

Short CV for Atila Alvandpour, Professor

EDUCATION:

- **PhD** Degree, Linköping University, June 03, 1999.
- **M.S.** Degree in Applied Physics and Electrical Engineering, Linköping University, June 1995

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- Linköping University
Professor and Head of Division Electronic Devices, Dept. of Electrical Engineering, 2003 – Present
- Intel Corporation, Circuit Research Lab, Oregon, U.S.A
Senior Circuit Research Scientist, 1999 – 2003
- Linköping University
Guest assistant Professor, Division of Electronic Devices, June to November 1999
- Linköping University
Guest Circuit Researcher, Division of Electronic Devices, 1995
- ERICSSON, Stockholm
Circuit Design Engineer (M.S.), 1995
- Work experience before MS degree
Electrical engineer at several companies in Sweden and other countries, 1984 – 1990

PUBLICATIONS AND PATENTS:

- Author or co-author of more than 100 technical papers in international journals and conferences.
- Speaker of several invited talks, tutorials, and panels in IEEE conferences, such as ISLPED, CICC, ASIC/SOC, ESSIRC, Asian Solid-State Circuits Conference, etc.
- Inventor of 24 issued U.S. patents on high-performance and low-power CMOS circuit techniques.

COMMISSIONS OF TRUST AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL ASSIGNMENTS:

- Member of Swedish Research Council (VR) evaluation panel in Electronics and photonics, 2013-.
- Member of the steering board, Department of Electrical Engineering (ISY), Linköping University Electronics
- Director of IC design Center of Excellence (VIRTUS), NTU, Singapore, Oct. 2010- Oct. 2012.
- Guest Editor for IEEE Journal of Solid-State Circuits, January, 2010, and July 2012.
- Technical program chairman of European Solid-State Circuits Conference, ESSCIRC, 2011.
- Served as member of technical program committees for many international conferences, including the IEEE International Solid-State Circuits Conference, *ISSCC*, 2004-2009, and IEEE European Solid-State Circuits, *ESSCIRC*.
- President (2005) and vice president (2004) of IEEE Solid-State Circuits Society Chapter, Sweden.
- Technical reviewer for most of IEEE journals, related to the field of IC design.
- Served as member for many evaluation committees (PhD exams, professor employments, etc.)

AWARDS, HONORS, AND RECOGNITIONS:

- Intel Division Recognition Award for innovative technology transfers to Intel Microprocessors, 2003.
- 2002 and 2003 Intel recognition, as mentor for Semiconductor Research Cooperation, SRC.
- Linköping University's 2009 Best Lecturer Award
- Several faculty recognitions for the chip design education at Linköping University.
- Elected Senior Member of IEEE, 2004
- Author/Co-author of about 5 Best Paper Awards from international and national conferences.

RESEARCH LEADERSHIP, SUPERVISING AND TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES

- Head of Electronic Devices Division (<http://www.ek.isy.liu.se/>) at department of Electrical Engineering (ISY), Linköping University. The division is a leading research group in design of efficient integrated circuits and System-on-Chip.
- Currently supervisor for 6 and co-supervisor for 2 PhD students.
- Area leader of Electronics research for Linköping-Lund IT Excellence Center (ELLIIT), 2010 – present.
- Director and coordinator of Master Program in Electronics Engineering at Linköping University.
- Coordinator for electronics education profile for Y and D 'civilingenjör' programs, Linköping University.
- Responsible teacher for four advanced undergraduate courses on analog CMOS integrated circuits, radio electronics, VLSI chip design, and evaluation of integrated circuits.
- Teacher for several PhD courses.

RESEARCH GRANTS

- Main PI for many competitive grants (more than 40 Million SEK during the last 5 years) supported by the major Swedish Research Foundations, such as:

VR (Swedish Research Council):

- 2012-2014, 3 M SEK, Energy-Efficient High-performance Analog-to-Digital Converters for Wideband Communications.
- 2009-2011, 2.25 M SEK, Power-efficient, Wideband Radio Transmitter Front-ends...
- 2008, 750 K SEK: Embedded Power-efficient RF Transmitter Front-ends in Sub-65nm CMOS.
- 2006-2008, 2.25 M SEK, Ultra Low Power, High-Speed Analog-to-Digital Conversion

SSF (Swedish Foundation for Strategic Research):

- 2008-2013, 20 M SEK, Flexible and low-power wireless transceiver platforms.

VINNOVA (Swedish research and innovations for sustainable growth):

- 2008-2010, 6 M SEK, Ultra Low-Power Embedded Wireless Systems for RF Medical Telemetry (IKT).
- 2008-2010, 8.5 M SEK, Infrared Network Cameras for Surveillance of Vulnerable Infrastructure

- Co PI for several projects, such as the VINNOVA projects:

- 2013-2016. 3.3 M SEK, Hardware and Software Dependencies in Multi-Core Avionic Systems, PI: Jan Westlund, Saab.
- 2010-2012, Co-PI of VINNOVA project "MODEMs for high data rate wireless communication systems including an E-band test bench", 8 M SEK, PI: Herbert Zirath, Chalmers

- Several research grants (about 3 M SEK in last 4-5 years) from companies such as: Ericsson, Intel USA, SAAB, Zarlink Semiconductor, Kapsch Traffic Systems.