

Curriculum Vitae

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SUMMARY

- *Research*
 - Contributions to multiple areas of wireless communications (wireless propagation, multi-antenna systems, ultrawideband systems and localization; novel modulation methods, wireless video distribution)
 - Fellow of National Academy of Inventors, Fellow of AAAS, Fellow of the IEEE, Fellow of IET, Member of Austrian Academy of Sciences,
 - Extensive publications: 5 books, 300 journal papers - >70,000 citations, h-index 112
 - 80 patents granted and 5 pending; 70 standards contributions; with major impact on wireless industry
- *Project leadership*
 - Built up and led teams in multiple industrial research labs and academia
- *Teaching* and continuous education contributions:
 - Widely used textbook for wireless communications
 - More than 20 tutorials at international conferences
- *Service/leadership:*
 - Chair of several international groups (both industrial and academic)
 - Active as editor, conference chair, etc.

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1. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**, Viterbi School of Engineering, Los Angeles, CA, USA

<u>Solomon-Golomb – Andrew-and-Erna-Viterbi Chair Professor, Dept. El. Eng.</u>	2016 – current
<u>Full Professor, Department of Electrical Engineering,</u>	2009 – current
<u>Head, Wireless DEvices and Systems (WiDES) Group</u>	2009 – current
<u>(Co-)Director, Communication Sciences Institute</u>	2011 – 2016

Research areas: channel measurement/modeling, MIMO systems, UWB systems, cooperative communications, wireless video distribution systems, mm-wave transmission systems, edge computing/caching, machine learning

MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC RESEARCH LAB, Cambridge, MA, USA

<u>Chief Wireless Standards Architect</u>	2007 – 2008
<u>Distinguished Member of Technical Staff</u>	2006 – 2008
<u>Senior Principal Member of Technical Staff</u>	2002 – 2006

scientific (team) leader for digital communications and networking

Research areas: cooperative communications, UWB systems, MIMO systems, mobile radio channels

LUND UNIVERSITY, Lund, Sweden

<u>Professor for Radio Systems, Department of Electrosience</u> (unpaid position in parallel to activities at Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs)	2002 – 2008
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Research areas: channel measurement and modeling

AT&T LABS – RESEARCH CENTER, Middletown, NJ

<u>Principal Member of Technical Staff;</u>	2001 – 2002
Research areas: MIMO systems, mobile radio channels, wireless wideband systems.	
<u>Guest Researcher;</u>	2000
Research area: MIMO-OFDM.	

FTW RESEARCH CENTER FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS, Vienna, Austria

<u>Key Researcher</u>	1999-2000
(on one-year leave from TU Vienna); primarily responsible for creation of the mobile radio group.	
Research areas: smart antennas at the mobile station, third-generation mobile radio systems.	

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY VIENNA, Vienna, Austria

Institut fuer Nachrichtentechnik und Hochfrequenztechnik (INTHF)	
<u>Head; “Mobile Radio Air Interface” group;</u>	1997-2000
<u>Associate Professor; mobile radio group</u>	1999-2000
<u>Assistant Professor; mobile radio group</u>	1995-1999
<u>Research Assistant; mobile radio group, laser spectroscopy group, applied electronics group</u>	1989-1995

Research areas:

- (i) error probability in TDMA systems, mobile radio channels, OFDM, smart antennas.
- (ii) modeling and simulation of atomic line filters, radiation trapping.
- (iii) applied electronics group: simulation of surface acoustic wave filters.

2. EDUCATION

TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY VIENNA, Vienna, Austria

Habilitation Degree (~ D.Sc.) in Mobile Communications; 1999
Habilitation Thesis: „Bit Error Probability of Cordless Telephones in Time-Dispersive Environments“.

Dr. techn. (=Ph.D.) in Electrical Engineering with Highest Honors; 1994
Doctoral Dissertation: „Modeling and Simulation of Lamp-Pumped Thallium Atomic Line Filters“.

Dipl. Ing. (~M. Sc.) in Electrical Engineering with Highest Honors 1990
Thesis: „Solution of Electromagnetic Boundary Value Problems by the Wiener-Hopf Technique“.

3. MAJOR AWARDS

- 2024 Elected *Fellow of the International Artificial Intelligence Industry Alliance (AIIA)*.
- 2024 IEEE INFOCOM Test of Time Paper Award (for 2012 paper on femtocaching)
- 2024 Elected *Fellow of the Asia-Pacific Artificial Intelligence Association (AAIA)*.
- 2019-current **Highly Cited Researcher** in each of these years (top 1%, as determined. by Publons –Clarivate-Thomson-Reuter)
- 2022 *Neal Shepherd Memorial Award* of the IEEE Vehicular Technology Society
- 2022 *Best journal paper award* from IEEE ComSoc Multimedia Technical Committee
- 2021 *IEEE ComSoc Wireless Technical Committee Recognition Award*
- 2021 *Best Tutorial Paper Award from IEEE ComSoc*
- 2019 *IEEE ComSoc Radio Communications Committee Technical Recognition Award*
- 2019 *Fellow of International Union of Radio Science (URSI)*
- 2019 *Leonard G. Abraham Prize* (award for best paper in IEEE JSAC)
- 2018 **Edwin H Armstrong Award** (highest technical achievement award of IEEE Communications Society)
- 2018-19 *IEEE Distinguished Lecturer* (Communications Society)
- 2017 **IET Achievement Medal** for contributions to wireless communications
- 2015 **Fellow of the National Academy of Inventors**
- 2015 *Viterbi Award for Use-Inspired Research*
- 2015 *Neal Shepherd Memorial Award* of the IEEE Vehicular Technology Society
- 2013 *Puskas Tivadar Award* of the Hungarian Scientific Association for Infocomm (HTE)
- 2013 **Fellow of the AAAS** (American Association for the Advancement of Science)
- 2012 **Eric Sumner Award of the IEEE** (Technical Field Award for communications of IEEE)
- 2011-15 *IEEE Distinguished Lecturer* (IEEE Vehicular Technology Society)
- 2011 Elected **Member of the Austrian Academy of Sciences**
- 2011 *Donald G. Fink Prize Paper Award* of the IEEE
- 2011 *Distinguished Service Award* of the Radio Communications Committee of the IEEE
- 2010 *James Evans Avant-Garde Award* of IEEE Vehicular Technology Society
- 2010 *Okawa Research Grant*, Okawa Foundation
- 2010 *Honorary Guest Professor*, Beihang University, Beijing, China
- 2009 *Wireless Educator of the Year* award from Global Wireless Education Consortium (GWEC)
- 2008 Elected **Fellow of the IET (formerly IEE)**
- 2007-08 *IEEE Distinguished Lecturer* (IEEE Communications Society)
- 2007 *Hatsuhon-Award* of Mitsubishi Electric (for contributions to wireless standards)
- 2006 *Neal Shepherd Memorial Award* of the IEEE Vehicular Technology Society
- 2005 Elected **Fellow of the IEEE**
- 2001 *INGVAR award* of the Swedish Strategic Research Foundation (for work on propagation channels)
- 2000 Appointed *Senior Member of the IEEE*.
- 1999 *Kardinal-Innitzer-Award* (for the work on unequalized mobile radio systems).

4. RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS SUMMARY

Publications authored, co-authored, or edited (for details, see list of publications, p. P-1 to P-37)

- **5 books**,
- **22 book chapters**,
- **300 journal papers** (in international journals),
- **400 reviewed conference papers** (350 at international, 55 at national/continental conferences), and
- numerous other contributions (invited lectures, research reports, etc.)

H-index: 112 (scholar.google.com)

Number of citations: ~70,000 (scholar.google.com)

The research contributions cover the following areas

- Wireless propagation channels
- Multiple Antenna systems (smart antennas and MIMO)
- Ultrawideband communications, ranging, and localization
- Joint communication, computation, and caching, wireless video, and edge computing
- Modulation and multiple access
- Machine Learning for propagation channels, localization, and wireless systems
- Ad-hoc networks and cooperative communications
- Radiation trapping

5. PATENTS SUMMARY

70 patents granted (for details, see list of publications)

Areas of the inventions:

- Smart antennas and MIMO systems
- Ultrawideband communications, ranging, and localization:
- Ad-hoc networks and cooperative communications:
- Modulation and multiple access

6. INDUSTRIAL CONTRIBUTIONS SUMMARY

6.1 STANDARDIZATION DOCUMENTS

some 70 contributions to international standardization organizations (for details, see list of publications)

Standards to which contributions were made

- 3GPP: Third-generation partnership program: cellular communications
- IEEE 802.15.3a: high-data-rate ultrawideband communications
- IEEE 802.11n: MIMO-based high-data-rate wireless LANs
- IEEE 802.15.4a: low-data-rate ultrawideband-based sensor networks
- IEEE 802.16m: advanced WiMax (large-area data transmission to mobile and fixed terminals)

6.2 INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH REPORTS

More than 30 research reports for companies, both internally for MERL, AT&T, and FTW, as well as reports for industrial partners. Titles and details of those reports are confidential.

7. TEACHING

7.1 TEXTBOOK WRITING

A. F. Molisch, “Wireless Communications”

First edition: Sept. 2005, IEEE Press - Wiley.

Second edition: Jan. 2011, IEEE Press –Wiley.

Third edition (From Fundamentals to Beyond 5G): Jan. 2023, IEEE Press – Wiley.

Chinese translation first edition: PHEI (Publishing House of the Electronic Industry)

Chinese translation second edition: Electronics Industry Press

7.2 COURSES

USC: “Mobile Communications (EE 535)”, “Communication Theory (EE 564)”, “Advanced Mobile Communications (EE 599/EE635)”, Linear Systems (EE 301L), Probability and statistics (EE 364)

Lund University: “Radio Systems” (with O. Edfors); “Wireless Propagation Channels” (with F. Tufvesson); “MIMO systems” “Smart antennas for mobile communications”; “Seminar smart antennas” (with O. Edfors and Univ. Ronneby)

Technical University Vienna: “Mobile Communications” (with E. Bonek); “Smart antennas for mobile communications”; “Design of microwave circuits” Labs exercise; “Seminar in Mobile communications” (with E. Bonek and H. Weinrichter),

7.3 ADVISING OF PH.D. STUDENTS

Main Advisor:

20 finished doctoral theses: *M. Steinbauer*, TU Vienna, *M. Toeltsch*, TU Vienna; *P. Almers*, Lund Univ; *J. Karedal*, Lund Univ., *S. Wyne*, Lund Univ., *A. Alayon Glazunov*, Lund Univ., *J. Shen*, USC, *J. Kim*, USC, *V. Kristem*, USC, *H. Feng*, USC, *Sundar Aditya*, USC, *Seun Sangodoyin*, USC, *Vishnu Ratnam*, USC, *Umit Bas*, USC, *Zheda Li*, USC, *Rui Wang*, USC, *Daoud Burghal*, USC, *Ming-Chun Lee*, USC, *Yang Cai*, USC, *Jorge Gomez-Ponce*, USC

10 doctoral theses currently under advisement at USC

Second advisor (opponent, examiner):

23 doctoral theses (*Zhao*, Helsinki University of Technology, *B. Negash Getu*, Aalborg Univ., *W. Weichselberger*, TU Vienna, *C. M. Tan*, Bristol University, *H. Oeczelik*, TU Vienna, *H. T. Nguyen*, Aalborg University, *S. Wang*, NJIT, *S. Gezici*, Princeton University, *A. Osseiran*, KTH, *R. Yim*, Harvard University, *H. Hofstetter*, TU Vienna, *N. Devroye*, Harvard University, *T. Meng*, Nanyang Techn. Univ., *R. Merz*, EPFL, *G. Atia*, Boston Univ., *S. Fickar*, TU Vienna, *R. Nikjah*, University of Alberta, *X. Mao*, Nanyang Techn. Univ., *S. Kashyap*, Indian Institute of Science, *Antti Roivainen*, Oulu University, *Ghassem Narimani*, University of Canterbury, *Foad Sohrabi*, University of Toronto, *Fawad Sheik*, University of Duisburg-Essen, *N. H. Ranchagoda*, RMIT University (Australia), *M. Barzegar Khalilsarai*, TU Berlin, *Alexandre Matos Pessoa* (Universidade Federal do Ceara, Brazil)

Member of Examination Committee: >30 theses at USC

7.4 TUTORIALS

30 tutorials, most of them at international IEEE conferences (for details, see list of publications, p.P-25-P.27)

“Measurement and simulation of spatial mobile radio channels”

“Spatial channels (including MIMO)”

“Ultrawideband propagation channels”

“Smart antennas in mobile communications”

“MIMO systems”

“Ultrawideband systems”

“IMT-Advanced Systems”

“Measurement and modeling of mm-wave and THz propagation channels”

8. PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND AFFILIATIONS

8.1 MAJOR INDUSTRIAL AND ACADEMIC BODIES

Chair:

- IEEE P1944 Standardization group 2023-current
- Special Interest group on Channel Modeling, IEEE ComSoc RCC 2019-2022
- Channel modeling group of 5G mmWave (later NextG) Channel Model Alliance 2016-current
- Awards Committee, Communications Society of the IEEE 2012 -2013
- Radio Communications Committee, Communications Society of the IEEE 2009 -2010
- IEEE 802.16m ad-hoc group on channel modeling 2007
- International Union of Radio Scientists, Commission C (Signals and Systems) 2005-2008
- Eureka (Enhanced Ultrawideband Ranging and Extended Communications Alliance) 2005
- MBOA (Multiband-OFDM Alliance) scalability group 2003-2005
- IEEE 802.15.4a subgroup on channel modeling 2002-2004
- COST 273 working group on MIMO channels 2001-2005

Vice Chair

- Radio Communications Committee, Communications Society of the IEEE 2007-2008
- International Union of Radio Scientists, Commission C (Signals and Systems) 2002-2005

Member of Professional Society Bodies

- * IEEE ComSoc Standards Development Board 2024 - current
- * IEEE Vehicular Technology Society Fellows Committee 2020
- * IEEE Press editorial board 2017 - 2022
- * IEEE Vehicular Technology Society Fellows Committee 2010 - 2015

Member of Standardization Bodies

- IEEE ComSoc Standards Development Board 2022-current
- Mm-wave 5G Special Interest Group 2014-2015
- IEEE 802.11.n: high throughput wireless LANs 2003-2007
- IEEE 802.15.4a: low-data rate Personal Area Networks 2002-2008
- IEEE 802.15.3a: high data rate Personal Area Networks 2002-2004
- 3GPP:: spatial channel modeling group 2001-2003

8.2 RESEARCH FUNDING ORGANIZATIONS:

Reviewer and panel member

- National Science Foundation (USA)
- European Union
- Canadian Research Council
- German Research Foundation (DFG)
- Norwegian Research Council
- Swedish Research Foundation
- Austrian Science Foundation
- Chilean Research Foundation

8.3 JOURNALS

Editor

- Journal of Communications and Networking: *Division Editor* for Wireless Comm. 2012-current
- IEEE Trans. Wireless Communications: *Area Editor* for Antennas and Propagation 2009-2014
- IEEE Trans. Wireless Communications: *Associate Editor* 2000-2009

Guest Editor

- Guest co-editor of Special Issue of ChinaComm on 5G 2019
- Guest co-editor on Focus Topic of IEEE Comm Mag on 5G channels 2018
- Guest co-editor of special issue of IEEE JSAC on 5G Deployment and testbeds 2017
- Guest co-editor of special issue of IEEE Vehicular Techn. Mag. On propagation channels 2011
- Guest co-editor of special issue of Proceedings of the IEEE on Ultrawideband 2009
- Guest co-editor of special issue of IEEE JSAC on Ultrawideband 2006
- Guest co-editor of a special issue of Int. J. WCMC on smart antennas and MIMO systems 2003

Member of editorial board

- IEEE Signal Processing E-letter 2005-2006

Reviewer: about 20 reviews per year for the following journals

IEEE Trans. Vehicular Techn; IEEE Trans. Comm.; IEEE J. Selected Areas Comm.; IEEE Trans. Antennas Prop.; Proc. IEE - Radar, Sonar, and Navigation; IEE Electronics Letters.; IEEE Communication Letters.; IEEE Trans. Signal Processing.; IEEE Signal Processing Letters; IEEE Trans. Information Theory; Kluwer Journal on Personal Wireless Communications.; Proc. IEICE (Japan); European Transactions on Telecommunications; International Journal of Modeling and Simulation; Research Letters in Signal Processing, IEEE Communications Magazine; IEEE Antennas and Propagation Letters; IEEE Transactions on Broadcasting; IEEE Trans. Microwave Theory and Techn., Int. J. Comm. Systems, IEEE Transactions on Aerospace and Electronic Systems, IET Signal Processing, Journal of Electrical and Computer Engineering

8.4 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

General chair

- Chinacom 2008
- IEEE International Conference on Ultrawideband , 2006

Chair of the Technical Program Committee

- Global Symposium on Millimeter Waves (GSMM) 2018
- IEEE Int. Conf. Comm. (ICC) 2013
- IEEE Int. Conf. Comm. China (ICCC) 2012
- International Workshop On Wireless Network Measurement (WinMee) 2011
- IEEE Workshops Int. Conf. Comm. (ICC) 2010
- Communication Theory Workshop 2009
- Chinacom 2007

Vice-chair of the Technical Program Committee

- IEEE VTC 2010 spring **2010**
- IEEE VTC 2005 spring **2005**

Symposium (Co)-Chair

- Channel models for 5G and B5G at *IEEE Globecom* 2020
- 5G Networks at *IEEE ICC* 2014
- Wireless Communications Symposium at *IEEE Globecom* 2007
- MIMO Symposium at *Int. Wireless Communications & Mobile Computing Conference* 2006
- Wireless Communications and Networking Symposium at *ChinaCom* 2006

Steering Committee of Conference Series:

- IEEE Int. Conf. Comm. China 2013-current
- IEEE Int. Conf. Ultrawideband 2006-current

Member of the Technical Program Committee

EPMCC 2001; IEEE ICC 2002; IEEE VTC fall 2002; IEEE ICC 2003; IEEE PACRIM 2003; IEEE Workshop on Ultrawideband Systems and Technologies 2003; IEEE VTC fall 2003; IEEE Globecom 2003; IEEE VTC spring 2004; IEEE ICC 2004; Int. Workshop on Wireless Ad-hoc Networks 2004; IEEE WCNC 2004; IEEE Workshop on Ultrawideband Systems and Technologies 2004; IEEE ICC 2005; IEEE Globecom 2005; IEEE WCNC 2005; IEEE RWS 2006, IEEE PIMRC 2006, Crowncomm 2006, IWWAN 2006, IEEE WCNC 2007 (Tutorial and Panels Chair), IEEE ICUWB 2007, IEEE VTC fall 2007, IEEE PIMRC 2007, IEEE ICC 2008, IEEE VTC 2008 fall, Workshop on Positioning, Navigation and Communication (WPNC) 2008, IEEE ICUWB 2011, SIEPCPC 2011

Session organizer and session chair for the following 15 international conferences:

IEEE Globecom 2000, EPMCC 2001, IEEE VTC spring 2001, IEEE VTC fall 2001, IEEE Globecom 2001, IEEE VTC spring 2002, IEEE ICC 2002, IEEE PIMRC 2002, IEEE Globecom 2002, IEEE VTC spring 2003, IEEE ICC 2003, IEEE VTC fall 2003, IEEE ICC 2004, IEEE Globecom 2004; IEEE Globecom 2005, IEEE Int. Conf. UWB 2005, CISS 2006, Globecom 2010, European Wireless Conf. 2011,

International Advisory Committee

Int. Symp. Signals, Systems, and Electronics 2007
International Conference on Computers, Communication, Control and IT [C3IT-2009] (2011)

Reviewer: about 30 reviews per year for conferences like
IEEE Globecom; IEEE ICC; IEEE VTC; IEEE PIMRC; IEEE WCNC, IEEE ISIT, and many others.

8.5 MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- National Academy of Inventors: Fellow since 2015
- AAAS (American Association for the Advancement of Science): Member since 2011, Fellow since 2013
- Austrian Academy of Sciences: Member since 2011
- IET (Institute of Engineering and Technology): Member since 2008, Fellow since 2008
- URSI (International Union of Radio Science: Member since 2002, Fellow since 2019
- DFG (German Society of Electric Engineers): Member since 1998
- ÖVE (Austrian Society of Electrical Engineers): Member since 1990

- IEEE: Student Member since 1987, Member since 1994, Senior Member since 2000, Fellow since 2005