Mathematics from Rice University, Houston, Texas and a master's in English Literature from the University of Texas at Austin and a doctorate in Computer Science from Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### 2007 IEEE Richard W. Hamming Medal

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Abraham Lempel

For pioneering work in data compression especially the Lempel-Ziv Algorithm

Abraham Lempel is considered a pioneer in data compression. In 1977 and 1978, Dr. Lempel and his colleague, Professor Jacob Ziv, invented the first two iterations of the Lempel-Ziv (LZ) Data Compression Algorithm. Since then, the LZ Algorithm and its derivatives have become some of the most widely used data compression schemes, making the use of loss-less data compression pervasive in day-to-day computing and communication. With this compression method, information is transmitted and stored over the Internet and stored more efficiently on computer networks and other types of media storage.

Dr. Lempel's academic career spans more than 40 years, having taught both electrical engineering and computer science at Technion, the Israel Institute of Technology, from 1963 to 2004. He has held the title of full professor since 1977 and served as head of the Technion computer science department from 1981 to 1984.

Dr. Lempel joined Hewlett-Packard Labs in 1993, and a year later, established HP Labs Israel, where he currently serves as director, overseeing the development of fundamental and universal image processing tools, as well as application-driven customization.

An IEEE Fellow, HP Senior Fellow and Erna and Andrew Viterbi Professor Emeritus, Dr. Lempel holds eight U.S. patents, and has authored over 90 published works on data compression and information theory. He has received numerous awards and honors from the IEEE and other industry organizations. In 2004, the IEEE Executive Committee and History Committee proclaimed the LZ Algorithm to be an IEEE milestone for enabling the efficient transmission of data via the Internet.

#### 2007 IEEE James H. Mulligan, Jr. Education Medal

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Andrew S. Tanenbaum

For contributions to education in computing, especially computer organization, networking and operating systems

Andrew S. Tanenbaum has dedicated over three decades of his life to the task of educating generations of students in the field of computer science. Dr. Tanenbaum is best known as the creator of the open source Unix-like operating system called MINIX, which he created for use alongside his textbooks, and which was eventually used by Finnish university student Linus Torvalds to create the kernel, or central component, for the Linux operating system. Dr. Tanenbaum has also penned five textbooks, which collectively have been revised through 17 editions, and have been translated into over 20 languages. Those textbooks are considered standards in the field of computer science.

Though Dr. Tanenbaum moved to The Netherlands early in his career, he retained his American citizenship, and has maintained a key interest in American political affairs. He is well known for his endeavors on the World Wide Web, where under the pseudonym, The Votemaster, Dr. Tanenbaum created the popular Web site electoral-vote.com in 2004. One of the most widely used and cited Web sites during the 2004 U.S. Presidential election, it was drawing 700,000 visitors a day; electoral-vote.com remains popular today.

An IEEE Fellow and the recipient of numerous awards, Tanenbaum is also a Fellow of the Association for Computing Machinery, and a member of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences. He received his bachelor's in physics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, and his doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley. He currently serves as a professor of computer science at the Vrije Universiteit in Amsterdam, and was formerly the scientific director of the Advanced School for Computing and Imaging (ASCI) for 12 years.

#### 2007 IEEE Jack S. Kilby Signal Processing Medal

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Alan V. Oppenheim

For visionary leadership and exceptional contributions to the field of digital signal processing

Alan V. Oppenheim is considered one of the early pioneers of digital signal processing (DSP) as well as an innovator and teacher. He is recognized in the field for his contributions to DSP and their impact on a wide variety of areas including speech compression and recognition, seismic signal processing, artificial intelligence, and communications systems. His research has impacted virtually every area of DSP and his early work on homomorphic systems played a key role in many of the digital signal advancements that were to follow. He was a key originator of the complex cepstrum and its mathematical formulation, which found widespread use in speech and seismic processing and remains, to this day, a foundation of speech coding systems. The textbook Discrete-Time Signal Processing, which he co-authored with colleague Ronald W. Schafer, has been a widely used teaching and reference tool.

Dr. Oppenheim joined the faculty of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) in 1964. He currently holds the position of Ford Professor of Engineering and is a MacVicar Faculty Fellow. He is also affiliated with MIT Lincoln Laboratory and the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution.

An IEEE Life Fellow, Dr. Oppenheim is also a member of the National Academy of Engineering and has been a Guggenheim Fellow. He has also been a Sackler Fellow at Tel Aviv University. Dr. Oppenheim received his bachelor's, master's and doctorate degrees in electrical engineering from MIT. He has received a number of awards for outstanding research and teaching, including the IEEE Education Medal, the IEEE Centennial Award, the IEEE Third Millennium Medal, as well as the Education Award, Society Award, Technical Achievement Award.

#### 2007 IEEE Jun-ichi Nishizawa Medal

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Nicolaas Frans de Rooij

For pioneering contributions to microsystem technology and effective transfer into industrial products and applications

Dr. Nicolaas Frans de Rooij is a leading researcher in the area of micro electro mechanical systems (MEMS) in Europe, whose work led to drastic improvements in the design and production of technological devices. His achievements have had a huge affect on medical and space exploration technology.

Currently serving as director of the Institute of Microtechnology at the University of Neuchatel, Switzerland, Dr. de Rooij built up the Sensors, Actuators and Microsystems Laboratory (SAMLAB) as one of the first university laboratories on MEMS in Europe. Over 300 scientific and technical publications and presentations in major journals and at international conferences have resulted from research done at SAMLAB. De Rooij was a key player in the development of silicon etching technologies that became the basis for forming precise microstructures used in applications such as pressure sensors and accelerometers. A strong advocate of MEMS, Dr. de Rooij has made numerous contributions to organizing international conferences, workshops and summits. He also has directed projects that have resulted in the integration of fully functional MEMS for sensing and control aboard the Space Shuttle's Space Lab. Most recently, Dr. de Rooij's group contributed to the production of the first micromechanical silicon-based components, such as microgears and microsprings, for use in high-performance mechanical watches.

An IEEE Fellow, Dr. de Rooij has authored or co-authored over 250 technical papers. Dr. de Rooij has a master's of science from State University of Utrecht, the Netherlands, and a doctorate from Twente University of Technology, Enschede, The Netherlands.

#### 2007 IEEE Robert N. Noyce Medal

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Aart de Geus

For contributions to, and leadership in, the technology and business development of Electronic Design Automation

Aart de Geus is a pioneer in the field of electronic design automation (EDA). His contributions have revolutionized the way digital design is done today.

In the mid-1980s, Dr. de Geus led a team that developed the SOCRATES program, which incorporated timing optimization into a synthesis solution. The R&D at the research center was the genesis for the first broad commercial application of synthesis to modern integrated circuit (IC) design. Synthesis is an essential competitive technology that has changed the way in which IC design is approached.

In 1986 Dr. de Geus founded Synopsys Inc., a global leader in semiconductor design software, intellectual property (IP), design for manufacturing (DFM) solutions and professional services. Currently, he serves as chairman and CEO for Synopsys. In the 20 years since the company was founded, Dr. de Geus has helped Synopsys grow from a start-up, to a software company with annual sales in excess of \$1 billion.

An IEEE Fellow, Dr. de Geus has authored more than 25 papers on logic synthesis, simulation, timing, and interconnect delay. He holds a masters of science in electrical engineering from Swiss Federal Polytechnical Institute, Switzerland and a doctorate in electrical engineering from Southern Methodist University, TX. Dr. de Geus was named CEO of the year in 2002 by *Electronic Business Magazine*, 2004 Entrepreneur of the Year in IT for Northern California by Ernst & Young and one of the 10 Most Influential Executives of 2005 by *Electronic Business Magazine*.

#### 2007 IEEE Dennis J. Picard Medal for Radar Technologies and Applications

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Russell K. Raney

For innovation and technical leadership in the implementation and application of earth-observing and planetary radars

Dr. Russell Keith Raney has been one of the foremost contributors to synthetic aperture radar systems (SAR) over the past 40 years. His work includes the first dual-aperture airborne moving-targetindicating SAR, and he has produced a thesis on quadratic filter theory, which provides the foundations for formal principles of conservation for SAR systems.

Throughout his distinguished career, Dr. Raney has played a significant role in developing innovative approaches to spacebased radars. While working with the Canada Center for Remote Sensing, he was one of the principal technical architects behind RADARSAT-1, which was Canada's first space-borne radar satellite. Additionally, he made contributions to the conceptual design of CryoSat, the European Space Agency's first satellite developed to focus on the Earth's environment; the hybrid-polarity architecture for two lunar radars used by NASA and the Indian Space Research Organization; and his original contributions to NASA's Magellan spacecraft, which used radar imaging to provide highly detailed maps of Venus during its four year orbit from 1990-1994.

Dr. Raney holds six patents, one of which is for his co-invention of chirp-scaling SAR processing. He has published approximately 400 papers in referenced journals and symposia proceedings.

Currently, Dr. Raney is a member of the Principal Professional Staff in the Applied Physics Laboratory of the Space Department at Johns Hopkins University, and Assistant Supervisor of the Ocean Remote Sensing Group.

An IEEE Life Fellow, Dr. Raney has previously been presented with the IEEE Geoscience and Remote Sensing Society Distinguished Achievement Award and the Transactions Prize Paper Award, among others. Dr. Raney received his bachelor of science from Harvard University, as well as a master's degree in Electrical Engineering from Purdue University and a doctorate from the University of Michigan.

#### 2007 IEEE John von Neumann Medal

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Charles P. Thacker

For a central role in the creation of the personal computer and the development of networked computer systems

For over 35 years, Charles P. Thacker has led innovation in the area of distributed personal computing. He is one of the primary forces behind the introduction of the modern-day PC. While working at the Xerox Palo Alto Research Center (PARC) as a research fellow from 1970 to 1983, he served as the principal designer for the Alto personal computer system, widely considered the prototype for both workstations and windowed personal computers. Additionally, he revolutionized the computing industry as one of the co-inventors of the Ethernet local area network.

Mr. Thacker was a corporate consultant engineer at the Digital Equipment Systems Research Center (DEC SRC) from 1983 to 1997, and developed Firefly, one of the first multiprocessor workstation systems.

Since 1997, he has held the position of Technical Fellow at Microsoft Corporation, where he designed and implemented major parts of the prototype for the Tablet PC, including portions of its handwriting-recognition system. His prototype is also the basis for tablet PCs now being sold by several computer manufacturers.

An IEEE Member, Thacker holds a bachelor's degree in Physics from the University of California, Berkeley, and an honorary doctorate from the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich. He is a fellow of the ACM, a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and a member of the National Academy of Engineering, which presented him with the 2004 Charles Stark Draper Prize, along with Alan C. Kay, Butler W. Lampson and Robert W. Taylor for development of the first networked distributed personal computer system.



#### 2007 IEEE Simon Ramo Medal

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Victor B. Lawrence

For technical innovation and leadership in the systems engineering of worldwide data communications networks

In the last 30 years, Victor B. Lawrence has made a significant impact to the global telecommunications industry. His pioneering work has paved the way for many developments in broadband, DSL, HDTV technologies and wireless data transfer. Additionally, his advancements in V-series modem technology and international standards have had a global impact, enabling the interoperability of computer networks across the globe.

Dr. Lawrence spent most of his career at Bell Laboratories, where he worked in research and development in signal processing and communications. His application of signal processing to data communication led to many significant advances in high-speed transmission over the public switched telephone network (PSTN). He was the architect and lead engineer behind AT&T's first 2400 bps fullduplex modem; he played a significant role in the development of every major international voiceband modem standard; and over the years, he continued to lead the innovations that resulted in modems up to 56 kbps. His continued efforts in communication transmission led to the development of wireless data modems and other highspeed data connectivity that helped to spur the growth of the Internet worldwide. Dr. Lawrence's work on high-speed transceivers led to the creation of a variety of DSL technologies, which are widely used today for broadband services and high-speed access.

Dr. Lawrence is also an avid supporter of international education and technology exchange programs, and has personally championed the effort to bring fiber optic connectivity to Africa in order to improve the communications infrastructure of some of the world's poorest countries.

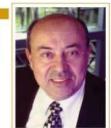
An IEEE Fellow and a member of the National Academy of Engineering, Dr. Lawrence has received numerous awards, including the 2004 IEEE Award in International Communication, and in 1997, he shared an Emmy Award for the HDTV Grand Alliance Standard. He currently serves as the associate dean and Batchelor chair professor of electrical and computer engineering and founding director of the Center for Intelligent Networked Systems at Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken, NJ. He holds numerous patents and publications in the telecommunications field. He received a bachelor's of science, a Diploma from Imperial College (DIC), and a doctorate, all from the University of London in the UK.

#### 2007 IEEE/RSE Wolfson James Clerk Maxwell Award

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Irwin Mark Jacobs Andrew Viterbi

For fundamental contributions, innovation, and leadership that enabled the growth of wireless telecommunications

Irwin Jacobs and Andrew Viterbi have been instrumental in the growth and evolution of the wireless communications industry. As two of the co-founders of QUALCOMM Incorporated, Jacobs and Viterbi pioneered Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) technology, used in a variety of applications including cellular telecommunications, global positioning systems (GPS) and satellite-based transportation logistics systems.

Under the leadership of Jacobs and Viterbi, QUALCOMM grew into a Fortune 500 company, with annual revenues in excess of \$7.5 billion. The company has introduced numerous technologies that are key elements, including the Binary Runtime Environment for Wireless (BREW) applications platform, dedicated to enabling development and deployment of wireless data applications and service; the MediAFLO technology and network for supporting multiple channels of high quality television to cellular handsets; QChat push-to-talk technology; Eudora e-mail software; digital cinema systems and satellite systems for applications such as wireless fleet management.

Dr. Jacobs served as QUALCOMM's CEO until 2005 and currently serves as its chairman. An IEEE Fellow and member of the National Academy of Engineering and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (AAAS), he has received numerous awards and holds 13 CDMA patents. He currently is chairman of the Salk Institute for Biological Studies, La Jolla, CA. Dr. Jacobs holds a bachelor's in electrical engineering from Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y. and masters and doctorate in electrical engineering from MIT, Cambridge, MA.

Dr. Viterbi held the positions of chief technology officer until 1996 and vice-chairman at OUALCOMM until his retirement in 2000. when he founded Viterbi Group, LLC. An IEEE Fellow, he was elected to the National Academy of Sciences, the National Academy of Engineering and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He has received six honorary doctorates and numerous awards in the U.S. and internationally. Dr. Viterbi holds both a bachelor's and masters of science from MIT, Cambridge, MA and a doctorate from the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, all in electrical engineering.

#### 2007 IEEE Honorary Membership

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Tsutae Shinoda

For outstanding innovative and pioneering contributions to commercializing large area color plasma displays

The holder of 59 patents, Tsutae Shinoda has been engaged in the development of monochrome and color plasma display panels (PDPs) since he joined Fujitsu Laboratories Limited, Japan, in 1973. By 1980, many research groups, including Fujitsu, observed a short device life time, and discontinued research into color PDPs. Nevertheless, Dr. Shinoda continued his investigation of the technology. His persistence was rewarded in 1983 when he invented a three-electrode surface-discharge structure that overcame the observed short-life issue.

Dr. Shinoda also invented the Address Display period separation sub-field method for a high-level grayscale display in 1990. With these innovative technologies, he successfully developed the world's first practical video graphics array PDP in 1992—a 21inch, diagonal-color PDP with 260 thousand colors—and the first 42-inch in 1995, thereby largely contributing to the current marketplace success of high-definition television.

Dr. Shinoda started his research of plasma display panels after earning admission to his native Japan's Hiroshima University in 1970, from which he obtained bachelor's and master's degrees in electrical engineering. He also received his doctorate in electrocommunication engineering from Tohoku University, Sendai, in 2000.

Dr. Shinoda is a Chairman at Shinoda Plasma Co., Ltd., a General Manager of Engineering at Advanced PDP Development Center Co.Ltd. and also serves as a professor at the Hiroshima University. He received the Japan Patent Award in 2002 from the Prime Minister of Japan, the Kerl Ferdinand Braun Prize from the Society for Information Display in 2003, and the Purple Ribbon Medal in Japan from the Japanese Emperor in 2004.



Ian C. McRae

For contributions to electrification and development of the electrical grid in Southern Africa

lan Campbell McRae had a long and successful career at Eskom, South Africa's national electric utility, where he rose through the ranks from apprentice fitter in 1947 to become the company's chief executive officer in the mid 1980s. His career at Eskom spanned a period of rapid growth of the country and company, allowing him to participate in many corporate milestones including the construction of Eskom's current fleet of power stations, including all those powered by coal, hydroelectric, pumped storage, as well as the Koeberg nuclear power station.

Dr. McRae played a significant role in raising the standard of living in Southern Africa through his "electricity-for-all" campaign, which made electricity accessible and affordable to the region's impoverished. These initiatives, and others, helped Eskom preempt and adapt to the social and political changes of the 1990s. Dr. McRae was very influential among organizations such as the World Energy Council (WEC) and the World Association of Nuclear Operators (WANO). His activities with these organizations brought him to the forefront of energy matters worldwide.

When he retired from Eskom in 1994, his reputation for fair governance and management with vision attracted many offers to help with governance on boards and commissions of interest to electric utilities. Subsequently, Dr. McRae established and became chairman of the first National Electricity Regulator (NER) in South Africa, and chairman of Southern African Development through Electricity (Sadelec) and Rotek Industries. He also was recognized as the honorary vice-president of the South African National Energy Association (SANEA), the South African national committee of the World Energy Association (WEC).

Dr. McRae has received many prestigious awards for both his business leadership and humanitarian work. He obtained both his bachelor's of science in mechanical engineering and an honorary doctorate of engineering from the University of the Witwatersrand in Johannesburg.



#### IEEE CORPORATE RECOGNITION

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Texas Instruments DLP Products

**Toyota Motor Corporation** 

For the development and promotion of a hybrid combustion-electric power train for automobiles that significantly improves fuel economy and reduces emissions without sacrificing vehicle dynamic performance

The Toyota Motor Corporation created the Toyota Hybrid System (THS) to address many critical issues afflicting the world today: petroleum depletion, global warming and air pollution.

THS combines an on-board rechargeable energy storage system that is re-energized using the kinetic energy from the vehicle and a fueled power source for drive and added power. Unlike other hybrids, Toyota's THS has the ability to run solely on battery power, during which time it is a zero emission vehicle. Other advantages include surpassing severe emission standards and doubling the fuel efficiency of a conventional vehicle of the same class.

Additionally, since THS components were required to be more compact with higher performance and higher reliance than conventional mass-produced electronic components, suppliers developed complementary component technology. Resulting innovations include advances in power electronics; improved nickel metal hydride battery technology; and advanced control systems, energy recovery (regenerative) braking systems, and fuel efficiency technologies.

Toyota made its THS technology available to the general public though the launch of the world's first mass-produced hybrid automobile, Prius, in 1997. Since the introduction of THS, Toyota has developed nine models and sold over 800,000 vehicles by the end of 2006.

Toyota plans to continue developing technological advancements to benefit the automotive and electronic industries; making THS technology available to a variety of alternative energy industries including fuel cell, electric and bio-fuel.

For pioneering innovation, design, and development of the digital light processing, DLP®, technology for a broad range of display applications

Texas Instruments established the DLP Products division in 1993 to unleash the potential of one scientist's vision for an all-digital optical device that would enable light to be manipulated with previously unimaginable accuracy and speed. The technology is used in a range of projection and display applications, including business projectors, home theater applications, and commercial entertainment products. A version of DLP technology known as DLP Cinema® technology is being used to replace celluloid-based projectors in movie theaters around the world.

The formation of DLP Products represents the largest internally funded program in Texas Instruments' 76-year history, and marked the first time any company has attempted to independently commercialize a completely new display technology. Since the first products using DLP were introduced in 1996, Texas Instruments has sold in excess of 10 million DLP chips, with the technology being used in more than half of all front-projection display devices.

At the core of DLP is the digital micro-mirror device (DMD) invented by Dr. Larry Hornbeck at Texas Instruments in 1987, an optical switch semiconductor that contains a rectangular array of up to one million hinged, microscopic mirrors. This optical switch is mounted on a standard memory cell to form the DLP chip.

DLP technology has solidified a strong presence in the consumer electronics marketplace in the current and next-generation product lines of leading electronics companies including Samsung, Toshiba, Hewlett-Packard, Dell and Panasonic.

#### 2007 IEEE Ernst Weber Engineering Leadership

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N. R. Narayana Murthy

For a pioneering role in the globalization of information technology software and services, and leadership in establishing global business and governance practices in India

For more than 25 years, N. R. Narayana Murthy has helped reshape the global information and technology software and services industries through innovative business practices that have been adopted by many of the world's top corporations.

In 1981, he founded Infosys with six friends and served as its chief executive for 20 years before retiring in March 2002. Mr. Murthy is credited with building Infosys into a multi-billion-dollar organization that helped facilitate the rapid growth of India's IT industry.

There, he initiated the Global Delivery Model (GDM), which helps to deliver rapid-time-to-market solutions and optimizes cost efficiencies. Infosys was the first Indian company to offer stock options to all its employees and the first to list on NASDAQ. He remains non-executive chairman and chief mentor for the company.

An independent director on the boards of some of the largest global institutions and an IT adviser to several Asian countries, Mr. Murthy actively promotes business and education issues and serves on several boards dedicated to fostering these topics. He also sits on the advisory board of several well-known universities. He has received numerous awards and honors and has been highly ranked by virtually every top global business publication, including being named as one of Time Magazine's "Global Tech Influentials" in 2004 and one of its "Asian Heroes Who Have Brought About Revolutionary Changes" in 2006.

An IEEE Member, he has also been conferred honorary doctorates by well-known universities around the world. Mr. Murthy received a bachelor's in electrical engineering from the University of Mysore, India and a master's in technology from the Indian Institute of Technology in Kanpur.

#### 2007 IEEE Haraden Pratt Award

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Luis T. Gandia

For outstanding leadership in promoting technical activities at the regional level and the transnational character of the IEEE at the Board level

Luis T. Gandia has devoted 27 years of service to the IEEE, including eight as a member of the organization's Board of Directors. A true leader with a global vision of what the IEEE represents, Mr. Gandia has served as an inspiration to many IEEE members worldwide.

Mr. Gandia is known for promotion of globalization efforts of IEEE and maintaining IEEE's competiveness, by focusing efforts in Latin America to form effective team groups to reinforce the activities of the chapters in most of the countries. Mr. Gandia played an integral role in improving the effectiveness of the IEEE Power Engineering Society in South America, including developing an incentive system, instituting a series of chapter chair retreats, bringing together chapters from all over the world to exchange ideas. As the IEEE Secretary he exhibited a practical sense of fiscal discipline and undertook efforts to simplify IEEE's Policies and Procedures. As RAB VP, he strived to make significant efforts to develop plans to increase membership. He is also a member and past president of the Puerto Rico Society of Engineers, and a member and past vice president of the Puerto Rico Institute of Electrical Engineers.

In 1962 Mr. Gandia established his own corporation, L. Gandia & Associates, Inc. where he acts as a liaison between manufacturers of electrical equipment and the power generating, distribution and transmission industry.

An IEEE Life Senior Member, Mr. Gandia has received numerous IEEE awards, including the IEEE Millennium Award and the Larry K. Wilson Transnational Award. He received his bachelor's in electrical engineering with a concentration in power engineering from the University of Puerto Rico.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



#### 2007 IEEE Electromagnetics Award

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Electromagnetic Compatibility, IEEE Microwave
Theory and Techniques and IEEE Geoscience
and Remote Sensing Societies

Carl E. Baum

For contributions to fundamental principles and techniques in electromagnetics

Dr. Baum is a distinguished research professor in the department of electrical and computer engineering at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque. He is most famous for developing the Singularity Expansion Method (SEM), which compactly and parametrically represents the late-time electromagnetic scattering and gives an aspect-independent radar signature for target identification. He also introduced the concepts of natural frequencies, natural modes, and coupling coefficients that could be computed from an integral equation to concisely represent experimental data. Dr. Baum is an authority on electromagnetic pulse simulation (EMP) and has designed simulators for testing various electromagnetic systems used by the U.S. Air Force as well as allied and friendly countries. His excellent design of a special class of antennas, used for accurate transient/broadband measurements of electromagnetic fields and related parameters, are now in standard use by the EMP community in both the U.S. and Western Europe.



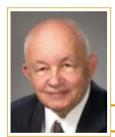
#### 2007 IEEE Control Systems Award

Sponsored by IEEE Control Systems Society

Lennart Ljung

For seminal contributions to system identification and its impact on industrial practice

Lennart Ljung, professor of electrical engineering at the Linköping University in Linköping, Sweden, is a recognized leader in the area of systems and control research whose contributions have had lasting impact over nearly 35 years. His book, System Identification—Theory for the User, is considered a standard reference source, and his careerdefining "System Identification Toolbox" for Matlab, a high-level interactive software package for model estimation has been heralded as both a great scientific and commercial success, with many of its principles having been applied to engineering problems for industry world-wide. In his groundbreaking 1977 paper, "Analysis of Recursive Stochastic Algorithms," Dr. Ljung defined a method of proving the convergence of stochastic algorithms that provided a highly effective method for their future analysis. An IEEE Fellow with Bachelor of Arts, Master of Science and doctoral degrees all from Lund University and the Lund Institute of Technology in Lund, Sweden, he has received numerous honorary degrees and awards from institutions around the world.



2007 IEEE Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology Award

Sponsored by IEEE Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology Society

**Dimitry Grabbe** 

For contributions to the fields of electrical/electronic connector technology, and development of multi-layer printed wiring boards

Dimitry Grabbe played an integral part in advancing U.S. space exploration. His pioneering work has produced nearly 500 U.S. and foreign patents covering machine design, semiconductor packaging, electronics assembly and optoelectronic connector design. His work in printed circuit board technology for electronic packaging led to the development of large, multi-layer printed circuit boards. This proved crucial in helping U.S. astronauts gain greater real-time control of their space-exploration activities. In 1964, Mr. Grabbe founded the Maine Research Corporation which specialized in highend printed circuit boards; the company was dissolved in 1972. He joined AMP, Inc. in 1973, and helped it become a world leader in electrical/electronic connector technology, test socket technology and miniature semiconductor packages. Today, Mr. Grabbe is assisting Dr. Pryputniewicz, professor of mechanical engineering and founding director of the center for holographic studies and laser micro-mechaTronics (CHSLT) at Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI) in Worcester, Mass. with research on gyroscopes and accelorometers. An IEEE Life Fellow, Mr. Grabbe has also been recognized by AMP (now part of Tyco Electronics) with a Lifetime Achievement Award, and by the American Society of Mechnical Engineers, which chose him for its Leonardo da Vinci Award.



#### 2007 IEEE Cledo Brunetti Award

Sponsored by Brunetti Bequest

Sandip Tiwari

For pioneering contributions to nano-crystal memories and to quantum effect devices

Sandip Tiwari, the Charles N. Mellowes Professor of Engineering at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y., has made seminal contributions to the field of nanotechnology, resulting in greatly increased storage capacities for compact devices used in mobile communications, computing and other applications. Over his career, he has repeatedly broken new ground in areas spanning heterostructures, quantum confinement and nano-devices. Dr. Tiwari's early research led to several technologies currently in use in compound semiconductors and other device phenomena including electron injection processes in coupled confined systems and frequency limitations of quantum-wire lasers due to gain compression. His research with semiconductors, nonlinearity, coupling across scales and adaptation also helped advance the fields of electronics and photonics. An IEEE Fellow, he received the 1991 Young Scientist Award from the Institute of Physics and the 2003 Distinguished Alumnus Award from the Indian Institute of Technology.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



2007 IEEE James L. Flanagan Speech and Audio Processing Award

Sponsored by IEEE Signal Processing Society

Allen Gersho

For contributions to the theory and application of speech coding

Allen Gersho, research professor at the University of California, Santa Barbara, has been one of the leading contributors to the areas of speech coding and signal compression. His applications have been instrumental to Internet voice, cellular telephony, audio for video conferencing and secure voice terminals for government and military areas. His work in Vector Quantization (VQ), a fundamental and powerful tool for data compression, has improved the efficiency of speech coding by achieving high-quality speech at very low bit rates. Along with Robert M. Gray, he co-authored Vector Quantization and Signal Compression, a book that has become a standard reference on the subject. He also developed with his former student, Raymond Chen, an adaptive post-filtering technique that has become the standard in code excited linear predictive (CELP) speech coders, and is used by many leading telecommunication equipment companies. An IEEE Fellow, he has previously received the Ericsson-Nokia Best Paper Award and the IEEE Third Millennium Medal. Dr. Gersho has a bachelor's from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass. and a doctoral degree from Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., all in electrical engineering.



2007 IEEE Herman Halperin Electric Transmission and Distribution Award

Sponsored by Robert and Ruth Halperin Foundation In Memory of Herman and Edna Halperin

Eric B. Forsyth

For the practical application of superconductors to power transmission technology

Mr. Forsyth's pioneering work on the design of superconductors has provided vast improvements to power transmission systems including very high power density, benign environmental impact and the ability to transport power for very long distances. During 35 years at the Brookhaven National Laboratory, he worked on the design of the Alternating Gradient Synchrotron (AGS) and he led the design and creation of Brookhaven's superconducting power transmission project, which produced a wealth of knowledge on the performance of conductors, dielectric insulation, cryogenic refrigeration at very low temperatures and system operation under a variety of conditions including simulated emergencies. He also chaired the Accelerator Development Deployment Department, charged with constructing a booster accelerator for the AGS, and constructing magnets for the Superconducting Super Collider in Texas. An IEEE Life Fellow, and holds a master of applied science from the University of Toronto. He received the Dielectrics Prize from the Japanese Institute of Electric Engineers and also received the award for excellence in Technology Transfer, Federal Lab Consortium, U.S.



2007 IEEE Andrew S. Grove Award

Sponsored by IEEE Electron Devices Society

James D. Plummer

For seminal contributions to the modeling, simulation, and physics of silicon devices

For over 30 years, James Plummer has made significant contributions in three main areas of electronic devices, namely, computer-aided design of silicon devices and fabrication processes, high-voltage power devices and circuits, and novel devices for memory and logic applications. His early work focused on highvoltage integrated circuits (IC) and high-voltage device structures, including seminal contributions to the insulated gate bipolar transistor (IGBT), a device that has become a key component of the multi-billion-dollar high-power electronics industry. Dr. Plummer's work on silicon process modeling led to the development of several generations of the process modeling program SUPREM, which today is the standard process-modeling tool used worldwide. Most recently, Dr. Plummer has worked on nanoscale silicon devices for logic and memory applications. An IEEE Fellow, he has received numerous recognitions for his work, including IEEE awards, Semiconductor Research Corporation Awards, "best paper" awards, the Electrochemical Society's 1991 Solid State Science and Technology Award and election to the National Academy of Engineering.



2007 IEEE Masaru Ibuka Consumer **Electronics Award** 

Sponsored by Sony Corporation

**Tomlinson Holman** 

For engineering contributions and innovative developments in audio and cinema multichannel playback systems

Tomlinson Holman is an innovator, inventor and teacher in the field of audio design engineering. Best known for his work in developing the THX Sound System, Home THX, and the THX Digital Mastering program, patented audio design systems that introduced realistic sound playback. THX is a baseline set of standards designed to dramatically improve an audience's cinema experience by eliminating background noise, enhancing image quality and projection, improving room acoustics and utilizing THX-approved equipment for optimal sound reproduction. He was also a leading contributor in developing the 5.1 surround sound system, an entertainment audio standard. He is currently working on its next generation - the 10.2 surround sound. Mr. Holman has been a member of the IEEE for the past 32 years, and is an accomplished author and recognized expert. In addition, he has received six U. S. and many corresponding foreign patents. Of the numerous awards he's been given, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences recognized his work on THX by awarding him one of the two Technical Achievement Awards granted in 2001.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS







#### 2007 IEEE Daniel E. Noble Award

Sponsored by Motorola Foundation

Stephen R. Forrest, Sir Richard H. Friend & Ching W. Tang

For pioneering contributions to the development of organic light emitting diodes (OLEDs)

Stephen Forrest, Richard Friend and Ching Tang have amassed a substantial list of accomplishments in the field of light-emitting diodes. The three Noble Award co-recipients have conducted pioneering research with organic light-emitting diodes (OLEDs) that has resulted in the development and quick commercialization of flat-panel displays. Their work is present in today's state of the art high definition televisions and also is beginning to be incorporated in common portable electronic devices. Today, more than 85 companies have brought flat-panel displays to market as a result of the developments driven by these three gentlemen. OLED displays are becoming increasingly popular and also are beginning to replace small liquid crystal displays (LCDs) in handheld electronics such as cell phones, MP3 players and digital cameras because they consume less power, are thinner and lighter and can be made using inexpensive manufacturing processes such as inkjet printing. OLEDs also have exceptional video image qualities that have enhanced the quality of solid-state general lighting.

An IEEE Fellow, Dr. Forrest is the William Gould Dow Collegiate Professor in Electrical Engineering; Professor in the Departments of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Materials Science and Engineering, and Physics; and Vice President for Research at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, MI, and previously received the IEEE Lasers and Electro-Optics Society William Streifer Scientific Achievement Award.

Dr. Friend was knighted by the Queen of England for services to physics in 2003 and is a professor at the University of Cambridge's Cavendish Laboratory in the United Kingdom. Dr. Friend is a Fellow of the Royal Society, Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering, and received the Hewlett-Packard Prize from the European Physical Society.

Dr. Tang is Doris Johns Cherry Professor of Chemical Engineering at the University of Rochester in Rochester, N.Y., and senior research associate and group leader of OLED Research at Eastman Kodak Research Laboratories. Dr. Tang is a Fellow of the American Physical Society, a Fellow of the Society for Information Display, and a member of the National Academy of Engineering.





2007 IEEE Reynold B. Johnson Information Storage Systems Award

Sponsored by IBM Almaden Research Center

David Hitz & James Lau

For innovation in file system technology, leading to the development of network file server appliances

David Hitz and James Lau's significant contributions to networked data storage have helped fuel the growth of the billion-dollar global data storage market. Based on the belief that data should be constantly moving, or "networked" to facilitate its management, Mr. Hitz and Mr. Lau devised the Write Anywhere File-System Layout (WAFL), which has revolutionized storage as well as the sharing and protection of information assets throughout an organization. The WAFL-based network appliance, a dedicated, stackable network storage device, has changed the way information is stored at the enterprise level, supplanting general-purpose servers at many enterprise organizations. It is currently in use at an estimated 90 percent of Fortune 500 companies. Mr. Hitz and Mr. Lau co-founded Network Appliance, Inc. in 1992, which has grown into a Fortune 1000 company with annual sales of nearly of \$3 billion.

Mr. Hitz earned his bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from Princeton University. Mr. Lau holds a bachelor's degree in Computer Science and Applied Mathematics from the University of California, Berkeley, and a master's degree in Computer Engineering from Stanford University, California.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



2007 IEEE Reynold B. Johnson Data Storage Device Technology Award

Sponsored by Hitachi Global Storage Technologies

Mason Lamar Williams

For contributions to the modeling and design of high density magnetic recording

Mason Lamar Williams has made significant contributions to the understanding and development of digital magnetic recording. His key accomplishments include the creation of a critical model that identified factors limiting hard disk drive storage capacity and guided the development of thin-film disk drives. His insights were key to progress in areal density (bytes per square inch on the disk), including spin-valve read-head technology and perpendicular recording. Within the first six months of his career, while working at IBM, Dr. Williams teamed with R. Larry Comstock, an IBM engineering manager, to develop the Williams-Comstock formula – to this day, a critical design tool for magnetic recording systems. Despite more than 30 years of rapid progress and change in magnetic recording technology, the Willams-Comstock formula's estimate of "transition length"—often referred to as the "a-parameter"— remains valid and continues to be used as a basic parameter in designing recording systems. Areal density progress in the industry has resulted in disk drives being used in set-top boxes and portable digital audio player as well as computer systems.



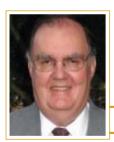
2007 IFFF Richard H. Kaufmann Award

Sponsored by IEEE Industry Applications Society

Md Azizur Rahman

For contributions to analysis, design and development of Interior Permanent Magnet Motor Drives

Md Azizur Rahman has been a pioneer in the study of interior permanent magnet (IPM) synchronous motors, driving advancements that lay the foundation for sustained development of these motors. Widely known as "Mr. IPM," Dr. Rahman's earliest contributions concentrated on the novel design of rotor squirrel-cage and rare-earth permanent magnets beneath the rotor cage winding. Later, he built the world's first 45kW interior permanent magnet motors, which are now widely used for energy-efficient air conditioners. More recently, Toyota adopted his design of the IPM motor drive in its Prius hybrid electric car. A research professor in the faculty of engineering and applied science at the Memorial University of Newfoundland in St. John's, Canada, Dr. Rahman is currently leading research on high-performance IPM motor drive systems. Dr. Rahman is an IEEE Life Fellow; a Fellow of the Institution of Engineering and Technology, U.K.; a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada; and a Life Fellow of the Institution of Engineers, Bangladesh.



2007 IEEE Joseph F. Keithley Award in Instrumentation and Measurement

Sponsored by Keithley Instruments, Incorporated

**Douglas Kent Rytting** 

For seminal technical and leadership contributions to microwave network analyzer technology

A world leader in developing methods to improve the accuracy of measurements that help confirm design goals and improve manufacturing yield, test time and cost, Douglas Rytting has been involved with virtually all microwave network analyzers introduced Hewlett Packard and Agilent Technologies since he joined HP in 1966. He created network analyzers that test the design of components and devices used in high-frequency electronics including communications, satellite, radar, and other systems to ensure they meet their design objectives. His earliest designs were in the first network analyzers introduced by HP in the 1960s. He managed the development of automatic network analyzers, RF network analyzers, and microwave network analyzers, and then helped launch HP's Microwave CAE Design Software. Mr. Rytting introduced new concepts and algorithms that form the basis for many modern microwave network analyzer calibrations. Mr. Rytting is an IEEE Member and a long time participant in the Automatic RF Techniques Group, which is affiliated with the IEEE Microwave Theory and Techniques Society.



#### 2007 IFFF Leon K. Kirchmayer **Graduate Teaching Award**

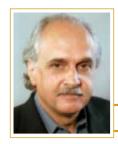
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Michael S. Shur

For inspirational guidance of graduate students and development of novel teaching materials in solid-state electronics

Michael S. Shur has been the Patricia W. and C. Sheldon Roberts Professor of Solid State Electronics in the Electrical, Computer, and Systems Engineering (ECSE) Department at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y. for the past 10 years. He has served as distinguished lecturer for the IEEE Electron and the IEEE Microwave Theory and Technique Societies, given tutorials at conferences worldwide, taught courses for practicing engineers and given IEEE-sponsored lectures for academic researchers worldwide. He has taught at the University of Virginia, University of Minnesota, Oakland University, Cornell University, and Wayne State University and conducted research at the A.F. loffe Institute in St. Petersburg, Russia and at IBM in Yorktown Heights, N.Y. He has published and edited many key graduate texts in solid state electronics that have been translated into many languages. Dr. Shur has developed new courses on advanced semiconductor devices and novel teaching techniques among them, the development of a WEB Remote Laboratory for giving students hands-on experience and allows professors from many countries to exchange course materials.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



#### 2007 IEEE **Gustav Robert Kirchhoff Award**

Sponsored by IEEE Circuits and Systems Society

Yannis P. Tsividis

For contributions to circuits and MOS device modeling

Yannis P. Tsividis, the Charles Batchelor Memorial Professor of Electrical Engineering at Columbia University in New York, has made major contributions to the field of solid-state circuits. His contributions began in 1976, when he designed and built a fully integrated MOS operational amplifier and demonstrated its use in a coder-decoder for digital telephony. These results were widely adopted by the industry in the first massively produced mixed-signal MOS integrated circuits, which incorporate both analog and digital functions on the same silicon chip. His subsequent work has been widely used in wireless communications equipment, consumer electronics, computer disk drives, and biomedical devices. His book, Operation and Modeling of the MOS Transistor, is a standard reference for modeling engineers and circuit designers alike. An IEEE Fellow, he has previously received the IEEE W.R.G. Baker Prize Paper and the IEEE Undergraduate Teaching Award.



#### 2007 IEEE Koii Kobavashi Computers and Communications Award

Sponsored by NEC Corporation

Donald F. Towsley

For fundamental contributions to the theory and practice of computers and communication networks

Donald Towsley is a distinguished professor in the Department of Computer Science at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst and a leading scholar in developing foundational modeling and analysis techniques used by researchers worldwide to better understand the performance of computer and communication systems and networks. His seminal work includes network tomography, sample path analysis of networks and analytic modeling of the transmission control protocol. In the 1980s, he was among the first to develop early models of distributed computer systems and parallel processing systems with a particular focus on scheduling. More recently, he developed foundational techniques for analyzing and studying the propagation of Internet viruses and worms, and his work on the analytical evaluation of TCP throughput is among the most notable results obtained in networking research in the last few years. An IEEE Fellow, he previously received the IEEE Comunications Society William Bennett Prize Paper Award. He is editor in chief of IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networkina.



2007 IEEE William E. Newell **Power Electronics Award** 

Sponsored by IEEE Power Electronics Society

**Dushan Boroyevich** 

For advancement of control, modeling and design of switching power converters

Since 1998, Dushan Boroyevich together with Prof. Fred Lee has led the team of over 20 professors and over 200 students from Virginia Tech, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, University of Puerto Rico-Mayaguez, and North Carolina A&T State University in the US National Science Foundationsponsored Engineering Research Center for Power Electronics Systems (CPES). Working in partnership with more than 80 companies, CPES has become the most renowned power electronics research and education center in the world. In addition to its alumni, the most enduring legacy of CPES is the paradigm shift in power electronics research towards higher levels of integration and modularization. Dr. Boroyevich also developed a comprehensive geometric approach to modeling and control of high-frequency switching power converters, which has become a major tool in the analysis, design, and control of emerging power-electronics-based electrical distribution systems in cars, ships, aircraft, and data communication centers. An IEEE Fellow, Dr. Boroyevich is now the American Electric Power Professor in The Bradley Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Virginia Tech and co-director of CPES.



2007 IEEE Donald O. Pederson Award in Solid-State Circuits

Sponsored by IEEE Solid-State Circuits Society

Hugo De Man

For leadership in integrated circuit design and design methodology

Hugo De Man is professor emeritus at the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (K.U. Leuven) in Belgium, the institution from which he earned his bachelor's and doctoral degrees. He also co-founder and Senior Fellow at the Interuniversity Microelectronics Center (IMEC) in Leuven. During his 40 years of work combining advanced electronic design automation, or EDA, research and integrated circuit design at the edge of CMOS technology scaling. Dr. De Man has pioneered the high-level synthesis and hardware/software codesign of systems-on-chip (SoC). He has worked on several key aspects of solid-state circuits including, mixed-signal design; the development of layout and switched-capacitor filter simulation tools (co-designing such filter chips for audio systems); high-level synthesis for digital signal processor (DSP) systems (resulting in the Cathedral silicon compiler suite), the first operational silicon compilers for industrial DSP chips; high-level synthesis of programmable co-processors (increasing design productivity); and SoC design for nanoelectronics. An IEEE Fellow, he founded IMEC, now the largest independent microelectronics research organization in Europe, with more than 1,400 employees.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



#### 2007 IEEE Frederik Philips Award

Sponsored by Philips Electronics N.V.

Yong-Kyung (Kenneth) Lee

For leadership in the management of research and development of broadband networks and the promotion of international collaboration

Kenneth Lee is senior advisor and former president and chief executive officer of KT Corporation (Korea Telecom) in Seoul, Korea, and a visiting professor at the KAIST Graduate School of Information and Media Management, Seoul, Korea, KT Group developed one of the most extensive wired and wireless broadband access networks in the world and the world's largest broadband operator by 2003 with over five million subscribers. He also led KT to develop the first Korean voice recognition system, the first commercial CDMA Personal Communications System and a series of broadband access services from DSL to fiber LAN. When Dr. Lee was the CEO of KTF, a mobile service subsidiary of KT Corp., he was the industry leader in CDMA 3G services by deploying CDMA2000 1x and CDMA2000 1xEV-DO in 2002 — enabling high-speed wireless connectivity comparable to wired broadband. Dr. Lee is an IEEE Member and a member of Eta Kappa Nu and the National Academy of Engineering in Korea. He received the Industrial Medal (Gold) from the Korean Government in 2005 and the Forbes Magazine's Management Leadership Award in 2004.



#### 2007 IEEE Photonics Award

Sponsored by IEEE Lasers and Electro-Optics Society

David N. Payne

For pioneering contributions to the development and commercialization of optical fiber-based technologies for communications, sensors and high power applications

During his four-decade career at the U.K.'s University of Southampton, David Payne has designed some of the highest power fiber lasers in the world and generated a host of fiber components in the telecoms and sensor arenas. He pioneered several key related developments, including photonics-based technologies for telecommunications, optical sensors, nanophotonics and optical materials. He also led the teams that invented the silica single-mode fiber laser and amplifier and broke the kilowatt barrier for high power fibre laser output. He was the first to use phosphorous as a core dopant to achieve numerous processing advantages and developed the erbium-doped fiber amplifier, which created a revolution in optical-fiber communications. A Fellow of the Royal Society, the Royal Academy of Engineering, the IEE, and the Optical Society of America, he is currently director of the University of Southampton's Optoelectronics Research Centre.



#### 2007 IEEE Emanuel R. Piore Award

Sponsored by IEEE Emanuel R. Piore Award Fund

Randal E. Bryant

For seminal contributions to the field of computer-aided circuit design and verification, including the development and promulgation of ordered binary decision diagrams

Dr. Randal E. Bryant is a professor and dean of the School of Computer Science at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh Pa. He is internationally known for developing methods of reasoning about digital circuits using ordered binary decision diagrams (OBDDs), and for using OBDDs to formally verify hardware designs. Dr. Bryant began his research in hardware verification developing switch-level simulation, enabling efficient modeling of large-scale circuits by using a discrete model of transistor operation. Over time, his focus shifted from simulation, where a design is tested for a representative set of cases, to formal verification, where the design is shown to operate correctly under all possible conditions. OBDDs enable circuits to be simulated symbolically, covering all possible behaviors in a single execution. OBDDs are now widely used for circuit verification, synthesis, and testing, as well as in such diverse areas as artificial intelligence planning and compiler optimization.



#### 2007 IEEE Judith A. Resnik Award

Sponsored by IEEE Aerospace and Electronic Systems, IEEE Control Systems and IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Societies

Daniele Mortari

For innovative designs of orbiting spacecraft constellations and efficient algorithms for star identification and spacecraft attitude estimation

Daniele Mortari is an international authority in spacecraft mechanics. He has reshaped the fields of spacecraft attitude estimation and spacecraft formation design, impacting both theory and practice. Fundamental algorithms he developed yielded the most efficient solution for identifying stars from a randomly pointed image of a starfield. His solution is widely recognized as the gold standard for both efficiency and reliability. Dr. Mortari has solved the problem of determining the best estimate of spacecraft orientation (attitude) given the measured line of sight vectors toward the stars. He also developed an entirely new class of spacecraft constellations, the "Flower Constellations," which designs spacecraft orbits to have novel periodic structure relative to each other and to an assigned rotating frame. Using this discovery, Dr. Mortari proved that he can obtain the same or better performance with fewer satellites than the existing global positioning system (GPS) constellation, a monumental achievement given the exceedingly large size and cost of the satellites.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



#### 2007 IFFF Frank Rosenblatt Award

Sponsored by IEEE Computational Intelligence Society

James C. Bezdek

For development of the theory and applications of the fuzzy c-means and related pattern recognition methods

Dr. Bezdek is the Nystul Professor and Eminent Scholar of Computer Science at the University of West Florida in Pensacola. He developed the fuzzy c-means (FCM) algorithm, considered one of the most important discoveries in fuzzy pattern recognition and related areas and the clustering algorithm of choice for most practitioners in fuzzy exploratory data analysis. The original model has inspired many applications in related areas of pattern recognition and image processing. Areas of research benefiting from Dr. Bezdek's work include diagnostic medicine, economics, chemistry, image processing, meteorology, web mining, geology, target recognition, regression analysis, document retrieval, structural failure and irrigation models. One of the most notable applications has been in medical image analysis, where FCM segmentation of magnetic resonance images is used in conjunction with rule-based analysis for both diagnosis and pre-operative planning for brain tumor patients. Dr. Bezdek also has made pioneering contributions in deriving the theories for clustering of relational (Euclidean and non-Euclidean) data.



#### 2007 IEEE **David Sarnoff Award**

Sponsored by Sarnoff Corporation

Umesh K. Mishra

For development of gallium nitride electronics

Professor and associate dean of the College of Engineering at the University of California in Santa Barbara, Umesh Mishra is a leader in developing compound semiconductor electronics and a driving force behind the rapid progress in gallium nitride (GaN)-based microwave devices and circuits. He began his career researching indium phosphide (InP) high electron mobility transistors (HEMTs) for low noise amplifiers, which became the leading receiver technology for many space-based platforms. After joining the faculty of the University of California in 1990, he began studying microwave and power electronics devices based on the wide bandgap semiconductor GaN and related alloys, a technology now being considered for insertion into military radar and commercial wireless base stations. Dr. Mishra's research group was the first to demonstrate that the unique wide bandgap and electron transport properties of gallium nitride could be harnessed to create devices with an unprecedented combination of high-frequency performance and microwave power output. Since then, Dr. Mishra has continued to make key advances in both the fundamental understanding and the technological exploitation of GaN/A1GaN HEMT devices.



2007 IEEE Robotics and Automation Award

Sponsored by IEEE Robotics and Automation Society

**Gerd Hirzinger** 

For contributions in robot mechatronics, telerobotics, man-machine interface research and space robotics

Gerd Hirzinger, director of the Institute of Robotics and Mechatronics at the German Aerospace Center in Wessling, Germany, is best known for his work in advancing robotic space exploration. He developed ROTEX, the first remotely controlled space robot that flew aboard the space shuttle Columbia in 1993. The robot featured a multisensory gripper that allowed ground control based on "shared autonomy". With his co-workers he teleoperated and teleprogrammed Japan's ETS VII, the first freeflying space robot, in 1999. Since 2005 he has a small double-joint torque-controlled manipulator ROKVISS on the outside of the international space station ISS, thus demonstrating telepresence with stereo video and force feedback on one side and qualifying lightweight joints for space on the other side. His ultralightweight 7 dof torque-controlled robot arms based on the innovative motor concept ROBODRIVE and his articulated multifingered hands are among the most advanced robot technologies worldwide. His space mouse, originally developed for ROTEX teleoperation, has become the most popular 3D input device. More recently he and his co-workers have developed and commercialized surgical robots, artificial organs, load-reducing aircraft control and innovative brake by wire systems for vehicles. An IEEE Fellow, he received Diplom-Ingenieur and doctorate degrees from the Technical University of Munich, Germany.



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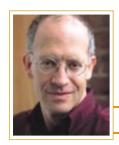
Vic Hayes

For outstanding leadership in the development and global acceptance of IEEE 802.11 wireless local area network standards

Popularly known as the "Father of Wi-Fi," Vic Hayes is Senior Research Fellow at Delft University of Technology in Delft, Netherlands. His most important contribution, however, was his work leading the group of engineers – from 1990 through 2000 – whose work resulted in a new set of technology standards that became the basis for wireless data transfer, Wi-Fi. That standard launched a brand-new multi-billion dollar industry for wireless, high-data-transfer rate computer communications and gave people worldwide access to the Internet with their laptops, PDAs and other devices wherever and whenever they want. The Wi-Fi standard has been adopted by countries around the globe resulting in communities and countries creating networks and economies that induced lower pricing for wireless devices. Mr. Hayes' leadership is one of the reasons that low-cost, nearly ubiquitous wireless LAN connectivity exists today. He has received numerous IEEE awards for his pioneering work in Wi-Fi, including the IEEE Standards Medallion and the Wi-Fi alliance award two years in a row. Establishing the Regulatory Committee and leading the committee through the territory of the regulatory world, eventually resulting in a global allocation of spectrum for Wireless Access Systems including RLANs at the World Radio Conference 2003.



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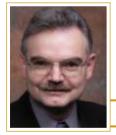
Michael G. Luby & Amin Shokrollahi

For bridging mathematics, internet design and mobile broadcasting as well as successful standardization

The collaborative work of Michael G. Luby and Amin Shokrollahi has led to breakthroughs in data transmission over packet-based networks that have resulted in global communications standards for mobile broadcasting, satellite data transmission, and Internet TV. The breakthroughs are based on a combination of the invention and practical implementations of a new class of FEC codes, called fountain codes, and the novel application of these codes to data transport. The fountain codes allow multiple senders to transmit information to multiple receivers with high quality and timely streaming media. There are several variations of these codes that are used today in a number of enterprises, military, and consumer devices and applications, supporting both wired and wireless telecommunications networks. While working together at the International Computer Science Institute, University of California, Berkeley, they also collaborated on the invention of Tornado codes, erasure protecting codes with super-fast encoding and decoding algorithms.

Dr. Luby is co-founder and chief technology officer of Digital Fountain, Inc. He is also the inventor of Luby Transform (LT) codes, the breakthrough technology that forms the basis of Digital Fountain's products. Dr. Luby received a doctorate in theoretical computer science from the University of California, Berkeley.

Dr. Shokrollahi, is currently a professor of mathematics and computer science at Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland, and chief scientist of Digital Fountain, Inc. He received his master's degree in mathematics from Karlsruhe University (Karlsruhe, Germany) and a doctorate in computer science and mathematics from the University of Bonn.



2007 IEEE Nikola Tesla Award

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Thomas W. Nehl

For pioneering contributions to the simulation and design of electromechanical drives and actuators for automotive applications

Thomas Nehl is a leader in designing tools to improve automotive processes. At GM Research Labs in Warren, Michigan and later Delphi in Shelby Township, Michigan, where he is a group leader, he developed novel approaches to the modeling of electronically operated drive and actuator systems that have been used widely within the automotive industry. Dr. Nehl's math-based tools have a wide range of automotive applications, including fuel injectors, transmission control solenoids, controlled dampers, relays, rotary and linear actuators, accessory drives, electric power steering, traction drives for electric and hybrid vehicles and a variety of sensors (position, speed, torque). His tools have impacted a number of automotive products, including pivoting armature injectors for General Motors (GM) trucks and sport utility vehicles, port fuel injectors for GM passenger vehicles, linear EGR valves, wheel speed and crankshaft position sensors, low torque ripple PM drives for electric power steering (Delphi) and MR dampers for controlled suspensions (Delphi). Dr. Nehl holds bachelors, masters and doctoral degrees, all in electrical engineering, from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech) at Blacksburg, Virginia.

#### IEEE TECHNICAL FIELD AWARDS



2007 IEEE Kiyo Tomiyasu Award

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Alberto Moreira

For development of synthetic aperture radar concepts

Alberto Moreira is a leader in the field of imaging radar technology and application. He is Director of the Microwaves and Radar Institute, German Aerospace Center, Oberpfaffenhofen, Germany, and a Professor, University of Karlsruhe, Germany. He has developed new algorithms in high-resolution radar processing, image formation and interferometric techniques but his major accomplishment has been the development of innovative synthetic aperture radar (SAR) system concepts with polarimetric and interferometric capabilities. Prof. Moreira also pioneered research on associated techniques like radar tomography, digital beamforming and advanced imaging modes and developed an innovative, forward-looking radar system for enhanced vision. Prof. Moreira's research has been used extensively by the German and European Space programs, and he has managed many European Space Agency studies. He is an IEEE Fellow and recipient of the IEEE Fred Nathanson Memorial Award for the "Young Engineer of the Year" and the NASA certificate for outstanding contribution to the success the Shuttle imaging radar mission SIR-C/X-SAR.



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For sustained excellence and creativity in the preparation of instructional material and inspirational teaching of undergraduate engineering students

For 40 years, Clayton Paul has devoted his career to teaching undergraduates about electrical engineering, motivating high school students to consider careers in engineering, and publishing instructional materials. Currently the Sam Nunn Professor of Aerospace Systems Engineering and Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering at the Mercer University School of Engineering in Macon, Ga., he formerly held teaching positions at the Georgia Institute of Technology, Purdue University, and the University of Kentucky, and has been involved in IEEE student chapters as a faculty advisor. He also held positions at the U.S. Air Force Rome Air Development Center in Rome, N.Y., where he conducted extensive research in modeling crosstalk in multiconductor transmission lines and printed circuit boards. At the IBM Information Products Division in Lexington, Ky., his research focused on electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) design of electronic systems. He has written or co-authored 16 textbooks and other instructional materials and has published numerous technical papers in his primary research area of electromagnetic compatibility. Dr. Paul is an IEEE Fellow and member of Eta Kappa Nu.

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Michael S. Shur & Arturas Žukauskas

"Solid-State Lighting: Towards Superior Illumination," Proceedings of the IEEE, Volume 93, No. 10, October 2005, pp. 1691-1703

Authors Michael S. Shur and Arturas Žukauskas discuss the benefits of solid-state lighting technologies in their paper entitled "Solid-State Lighting: Towards Superior Illumination." The paper compares the approach of generating white light from solid-state phosphor LEDs by using multichip lamps comprised of colored LEDs. The tutorial paper is distinctive in that it describes a unique optimization algorithm and a report on the implementation of the versatile solid-state lamp, which utilizes a computer-controlled spectral power distribution. Under appropriate psychophysical verification, these lamps are expected to have a significant impact on the lighting industry and already have been used to treat seasonal affective disorder, sometimes referred to as "winter depression," and to facilitate energy-efficient plant growth.

Dr. Michael Shur is the Patricia W. and C. Sheldon Roberts Professor of Solid State Electronics in the Department of Electrical, Computer, and Systems Engineering at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N.Y. He received his master's in electrical engineering in 1965 (with honors), from St. Petersburg Electrotechnical Institute in St. Petersburg,

Russia, and a Ph. D. (candidate) degree and Doctor of Physics and Mathematics degree from A.F. loffe Institute of Physics and Technology, St. Petersburg, in 1967 and 1992, respectively. Dr. Shur also serves as editor-in-chief of the International Journal of High Speed Electronics and Systems and editor-in-chief of a book series on "Special Topics in Electronics and Systems." An IEEE Fellow, he is listed by the Institute of Scientific Information as a highly cited researcher.

Dr. Žukauskas has been with Vilnius University, Lithuania since 1979, and currently serves as director and chief researcher at the Institute of Materials Science and Applied Research as well as a professor in the Department of Semiconductor Physics. Dr. Žukauskas is a member of the Lithuanian Physical Society and Lithuanian Materials Research Society and expert member of the Lithuanian Academy of Sciences. He holds one patent and has published 180 papers and a book. In 2002, he received a Lithuanian National Prize in Science. Dr. Žukauskas received a doctorate in semiconductor and dielectric physics in 1983 and a second degree, doctor habilitus of natural sciences in 1991, both from Vilnius University.

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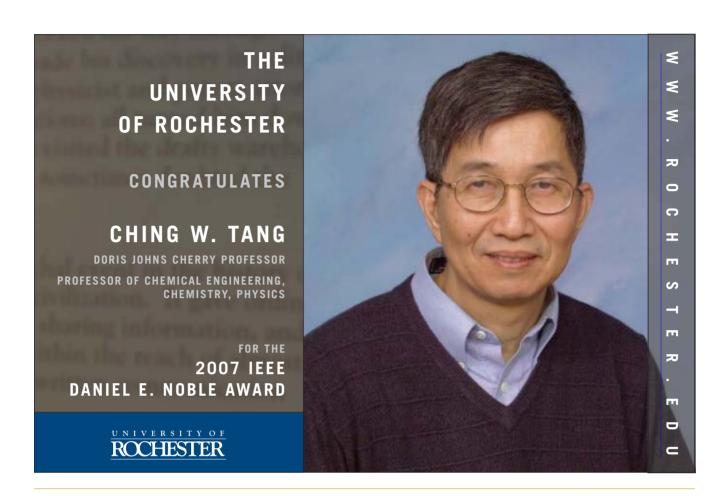
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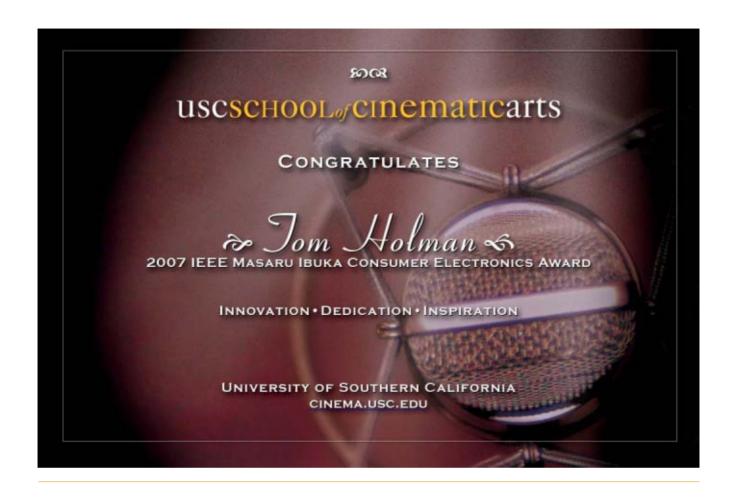
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