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Cadence Talk at ICCAD

Join us on Monday, October 31, from 6:00pm to 7:00pm in Saint Tropez, to hear a talk about “Cadence - Accelerating Innovation” by David Junkin, Academic Network Program Director.
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Join us for the keynote "Atoms to Silicon to Systems Hyper-Convergence: The Way Forward in the Angstrom Era"

Keynote Speaker:
Shankar Krishnamoorthy
General Manager
Silicon Realization Group, Synopsys

Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at 9 AM

Meet the Synopsys Academic & Alliances Team (SARA) to learn more about our programs!

Email us at SARA-NA@synopsys.com to schedule a time to sync up.

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General Information

Registration Hours & Location
Location: Foyer
Sunday, October 30  7:30am-5:00pm
Monday, October 31  7:00am-7:00pm
Tuesday, November 1  7:00am-7:00pm
Wednesday, November 2  7:00am-6:00pm
Thursday, November 3  7:00am-4:00pm

CONFlux
Access the virtual platform to build out your schedule, watch presentation videos, download slides, connect to the live virtual sessions and other attendees! Go to https://iccad2022.conflux.events/welcome and use the password emailed to you a few days before the event for access.

Posters
This year, all technical presenters are asked to bring a copy of their poster to be displayed during their oral session for further discussion after their talk. Poster boards will be available in each breakout room, and authors are asked to pin up their poster 15 minutes before their session starts.

Speaker's Breakfast
Location: Terrazza Ballroom
Please attend the day of your presentation!

Monday, October 31  7:30-8:30am
Tuesday, November 1  8:00-9:00am
Wednesday, November 2  8:00-9:00am

Parking
Attendees who will be driving in may park onsite, complimentary, for a day pass. Overnight parking is at a discounted, $20/night.

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Conference Management
Welcome to ICCAD 2022

It is our pleasure to welcome you to the 41st edition of the International Conference on Computer-Aided Design!

Jointly sponsored by ACM and IEEE, ICCAD is the premier forum to explore new challenges, present leading-edge innovative solutions, and identify emerging technologies in the Electronic Design Automation (EDA) research areas. ICCAD covers the full range of Computer-Aided Design (CAD) topics – from device and circuit-level up through system-level, as well as post-CMOS design.

After two years of virtual conferences due to the global COVID-19 pandemic, we are excited to organize a hybrid conference from 30 October to 4 November 2022 in San Diego. The conference is primarily an in-person event enabling personal interactions and extensive networking, the aspects that cannot be replicated in virtual platforms. At the same time, we are offering virtual sessions for the speakers and the attendees who cannot attend in person due to travel restrictions or health issues. The virtual sessions are held fully online in the morning followed by the in-person sessions. Pre-recoded video presentations of all the talks, irrespective of whether they are part of a virtual or in-person session, are available on the virtual platform for all the attendees. The participants can discuss the papers with the authors through the virtual platform.

ICCAD has a long-standing tradition of producing cutting-edge, innovative technical program for attendees. Following the tradition, the members of the executive committee, the technical program committee, and numerous volunteers have spent an enormous effort to prepare an outstanding technical program for this year as well. We are glad to announce that we again had a significant increase in the number of regular paper submissions with a record 595 papers going through the complete peer-review process. This strong submission record amidst a global pandemic emphasizes the high relevance and the recognition of the conference within, but not limited to, the CAD community. For handling such an enormous submission number, we have carefully created 15 tracks and invited 203 outstanding technical program committee members from both industry and academia worldwide for these tracks. The TPC meeting was conducted again as an online event without compromising the quality of the double-blind review process. Finally, the program committee has selected 132 papers with an acceptance rate of 22% and yielded 43 regular sessions on diverse topics. Among the regular sessions, 28 will be held in-person while 15 sessions are virtual. In addition, we have ten special sessions and two embedded tutorials on topics that complement the regular sessions; almost all these sessions are in-person.

We are delighted to present three distinguished keynote speakers: the Monday morning keynote on Democratizing IC Design and Customized Computing will be given by Professor Jason Cong from the University of California, Los Angeles. On Tuesday, Professor Farinaz Koushanfar from the University of California San Diego will present the IEEE CEDA Luncheon Distinguished Lecture on Automated Cryptographically-Secure Private Computing. Shankar Krishnamoorthy from Synopsys will present the Wednesday keynote on Atoms to Silicon to Systems Hyper-Convergence to realize the next wave of semiconductor innovations. We hope you will find these keynotes inspiring, insightful and informative.

We have six interesting workshops on Thursday and one on Friday covering various new and established topics. Some of these workshops (Workshop on Accelerator Computer-Aided Design (ACCAD), Workshop on Hardware and Algorithms for Learning On-a-chip (HALO), Workshop on Open-Source EDA Technology (WOSET), and Top Picks in Hardware and Embedded Security) are long-time staples of ICCAD, while the Workshop on Zero Trust Hardware Architectures tests the waters for the first time. Two of these workshops are co-located with ICCAD: 24th ACM/IEEE International Workshop on System-Level Interconnect Pathfinding (SLIP) and Sustainable Hardware Security (SUSHI). We hope that you will join the workshops that complement the ICCAD program.

Last but not the least, ICCAD hosts several contests and competitions. The CAD Contest is a challenging, multi-month, team-based research and development competition, focusing on advanced, real-world problems in the field of EDA. The CADathon is a challenging, all-day, programming competition focusing on practical problems at the forefront of CAD and EDA. The ACM Student Research Competition (SRC) at ICCAD provides an opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students to share research results and exchange ideas with other students, judges, and conference attendees. This year, we are also debuting ACM/IEEE TinyML Design Contest --- a challenging, team-based, multi-month, research and development competition, focusing on real-world problems that require the implementation of machine learning algorithms on low-end microprocessors/microcontrollers. Finally, ICCAD 2022 is also featuring the first ACM SIGDA Job Fair.

Please let me emphasize again that ICCAD aims relentlessly at being the ultimate destination for cutting-edge EDA research and emerging CAD technologies. The organization of ICCAD is only possible with continuous support and help from the sponsors and many volunteers: the program chair with the program committee members, the organizers of the workshops, contests, and job fairs, and all members of the organization committee. We are grateful for their commitment and dedicated contributions to making ICCAD a successful conference. We appreciate your attendance, interaction, and support in shaping this year’s hybrid event into a memorable one.

General Chair of ICCAD 2022
Tulika Mitra
National University of Singapore
Awards Committee

IEEE/ACM William J. McCalla ICCAD Best Paper Award Selection Committee
Masanori Hashimoto (CHAIR) (Kyoto University)
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Jianli Chen (Fudan University)
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Zhuo Feng (Stevens Institute of Technology)
Richard Shi (University of Washington)
Farinaz Koushanfar (University of California, San Diego)
Alan Mishchenko (University of California, Berkeley)

William J. McCalla ICCAD Ten Year Retrospective Most Influential Paper Award Selection Committee
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Marilyn C. Wolf (University of Nebraska – Lincoln)
Awards

IEEE/ACM William J. McCalla ICCAD Best Paper Award Nominations

Front-end:

Session 5D: Attack Directories on ARM big.LITTLE Processors
  Zili Kou (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
  Sharad Sinha (Indian Institute of Technology Goa)
  Wenjian He (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
  Wei Zhang (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)

Session 8D: Logic Synthesis for Digital In-Memory Computing
  Muhammad Rashedul Haq Rashed (University of Central Florida)
  Sumit Kumar Jha (University of Texas at San Antonio)
  Rickard Ewetz (University of Central Florida)

Session 7D: ObfuNAS: A Neural Architecture Search-based DNN Obfuscation Approach
  Tong Zhou (Northeastern University)
  Shaolei Ren (UC Riverside)
  Xiaolin Xu (Northeastern University)

Back-end:

Session 1D: SpecPart: A Supervised Spectral Framework for Hypergraph Partitioning Solution Improvement
  Ismail Bustany (AMD)
  Andrew Kahng (UCSD)
  Ioannis Koutis (New Jersey Institute of Technology)
  Bodhisatta Pramanik (Iowa State University)
  Zhiang Wang (University of California San Diego)

Session 11B: DeePEB: A Neural Partial Differential Equation Solver for Post Exposure Baking Simulation in Lithography
  Qipan Wang (Peking University)
  Xiaohan Gao (Peking University)
  Yibo Lin (Peking University)
  Runsheng Wang (Peking University)
  Ru Huang (Peking University)

Session 7A: TransSizer: A Novel Transformer-Based Fast Gate Sizer
  Siddhartha Nath (NVIDIA Corp)
  Geraldo Pradipta (NVIDIA Corp)
  Corey Hu (NVIDIA Corp)
  Tian Yang (NVIDIA Corp)
  Brucek Khailany (NVIDIA)
  Haoxing Ren (NVIDIA Corporation)
Awards

William J. McCalla ICCAD Ten Year Retrospective Most Influential Paper Award
On reconfiguration-oriented approximate adder design and its application
Rong Ye (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Ting Wang (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Feng Yuan (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Rakesh Kumar (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
Qiang Xu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
The award is given to the paper judged to be the most influential on research and industry practice in computer-aided design of integrated circuits over the ten years since its original appearance at ICCAD. The awards are jointly sponsored by IEEE Council on Electronic Design Automation (IEEE CEDA) and the ACM Special Interest Group on Design Automation (ACM SIGDA).

2022 IEEE CEDA Ernest S. Kuh Early Career Award
Bei Yu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
For contributions to machine learning in physical design and Design for Manufacturability

2022 IEEE CEDA Outstanding Service Recognition
Rolf Drechsler (University of Bremen)
For outstanding service to the EDA community as ICCAD General Chair in 2021
Jason Cong is the Volgenau Chair for Engineering Excellence Professor (and former Department Chair) at the UCLA Computer Science Department, with joint appointment from the Electrical Engineering Department, the director of Center for Domain-Specific Computing (CDSC), and the director of VLSI Architecture, Synthesis, and Technology (VAST) Laboratory. Dr. Cong’s research interests include electronic design automation, novel architectures and compilation for customizable computing, and quantum computing. He has close to 500 publications in these areas, including 16 best paper awards, three 10-Year Most Influential Paper Awards, and three papers inducted to the FPGA and Reconfigurable Computing Hall of Fame. He and his former students co-founded AutoESL and Falcon Computing Solutions. Both were acquired by Xilinx and led to the most widely used high-level synthesis tool for FPGAs. He was elected to an IEEE Fellow in 2000, ACM Fellow in 2008, and the National Academy of Engineering in 2017. He is the recipient of the 2022 IEEE Robert Noyce Medal for fundamental contributions to electronic design automation and FPGA design methods.

Democratizing IC Design and Customized Computing

The electronic design automation (EDA) traditionally serves the hardware design community. As we enter the era of customized computing with increasing amount of computation moves from general-purpose CPUs to domain-specific accelerators (DSAs) due to their performance and energy efficiency, there is a pressing need and opportunity for the EDA community to empower millions of software programmers to create their own DSAs to accelerate the compute-intensive portion of their applications. High-level synthesis (HLS) made an important progress in this direction, but far from sufficient. In this talk, I shall discuss the recent progresses in this area, including microarchitecture guided optimization, such as automated systolic array generation, automated source-to-source transformation based on graph-based neural networks and meta learning, and support of domain-specific languages widely used in the software community. I hope to see the ICCAD community in joining the effort of broadening the participation of IC designs and customized computing.
Automated Cryptographically-Secure Private Computing: From Logic and Mixed-Protocol Optimization to Centralized and Federated ML Customization

Over the last four decades, much research effort has been dedicated to designing cryptographically-secure methods for computing on encrypted data. However, despite the great progress in research, adoption of the sophisticated crypto methodologies has been rather slow and limited in practical settings. Presently used heuristic and trusted third party solutions fall short in guaranteeing the privacy requirements for the contemporary massive datasets, complex AI algorithms, and the emerging collaborative/distributed computing scenarios such as blockchains.

In this talk, we outline the challenges in the state-of-the-art protocols for computing on encrypted data with an emphasis on the emerging centralized, federated, and distributed learning scenarios. We discuss how in recent years, giant strides have been made in this field by leveraging optimization and design automation methods including logic synthesis, protocol selection, and automated co-design/co-optimization of cryptographic protocols, learning algorithm, software, and hardware. Proof of concept would be demonstrated in the design of COINN, the present state-of-the-art framework for cryptographically-secure deep learning on encrypted data. We conclude by discussing the practical challenges in the emerging private robust learning and distributed/federated computing scenarios as well as the opportunities ahead.
Keynote Speaker - Shankar Krishnamoorthy

Shankar Krishnamoorthy
General Manager, Silicon Realization Group, Synopsys

Shankar Krishnamoorthy is the General Manager of the Silicon Realization Group, leading the team behind the design and verification software platforms from Synopsys. His group innovates across a broad spectrum of EDA technologies including simulation, static analysis, debug, synthesis, signoff analysis, place-and-route, test automation, and formal verification solutions. Prior to this role, he was General Manager of the Digital Design Group, with responsibility for the Synopsys digital design platform. In earlier roles, he served as Senior Vice President of the Digital Implementation Group, delivering several game-changing innovations including Fusion Compiler™, RTL Architect, 3DIC Compiler, and TestMAX solutions. Before rejoining Synopsys in 2017, Shankar was at Mentor Graphics, where he served as General Manager of the IC Design Solutions Division. He joined Mentor in 2007 with the acquisition of Sierra Design Automation, where he was Founder and CTO. Prior to Sierra Design, Shankar led Synopsys' physical synthesis and logic synthesis R&D organizations. Shankar received his M.S. in Computer Science from the University of Texas, Austin, and his bachelor’s degree in Computer Science from the Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay.

Atoms To Silicon to Systems Hyper-Convergence: The Way Forward in the Angstrom Era

AI, fueled by semiconductor compute power, is driving the growing intelligence in the ‘smart everything’ world we live in. Silicon is at the heart of the new wave of products enabling this intelligence. At the same time, chips’ scaling, performance, energy efficiency and cost are being challenged like never before.

In this keynote, Shankar Krishnamoorthy, general manager of the EDA Group at Synopsys shares his views on why it is imperative for the semiconductor industry to take a holistic atom to silicon to systems approach to address these challenges and what solutions are needed to realize the next wave of semiconductor innovations.
CADathlon: Sunday, October 30

CADathlon 2022 will be held in the hybrid format, you will be competing against the bests around the world.

The CADathlon is a challenging, all-day, programming competition focusing on practical problems at the forefront of Computer-Aided Design, and Electronic Design Automation in particular. The contest emphasizes the knowledge of algorithmic techniques for CAD applications, problem-solving and programming skills, as well as teamwork. As the “Olympic games of EDA,” the contest brings together the best and the brightest of the next generation of CAD professionals. It gives academia and the industry a unique perspective on challenging problems and rising stars, and it also helps attract top graduate students to the EDA field.

The contest is open to two-person teams of undergraduate/graduate students specializing in CAD and currently full-time enrolled in a Ph.D. granting institution in any country. Students are selected based on their academic backgrounds and their relevant EDA programming experiences. Partial or full travel grants are provided to qualifying students. CADathlon competition consists of six problems in the following areas:

- Circuit Design & Analysis
- Physical Design & Design for Manufacturability
- Logic & High-Level Synthesis
- System Design & Analysis
- Functional Verification & Testing
- Future technologies (Bio-EDA, Security, AI, etc.)

More specific information about the problems and relevant research papers will be released on the Internet one week prior to the competition. The writers and judges that construct and review the problems are experts in EDA from both academia and industry. At the contest, students will be given the problem statements and example test data, but they will not have the judges’ test data. Solutions will be judged on correctness and efficiency. Where appropriate, partial credit might be given.

The team that earns the highest score is declared the winner. In addition to handsome trophies, the first place and the second-place teams receive cash award, and the contest winners will be announced at the ICCAD conference.

Organization Committee:

Chair: Pei-Yu Billy Lee (MediaTek, Taiwan)
Co-chair: Yu-Guang Chen (National Central University, Taiwan)
Co-chair: Jeff (Jun) Zhang (Arizona State University)
### Day-at-a-Glance: Monday, October 31

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| 8:30-10:00am     |            | **Monte Carlo & St. Tropez Combined** | **Opening & Keynote**
|                  |            |             | **Democratizing IC Design and Customized Computing** |
|                  |            |             | **Jason Cong, UCLA & CDSC** |
| 10:00-10:30am    |            | **Foyer** | **Coffee Break** |
| 10:30am-12:30pm  | 1A – Special Session: The Role of Graph Neural Networks in Electronic Design Automation | 1B – Compiler and System-level Techniques for Efficient Machine Learning | 1C – Special Session: Addressing Sensor Security through Hardware/Software Co-design | 1D – Advances in Partitioning and Physical Optimization |
| 11:00am-1:00pm   |            |            | **Private Dining Room** | **SRC Poster** |
| 12:30-1:30pm     |            |            | **Bayside Terrace (Pavilion if raining)** | Lunch |
| 1:45-3:45pm      | 2A – Special Session: Democratizing Design Automation with Open-Source tools: perspectives, opportunities, and challenges | 2B – Accelerators on A New Horizon | 2C – Special Session: CAD for Confidentiality of Hardware IPS | 2D – Analyzing Reliability, Defects and Patterning |
| 3:45-4:15pm      |            | **Foyer** | **Coffee Break** |
| 4:15-5:45pm      | 3A – New Frontier in Verification Technology | 3B – Lower Power Edge Intelligence | 3C – Crossbars, Analog Accelerators for Neural Networks and Neuromorphic Computing based on Printed Electronics | 3D – Designing DNN Accelerators |
| 6:00-7:00pm      | **Cadence –Accelerating Innovation** | **6:00-7:30 SRC Oral** |

**Special Session** | **Keynote** | **Social**

**Industry Sponsor Session** | **Competition**
## Day-at-a-Glance: Tuesday, November 1

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- **Terazza Ballroom**
  - Speaker Breakfast

- **Foyer**
  - Coffee Break

- **Pavilion**
  - CEDA Keynote Lunch (first come, first served)
  - Automated Cryptographically-Secure Private Computing: From Logic and Mixed-Protocol Optimization to Centralized and Federated ML Customization
    - **Farinaz Koushanfar, UCSD**

- **Foyer**
  - Coffee Break

- **Pavilion**
  - Job Fair & SIGDA Dinner (first come, first served)

### Tutorial

- **Special Session**
- **Keynote**
- **Social**
## Day-at-a-Glance: Wednesday, November 2

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10B – Analog/Mixed-Signal Simulation, Layout and Packaging  
10C – Advanced PIM and Biochip Technology and Stochastic Computing  
10D – On Automating Heterogeneous Designs  
Virtual Job Fair |
| 7:10-8:30am | 11A – Special Session: Quantum Computing to Solve Chemistry, Physics and Security Problems  
11B – Make Patterning Work  
11C – Advanced Verification Technologies  
11D – Routing with Cell Movement |

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Atoms to Silicon to Systems Hyper-Convergence: The Way Forward in the Angstrom Era  
*Shankar Krishnamoorthy, Synopsys* |
| 10:00-10:30am | **Foyer**  
Coffee Break |
| 10:30am-12:30pm | 12A – Special Session: Hardware Security Through Reconfigurability: Attacks, Defenses, and Challenges  
12B – Performance, Power and Temperature Aspects in Deep Learning  
12C – Tutorial: TorchQuantum: A Fast Library for Parameterized Quantum Circuits  
12D – Emerging Machine Learning Primitives: from Technology to Application |
| 12:30-1:30pm | **Bayside Terrace (Pavilion if raining)**  
Lunch |
| 1:45-3:15pm | 13A – Design for Low Energy, Low Resources but High Quality  
13B – Microarchitectural Attacks and Countermeasures  
13C – Genetic Circuits meet Ising Machines  
TinyML Competition |
| 3:15-3:45pm | **Foyer**  
Coffee Break |
| 3:45-5:45pm | 14A – Energy Efficient Neural Networks via Approximate Computation  
14B – Algorithms and Tools for Security Analysis and Secure Hardware Design  
14C – Special Session: Making ML reliable: From devices to systems to software  
14D – Autonomous Systems and Machine Learning on Embedded Systems |
1A Special Session: The Role of Graph Neural Networks in Electronic Design Automation
Session Chair: Jeyavijayan Rajendran (Texas A&M)

Why Should You Use Graph Neural Network for VLSI Design Automation?
Haoxing Ren (NVIDIA Corporation)
Sid Nath (NVIDIA Corporation)
Yan Zhang (NVIDIA Corporation)
Hao Chen (University of Texas at Austin)
Mingjie Liu (University of Texas at Austin)

On Advancing Physical Design using Graph Neural Networks
Yi-Chen Lu (Georgia Institute of Technology)
Sung Kyu Lim (Georgia Institute of Technology)

Applying GNNs to Timing Estimation at RTL
Daniela Sánchez Lopera (Infineon Technologies AG, Germany and Technical University of Munich, Germany)
Wolfgang Ecker (Infineon Technologies AG, Germany and Technical University of Munich, Germany)

Embracing Graph Neural Networks for Hardware Security
Lilas Alrahis (New York University Abu Dhabi)
Satwik Patnaik (Texas A&M University)
Muhammad Shafique (New York University Abu Dhabi)
Ozgur Sinanoglu (New York University Abu Dhabi)

Graph Neural Network Techniques for Digital and Analog Design Predictions
Jiang Hu (Texas A&M University)
Technical Program: Monday, October 31

10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, Monte Carlo
1B Compiler and System-level Techniques for Efficient Machine Learning
Session Chair: Sri Parameswaran (UNSW)
Session Co-Chair: Martin Rapp (KIT)

Fine-Granular Computation and Data Layout Reorganization for Improving Locality
Mahmut Kandemir (PSU)
Xulong Tang (University of Pittsburgh)
Jagadish Kotra (AMD Research)
Mustafa Karakoy (TUBITAK-BILGEM)

An MLIR-based Compiler Flow for System-Level Design and Hardware Acceleration
Nicolas Bohm Agostini (Northeastern University)
Serena Curzel (Politecnico di Milano)
Vinay Amatya (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Cheng Tan (Microsoft)
Marco Minutoli (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Vito Giovanni Castellana (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Joseph Manzano (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
David Kaeli (Northeastern University)
Antonino Tumeo (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)

Physics-aware Differentiable Discrete Codesign for Diffractive Optical Neural Networks
Yingjie Li (University of Utah)
Ruiyang Chen (University of Utah)
Weilu Gao (University of Utah)
Cunxi Yu (University of Utah)

Big-Little Chiplets for In-Memory Acceleration of DNNs: A Scalable Heterogeneous Architecture
Gokul Krishnan (Arizona State University)
A. Alper Goksoy (University of Wisconsin – Madison)
Sumit Mandal (University of Wisconsin-Madison)
Zhenyu Wang (Arizona State University)
Chaitali Chakrabarti (Arizona State University)
Jae-sun Seo (Arizona State University)
Umit Ogras (University of Wisconsin – Madison)
Yu Cao (Arizona State University)
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, Riviera
1C Special Session: Addressing Sensor Security through Hardware/Software Co-design
Session Chair: Marilyn Wolf (University of Nebraska)

Attacks on Image Sensors
Marilyn Wolf (University of Nebraska — Lincoln)
Kruttidipta Samal (University of Nebraska — Lincoln)

False Data Injection Attacks on Sensor Systems
Dimitrios Serpanos (Computer Technology Institute and University of Patras)

Stochastic Mixed-Signal Circuit Design for In-sensor Privacy
Ningyuan Cao (University of Notre Dame)
Jianbo Liu (University of Notre Dame)
Boyang Cheng (University of Notre Dame)
Muya Chang (University of Notre Dame)

Sensor Security: Current Progress, Research Challenges, and Future Roadmap
Anomadarshi Barua (University of California, Irvine)
Mohammad Abdullah Al Faruque (University of California, Irvine)
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, Capri
1D Advances in Partitioning and Physical Optimization
Session Chair: Markus Olbrich (Leibniz Universität Hannover)
Session Co-Chair: Yu-Guang Chen (National Central University)

SpecPart: A Supervised Spectral Framework for Hypergraph Partitioning Solution Improvement Best Paper Award – Back-End
Ismail Bustany (AMD)
Andrew Kahng (UCSD)
Ioannis Koutis (New Jersey Institute of Technology)
Bodhisatta Pramanik (Iowa State University)
Zhiang Wang (University of California San Diego)

HyperEF: Spectral Hypergraph Coarsening by Effective-Resistance Clustering
Ali Aghdaei (Stevens Institute of Technology)
Zhuo Feng (Stevens Institute of Technology)

Design and Technology Co-optimization Utilizing Multi-bit Flip-flop Cells
Soomin Kim (Seoul National University)
Taewhan Kim (Seoul National University)

Transitive Closure Graph-Based Warpage-aware Floorplanning for Package Designs
Yang Hsu (National Taiwan University)
Min-Hsuan Chung (National Taiwan University)
Yao-Wen Chang (National Taiwan University)
Ci-Hong Lin (CoreTech System Co., Ltd.)
2A Special Session: Democratizing Design Automation with Open-Source tools: perspectives, opportunities, and challenges

Session Chair: Antonino Tumeo (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)

A Mixed Open-Source and Proprietary EDA Commons for Education and Prototyping
Andrew Kahng (UCSD)

SODA Synthesizer: An Open-source, Multi-level, Modular, Extensible compiler from High-level Frameworks to Silicon

Nicolas Bohm Agostini (PNNL & Northeastern University)
Ankur Limaye (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Serena Curzel (PNNL & Politecnico di Milano)
Marco Minutoli (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Vito Giovanni Castellana (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Joseph Manzano (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)
Fabrizio Ferrandi (Politecnico di Milano)
Antonino Tumeo (Pacific Northwest National Laboratory)

OpenFPGA & LSOracle: Open-source FPGA Synthesis Guided by Machine Learning

Scott Temple (University of Utah)
Ashton Snelgrove (University of Utah)
Grant Brown (University of Utah)
Pierre-Emmanuel Gaillardon (University of Utah)

A Scalable Methodology for Agile Chip Development with Open-Source Hardware Components

Maico Cassel dos Santos (Columbia University)
Tianyu Jia (Harvard University)
Martin Cochet (IBM Research)
Karthik Swaminathan (IBM Research)
Joseph Zuckerman (Columbia University)
Paolo Mantovani (Columbia University)
Davide Giri (Columbia University)
Jeff Jun Zhang (Harvard University)
Erik Jens Loscalzo (Columbia University)
Gabriele Tombesi (Columbia University)
Kevin Tien (IBM Research)
Nandhini Chandramoorthy (IBM Research)
John-David Wellman (IBM Research)
David Brooks (Harvard University)
Gu-Yeon Wei (Harvard University)
Kenneth Shepard (Columbia University)
Luca P. Carloni (Columbia University)
Pradip Bose (IBM Research)
1:45 PM – 3:45 PM, Monte Carlo
2B Accelerators on A New Horizon
Session Chair: Vaibhav Verma (Qualcomm)
Session Co-Chair: Georgios Zervakis (KIT)

GraphRC: Accelerating Graph Processing on Dual-addressing Memory with Vertex Merging
   Wei Cheng (National Cheng Kung University)
   Chun-Feng Wu (Harvard University)
   Yuan-Hao Chang (Academia Sinica)
   Ing-Chao Lin (National Cheng Kung University)

Spatz: A Compact Vector Processing Unit for High-Performance and Energy-Efficient Shared-L1 Clusters
   Matheus Cavalcante (ETH Zurich)
   Domenic Wuethrich (ETH Zürich)
   Matteo Perotti (ETH Zürich)
   Samuel Riedel (ETH Zurich)
   Luca Benini (Universite di Bologna and ETH Zurich)

Qilin: Enabling Performance Analysis and Optimization of Shared-Virtual Memory Systems with FPGA Accelerators
   Edward Richter (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
   Deming Chen (UIUC)

ReSiPI: A Reconfigurable Silicon-Photonic 2.5D Chiplet Network with PCMs for Energy-Efficient Interposer Communication
   Ebadollah Taheri (Colorado State University)
   Sudeep Pasricha (Colorado State University)
   Mahdi Nikdast (Colorado State University)

1:45 PM – 3:45 PM, Riviera
2C Special Session: CAD for Confidentiality of Hardware IPS
Session Chair: Swarup Bhunia (University of Florida)

Hardware IP Protection against Confidentiality Attacks and Evolving Role of CAD Tool
   Swarup Bhunia (University of Florida)
   Amitabh Das (AMD)
   Saverio Fazzari (Booz Allen Hamilton)
   Vivian Kammler (Sandia National Laboratories)
   David Kehlet (Intel)
   Jeyavijayan Rajendran (Texas A&M University)
   Ankur Srivastava (University of Maryland)
Pin Accessibility and Routing Congestion Aware DRC Hotspot Prediction using Graph Neural Network and U-Net
   Kyeonghyeon Baek (Seoul National University)
   Hyunbum Park (Seoul National University)
   Suwan Kim (Seoul National University)
   Kyu-Myung Choi (Seoul National University)
   Taewhan Kim (Seoul National University)

A Novel Semi-Analytical Approach for Fast Electromigration Stress Analysis in Multi-Segment Interconnects
   Olympia Axelou (University of Thessaly)
   Nestor Evmorfopoulos (University of Thessaly)
   George Floros (University of Thessaly)
   Georgios Stamoulis (University of Thessaly)
   Sachin S. Sapatnekar (University of Minnesota)

HierPINN-EM: Fast Learning-Based Electromigration Analysis for Multi-Segment Interconnects Using Hierarchical Physics-informed Neural Network
   Wentian Jin (University of California, Riverside)
   Liang Chen (University of California, Riverside)
   Subed Lamichhane (University of California, Riverside)
   Mohammadimir Kavousi (University of California, Riverside)
   Sheldon Tan (University of California at Riverside)

Sub-resolution Assist Feature Generation with Reinforcement Learning and Transfer Learning
   Guan Ting Liu (National Taiwan University)
   Wei-Chen Tai (National Taiwan University)
   Yi-Ting Lin (National Taiwan University)
   Iris Hui-Ru Jiang (National Taiwan University)
   James Shiely (Synopsys)
   Pu-Jen Cheng (National Taiwan University)
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4:15 PM – 5:45 PM, St. Tropez
3A New Frontier in Verification Technology
Session Chair: Jyotirmoy Vinay Deshmukh (University of South California)
Session Co-Chair: Zahra Ghodsi (University of California, San Diego)

Automatic Test Configuration and Pattern Generation (ATCPG) for Neuromorphic Chips
I-Wei Chiu (National Taiwan University)
Xin-Ping Chen (National Taiwan University)
Jennifer Hu (Ming Chuan University)
James Chien-Mo Li (National Taiwan University)

ScaleHD: Robust Brain-Inspired Hyperdimensional Computing via Adapative Scaling
Sizhe Zhang (Villanova University)
Mohsen Imani (University of California Irvine)
Xun Jiao (Villanova University)

Quantitative Verification and Design Space Exploration Under Uncertainty with Parametric Stochastic Contracts
Chanwook Oh (University of Southern California)
Michele Lora (University of Southern California)
Pierluigi Nuzzo (University of Southern California)

4:15 PM – 5:45 PM, Monte Carlo
3B Low Power Edge Intelligence
Session Chair: Sabya Das (Synopsys)
Session Co-Chair: Jiang Hu (TAMU)

Reliable Machine Learning for Wearable Activity Monitoring: Novel Algorithms and Theoretical Guarantees
Dina Hussein (Washington State University)
Taha Belkhouja (Washington State University)
Ganapati Bhat (Washington State University)
Jana Doppa (Washington State University)

Neurally-Inspired Hyperdimensional Classification for Efficient and Robust Biosignal Processing
Yang Ni (University of California, Irvine)
Nicholas Lesica (University College London)
Fan-Gang Zeng (University of California, Irvine)
Mohsen Imani (University of California Irvine)

EVE: Environmental Adaptive Neural Network Models for Low-power Energy Harvesting System
Sahidul Islam (The University of Texas at San Antonio)
Shanglin Zhou (University of Connecticut)
Ran Shingling (Lehigh University)
Yufang Jin (UTSA)
Wujie Wen (Lehigh University)
Caiwen Ding (University of Connecticut)
Mimi Xie (The University of Texas at San Antonio)
Designing Energy-Efficient Decision Tree Memristor Crossbar Circuits using Binary Classification Graphs
Pranav Sinha (Oakland University)
Sunny Raj (Oakland University)

Fuse and Mix: MACAM-Enabled Analog Activation for Energy-Efficient Neural Acceleration
Hangqing Zhu (University of Texas at Austin)
Keren Zhu (University of Texas at Austin)
Jiaqi Gu (The University of Texas at Austin)
Harrison Jin (The University of Texas at Austin)
Ray Chen (The University of Texas at Austin)
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Aging-Aware Training for Printed Neuromorphic Circuits
Haibin Zhao (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
Michael Hefenbrock (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
Michael Beigl (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
Mehdi Tahoori (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)

Workload-Balanced Graph Attention Network Accelerator with Top-K Aggregation Candidates
Naebeom Park (Pohang University of Science and Technology)
Daehyun Ahn (Pohang University of Science and Technology)
Jae-Joon Kim (Seoul National University)

Re2fresh: A Framework for Mitigating Read Disturbance in ReRAM-based DNN Accelerators
Hyein Shin (KAIST)
Myeonggu Kang (Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology)
Lee-Sup Kim (KAIST)

FastStamp: Accelerating Neural Steganography and Digital Watermarking of Images on FPGAs
Shehzeen Hussain (UC San Diego)
Nojan Sheybani (UC San Diego)
Paarth Neekhara (UCSD)
Xinqiao Zhang (University of California San Diego)
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*Academic Network Program Director*

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Fuping Li (Chinese Academy of Sciences)
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Yujie Wang (Chinese Academy of Sciences)
Yinhe Han (Chinese Academy of Sciences)
Huawei Li (Chinese Academy of Sciences)
Xiaowei Li (Chinese Academy of Sciences)

Accelerating Cache Coherence in Manycore Processor through Silicon Photonic Chiplet
Chengeng Li (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Fan Jiang (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Shixi Chen (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Jiaxu Zhang (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Yinyi Liu (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Yuxiang Fu (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Jiang Xu (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)

Re-LSM: A ReRAM-based Processing-in-Memory Framework for LSM-based Key-Value Store
Qian Wei (Shandong University)
Zhaoyan Shen (Shandong University)
Yiheng Tong (Shandong University)
Zhiping Jia (Shandong University)
Lei Ju (Shandong University)
Jiezhi Chen (Shandong University)
Bingzhe Li (Oklahoma State University)
Hidden-ROM: A Compute-in-ROM Architecture to Deploy Large-Scale Neural Networks on Chip with Flexible and Scalable Post-Fabrication Task Transfer Capability
  Yiming Chen (Tsinghua University)
  Guodong Yin (Tsinghua University)
  Mingyen Lee (Tsinghua University)
  Wenjun Tang (Tsinghua University)
  Zekun Yang (Tsinghua University)
  Yongpan Liu (Tsinghua University)
  Huazhong Yang (Tsinghua University)
  Xueqing Li (Tsinghua University)

DCIM-GCN: Digital Computing-in-Memory to Efficiently Accelerate Graph Convolutional Networks
  Yikan Qiu (Peking University)
  Yufei Ma (Peking University)
  Wentao Zhao (Peking University)
  Meng Wu (Peking University)
  Le Ye (Peking University)
  Ru Huang (Peking University)

Hardware Computation Graph for DNN Accelerator Design Automation without Inter-PU Templates
  Jun Li (Nanjing University)
  Wei Wang (Nanjing University)
  Wu-Jun Li (Nanjing University)
Dynamic Frequency Boosting beyond Critical Path Delay
   Nikolaos Zompakis (Trimsignal)
   Sotirios Xydis (Harokopio University of Athens)

ASPPLN: Accelerated Symbolic Probability Propagation in Logic Network
   Weihua Xiao (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
   Weikang Qian (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)

A High-precision Stochastic Solver for Steady-state Thermal Analysis with Fourier Heat Transfer Robin Boundary Conditions
   Longlong Yang (Fudan University)
   Cuiyang Ding (Fudan University)
   Changhao Yan (Fudan University)
   Dian Zhou (University of Texas at Dallas)
   Xuan Zeng (Fudan University)

Superfast Full-Scale GPU-Accelerated Global Routing
   Shiju Lin (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
   Martin Wong (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

X-Check: GPU-Accelerated Design Rule Checking via Parallel Sweepline Algorithms
   Zhuolun He (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
   Yuzhe Ma (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Guangzhou))
   Bei Yu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

GPU-Accelerated Rectilinear Steiner Tree Generation
   Zizheng Guo (Peking University)
   Feng Gu (Peking University)
   Yibo Lin (Peking University)
HECTOR: A Multi-level Intermediate Representation for Hardware Synthesis Methodologies
  Ruifan Xu (Peking University)
  Youwei Xiao (Peking University)
  Jin Luo (Peking University)
  Yun (Eric) Liang (Peking University)

QCIR: Pattern Matching Based Universal Quantum Circuit Optimization Framework
  Mingyu Chen (University of Science and Technology of China)
  Yu Zhang (University of Science and Technology of China)
  YongShang Li (University of Science and Technology of China)
  Zhen Wang (University of Science and Technology of China)
  Jun Li (University of Science and Technology of China)
  Xiang-Yang Li (University of Science and Technology of China)

Batch Sequential Black-box Optimization with Embedding Alignment Cells for Logic Synthesis
  Chang Feng (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
  Wenlong Lyu (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
  Zhitang Chen (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
  Junjie Ye (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
  Mingxuan Yuan (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
  Jianye Hao (Tianjin University)

Heterogeneous Graph Neural Network-based Imitation Learning for Gate Sizing Acceleration
  Xinyi Zhou (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
  Junjie Ye (Huawei)
  Chak-Wa Pui (Huawei)
  Kun Shao (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
  Guangliang Zhang (Huawei)
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  Pheng Ann Heng (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
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5B Smart Search (Virtual)
Session Chair: Jianlei Yang (Beihang)

NASA: Neural Architecture Search and Acceleration for Hardware Inspired Hybrid Networks
Huihong Shi (Georgia Tech)
Haoran You (Georgia Tech)
Yang Zhao (Georgia Tech)
Yingyan Lin (Georgia Tech)
Zhongfeng Wang (Georgia Tech)

Personalized Heterogeneity-aware Federated Search Towards Better Accuracy and Energy Efficiency
Zhao Yang (Northwestern Polytechnical University)
Qingshuang Sun (Northwestern Polytechnical University)

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5C Reconfigurable Computing: Accelerators and Methodologies I (Virtual)
Session Chair: Cheng Tan (Microsoft)

Towards High Performance and Accurate BNN Inference on FPGA with Structured Fine-Grained Pruning
Keqi Fu (Southeast University)
Zhi Qi (Southeast University)
Jiaxuan Cai (Southeast University)
Xulong Shi (Southeast University)

Towards High-Quality CGRA Mapping with Graph Neural Networks and Reinforcement Learning
Yan Zhuang (Chongqing University)
Zhihao Zhang (Chongqing University)
Dajiang Liu (Chongqing University)
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Attack Directories on ARM big.LITTLE Processors Best Paper Award – Front-End
  Zili Kou (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
  Sharad Sinha (Indian Institute of Technology Goa)
  Wenjian HE (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
  Wei ZHANG (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)

AntiSIFA-CAD: A Framework to Thwart SIFA at the Layout Level
  Rajat Sadhukhan (Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur)
  Sayandeep Saha (School of Physical and Mathematical Sciences, NTU Singapore)
  Debdeep Mukhopadhyay (Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur)
A Stochastic Approach to Handle Non-Determinism in Deep Learning-Based Design Rule Violation Predictions

Rongjian Liang (NVIDIA)
Hua Xiang (IBM Research)
Jinwook Jung (IBM Research)
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Obstacle-Avoiding Multiple Redistribution Layer Routing with Irregular Structures

Yen-Ting Chen (National Taiwan University)
Yao-Wen Chang (National Taiwan University)

TAG: Learning Circuit Spatial Embedding from Layouts

Keren Zhu (University of Texas at Austin)
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Walker Turner (NVIDIA Corporation)
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6B Physical Attacks and Countermeasures
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  Huifeng Zhu (Washington University in St. Louis)
  Zhiyuan Yu (Washington University in St. Louis)
  Weidong Cao (Washington University in St. Louis)
  Ning Zhang (Washington University in St. Louis)
  Xuan Zhang (Washington University in St. Louis)

A Combined Logical and Physical Attack on Logic Obfuscation
  Michael Zuzak (University of Maryland, College Park)
  Yuntao Liu (University of Maryland, College Park)
  Isaac McDaniel (University of Maryland, College Park)
  Ankur Srivastava (University of Maryland, College Park)

A Pragmatic Methodology for Blind Hardware Trojan Insertion in Finalized Layouts
  Alexander Hepp (Technical University of Munich)
  Tiago Diadami Perez (Taltech)
  Samuel Pagliarini (Tallinn University of Technology (TalTech))
  Georg Sigl (Technical University of Munich/Fraunhofer AISEC)

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM, Riviera
6C Tutorial: Polynomial Formal Verification: Ensuring Correctness under Resource Constraints
Session Chair: Rolf Drechsler (University of Bremen/DFKI)

Polynomial Formal Verification: Ensuring Correctness under Resource Constraints
  Rolf Drechsler (University of Bremen/DFKI)
  Alireza Mahzoon (University of Bremen)
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM, Capri
6D Scalable Verification Technologies
Session Chair: Viraphol Chaiyakul (Belmont Computing)
Session Co-Chair: Alex Orailoglu (University of California, San Diego)

Arjun: An Efficient Independent Support Computation Technique and its Applications to Counting and Sampling
Mate Soos (National University of Singapore)
Kuldeep S Meel (National University of Singapore)

Compositional Verification Using a Formal Component and Interface Specification
Yue Xing (Princeton University)
Huaixi Lu (Princeton University)
Aarti Gupta (Princeton University)
Sharad Malik (Princeton University)

Usage-Based RTL Subsetting for Hardware Accelerators
Qinhan Tan (Princeton University)
Aarti Gupta (Princeton University)
Sharad Malik (Princeton University)
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM, St. Tropez
7A Optimizing Digital Design Aspects: From Gate Sizing to Multi-Bit Flip-Flops
Session Chair: Amit Gupta (AMD, Inc.)
Session Co-Chair: Kerim Kalafala (IBM Corporation)

**TransSizer: A Novel Transformer-Based Fast Gate Sizer** Best Paper Award Nomination
Siddhartha Nath (NVIDIA Corp)
Geraldo Pradipta (NVIDIA Corp)
Corey Hu (NVIDIA Corp)
Tian Yang (NVIDIA Corp)
Brucek Khailany (NVIDIA Corp)
Haoxing Ren (NVIDIA Corp)

**Generation of Mixed-Driving Multi-Bit Flip-Flops for Power Optimization**
Meng-Yun Liu (National Tsing Hua University)
Yu-Cheng Lai (National Tsing Hua University)
Wai-Kei Mak (National Tsing Hua University)
Ting-Chi Wang (National Tsing Hua University)

**DEEP: Developing Extremely Efficient Runtime On-Chip Power Meters**
Zhiyao Xie (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Shiyu Li (Duke University)
Mingyuan Ma (Duke University)
Chen-Chia Chang (Duke University)
Jingyu Pan (Duke University)
Yiran Chen (Duke University)
Jiang Hu (Texas A&M University)
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM, Monte Carlo
7B Energy Efficient Hardware Acceleration and Stochastic Computing
Session Chair: Sunil Khatri (TAMU)
Session Co-Chair: Anish Krishnakumar (U of Wisconsin)

**ReD-LUT: Reconfigurable In-DRAM LUTs Enabling Massive Parallel Computation**
- Ranyang Zhou (New Jersey Institute of Technology)
- Arman Roohi (University of Nebraska – Lincoln)
- Durga Misra (New Jersey Institute of Technology)
- Shaahin Angizi (New Jersey Institute of Technology)

**Sparse-T: Hardware accelerator thread for unstructured sparse data processing**
- Pranathi Vasireddy (University of North Texas)
- Krishna Kavi (University of North Texas)
- Gayatri Mehta (University of North Texas)

**Sound Source Localization using Stochastic Computing**
- Peter Schober (TU Wien)
- Seyyedeh Newsha Estiri (University of Louisiana at Lafayette)
- Sercan Aygun (University of Louisiana at Lafayette)
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- M. Hassan Najafi (University of Louisiana at Lafayette)

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM, Riviera
7C Special Session: Approximate Computing and the Efficient Machine Learning Expedition
Session Chair: Medhi Tahoori (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)

**Approximate Computing and the Efficient Machine Learning Expedition**
- Approximate Computing and ML: A match made in heaven
- Efficient Processing-in-Memory Design for Transformer-based Models
- Extremely Resource Constrained ML Inference via Approximation and Codesign
  - Jörg Henkel (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
  - Hai Li (Duke University)
  - Anand Raghunathan (Purdue University)
  - Mehdi Tahoori (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
  - Swagath Venkataramani (IBM Research)
  - Xiaoxuan Yang (Duke University)
  - Georgios Zervakis (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology)
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#### 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM, Capri
7D Co-search Methods and Tools
Session Chair: Cunxi Yu (University of Utah)
Session Co-Chair: Yingyan “Celine” Lin (Georgia Tech)

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Deep Learning Toolkit-Accelerated Analytical Co-optimization of CNN Hardware and Dataflow
Rongjian Liang (NVIDIA), Jianfeng Song (Texas A&M University), Bo Yuan (Rutgers University), Jiang Hu (Texas A&M University)

HDTorch: Accelerating Hyperdimensional Computing with GP-GPUs for Design Space Exploration
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#### 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM, St. Tropez
8A Reconfigurable Computing: Accelerators and Methodologies II
Session Chair: Peipei Zhou (University of Pittsburgh)

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Carl-Johannes Johnsen (University of Copenhagen), Tiziano De Matteis (ETH Zurich), Tal Ben-Nun (ETH Zurich), Johannes de Fine Licht (ETH Zurich), Torsten Hoeffer (ETH Zurich)
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2:00 PM – 3:00 PM, Monte Carlo
8B Compute-in-Memory for Neural Networks
Session Chair: Bo Yuan (Rutgers University)

ISSA: Input-Skippable, Set-Associative Computing-in-Memory (SA-CIM) Architecture for Neural Network Accelerators
Yun-Chen Lo (National Tsing Hua University)
Chih-Chen Yeh (National Tsing Hua University)
Jun-Shen Wu (National Tsing Hua University)
Chia-Chun Wang (National Tsing Hua University)
Yu-Chih Tsai (National Tsing Hua University)
Wen-Chien Ting (National Tsing Hua University)
Ren-Shuo Liu (National Tsing Hua University)

Computing-In-Memory Neural Network Accelerators for Safety-Critical Systems: Can Small Weight Variations Be Disastrous?
Zheyu Yan (University of Notre Dame)
X. Sharon Hu (University of Notre Dame)
Yiyu Shi (University of Notre Dame)

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM, Riviera
8C Breakthroughs in Synthesis – Infrastructure and ML Assist II
Session Chair: Sunil Khatri (Texas A&M University)
Session Co-Chair: Cunxi Yu (The University of Utah)

Language Equation Solving via Boolean Automata Manipulation
Wan-Hsuan Lin (National Taiwan University)
Chia-Hsuan Su (National Taiwan University)
Jie-Hong Roland Jiang (National Taiwan University)

How Good is Your Verilog RTL Code? A Quick Answer from Machine Learning
Prianka Sengupta (Texas A&M University)
Aakash Tyagi (Texas A&M University)
Yiran Chen (Duke University)
Jiang Hu (Texas A&M University)
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM, Capri
8D In-Memory Computing Revisited
Session Chair: Biresh Kumar Joardar (University of Houston)
Session Co-Chair: Ulf Schlichtmann (Technical University of Munich)

Logic Synthesis for Digital In-Memory Computing Best Paper Award Nomination
Muhammad Rashedul Haq Rashed (University of Central Florida)
Sumit Kumar Jha (University of Texas at San Antonio)
Rickard Ewetz (University of Central Florida)

Design Space and Memory Technology Co-exploration for In-Memory Computing Based Machine Learning Accelerators
Kang He (Purdue University)
Indranil Chakraborty (Purdue University)
Cheng Wang (Purdue University)
Kaushik Roy (Purdue University)
Overview of 2022 CAD contest at ICCAD
Yu-Guang Chen (National Central University)
Chun-Yao Wang (National Tsing Hua University)
Tsung-Wei Huang (University of Utah)
Takashi Sato (Kyoto University)

2022 ICCAD CAD Contest Problem A: Learning Arithmetic Operations from Gate-Level Circuit
Chung-Han Chou (Cadence Taiwan, Inc.)
Chih-Jen (Jacky) Hsu (Cadence Taiwan, Inc.)
Chi-An (Rocky) Wu (Cadence Taiwan, Inc.)
Kuan-Hua Tu (Cadence Taiwan, Inc.)

2022 ICCAD CAD Contest Problem B: 3D Placement with D2D Vertical Connections
Kai-Shun Hu (Synopsys, Inc.)
I-Jye Lin (Synopsys, Inc.)
Yu-Hui Huang (Synopsys, Inc.)
Hao-Yu Chi (Synopsys, Inc.)
Yi-Hsuan Wu (Synopsys, Inc.)
Chin-Fang Cindy Shen (Synopsys, Inc.)

2022 ICCAD CAD Contest Problem C: Microarchitecture Design Space Exploration
Sicheng Li (Alibaba Group)
Chen Bai (Alibaba Group)
Xuechao Wei (Alibaba Group)
Bizhao Shi (Alibaba Group)
Yen-Kuang Chen (Alibaba Group)
Yuan Xie (Alibaba Group)

IEEE CEDA DATC: Expanding Research Foundations for IC Physical Design and ML-Enabled EDA
Jinwook Jung (IBM Research)
Andrew Kahng (University of California, San Diego)
Ravi Varadarajan (University of California, San Diego)
Zhiang Wang (University of California, San Diego)
Inhale: Enabling High-Performance and Energy-Efficient In-SRAM Cryptographic Hash for IoT
   Jingyao Zhang (University of California, Riverside)
   Elaheh Sadredini (University of California, Riverside)

Accelerating N-bit Operations over TFHE on Commodity CPU-FPGA
   Kevin Nam (Seoul National University)
   Hyunyoung Oh (Gachon University)
   Hyungon Moon (UNIST)
   Yunheung Paek (Seoul National University)

Fast and Compact Interleaved Modular Multiplication based on Carry Save Addition
   Oleg Mazonka (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Eduardo Chielle (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Deepraj Soni (New York University Tandon School of Engineering)
   Michail Maniatakos (New York University Abu Dhabi)

Accelerating Fully Homomorphic Encryption by Bridging Modular and Bit-Level Arithmetic
   Eduardo Chielle (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Oleg Mazonka (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Homer Gamil (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Michail Maniatakos (New York University Abu Dhabi)
3:30 PM – 5:30 PM, Riviera  
9C Special Session: The Dawn of Domain-specific Hardware Accelerators for Robotic Computing  
Session Chair: Dr. Jiang Hu (Texas A&M University)

A Reconfigurable Hardware Library for Robot Scene Perception
Yanqi Liu (Brown University)  
Anthony Opipari (University of Michigan)  
Odest Chadwicke Jenkins (University of Michigan)  
R. Iris Bahar (Colorado School of Mines)

Analyzing and Improving Resilience and Robustness of Autonomous Systems
Zishen Wan (Georgia Institute of Technology)  
Karthik Swaminathan (IBM T.J. Watson Research Center)  
Pin-Yu Chen (IBM T.J. Watson Research Center)  
Nandhini Chandramoorthy (IBM T.J. Watson Research Center)  
Arijit Raychowdhury (Georgia Institute of Technology)

Factor Graph Accelerator for LiDAR-Inertial Odometry
Yuhui Hao (Tianjin University)  
Bo Yu (PerceptIn)  
Qiang Liu (Tianjin University)  
Shaoshan Liu (PerceptIn)  
Yuhao Zhu (University of Rochester)

Hardware Architecture of Graph Neural Network-enabled Motion Planner
Lingyi Huang (Rutgers University)  
Xiao Zang (Rutgers University)  
Yu Gong (Rutgers University)  
Bo Yuan (Rutgers University)
3:30 PM – 5:30 PM, Capri
9D From logical to physical qubits: new models and techniques for mapping
Session Chair: Weiwen Jiang (George Mason University)

A Robust Quantum Layout Synthesis Algorithm with a Qubit Mapping Checker
Tsou-An Wu (National Taiwan University of Science and Technology)
Yun-Jhe Jiang (National Taiwan University of Science and Technology)
Shao-Yun Fang (National Taiwan University of Science and Technology)

Reinforcement Learning and DEAR Framework for Solving the Qubit Mapping Problem
Ching-Yao Huang (National Tsing Hua University)
Chi Hsiang Lien (National Tsing Hua University)
Wai-Kei Mak (National Tsing Hua University)

Qubit Mapping for Reconfigurable Atom Arrays
Bochen Tan (University of California, Los Angeles)
Dolev Bluvstein (Harvard University)
Jason Cong (University of California, Los Angeles)
Mikhail Lukin (Harvard University)

MCQA: Multi-Constraint Qubit Allocation for Near-FTQC Device
Sunghye Park (Pohang University of Science and Technology)
Dohun Kim (Pohang University of Science and Technology)
Jae-Yoon Sim (Pohang University of Science and Technology)
Seokhyeong Kang (Pohang University of Science and Technology)
ACM/IEEE EDA Job Fair

Our in-person meetings are Nov. 1st (Tuesday) 5:30 PM PT! Location: Terazza Ballroom, SAN DIEGO MISSION BAY RESORT. Join and enjoy the dinner from ACM SIGDA. We are planning to have an online session on Nov. 2nd! ACM SIGDA and IEEE CEDA will be holding their annual (1st) EDA job fair at the 2022 International Conference on Computer-Aided Design (ICCAD) conference, in-person, on November 1st (5:30 PM—7:30 PM PDT) in San Diego CA, as well as online, on November 2nd (6:00—7:00 AM PDT). The job fair is open to all attendees of the ICCAD conference. Attendees are encouraged to submit a CV or résumé for circulation beforehand. The EDA job fair is a place for students and professionals looking for internships or jobs to meet with representatives from companies and academia. In the beginning of the event, one representative from each organization has the opportunity to introduce the organization and its job opening(s). Afterward, all attendees have a chance to mingle. If you are representing a company, research organization or university and would like to participate in the job fair, please send an email with your contact information to sigdajobfair@gmail.com. In addition, all job fair participants must register (at least one-day) for the ICCAD.

Participating Companies

- Infineon Technologies AG
- Futurewei technologies
- NVIDIA
- Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL)
- MediaTek
- Zero ASIC
- Cadence
- Synopsys
- More to come!!

*Names in no particular order

Submit Your CV

As part of the job fair, attendees are encouraged to submit their CV to all of the participating companies before the job fair. This will help companies identify and possibly schedule an onsite interview with you when you attend. Please clearly indicate on your CV or résumé your availability and type of job interest, along with contact information! By uploading your CV, you are agreeing to be contacted by participating and sponsor companies about recruiting and job openings.

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Technical Program: Wednesday, November 2

6:00 AM – 7:00 AM, Virtual
10A Smart Embedded Systems (Virtual)
Session Chair: Leonidas Kosmidis (Barcelona Supercomputing Center)
Session Co-Chair: Pietro Mercati (Intel Labs)

Smart Scissor: Coupling Spatial Redundancy Reduction and CNN Compression for Embedded Hardware
Hao Kong (Nanyang Technological University)
Di Liu (Nanyang Technological University)
Shuo Huai (Nanyang Technological University)
Xiangzhong Luo (Nanyang Technological University)
Weichen Liu (Nanyang Technological University)
Ravi Subramaniam (HP Inc.)
Christian Makaya (HP Inc.)
Qian Lin (HP Inc.)

SHAPE: Scheduling of Fixed-Priority Tasks on Heterogeneous Architectures with Multi CPUs and Many PEs
Yuankai Xu (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Tiancheng He (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Ruiqi Sun (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Yehan Ma (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Yier Jin (University of Florida)
An Zou (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)

On Minimizing the Read Latency of Flash Memory to Preserve Inter-tree Locality in Random Forest
Yu-Cheng Lin (National Tsing Hua University)
Yu-Pei Liang (Chung Cheng University)
Tseng-Yi Chen (National Central University)
Yuan-Hao Chang (Academia Sinica)
Shuo-Han Chen (National Taipei University of Technology)
Wei-Kuan Shih (National Tsing Hua University)
Numerically-Stable and Highly-Scalable Parallel LU Factorization for Circuit Simulation
Xiaoming Chen (Institute of Computing Technology, Chinese Academy of Sciences)

EI-MOR: A Hybrid Exponential Integrator and Model Order Reduction Approach for Transient Power/Ground Network Analysis
Cong Wang (Southern University of Science and Technology)
Dongen Yang (Southern University of Science and Technology)
Quan Chen (Southern University of Science and Technology)

Multi-Package Co-Design for Chiplet Integration
Zhen Zhuang (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Bei Yu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Kai-Yuan Chao (Hong Kong Research Center, Huawei Technology Investment Co. Ltd.)
Tsung-Yi Ho (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Gzippo: Highly-compact Processing-In-Memory Graph Accelerator Alleviating Sparsity and Redundancy
Xing Li (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Rachata Ausavarungnirun (King Mongkut’s University of Technology North Bangkok)
Xiao Liu (Bytedance Inc)
Xueyuan Liu (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Xuan Zhang (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Heng Lu (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Zhuoran Song (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Naifeng Jing (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Xiaoyao Liang (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)

CoMUX: Combinatorial-Coding-Based High-Performance Microfluidic Control Multiplexer Design
Siyuan Liang (The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK))
Mengchu Li (Technical University of Munich)
Tsung-Ming Tseng (Technical University of Munich)
Ulf Schlichtmann (Technical University of Munich)
Tsung-Yi Ho (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

Exploiting Uniform Spatial Distribution to Design Efficient Random Number Source for Stochastic Computing
Kuncai Zhong (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Zexi Li (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Haoran Jin (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Weikang Qian (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)
Technical Program: Wednesday, November 2

6:00 AM – 6:40 AM, Virtual
10D On Automating Heterogeneous Designs (Virtual)
Session Chair: Haocheng Li (Cadence)

A Novel Blockage-avoiding Macro Placement Approach for 3D ICs based on POCS
Jai-Ming Lin (National Cheng Kung University)
Po-Chen Lu (National Cheng Kung University)
Heng-Yu Lin (National Cheng Kung University)
Jia-Ting Tsai (National Cheng Kung University)

Routability-driven Analytical Placement with Precise Penalty Models for Large-Scale 3D ICs
Jai-Ming Lin (National Cheng Kung University)
Hao-Yuan Hsieh (National Cheng Kung University)
Hsuan Kung (National Cheng Kung University)
Hao-Jia Lin (National Cheng Kung University)

7:10 AM – 8:30 AM, Virtual
11A Special Session: Quantum Computing to Solve Chemistry, Physics and Security Problems (Virtual)
Session Chair: Swaroop Ghosh (Penn State University)

Developing Scalable Algorithms to Inform Co-Design
Anne Matsuura (Intel Corporation)

Quantum Machine Learning Applications in High-Energy Physics
Andrea Delgado (Oak Ridge National Laboratory)
Kathleen Hamilton (Oak Ridge National Laboratory)

Quantum Machine Learning for Material Synthesis and Hardware Security
Collin Beaudoin (Pennsylvania State University)
Satwik Kundu (Pennsylvania State University)
Rasit Topaloglu (IBM)
Swaroop Ghosh (Pennsylvania State University)
Technical Program: Wednesday, November 2

7:10 AM – 8:30 AM, Virtual
11B Making Patterning Work (Virtual)
Session Chair: Yuzhe Ma (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Guangzhou))

DeePEB: A Neural Partial Differential Equation Solver for Post Exposure Baking Simulation in Lithography

Best Paper Award Nomination
- Qipan Wang (Peking University)
- Xiaohan Gao (Peking University)
- Yibo Lin (Peking University)
- Runsheng Wang (Peking University)
- Ru Huang (Peking University)

AdaOPC: A Self-Adaptive Mask Optimization Framework For Real Design Patterns
- Wenqian Zhao (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Xufeng Yao (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Ziyang Yu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Guojin Chen (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Yuzhe Ma (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Guangzhou))
- Bei Yu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Martin Wong (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

LayouTransformer: Generating Layout Patterns with Transformer via Sequential Pattern Modeling
- Liangjian Wen (Huawei Technologies)
- Yi Zhu (Huawei Technologies)
- Lei Ye (Huawei Technologies)
- Guojin Chen (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Bei Yu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Jianzhuang Liu (Huawei Noah’s Ark Lab)
- Chunjing Xu (Huawei Technologies)

WaferHSL: Wafer Failure Pattern Classification with Efficient Human-Like Staged Learning
- Qijing Wang (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- Martin Wong (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Technical Program: Wednesday, November 2

7:10 AM – 7:50 AM, Virtual
11C Advanced Verification Technologies (Virtual)
Session Chair: Takahide Yoshikawa (Fujitsu)

Combining Bounded Model Checking and Complementary Approximate Reachability to Accelerate Bug-Finding
Xiaoyu Zhang (East China Normal University)
Shengping Xiao (East China Normal University)
Jianwen Li (East China Normal University)
Geguang Pu (East China Normal University)
Ofer Strichman (Israel Institute of Technology)

Equivalence Checking of Dynamic Quantum Circuits
Xin Hong (University of Technology Sydney)
Yuan Feng (University of Technology Sydney)
Sanjiang Li (University of Technology Sydney)
Mingsheng Ying (Institute of Software, Chinese Academy of Sciences)

7:10 AM – 7:50 AM, Virtual
11D Routing with Cell Movement (Virtual)
Session Chair: Guojie Luo (Peking University)

ATLAS: A Two-Level Layer-Aware Scheme for Routing with Cell Movement
Xinshi Zang (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Fangzhou Wang (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Jinwei Liu (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Martin Wong (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

A Robust Global Routing Engine with High-accuracy Cell Movement under Advanced Constraints
Ziran Zhu (National ASIC System Engineering Center, Southeast University)
Fuheng Shen (National ASIC System Engineering Center, Southeast University)
Yangjie Mei (National ASIC System Engineering Center, Southeast University)
Zhipeng Huang (Peng Cheng Laboratory)
Jianli Chen (State Key Lab of ASIC & System, Fudan University)
Jun Yang (National ASIC System Engineering Center, Southeast University)
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, St. Tropez
12A Special Session: Hardware Security Through Reconfigurability: Attacks, Defenses, and Challenges
Session Chair: Michael Raitza (TU Dresden)

Securing Hardware through Reconfigurable Nano-structures
  Nima Kavand (TU Dresden)
  Armin Darjani (TU Dresden)
  Shubham Rai (TU Dresden)
  Akash Kumar (TU Dresden)

Reconfigurable Logic for Hardware IP Protection: Opportunities and Challenges
  Luca Collini (New York University)
  Benjamin Tan (University of Calgary)
  Christian Pilato (Politecnico di Milano)
  Ramesh Karri (New York University)

  Patrick Jauernig (TU Darmstadt)
  Emmanuel Stapf (TU Darmstadt)
  Ahmad-Reza Sadeghi (TU Darmstadt)
  Jeyavijayan Rajendran (Texas A&M University)

Enabling Systematic and Measurable Security Verification
  Jason Oberg (Tortuga Logic)
  Andres Meza (UC San Diego)
  Ryan Kastner (UC San Diego)
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, Monte Carlo
12B Performance, Power and Temperature Aspects in Deep Learning
Session Chair: Callie Hao (Georgia Tech)
Session Co-Chair: Jeff Zhang (ASU)

RT-NeRF: Real-Time On-Device Neural Radiance Fields Towards Immersive AR/VR Rendering
Chaojian Li (Georgia Tech)
Sixu Li (Georgia Tech)
Yang Zhao (Georgia Tech)
Wenbo Zhu (Georgia Tech)
Yingyan Lin (Georgia Tech)

All-in-One: A Highly Representative DNN Pruning Framework for Edge Devices with Dynamic Power Management
Yifan Gong (Northeastern University)
Zheng Zhan (Northeastern University)
Pu Zhao (Northeastern.edu)
Yushu Wu (Northeastern University)
Chao Wu (Northeastern University)
Caiwen Ding (University of Connecticut)
Weiwen Jiang (George Mason University)
Minghai Qin (Self-employed)
Yanzhi Wang (Northeastern University)

Robustify ML-based Lithography Hotspot Detectors
Jingyu Pan (Duke University)
Chen-Chia Chang (Duke University)
Zhiyao Xie (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Jiang Hu (Texas A&M University)
Yiran Chen (Duke University)

Associative Memory Based Experience Replay for Deep Reinforcement Learning
Mengyuan Li (University of Notre Dame)
Arman Kazemi (University of Notre Dame)
Ann Franchesca Laguna (University of Notre Dame)
X. Sharon Hu (University of Notre Dame)
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, Riviera
12C Tutorial: TorchQuantum Case Study for Robust Quantum Circuits
Session Chair: Hanrui Wang (MIT)

**TorchQuantum Case Study for Robust Quantum Circuits**

- Hanrui Wang (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
- Zhiding Liang (University of Notre Dame)
- Jiaqi Gu (The University of Texas at Austin)
- Zirui Li (SJTU)
- Yongshan Ding (Yale University)
- Weiwen Jiang (George Mason University)
- Yiyu Shi (University of Notre Dame)
- David Z. Pan (University of Texas at Austin)
- Frederic T. Chong (The University of Chicago)
- Song Han (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM, Capri
12D Emerging Machine Learning Primitives: From Technology to Application
Session Chair: Dharanidhar Dang (UC San Diego)
Session Co-Chair: Hai Helen Lee (Duke University)

COSIME: FeFET based Associative Memory for In-Memory Cosine Similarity Search
Che-Kai Liu (Zhejiang University)
Haobang Chen (Zhejiang University)
Mohsen Imani (University of California Irvine)
Kai Ni (RIT)
Arman Kazemi (University of Notre Dame)
Ann Franchesca Laguna (University of Notre Dame)
Michael Niemier (University of Notre Dame)
X. Sharon Hu (University of Notre Dame)
Liang Zhao (Zhejiang University)
Cheng Zhuo (Zhejiang University)
Xunzhao Yin (Zhejiang University)

DynaPAT: A Dynamic Pattern-Aware Encoding Technique for Robust MLC PCM-Based Deep Neural Networks
Thai Hoang Nguyen (Sungkyunkwan University)
Muhammad Imran (National University of Sciences and Technology)
Joon-Sung Yang (Yonsei University)

Graph Neural Networks for Idling Error Mitigation
Vedika Saravanan (City College of New York)
Samah Saeed (City College of New York)

Quantum Neural Network Compression
Zhirui Hu (George Mason University)
Peiyan Dong (Northeastern University)
Zhepeng Wang (George Mason University)
Youzuo Lin (Los Alamos National Laboratory)
Yanzhi Wang (Northeastern University)
Weiwen Jiang (George Mason University)
Squeezing Accumulators in Binary Neural Networks for Extremely Resource-Constrained Applications
Azat Azamat (Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology)
Jaewoo Park (Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology)
Jongeun Lee (Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology)

WSQ-AdderNet: Efficient Weight Standardization based Quantized AdderNet FPGA Accelerator Design with High-Density INT8 DSP-LUT Co-Packing Optimization
Yunxiang Zhang (Binghamton University)
Biao Sun (Tianjin University)
Weixiong Jiang (Shanghaitech University)
Yajun Ha (Shanghaitech University)
Miao Hu (TetraMem Inc.)
Wenfeng Zhao (Binghamton University)

Low-Cost 7T-SRAM Compute-In-Memory design based on Bit-Line Charge-Sharing based Analog-To-Digital Conversion
Kyeongho Lee (Korea University)
Joonhyung Kim (Korea University)
Jongsun Park (Korea University)
Technical Program: Wednesday, November 2

1:45 PM – 3:15 PM, Monte Carlo
13B Microarchitectural Attacks and Countermeasures
Session Chair: Rajesh JS (Intel)
Session Co-Chair: Amin Rezaei (California State University Long Beach)

Speculative Load Forwarding Attack on Modern Processors
Hasini Witharana (University of Florida)
Prabhat Mishra (University of Florida)

Fast, Robust and Accurate Detection of Cache-based Spectre Attack Phases
Arash Pashrashid (National University of Singapore)
Ali Hajiabadi (National University of Singapore)
Trevor E. Carlson (National University of Singapore)

CASU: Compromise Avoidance via Secure Updates for Low-end Embedded Systems
Ivan De Oliveira Nunes (Rochester Institute of Technology)
Sashidhar Jakkamsetti (UC Irvine)
Youngil Kim (UC Irvine)
Gene Tsudik (UC Irvine)

1:45 PM – 3:15 PM, Riviera
13C Genetic Circuits meet Ising Machines
Session Chair: Marc Riedel (University of Minnesota)
Session Co-Chair: Lei Yang (George Mason University)

Technology Mapping of Genetic Circuits: From Optimal to Fast Solutions
Tobias Schwarz (TU Darmstadt)
Christian Hochberger (TU Darmstadt)

DaS: Implementing Dense Ising Machines Using Sparse Resistive Networks
Naomi Sagan (University of California, Berkeley)
Jaijeet Roychowdhury (University of California, Berkeley)

QuBRIM: A CMOS Compatible Resistively-coupled Ising Machine with Quantized Nodal Interactions
Yiqiao Zhang (University of Rochester)
Uday Kumar Reddy Vengalam (University of Rochester)
Anshujit Sharma (University of Rochester)
Michael Huang (University of Rochester)
Zeljko Ignjatovic (University of Rochester)
TinyML Design Contest

ACM/IEEE TinyML Design Contest at ICCAD is a challenging, multi-month, research and development competition, focusing on real-world problems that requires the implementation of machine learning algorithms on low-end microprocessors/microcontrollers. It is open to multi-person teams world-wide. The top three teams will be invited to 2022 International Conference on Computer-Aided Design (ICCAD) to present their solutions, and to receive their awards.

Winner Announced
1:45-3:15 pm at Capri on November 2 at ICCAD

Awards
1st Place Award
US $4500 / team
2nd Place Award
US $1500 / team
3rd Place Award
US $500 / team

Contest Organizers
Zhenge Jia (University of Notre Dame, IN, US)
Dawei Li (South-Central Minzu University, CN)
Lichuan Ping (Singular Medical, CN)
Yiyu Shi (University of Notre Dame, IN, US)
Combining Gradients and Probabilities for Heterogeneous Approximation of Neural Networks
   Elias Trommer (Infineon Technologies)
   Bernd Waschneck (Infineon Technologies)
   Akash Kumar (Technische Universitaet Dresden)

Tunable Precision Control for Approximate Image Filtering in an In-Memory Architecture with Embedded Neurons
   Ayushi Dube (Arizona State University)
   Ankit Wagle (Arizona State University)
   Gian Singh (Arizona State University)
   Sarma Vrudhula (Arizona State University)

AppGNN: Approximation-Aware Functional Reverse Engineering using Graph Neural Networks
   Tim Bücher (University of Stuttgart)
   Lilas Alrahis (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Guilherme Paim (INESC-ID)
   Sergio Bampi (Federal Univ. of Rio Grande do Sul)
   Ozgur Sinanoglu (New York University Abu Dhabi)
   Hussam Amrouch (University of Stuttgart)

Seprox: Sequence-based Approximations for Compressing Ultra-Low Precision Deep Neural Networks
   Aradhana Mohan Parvathy (Purdue University)
   Sarada Krithivasan (Purdue University)
   Sanchali Sen (IBM T.J. Watson Research Center)
   Anand Raghunathan (Purdue University)
Evaluating the Security of eFPGA-based Redaction Algorithms
  Amin Rezaei (California State University, Long Beach)
  Raheel Afsharmazayejani (University of Calgary)
  Jordan Maynard (California State University, Long Beach)

An Approach to Unlocking Cyclic Logic Locking – LOOPLock 2.0
  Pei-Pei Chen (National Tsing Hua University)
  Xiang-Min Yang (National Tsing-Hua University)
  Yi-Ting Li (National Tsing Hua University)
  Yung-Chih Chen (National Taiwan University of Science and Technology)
  Chun-Yao Wang (National Tsing Hua University)

Garbled EDA: Privacy Preserving Electronic Design Automation
  Mohammad Hashemi (Worcester Polytechnic Institute)
  Steffi Roy (University of Florida)
  Fatemeh Ganji (Worcester Polytechnic Institute)
  Domenic Forte (University of Florida)

Don’t CWEAT It: Toward (CWE) (A)nalysis (T)echniques in Early Stages of Hardware Design
  Baleegh Ahmad (New York University)
  Wei-Kai Liu (Duke University)
  Luca Collini (New York University)
  Hammond Pearce (New York University)
  Jason Fung (Intel)
  Jonathan Valamehr (Intel)
  Mohammad Bidmeshki (Intel)
  Piotr Sapiecha (Intel)
  Steve Brown (Intel)
  Krishnendu Chakrabarty (Duke University)
  Ramesh Karri (New York University)
  Benjamin Tan (University of Calgary)
Reliable Computing of ReRAM Based Compute-in-Memory Circuits for AI Edge Devices
Meng-Fan Chang (National Tsing Hua University)
Je-Ming Hung (National Tsing Hua University)
Ping-Cheng Chen (I-Shou University)
Tai-Hao Wen (National Tsing Hua University)

Fault-tolerant Deep Learning Using Regularization
Biresh Kumar Joardar (University of Houston)
Aqeeb Iqbal Arka (Washington State University)
Janardhan Rao Doppa (Washington State University)
Partha Pratim Pande (Washington State University)

Machine Learning for Testing Machine-Learning Hardware: A Virtuous Cycle
Arjun Chaudhuri (Duke University)
Jonti Talukdar (Duke University)
Krishnendu Chakrabarty (Duke University)

Observation Point Insertion using Deep Learning
Bonita Bhaskaran (NVIDIA Corporation)
Sanmitra Banerjee (NVIDIA Corporation)
Kaushik Narayanun (NVIDIA Corporation)
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14D Autonomous Systems and Machine Learning on Embedded Systems
Session Chair: Ibrahim (Abe) Elfadel (Khalifa University)
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Romanus: Robust Task Offloading in Modular Multi-Sensor Autonomous Driving Systems
Luke Chen (University of California Irvine)
Mohanad Odema (University of California Irvine)
Mohammad Al Faruque (University of California Irvine)

ModelMap: A Model-based Multi-domain Application Framework for Centralized Automotive Systems
Soham Sinha (Boston University)
Anam Farrukh (Boston University)
Richard West (Boston University)

INDENT: Incremental Online Decision Tree Training for Domain-Specific Systems-on-Chip
Anish Krishnakumar (University of Wisconsin-Madison)
Radu Marculescu (The University of Texas at Austin)
Umit Ogras (University of Wisconsin – Madison)

SGIRR: Sparse Graph Index Remapping for ReRAM Crossbar Operation Unit and Power Optimization
Cheng-Yuan Wang (National Taiwan University)
Yao-Wen Chang (National Taiwan University)
Yuan-Hao Chang (Academia Sinica)
Workshops: Thursday, November 3

Workshop on Open-Source EDA Technology (WOSET)
https://woset-workshop.github.io/

Virtually co-sponsored by ICCAD 2022 on November 3, 2022!

The WOSET workshop aims to galvanize the open-source EDA movement. The workshop will bring together EDA researchers who are committed to open-source principles to share their experiences and coordinate efforts towards developing a reliable, fully open-source EDA flow. The workshop will feature presentations and posters that overview existing or under-development open-source tools, designs and technology libraries. A live demo session for tools in advanced state will be planned. The workshop will feature a panel on the present status and future challenges in open-source EDA, and how to coordinate efforts and ensure quality and interoperability across open-source tools.

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In recent times, there has been a major push and urgency to adopt the zero-trust model for cybersecurity. The zero-trust model is based on the principle of “never trust, always verify” and is aimed at eliminating all implicit trust in a system. While adopting a zero-trust model for network security generally involves authenticating, authorizing and continuously validating the credentials of users in a network, these measures alone are not enough to create a true zero trust-based architecture. The underlying hardware needs to be trusted and secured as well. Thus, novel approaches for building zero trust architectures, from systems all the way down to silicon, is one of the big challenges for next generation hardware system design. Traditionally, research on establishing trust and security in hardware has primarily focused on the host and its associated memory subsystems. These include principles of trusted execution environments, silicon roots of trust, Trusted Platform Modules, encryption at rest etc. However, in modern system architectures such as edge/cloud computing, composable systems and chiplet based integrated circuits, the realm of trust needs to be extended beyond the host system and incorporate many hardware devices and IPs. In view of threats such as compromised supply chain integrity, counterfeit chips, hardware trojan implants, malicious firmware, malware, etc., it is important to establish trust in hardware components and to communicate trust between different components of a system. The different kinds of communication could range from that between different IPs inside a SoC, between a host and its attached peripherals, as well as between chiplets inside a multi-chip module. Trust also needs to be established and revoked in a dynamic manner, with the ability to handle large number of subcomponents in the design. Thus, a new set of protocols that can work to establish trust and security in these new types of system architectures has become necessary. While some of these protocols are being developed as industry and government standards, large-scale effort is required to bring them to adoption. It is equally important to develop open source and verifiable hardware designs that can bring security without compromising system parameters such as performance or functionality. The focus of this workshop will be on all aspects of security and trust required to create zero-trust hardware architectures for heterogeneous computing systems.

Organizers:
Sandhya Koteshwara (IBM Research)
Mengmei Ye (IBM Research)
Hubertus Franke (IBM Research)
Workshops: Thursday, November 3

Workshop on Hardware and Algorithms for Learning On-a-chip (HALO)
https://sites.google.com/rice.edu/iccad-halo-2022/home

In recent years, machine/deep learning algorithms have unprecedentedly improved the accuracy in practical recognition and classification tasks, some even surpassing human-level accuracy. While significant progress has been made on accelerating the models for real-time inference on edge and mobile devices, the training of the models largely remains offline on the server side. State-of-the-art learning algorithms for deep neural networks (DNN) imposes significant challenges for hardware implementations in terms of computation, memory, and communication. This is especially true for edge devices and portable hardware applications, such as smartphones, machine translation devices, and smart wearable devices, where severe constraints exist in performance, power, and area.

There is a timely need to map the latest complex learning algorithms to custom hardware, in order to achieve orders of magnitude improvement in performance, energy efficiency and compactness. Exemplary efforts from industry and academia include many application-specific hardware designs (e.g., xPU, FPGA, ASIC, etc.). Recent progress in computational neurosciences and nanoelectronic technology, such as emerging memory devices, will further help shed light on future hardware-software platforms for learning on-a-chip. At the same time new learning algorithms need to be developed to fully explore the potential of the hardware architecture.

The overarching goal of this workshop is to explore the potential of on-chip machine learning, to reveal emerging algorithms and design needs, and to promote novel applications for learning. It aims to establish a forum to discuss the current practices, as well as future research needs in the aforementioned fields.

Organizers:
   Yingyan (Celine) Lin (Georgia Tech)
   Yanzhi Wang (Northeastern University)
   Mandy Pant (Intel)
Workshops: Thursday, November 3

Top Picks in Hardware and Embedded Security
https://www.ieee-hsttc.org/top-picks-2022/

Top Picks recognizes the best of the best in hardware security, spanning the gamut from hardware to microarchitecture to embedded systems. Top Picks will be selected from hardware security papers that have appeared in leading conferences/journals, including but not limited to top security (e.g., IEEE S&P, NDSS, USENIX SEC), architecture (e.g., ISCA, ASPLOS), CAD (e.g., ICCAD, DAC, DATE), and hardware security (e.g., CHES) venues.

After submission, papers will undergo a down select, whereby “shortlisted” papers will be invited to the Top Picks workshop, co-located with ICCAD 2022. An author(s) of each shortlisted paper is required to present the paper in-person at the workshop. A subset of these will be selected as Top Picks. Select papers are then invited for submission to a special journal issue.

Organizers:
Ahmad-Reza Sadeghi (Technical University of Darmstadt, Germany)
Christopher Fletcher (University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign, USA)
4th Workshop on Accelerator Computer Aided Design (ACCAD 2022)
https://sites.google.com/view/accad2022/home

The ACCAD workshop provides a forum to present and discuss the current trends in computer-aided design in support of domain-specific accelerator chips, especially for artificial intelligence and machine learning applications. The workshop will be concerned with the VLSI methodology flow from high-level synthesis to physical verification and performance prediction, particularly in the way it gets impacted with the emerging design paradigms of domain-specific instruction sets, approximate computing, in-memory computing, and stochastic computing. Of particular interest to the workshop are the transformations that VLSI CAD has to undergo to adapt to the post-CMOS technologies when they are considered in the context of accelerator design. The workshop will include, but will not be limited to, the following topics:

- High-level synthesis of machine-learning accelerators.
- Design space exploration of domain-specific accelerators.
- Tools and methodologies for in-memory computing.
- Tools and methodologies for approximate computing.
- CAD for emerging accelerator technologies: ReRAM, MRAM, Photonics, etc.
- Tools and methodologies for the post-CNN era.
- Tools and methodologies for the testing and verification of accelerator chips.

Each year, the workshop will be devoted to four focus areas of accelerator CAD. Renowned speakers are invited to speak on each of the four areas. This edition of the workshop will feature both invited speakers and submitted presentations. Potential presenters should submit a two-page abstract describing the contents of their presentations. Abstracts will be reviewed and selected ones will be scheduled for oral presentations. Other selected abstracts may be featured in a poster session.

The four focus areas selected for this year are the following:

1. ML Compilers and their Quality of Results
2. AI Accelerator Virtualization for Cloud Computing
3. Acceleration on the Edge: ASIC or MCU?
4. AI Accelerators as a Cloud Service.

Organizers:

Ibrahim (Abe) Elfadel (Khalifa University)
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24th ACM/IEEE International Workshop on System-Level Interconnect Pathfinding (SLIP)

http://www.sliponline.org/

The 2022 ACM/IEEE International Workshop on System-Level Interconnect Pathfinding (SLIP) is the 24th edition of the Workshop. SLIP, co-located with ICCAD 2022, will bring together researchers and practitioners who have a shared interest in the challenges and futures of system-level interconnect, coming from wide-ranging backgrounds that span system, application, design and technology.

The technical goal of the workshop is to:
1. identify fundamental problems
2. foster new pathfinding of design, analysis, and optimization of system-level interconnects with emphasis on system-level interconnect modeling and pathfinding, DTCO-enhanced interconnect fabrics, memory and processor communication links, novel dataflow mapping for machine learning, 2.5/3D architectures, and new fabrics for the beyond-Moore era.

There are two special sessions this year:
1. Power distribution in advanced technology nodes
2. Tackling memory wall in many-core and AI systems

Organizers:
- Mustafa Badaroglu (Qualcomm)
- Shantanu Dutt (Univ. of Illinois at Chicago)
- Pascal Vivet (CEA)
- Ismail Bustany (AMD)
- Rasit Topaloglu (IBM)
- Seungwon Kim (UCSD)
The desire for digital sovereignty, recent global semiconductor shortages and geopolitical interests are driving forces behind various worldwide initiatives to strengthen semiconductor technology and manufacturing on a national and regional basis. In this context, hardware security will play a vital role since hardware is at the heart of all computing systems, and insecure hardware will put critical systems and consequently, our society at risk.

However, in recent years, we are observing the discovery of a growing number of hardware design and implementation vulnerabilities that could be exploited by unprivileged software, leading to potential exposure of sensitive data or compromise of whole computing systems. This new attack paradigm casts a long shadow on decades of research on system security and disrupts the traditional threat models that have mainly focused on software-only vulnerabilities and often assume that the underlying hardware is behaving correctly and is trustworthy. Unfortunately, existing solutions are often ad-hoc, limited, inefficient, and address only specific problems.

The main goal of this workshop is to bring together international researchers and experts from academia, industry, and government to exchange knowledge and explore new ideas and research directions for tackling the challenges related but not limited to security-by-design for hardware, scalable assurance methodologies for hardware security and resilience, and security-aware electronic design automation that pave the way for establishing sustainable security for computing platforms.

Organizers:

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» System-level issues for 3D integration
» System-level design case studies and applications
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» Micro-architectural transformation
» Multi-/many-core processor, GPU and heterogeneous SoC
» Memory and storage architecture and system synthesis
» System communication architecture, Network-on-chip design
Modeling, simulation, high-level synthesis, power/performance analysis, programming of heterogeneous computing platforms
Application driven system design for big data
Analysis and optimization of data centers
1.2 Embedded, Cyber-Physical (CPS), IoT Systems and Software
» AI and machine learning for embedded systems
» HW/SW co-design for embedded systems
» Compute, memory, storage, interconnect for embedded systems
» Domain-specific accelerators
» Energy/power management and energy harvesting
» Real-time software and systems
» Middleware, virtual machines, and runtime support
» Dependable, safe, secure, trustworthy embedded systems
» Embedded software: compilation, optimization, testing
» CAD for IoT, edge and fog computing
» Modeling, analysis, verification of CPS systems
» Green computing (smart grid, energy, solar panels, etc.)
» CAD for application domains including wearables, health care, autonomous systems, smart cities
1.3 Tools and Design Methods with and for Artificial Intelligence (AI)
» Compilers for deep neural networks
» Design method for learning on a chip
» Deep neural network for EDA
» Tools and design methodologies for edge AI and TinyML
» Performance analysis and modeling for AI accelerators
» Reliability analysis for neural network designs
1.4 Hardware Systems and Architectures for Artificial Intelligence (AI)
» Hardware and architecture for neural networks
» System-level design for (deep) neural computing
» Neural network acceleration including GPU and ASICs
» Safe and secure machine learning
» Hardware accelerators for Artificial Intelligence (e.g., neural network, graph processing)
» Edge AI and TinyML architecture designs
» New systems and architectures for neural networks, such as optical neural networks, chiplets
1.5 Reconfigurable Computing
» Novel reconfigurable architectures (FPGA, CGRA, etc.)
» Neural network acceleration on reconfigurable accelerators
» High-level synthesis on reconfigurable architectures
» Compilers for reconfigurable architectures
» Reconfigurable fabric security
» HW/SW prototyping and emulation on FPGAs
» Post-synthesis optimization for FPGAs
» FPGA-based prototyping for analog, mixed-signal, RF systems
1.6 Algorithms and Tools for Hardware Security
» New physical attack vectors or methods for ASICs
» Split Manufacturing for security
» Supply chain security and anti-counterfeiting
» Artificial Intelligence for attack prevention systems
» Privacy-preserving computation
1.7 Architecture and Systems for Hardware Security
» Hardware Trojans, side-channel attacks, fault attacks and countermeasures
» Nano electronic security
» Hardware-based security (CAD for PUF’s, RNG, AES etc.)
» Design and CAD for security
» Trusted execution environments
» Cloud Computing data security
» Sensor network security
1.8 Low Power and Approximate Computing
» Power and thermal estimation, analysis, optimization, and management techniques for hardware and software systems
» Energy- and thermal-aware application mapping and scheduling
» Energy- and thermal-aware architectures, algorithms
» Energy- and thermal-aware dark silicon system design
» Hardware techniques for approximate/stochastic computing
2) SYNTHESIS, VERIFICATION, PHYSICAL DESIGN, ANALYSIS, SIMULATION, AND MODELING

2.1 High-Level, Behavioral, and Logic Synthesis and Optimization
- High-level/Behavioral/Logic synthesis
- Technology-independent optimization and technology mapping
- Functional and logic timing ECO (engineering change order)
- Resource scheduling, allocation, and synthesis
- Interaction between logic synthesis and physical design

2.2 Testing, Validation, Simulation, and Verification
- High-level/Behavioral/Logic modeling, validation, simulation
- Formal, semi-formal, and assertion-based verification
- Equivalence and property checking
- Emulation and hardware simulation/acceleration
- Post-silicon validation and debug
- Digital fault modeling and debug
- Delay, current-based, low-power test
- ATPG, BIST, DFT, and compression
- Memory test and repair
- Core, board, system, and 3D IC test

2.3 Cell-Library Design, Partitioning, Floorplanning, Placement
- Cell-library design and optimization
- Transistor and gate sizing
- High-level physical design and synthesis
- Estimation and hierarchy management
- 2D and 3D partitioning, floorplanning, and placement
- Post-placement optimization
- Buffer insertion and interconnect planning

2.4 Clock Network Synthesis, Routing, and Post-Layout Optimization and Verification
- 2D and 3D clock network synthesis
- 2D and 3D global and detailed routing
- Package-/Board-level
- Chip-package-board co-design
- Post-layout/-silicon optimization
- Layout and routing issues for optical interconnects

2.5 Design for Manufacturability and Design for Reliability
- Process technology characterization, extraction, and modeling
- CAD for design/manufacturing interfaces
- CAD for reticle enhancement and lithography-related design
- Variability analysis and statistical design and optimization
- Yield estimation and design for yield
- Physical verification and design rule checking
- Machine learning for smart manufacturing and process control
- Analysis and optimization for device-level reliability issues
- Analysis optimization for interconnect reliability issues
- Reliability issues related to soft errors
- Design for resilience and robustness

2.6 Timing, Power and Signal Integrity Analysis and Optimization
- Deterministic and statistical static timing analysis, optimization
- Power and leakage analysis and optimization
- Circuit and interconnect-level low power design issues
- Power/ground network analysis and synthesis
- Signal integrity analysis and optimization

2.7 CAD for Analog/Mixed-Signal/RF and Multi-Domain Modeling
- Analog, mixed-signal, and RF noise modeling, simulation, test
- Electromagnetic simulation and optimization
- Device, interconnect and circuit extraction and simulation
- Behavior modeling of devices and interconnect
- Package modeling and analysis

3) CAD FOR EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES, PARADIGMS

3.1 Bio-inspired and Neuromorphic Computing
- Hardware for neuromorphic computing
- Event or spike-based hardware systems
- CAD for microfluidics
- CAD for biological computing systems
- CAD for synthetic biology
- CAD for bio-electronic devices, bio-sensors, MEMS

3.2 Nanoscale and Post-CMOS Systems
- New device structures and process technologies
- New memory technologies (flash, PCM, STT-RAM, memristor)

3.3 New Computing Paradigm
- Nanotechnologies, nanowires, nanotubes, graphene, etc.
- CAD for mixed-domain (semiconductor, nanoelectronic, MEMS, and electro-optical) devices, circuits, and systems
- CAD for nanophotonics and optical devices/communication
- CAD for field-coupled nanotechnologies
- Device, interconnect and circuit extraction and simulation
- Behavior modeling of devices and interconnect
- Non-von Neumann architectures
- Quantum computing
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