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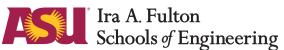
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# A record-setting year

Our faculty, students and staff collaborated to set several all-time records for the ECEE School and its programs this past year. These include records for student enrollment, research performance and faculty recruiting.

Annual research expenditures exceeded \$30 million for the first time during the fiscal year ending June



2012. This is more than triple the expenditure level of seven years ago when the expenditures had not exceeded \$10 million (see chart on page 3). The \$30 million total represents more than \$500,000 in expenditures per tenured or tenure-track faculty member, another record for the School. This expenditure level is also

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the highest of any school, department or academic unit at Arizona State University. Several large research centers—described later in this report—contributed to achieving these results.

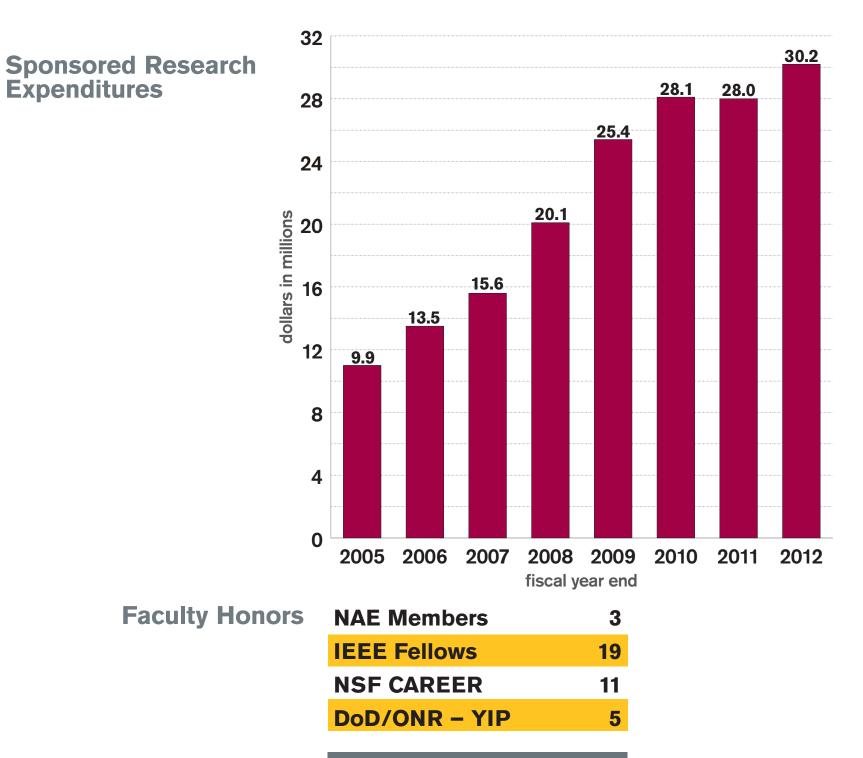
Our primary focus is the education of students, and they play a prominent role in our research. In addition to the traditional support of graduate students working on sponsored project research, we engage undergraduates and even prospective high-school students in our research labs. We fund our undergraduate research experiences through sponsored projects as well as gifts from generous alumni and donors. The largest of these gifts—from Ira A. Fulton, our Schools' namesake—funds numerous undergraduate research projects. Annual research expenditures exceeded \$30 million for the first time during the fiscal year ending June 2012. This is more than triple the expenditure level of seven years ago. Our academic programs have grown significantly over the past few years from about 1,200 students seven years ago to nearly 1,700 students in fall 2012 (see chart on page 8). This includes an all-time high enrollment of 289 Ph.D. students. This enrollment level is an average of more than five doctoral students per tenured or tenure-track faculty member. This large Ph.D. enrollment is consistent with our growth in research expenditures as well as the faculty focus on student recruiting and the improving reputation of our programs.

We had a particularly productive faculty recruiting season with nine faculty members scheduled to join ECEE in fall 2012 and spring 2013, the largest number of new faculty members in the past decade. The expertise of these four women and five men span the breadth of research areas in the school from circuits to systems to semiconductors to energy. Supported by the strong enrollment growth and the university administration, we anticipate another aggressive faculty recruiting campaign in the coming year.

Our new M.S. and Ph.D. programs in computer engineering enrolled their first students. Our EE programs remain highly recognized—ranked 31 by U.S. News and World Report and in the top 20 by the National Research Council. The success of our School would not be possible without the extraordinary efforts of our dedicated faculty, staff and students.

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Stephen M. Phillips, Ph.D., P.E. Professor of Electrical Engineering Director of the School of Electrical, Computer and Energy Engineering



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# Chakrabarti, Zhang named IEEE Fellows



Professors Chaitali Chakrabarti and Junshan Zhang have been named to the Class of 2012 IEEE Fellows.

Chakrabarti was elected for contributions to low-power



embedded system design and to very large-scale integration architectures for signal processing. Zhang was elected for

contributions to cross-layer optimization of wireless networks.

# **Clark, Zhang named Fulton Entrepreneurial Professors**

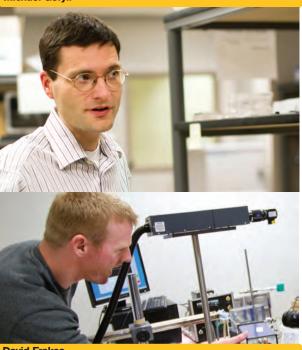


Lawrence Clark and Yong-Hang Zhang have been named Fulton Entrepreneurial Professors.

In its inaugural year, the Fulton Entrepreneurial Professor program was created to support the translational efforts of faculty, particularly as they relate to technology and product commercialization and the formation of new companies. Faculty are appointed for one- to two-year terms and may compete for subsequent appointments.

# **Goryll receives CAREER** Award to advance natural ion channel research

### Michael Goryll



**David Frakes** 

# **CAREER** Award advances Frakes' health research

Michael Goryll, assistant professor, received an NSF CAREER Award to advance his work recreating the functionality of a natural ion channel using a solid-state nanopore. Goryll is working to create a more robust, versatile solution using electrostatically controllable solid-state nanopores.

One aspect of his research is gaining a better understanding of how natural channels allow some ions and molecules to pass through the channel, but not others. That knowledge is used to reproduce electric field geometries that repel or attract molecules in a similar way to natural channels.

Goryll and students in his lab have already made advancements in ion channel research, including development of an acrylic cup array that allows parallel measurement of four channels at the same time and a multichannel, low-noise amplifier, which allows recording of the extremely small ionic current through the ion channels.

### Top 5 percent teachers honorees

Yu (Kevin) Cao Chaitali Chakrabarti Jennifer Blain Christen

Gerald Heydt Keith Holbert Dieter Schroder

David Frakes, assistant professor in ECEE and the School of Biological and Health Systems Engineering, received an NSF CAREER Award to advance his research of cardiovascular fluid dynamics and the impact on the onset, progression and treatment of major diseases such as heart disease, stroke and aneurysms.

Frakes is using imaging-driven engineering tools, physical and computational modeling, and fluid dynamic measurement and simulation as the methodological basis for development of advanced device-based cardiovascular disease treatment.

honors and recognitions

Hugh Barnaby, associate professor, and Michael Kozicki, professor, received a \$1.7 million grant from the Defense Threat Reduction Agency of the U.S. Department of Defense to research specialized materials—chalcogenide glasses—that are used in components of very small and low-power integrated circuits in electronic sensors and communication systems designed to process, store and wirelessly transmit information from hostile environments. The work is part of larger efforts to provide the nation with enhanced exploration technologies, more reliable public-safety systems and stronger defense systems.

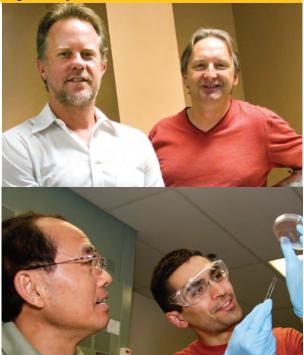
Researchers in the Nanophotonics Lab have created a new compound crystal material that promises to help produce advances in a range of scientific and technological pursuits.

Electrical engineering professor Cun-Zheng Ning says the material, called erbium chloride silicate, can be used to develop the next generations of computers, improve the capabilities of the Internet, increase the efficiency of silicon-based photovoltaic cells to convert sunlight into electrical energy, and enhance the quality of solid-state lighting and sensor technology.

The lab's erbium research is supported by the U.S. Army Research Office and the U.S. Air Force Office of Scientific Research.

# Leading the way in 'hostile environment technology' advances

**Hugh Barnaby and Michael Kozicki** 



Cun-Zheng Ning

# New material can enhance energy, computer, lighting technologies

# Karam receives Intel award

Lina Karam, professor, received the 2012 Intel Outstanding Researcher Award in High Volume Manufacturing. This award was created by Intel to recognize outstanding contributions by researchers funded by Intel's Semiconductor Technology Council



and associated Strategic Research Sectors (SRS). The award recognizes the contributions to fundamental insights, industrial relevance, technical difficulty, communication and potential student hiring associated with the research.

# Karady guest lecture on smart grid initiatives

George G. Karady, professor, gave a guest lecture in Calcutta, India, following the invitation of the IEEE Calcutta Section. The lecture, "Interaction between the existing infrastructure and future smart grid with distributed generation," reported the latest



results of the NSF-sponsored EFRI-RESIN project and demonstrated ASU's contribution to smart energy grid development. More than 140 people attended the halfday seminar organized and financed under the aegis of the IEEE Power & Energy Society Distinguished Lecture Program.

# **ECEE** research faculty

**Richard Akis**, Associate Research Professor Ph.D., McMaster University Hamilton, Ontario, Canada Quantum transport in mesoscopic semiconductor devices, quantum chaos in open systems connection between classical and quantum mechanics.

**Stuart Bowden**, Associate Research Professor Ph.D., University of New South Wales Characterization of silicon materials for photovoltaic applications.

**Sergio Clavijo**, Assistant Research Professor Ph.D., Arizona State University Artificial electromagnetic materials for antenna applications.

**Nikolai Faleev**, Associate Research Professor Ph.D., All-Union Institute of Physical-Technical Measurements, Moscow district, Russia High-resolution X-ray diffraction, III-nitrides, SiGe, III-V compounds, AFM, PL, X-ray topography, structural investigation of epitaxial structures: crystalline defects at epitaxial structure, defects engineering, design optimization of device structures.

**Liang Huang**, Assistant Research Professor Ph.D., Arizona State University Signal processing with application in epilepsy, nonlinear dynamics, relativistic quantum chaos, electronic properties of grapheme quantum dots, and general theoretical studies of complex networked systems, random matrix theory, critical phenomena.

**Narayan Kovvali**, Assistant Research Professor Ph.D., Duke University Statistical signal processing and time-frequency analysis, detection and estimation theory, stochastic

filtering and tracking. **Zoe Lacroix**, Associate Professor Research Ph.D., Universite Paris XI, Orsay, France Databases, bioinformatics, Web XML, ontology.

**Derrick Lim**, Assistant Research Professor Ph.D., Arizona State University Circuit model of nanostructures, electromagnetics, RF nanotechnology, MIMO antennas.



**Denis Mamaluy**, Assistant Research Professor Ph.D., B. Verkin Institute for Low Temperature Physics and Engineering Quantum transport simulation in semiconductor nanostructures.

**George Maracas**, Research Professor Ph.D., Cornell University Nanostructures for solar energy conversion, transitioning renewable energy technologies and practices for building a sustainable society.

# **Sugumar Murugesan**, Assistant Research Professor

Ph.D., The Ohio State University Dynamic resource allocation in wireless networks using incomplete state information, stochastic modeling and optimization in smart power grids, sequential decision making under stochastic uncertainty (POMDPs, Restless Bandits).

**Jun Shen**, Research Professor Ph.D., University of Notre Dame Physics of organic LEDs, MEMS, novel logic, and memory devices and circuits.

**John Undrill**, Research Professor Ph.D., University of Canterbury, New Zealand Power systems and power plant control engineering.

**Bert Vermeire**, Associate Research Professor Ph.D., University of Arizona Solid-state electronics.

**Wenxu Wang**, Assistant Research Professor Ph.D., University of Science and Technology, China Theoretical physics.

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# **ECEE** affiliate faculty

Affiliate professors provide additional support to ECEE. They are from other academic units, and their duties are primarily in research, advising and student mentoring.

**Terry Alford**, Professor; Ph.D., Cornell University; Silver and copper metallization and low-k dielectrics for future integrated circuit (IC) technologies, advanced metallization for low-power electronics.

**Sandeep Gupta**, Professor; Ph.D., The Ohio State University; Wireless networks, mobile and ubiquitous/ pervasive computing, embedded sensor networks for biomedical applications.

**Jiping He**, Professor; Ph.D., University of Maryland, College Park; Neural interface technologies for neuroprosthetics, rehabilitation robotics for stroke or spinal cord injury, learning and adaptation in neuromuscular control systems.

**Leon lasemidis**, Associate Professor; Ph.D., University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Advanced digital signal processing and global optimization techniques, dynamics and control of spatiotemporal chaotic transitions in spatially coupled systems.

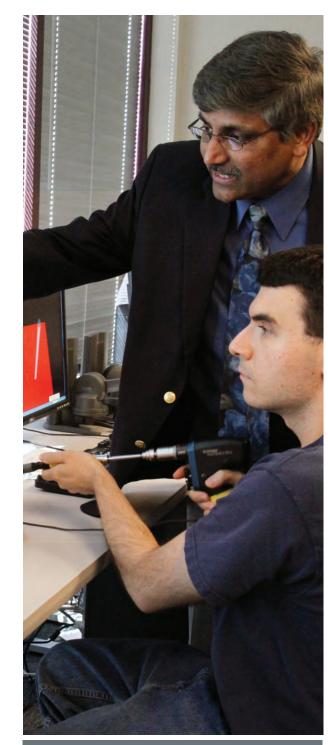
**Darryl Morrell**, Associate Professor; Ph.D., Brigham Young University; Engineering pedagogy, engineering applications of probability theory, particularly decision theory.

**Jitendran Muthuswamy**, Associate Professor; Ph.D., Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; Microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) for neural communication multifunctional neural prosthesis using MEMS.

**Nathan Newman**, Professor; Ph.D., Stanford University; Semiconductor, superconductor and dielectric materials, thin-film materials synthesis, materials characterization.

**Sethuraman Panchanathan**, Senior Vice President for Knowledge Enterprise Development; Ph.D., University of Ottawa; Multimedia computer and communication, haptic user interfaces, assistive and rehabilitative device technologies.

**Daniel Rivera,** Professor; Ph.D., California Institute of Technology; Life cycle and hierarchical issues in process control systems identification, robust process control.



# ECEE adjunct faculty

These are faculty from industry and other institutions, who support ECEE research and teaching.

Alan Chin, nliten Energy Corp.
Larry Cooper, Ret., Office of Naval Research
Jeffrey Cotter, SunPower Corp.
Josef Debbins, Barrows Neurological Institute
Ding Ding, Soitec Phoenix Labs
Frank Jahnke, Sonata Biosciences, Inc.
Bahar Jalali-Farahani, Arizona State University
Elias Kyriakides, University of Cypress
William Lepkowski, SJT Micropower
Denis Mamaluy, Sandia National Laboratories
Michael McGarry, University of Texas at El Paso
Katerina Raleva, SS Cyril and Methodius University

# **Recent books by faculty**

**Constantine A. Balanis**, Advanced Engineering Electromagnetics (second edition), John Wiley & Sons, 2012.

**Yu Cao**, Predictive Technology Model for Robust Nanoelectronic Design, Springer, 2011.

Ying-Cheng Lai and Tamás Tél, Transient Chaos, Springer, 2011.

**Dragica Vasileska and Stephen M. Goodnick**, Nanoelectronic Devices: Semiclassical and Quantum Transport Modeling, Springer, 2011.

Jayaraman J. Thiagarajan and Andreas Spanias, Analysis of the MPEG-1 Layer III (MP3) Algorithm using MATLAB, Morgan & Claypool Publishers, 2012.

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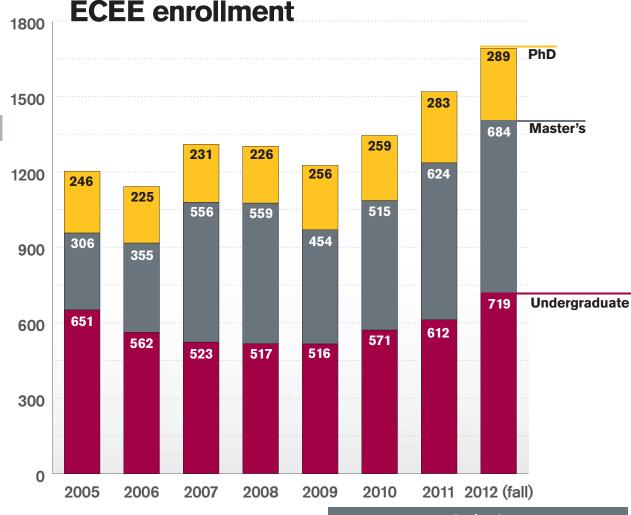
# undergraduate scholarships and honors

Total undergraduates	719
Total students in Barrett, The Honors College new freshmen in	97
Barrett, The Honors College	32
Merit Scholars	21
Flinn Scholars*	2
National Hispanic Scholars	6
National Merit Scholars*	14

\*One student is both a Merit and a Flinn Scholar.



Dharan and Anthony Pelot



# **IEEE Power & Energy Scholars**

### Four Fulton Engineering undergraduate

students received scholarships from the IEEE Power & Energy Society in the inaugural round of the Scholarship Plus Initiative™. Carrie Culp, Abhishek Dharan, Anthony Pelot and Alban Shemsedini are among approximately 93 recipients chosen from 51 U.S. universities.

The PES Scholarship Plus Initiative<sup>™</sup> is a new program that provides financial assistance for up to three years to high-achieving undergraduate students who are committed to exploring the power and energy field. The program is a response to the challenges facing the power industry. These challenges include responding to enormous growth, replacing aging infrastructure and adapting to new green technologies.

Carrie Culp is a junior and says that she would like to work with power devices or fault protection in highpower transmission. Abhishek Dharan is a sophomore whose interest in renewable energy stems from the experience of living in the Sustainability House at Barrett, The Honors College, where there is a strong mindfulness about alternative energy, particularly solar. Anthony Pelot, a sophomore, is interested in researching new technologies related to power production, storage, conversion and transmission. Alban Shemsedini is a junior with the ultimate goal of using renewable energy resources to create electrically independent housing in third-world countries where constant and stable electricity generation from the government is missing.

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# Student receives prestigious NSF Graduate Research Award

**Edward Lee was one of seven engineering** students at ASU awarded the National Science Foundation Graduate Research Award. The award, considered one of the most prestigious graduate research fellowships in the country, brings a three-year annual stipend of \$30,000, plus allowances for tuition and fees.

Lee graduated from ASU in May, as a Barrett, The Honors College student, with a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering. He'll use his NSF fellowship to pursue a doctoral degree at Stanford University, where he's hoping to focus on development of nanoscale integrated electronic circuits that will deliver medicinal drugs through the bloodstream to destroy cancer cells and remove plaque near the heart.

During his four years at ASU, Lee was a studentworker research assistant at the Flexible Display Center at the ASU Research Park. His work there involved pursuing advances in flexible electronics. This work led to Lee sharing in the award of a patent for a new advance in dual-stage active pixel devices, as well as being a co-author for two articles published in major research journals.

Lee won a national Goldwater Scholar Award and an Arizona Governor's Innovator Award. He was a finalist in a National Junior Science and Humanities Symposium competition and took a second-place award in an International Science and Engineering in Computer Science competition. He also won the top award in 2012 for the electrical engineering senioryear capstone design project.

# Graduate fellowships



# Graduate student awards

The Graduate and Professional Student

Association recognized ASU graduate and professional students who have demonstrated excellence in classroom instruction and mentoring of other students during the 2011-2012 academic year. ECEE students Berkay Kanberoglu and Samuel Dodge were honored with 18 other student instructors at a luncheon hosted by GPSA.

Achievement Rewards for College Scientists Derek Caselli, Michael DiNezza, Elizabeth Steenbergen

### **Dean's Award**

Jennie Appel, Jacob Becker, Alfonso Dominguez, David Ganger, Mariam Hoseini, George Kunnen, Brian O'Donnell, Jay Prigmore, Brian Proulx, Preston Webster

### University Graduate Fellowship

Makram Abd el Qader, Robin Daugherty, Samuel Dodge, Garret LaBove, James Lebeau, Pinakpani Nayak, Kevin O'Connor, Brian Pierre, Karthikeyan Ramamurthy, Di Shi, Balasubramania Sivakumar, Dhankar Thirunakkarasu, Trevor Werho

Fulton Fellow

Jennie Appel, David Ganger, Mariam Hoseini, Garret LaBove, Brian O'Donnell

NASA Training Grant: GSRP Helen Schwerdt

**NSF Graduate Research Fellowship** Paul Hale

Barrett Electronic Materials Fellowship Garret LaBove, Patricia Nichols

Ford Graduate Engineering Fellowship Marcus Schaffer

Fulbright Raj Kumar

**SDSI Award** Brian O'Donnell

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# Summer 2011

**Sunil Baliga**—Programmable Metallization Cell Devices for Flexible Electronics. Chair: Michael Kozicki.

**Seokheun Choi**—Advancing Microfluidic-Based Protein Biosensor Technology for Use in Clinical Diagnostics. Chair: Junseok Chae.

**Som Nath Dahal**—III-V and Silicon-Based Materials for Advanced Nanostructured Concepts in High-Efficiency Solar Cells. Chair: Christiana Honsberg.

**Sixifo Falcones**—A DC-DC Multiport Converter Based Solid-State Transformer Integrating Distributed Generation and Storage. Chair: Raja Ayyanar

**Arif Hossain**—Self-Heating Effects in Nanowire Transistors. Chair: Dragica Vasileska.

**Syed Roomi Naqvi**—Fully Differential Difference Amplifier Based Microphone Interface Circuit and an Adaptive Signal-to-Noise Ratio Scaling Analog Front-End for Dual-Channel Digital Hearing Aids. Chair: Sayfe Kiaei.

**Bo Peng**—Invariant Human Pose Feature Extraction for Movement Recognition and Pose Estimation. Chair: Gang Qian.

**Lakshminarayan Ravichandran**—Waveform Mapping and Time-Frequency Processing of Biological Sequences and Structures. Co-chairs: Antonia Papandreou-Suppappola, Andreas Spanias.

**Xiaonan Shan**—Plasmonic-Based Label-Free Detection and Imaging of Molecules. Chair: Nongjian Tao.

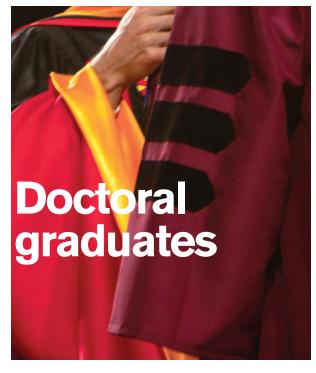
**Hyunsoo Yeom**—Temperature Compensated, High Common Mode Range, Cu-Trace Based Current Shunt Monitors Design and Analysis. Chair: Bertan Bakkaloglu.

# Fall 2011

**Zeqin Zhu**—Accurate RTA-Based Non-Quasi-Static Compact MOSFET Model for RF and Mixed-Signal Simulations. Chair: Gennady Gildenblat.

**Chi-Li Yu**—Bandwidth Efficient Multidimensional DFT IP Generators for FPGA Platforms. Chair: Chaitali Chakrabarti.

**Eric Aboussouan**—Magnetic Resonance Imaging of the Brain: Enabling Advances in Efficient Non-Cartesian Sampling. Co-chairs: David Frakes, James Pipe.



**Nabil Gergi Sadaka**—Efficient Perceptual Super-Resolution. Chair: Lina J. Karam.

**Benjamin C. Green**—Dual-Wavelength Internal-Optically-Pumped Semiconductor Laser Diodes. Chair: Yong-Hang Zhang.

**Aritra Dey**—Mixed-Signal Design in Thin-Film Transistors. Chair: David R. Allee.

**Diego Guerra**–GaN HEMT Modeling and Design for Millimeter and Sub-Millimeter Wave Power Amplifiers Through Monte Carlo Particle-Based Device Simulations. Chair: Marco Saraniti.

**Saurabh Sinha**—Neuromorphic Controller for Low-Power Systems from Devices to Applications. Chair: Yu Cao.

**Seungkee Min**—A 5 GHz Ring-Oscillator PLL with Active Delay-Discriminator Phase Noise Cancellation Loop. Chair: Sayfe Kiaei.

**Kai Tu**—Multi-Carrier Communications Over Underwater Acoustic Channels. Chair: Tolga Duman.

**Uttam Bhat**—Practical Coding Schemes for Multi-User Communications. Chair: Tolga Duman.

**Feng Ma**—Improved Coherency-Based Dynamic Equivalents. Chair: Vijay Vittal.

**Nabil Shovon Ashraf**—Comparative Analysis of Simulation of Trap-Induced Threshold Voltage Fluctuations for 45 nm Gate Length n-MOSFET and Analytical Model Predictions. Chair: Dragica Vasileska.

**Prasun Mahanti**—Micro-Particle Streak Velocimetry - Theory, Simulation Methods and Applications. Co-chairs: Thomas Taylor, Douglas Cochran.

**Tao Liu**—Digitally Controlled DC-DC Buck Converters with Lossless Current Sensing. Chair: Bertan Bakkaloglu.

**Kunal Ghosh**—Heterojunction and Nanostructured Photovoltaic Device: Theory and Experiment. Co-chairs: Stuart Bowden, Christiana Honsberg.

**Behnam Kia**—Chaos Computing: from Theory to Architecture. Chair: William Ditto.

**Sung Kim**—Low-Power Design of a Neuromorphic IC and MICS Transceiver. Chair: Bertan Bakkaloglu.

**Wencheng Xu**—Film Bulk Acoustic Resonators of High Quality Factors in Liquid Environments for Biosensing Applications. Chair: Junseok Chae.

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**Mohammad Reza Ghajar**—Energy-Efficient RF Transmitter Design Using Enhanced Breakdown Voltage SOI-CMOS Compatible MESFETs. Chair: Trevor Thornton.

**Balu Krishnan**—On the Dynamics of Epileptic Spikes and Focus Localization in Temporal Lobe Epilepsy. Chair: Leon lasemidis.

**Guanji Hou**—Trajectory Sensitivity Based Power System Dynamic Security Assessment. Chair: Vijay Vittal.

**Victor Kononov**—Analysis, Simulation and Measurement of CBS Antennas Loaded with Non-Uniformly Biased Ferrite Material. Chair: Constantine Balanis.

**Satendra Kumar Maurya**—A Structured Design Methodology for High-Performance VLSI Arrays. Chair: Lawrence Clark.

**Alvaro Diaz Aguila**—Detection of Nitroaromatic Explosives Using an Electrical-Electrochemical and Optical Hybrid Sensor. Chair: Nongjian Tao.

**Elizabeth H. Steenbergen**—Strain-Balanced InAs-InAsSb type-II Superlattices on GaSb Substrates for Infrared Photodetector Applications. Chair: Yong-Hang Zhang.

**Rui Yang**—Dynamical System Reconstruction via Compressive Sensing and Quantum Transport Control by Chaos. Chair: Ying-Cheng Lai.

**Chenhui Yang**—Robust Signal Detection and Modeling with Applications to the Analysis of Cognitive Neural Control and Video Target Tracking. Chair: Jennie Si.

**Debin Li**—Design, Modeling and Simulation of Nanoscale Optoelectronic Devices: Semiconductor Nano-Lasers and Plasmonic Waveguides. Chair: Cun-Zheng Ning.

**Yongping Han**—A CMOS Sigma-Delta Digital Intermediate Frequency to Radio Frequency Transmitter. Chair: Sayfe Kiaei.

**Mark Stevens**—Medical Implant Receiver System. Chair: Sayfe Kiaei.



ECEE Director Stephen Phillips presents the Palais Doctoral Award to Elizabeth Steenbergen

# **Outstanding doctoral student**

**Professor Joseph Palais, graduate program** chair, and his wife Sandra established the Palais Outstanding Doctoral Student Award. The award is presented annually to the best graduating doctoral student in the electrical engineering program. Candidates must have a minimum 3.75 GPA and at least one journal or conference publication. Faculty members nominate students within the program each year. The recipient receives \$1,000 and a commemorative plaque.

Elizabeth Steenbergen is the 2011-2012 recipient. Her mentor was professor Yong-Hang Zhang. She was one of the top in her class with a 4.0 GPA that she maintained since her undergraduate study. Steenbergen has several publications and has received many awards for her outstanding contributions to the field. She is currently working as an intern at the Air Force Research Lab with the career aspiration to work at a DoD or national laboratory to advance the country in technological applications and to teach young engineering students at a university.

# ASU faculty partner in groundbreaking community solar project

# Three ECEE professors are partnering

with Arizona Public Service (APS) on an ambitious project to research the effects of high penetration of solar energy on an electric grid system. Working with General Electric, National Renewable Energy Laboratory and ViaSol Energy Solutions, the Community Power Project is bringing more renewable energy to the Flagstaff, Ariz. area than ever before. The pilot program also is providing valuable data to guide larger scale distributed generation from solar panels nationwide.

In 2010, APS recruited 125 Flagstaff residents to host solar panels on their rooftops and feed into the power grid in return for a fixed rate on their electric bill. The power company owns the equipment and will maintain it over the next 20 years for the course of the study. The Department of Energy provided a \$3.3 million grant to the project in 2009.

The solar energy generated by the residential rooftops accounts for one-third of the total 1.5 megawatts of solar energy that APS is producing from this stretch of the power grid. Another third comes from a commercial installation at an elementary school. The final portion comes from a small solar power plant APS built in the neighborhood.

Having this variety of power sources allows for the exploration of the distribution system in a way that one large generating facility would not be able to. Spread out across nine miles, the amount of equipment and the various points where the power travels to and from, provides a much more complicated model for the ASU team to simulate and test. The area power lines currently have a peak load of seven megawatts. Under certain conditions, solar power may account for 30 percent of the total power on the lines. This is the first time such a high percentage of solar power on the grid will be studied. Ordinarily, solar power on a feeder—or primary distribution line—amounts to well below five percent of the power. Raja Ayyanar, associate professor, Vijay Vittal, professor, and Gerald Heydt, Regents' Professor, are working together to model the entire system and simulate the behavior of the grid as it responds to the varying levels of energy feeding in from the solar project.

Ayyanar explains that, "We want to understand what can go wrong with the power grid in simulations and



"We want to understand what can go wrong now with the power grid, before similar systems are installed in other feeders." field tests in a controlled and safe manner, before similar systems are installed on a larger scale and on several other feeders." They are producing a simulation using a geographical information system (GIS) that has the location of the 10,000 pieces of individual equipment and conductor segments that APS has installed.

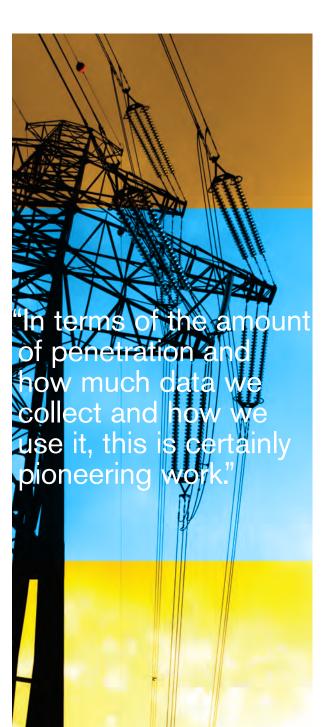
"Our role is modeling the entire feeder, the photovoltaic systems and the protection systems," he says. "They added the electrical circuit diagram to the GIS, and now the model can show the voltage at any node of the system and the current flowing through each of the segments at any given time."

With this system, the ASU team is able to predict the behavior of the grid and whether there will be any problems involving the direction of electrical flow or negative effects on the protection system or if there will be any chance of unsafe conditions for workers when repairing the power grid. The team also can quantify the benefits in terms of reduced losses, reduced energy from fossil fuels and better power quality.

"We get a huge amount of measurements from the field and match them to see if there are any discrepancies within our simulation and, if needed, we fine-tune our model," says Ayyanar. Vittal explains that the system monitors the penetration level at varying times from seconds to minutes, providing a range of data for the team to compare to their model.

"Diversity is an important thing to measure," Vittal says. The frequency and rate of measurements is another feature of the project that makes it stand out from previous studies.

"In terms of the amount of penetration and how much data we collect and how we use it, this is certainly pioneering work," says Ayyanar, "It will lead into much wider adoption of PV systems as a whole."



Heydt notes that the detailed instrumentation will identify any problematic operating conditions. One area that is being studied in detail is known as "electric power quality" says Heydt. Data from the study is being used by ASU students in graduate-level projects.

Their simulation will help provide answers as to what still needs to be improved with power grids before solar power can be implemented on a grand scale. It will also help the team discover how much farther they can push solar penetration on the grid beyond 30 percent.

With this implementation on such a grand scale, Ayyanar and his associates are beginning to brainstorm future steps to improve similar projects. Microgrids are one idea with which the team is toying. A microgrid is connected to the grid under normal conditions but during a grid disturbance can disconnect and form a small grid of its own supporting local loads with local generation.

Microgrids are one aspect of a "smart grid" which is the effort to bring the electric grid in to the computer age. With a smart grid, the grid operator has precise and real-time information on the status of every piece of equipment and can respond instantly to failures and disturbances. Similarly the consumer is empowered with information on their own load and grid conditions to make informed choices about their electricity use patterns.

As part of the Community Power Project, the ASU team will study all aspects of smart grid and make recommendations to APS for future implementations that would benefit APS and its customers.

# For more information about the Community Power Project:

aps.com/main/various/CommunityPower/index.html

# Zhang pioneering communication network advances

**Junshan Zhang, professor, joined ASU** in 2000 with a focus in cross-layer optimization of wireless networks. At this time his group was one of the first to research cross-layer optimization and control for different network models, including wireless cellular networks, ad-hoc networks and sensor networks.

He recognized very early on the need to jointly optimize several layers, including physical, MAC and higher layers, in order to improve the performance of wireless networks. His work on cross-layer optimization

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has combined rigorous quantitative analysis with insight into the problems of wireless networking and has been influential in the field.

His work has been supported by federal funding agencies and private organizations including Intel Corp., National Science Foundation, Department of Defense and Department of Energy.

As wireless communications continues to grow at a rapid pace, Zhang's research is having a broader impact on applications from smart grids to social networks.

In a project funded by NSF, Zhang is working on spatio-temporal analysis for wind farms to develop more accurate generation forecast models. A typical wind farm has 200-300 turbine towers. Wind speeds can vary widely, and power outputs from different turbines are often unequal. Zhang takes a network approach, using graphical learning tools to develop a Markov chain forecast model for aggregate power output.

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The Department of Defense is funding a project in which Zhang is looking at the interplay between mobile communications and social networks to facilitate information flow and find ways to reduce high peaks. One primary goal is to deliver timely information reliably, but also to investigate how information propagates across networks.

energy

# Summer program uses cockroaches to teach kids about brain's electric signals

**Five high-school students experienced a** unique fusion of electrical engineering and biological science with the help of a few critters. Assistant professor Jennifer Blain Christen hosted a Summer Engineering Research Experience in June, featuring the nervous system of cockroaches.

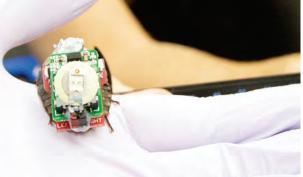
"We were trying to look at how the cells in the brain work," explains Blain Christen. Similar to humans, the brains of cockroaches send and receive signals in response to stimuli throughout the body. The first experiment familiarized the students with the electrical signals in the body.

By amputating a cockroach leg and pinning it to a circuit the students built from a kit, the students could measure the variation of electrical stimulation that the receptors in the leg give off with different amounts of pressure. The circuit measured the electrical impulses of the leg by producing an audible response through speakers.

Once the students understood this concept, Blain Christen had them use music with a heavy bass beat to act as brain signals. The students were able to stimulate the muscles in the cockroach leg and watch it move to the beat of the songs.

Blain Christen says, "There are good reasons for trying to understand this science and how this signaling works." For instance: prosthetic limbs. False limbs with advanced technology use simple electric signals but do not allow a person to "feel" the action. Research in this field aims to create prosthetics that imitate physiology as closely as possible; making an artificial limb mimic precisely the function of the missing limb.





Students also inserted wire into the severed end of a cockroach's antenna. The wire attached to a small device called the "backpack" that received electrical impulses from the remote control of a modified HEXBUG toy. Blain Christen and the students were able to guide the cockroach to move in certain directions based on the signals.

The Summer Engineering Research Experience is meant to introduce young students to engineering when they are preparing to decide on a field to pursue in college.

Blain Christen teaches a low-power bioelectronics course where her students examine the electrical signals of the human brain, and she struggles to make the lessons tangible for her students.

"Its very abstract, so every year I try to include more things that bring it to reality," she explains. Hands-on activities, interactive lessons and guest presentations are a few of her strategies, but the cockroach program is a future candidate given its engaging and applicable qualities.

Blain Christen had assistance during the summer program from a visiting professor, Dixie Kullman, from Central Arizona College. Her focus is physiology and she spent the summer at ASU through the National Nanotechnology Infrastructure Network Research Experience for Teachers program sponsored by the National Science Foundation.

Kullman explained, "She inspired me! I am going to take this program back to my 100- and 200-level students." The biological aspect of the experiment makes this program a great resource for students of all levels in multiple fields of study.

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# NSF CAREER Award workshop led by ASU faculty member

**ECEE professor Sule Ozev was sought** out by the National Science Foundation to organize and run a CAREER Award workshop in Tempe, Ariz., in May. This NSF-funded educational workshop drew 100 faculty members who desired training in how to apply for this prestigious award.

The CAREER Award can play a significant part in the future of a faculty member. Ozev explains, "It is a very prestigious award and statistically speaking, if you get it, you are likely to be very successful in terms of research and university impact." There is a strong correlation between the CAREER Award and recipients who receive tenure at a university.

Ozev was selected to organize the workshop because of her ample experience with previous panel and event organizing as well as winning the CAREER Award in 2006. She has been at ASU since 2008 and recently made tenure.

The workshop was developed because "the NSF feels that some professors may not have the necessary mentorship and guidance to write good proposals," Ozev says. The 15-page document must reflect the professor's vision for their long-term career. Their research agenda must be ambitious and original with impact beyond their discipline and into society.

Dealing with such an important award, the NSF decided to begin a series of workshops to provide the necessary instruction for young professors to produce their proposals in the correct format. This was the third workshop in the last three years, and it received a very positive response.

Ozev received many emails and letters from the faculty that attended expressing their gratitude and appreciation for the workshop. "They all feel that they have learned a lot from the workshop," she says.

Recalling her own experience and the excitement at winning the CAREER Award, Ozev explains, "It's really heartening to help these people learn and write their proposals and turn their ideas into grants."



The NSF CAREER Award began in the 1980s as a grant program to jumpstart a young faculty member's research career. They are now trying to reach a broader range of professors, particularly underrepresented populations in terms of gender and ethnicity.

The workshop provided some funding for professors to travel to Arizona. This helped boost the diversity of

the workshop to about half of the participants from underrepresented groups. Ozev comments, "This was a big success."

Originally intended for West Coast professors, the workshop received attendees from all over the country seeking instruction for the CAREER Award. Ozev worked with the program director of the NSF, Mahamad Gouda, and CNS Division Director, Keith Marzullo to organize the entire event.

"It provided good visibility for ASU," says Ozev, "Dean Johnson got to introduce our school and our programs." It was the first CAREER Award workshop that ASU had hosted. "It takes a lot of time and I've been very thankful to all the staff that have helped me," says Ozev. Electrical engineering staff members, Nancy Osgood, Evie Selberg and Margaret Creedon each played an integral role in assisting Ozev with the event.

The workshop included Ozev's main presentation, a segment for three guest speakers who had received the CAREER Award, an explanation of how NSF panels work and what they are looking for, a mock panel and reversing roles to experience being a panelist with a sample proposal to look over with the NSF director. There was also a question and answer session at the end for the attendees to speak with the program directors.

The NSF is hoping to increase the frequency of the CAREER Award workshops to include two each year. ASU recorded the workshop to use as a resource for new faculty that come to ASU and need guidance with their proposals.

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# PMC-based technology products enter the market

**Products based on the Programmable** Metallization Cell (PMC) technology developed by ECEE professor Michael Kozicki entered the commercial market this year. Adesto, a technology company founded in 2007 with a focus in PMC, or conductive-bridging random access memory (CBRAM) technology, licensed the technology from ASU with a goal of developing PMC into a platform that spans from high-performing embedded memory technology to lowest-cost solid-state storage. Adesto began releasing memory products based on Kozicki's technology in early 2012.

"There is real product out there as of the start of this year," says Kozicki.

Kozicki, who is director of the Center for Applied Nanoionics, also received three new patents on the PMC technology this year. In total, Kozicki holds 40 U.S. patents along with 30 international patents for developments across a variety of applications.

The PMC utilizes the motion of ions and electrochemical reactions at the nanoscale. As Kozicki explains, "What this means in real terms is that we can create large changes in a material property, such as its electrical resistance, by applying very small voltages and currents." This allows for a vast improvement in memory applications compared to the current solidstate memory.

"We can store data using a tiny fraction of the energy required for current technologies," says Kozicki, "The devices are also a lot smaller than existing memory cells so we can get a much higher data storage density for reduced cost."



entrepreneurship

Kozicki began studying PMC technology in 1995. Research into the materials used for PMC had already been explored, but the memory application had yet to be researched.

He co-founded an ASU spinoff company, Axon Technologies, in 1996 to handle the financing, development, intellectual property protection and commercialization for PMC. Over the years, Axon has sponsored nearly 1.5 million dollars in research at ASU.

"In return for strong rights to the technology," says Kozicki, "The company has sponsored the research, paid for all patent and legal work, and paid licensing fees and royalties to ASU." Axon Technologies effectively acts as the liaison between ASU and the semiconductor industry for PMC.

Since Kozicki's start in 1995 with PMC, a strong trend has developed. There are now symposia and conferences on PMC technology. "The industry is taking the technology very seriously and say that it is a leading contender to replace all solid-state memory by the end of this decade," explains Kozicki.

To stay at the front of this trend, two other professors in ECEE are performing research with this same technology. Associate professor Hugh Barnaby is investigating the use of PMC technology in harsh environments such as radiation and outer space. Associate professor Junseok Chae is working in the application of PMC in microelectromechanical systems (MEMS) and microfluidics.

# Expanding our capacity: new faculty

**Our expertise spans all Fulton Engineering** research themes: education, energy, health, security and sustainability.

In 2012-2013, nine new faculty members are joining us, bringing complementary research strengths and a strong commitment to student success.

# Mariana Bertoni, assistant professor

**research expertise:** solar cells, defect engineering, transparent conducting oxides; synthesis, growth and deposition, electrical and optical characterization

**biosketch:** Bertoni joined ASU in 2012 as assistant professor. Previously, she was senior scientist for Integrated Photovoltaics, Inc., a producer of scalable solar power technology solutions, and visiting scientist, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Her prior experience also includes work with 1366 Technologies, Inc. as senior photovoltaic engineer and postdoctoral fellow at MIT. Bertoni holds a Ph.D. in materials science and engineering, Northwestern University, diploma, chemical engineering, Instituto Tecnológico de Buenos Aires.

# Daniel Bliss, associate professor

**research expertise:** multiple-input multipleoutput (MIMO) wireless communications, distributed cooperative communications, fullduplex relays, geolocation techniques, MIMO radar, nonlocal Bayesian estimation bounds, channel phenomenology, and signal processing for anticipatory medical applications

**biosketch:** Bliss joined ASU in 2012 from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Lincoln Laboratory, where he was a senior member of the technical staff in the Advanced Sensor Techniques Group. His research focus is on adaptive signal processing and information theoretic performance bounds for multsensor systems, primarily for wireless communications. He also investigates parameter estimation techniques and bounds. Bliss brings prior experience from General Dynamics, where he was a member of the superconducting magnet group and designed avionics for the Atlas-Centaur launch vehicle.



# Srabanti Chowdhury, assistant professor

**research expertise:** power electronics, gallium nitride material for device application in high voltage and high frequency electronics, High Electron Mobility Transistors (HEMTs), device reliability, understanding failure modes (at a product level), device physics, study of dielectric materials and its characterization and device simulation

**biosketch:** Chowdhury joined ASU in fall 2012. Her Ph.D. research was focused on gallium nitride vertical devices for power electronic application. She worked as part of the Transphorm team and her ideas and designs have resulted in over eight patent applications in the last two years. Her work has led to renewed contracts and revenue earnings in the company, and has been recognized with internal awards of appreciation in the company. She has coauthored over eight journal publication and presented in over 15 conferences.

# Rajib Datta, associate professor

**research expertise:** utility power conversion, power conversion for renewable and distributed generation, high power converters—topologies and control and modulation strategies, industrial drives

**biosketch:** Datta will join ASU in spring 2013 from General Electric Global Research Center where he manages the Electronic Power Conversion Lab. Previously, Datta was a scientist in the high power converter group at ABB Corporate Research Center. His expertise is in high-power electronics, particularly in wind and utility-scale applications at the multimegawatt power level. Datta has led several multi-million dollar programs funded by the Department of Energy, Office of Naval Research and

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the Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy. He has been granted 13 patents and holds a strong publication record, of which two IEEE Transactions publications have over 200 citations. Datta holds a Ph.D. in electrical engineering from the Indian Institute of Science.

# Zachary Holman, assistant professor

**research expertise:** novel uses of nanoparticles in solar cells, light management in crystalline and thin-film silicon solar cells, semiconductor nanoparticles, optical and electronic properties of nanoscale materials, plasma synthesis of powders, deposition of powders and thin films

**biosketch:** Holman will join ASU in spring 2013. He is currently a postdoctoral researcher at École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne in Switzerland. Holman's research interests include solar cells, nanotechnology, semiconductors, plasmas and aerosols. He received the NSF East Asia and Pacific Summer Institutes Fellowship in Japan in 2010 and several fellowships from the University of Minnesota between 2005 and 2010. He won the International Symposium on Plasma Chemistry Best Paper Award in 2007 and was a finalist in 2009. Holman holds a Ph.D. in mechanical engineering from University of Minnesota.

# Jennifer Kitchen, assistant professor

**research expertise:** efficiency and power management for high-frequency circuits and systems **biosketch:** Kitchen joined ASU in 2012 from Viasat, a provider of digital communication products for satellites, military applications and consumer products. Previously, she was with Ubidyne, a start-up company developing digital, antenna-embedded radio systems for wireless communications to improve cost and efficiency for base stations. Kitchen's research focuses on exotic materials such as gallium nitride and gallium arsenide to create high-efficiency power management systems for solar arrays and batteries. Kitchen holds a B.S. in electrical engineering from the University of Arizona, and M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in electrical engineering from Arizona State University.

# Oliver Kosut, assistant professor

**research expertise:** information theory, power systems and smart grids, security and sparse recovery

**biosketch:** Oliver Kosut joined ASU in 2012. Previously, he was a postdoctoral researcher in the Stochastic Systems Group at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Kosut's research focuses on security and stochastic systems, with the goal of bringing theoretical insights to bear on complex interconnected systems, such as power grids and communication networks. Kosut holds a Ph.D. in electrical and computer engineering from Cornell University and B.S. degrees in electrical engineering and mathematics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.



### new faculty

# Lalitha Sankar, assistant professor

**research expertise:** information privacy in distributed and cyberphysical systems, wireless communications, network information theory

**biosketch:** Sankar joined ASU in 2012 from Princeton University, where she was a research scholar. At Princeton, she was also a Science and Technology Postdoctoral Teaching and Research Fellow, supported by the Council on Science and Technology. Prior to her doctoral studies, she was a senior member of the technical staff at AT&T Shannon Laboratories. Sankar holds a Ph.D. in electrical engineering from Rutgers, M.S. in electrical engineering from the University of Maryland, and B.Tech in engineering physics from the Indian Institute of Technology.

# Lei Ying, associate professor

**research expertise:** information networks including wireless, mobile ad hoc, P2P and social networks

**biosketch:** Ying joined ASU in 2012 from Iowa State University where he was a Northrop Gruman Assistant Professor in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. His research focuses on developing fundamental models and basic theories for the design of next-generation, large-scale, complex and socially aware information networks. In 2009, Ying won the Young Investigator Award from the Defense Threat Reduction Agency and an NSF CAREER Award in 2010. Ying holds Ph.D. and M.S. degrees in electrical engineering from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and a B.E. from Tsinghua University.

# **CANI:** Center for Applied Nanoionics

The Center for Applied Nanoionics (CANi) lies at the cutting edge of worldwide research in nanoionic materials and devices. Whereas nanoelectronics involves the movement of electrons within their nanostructured settings, nanoionics involves materials and devices that rely on ion transport and chemical change at the nanoscale. The center is affiliated with the ASU Nanofab and the Center for Solid State Electronics Research.

Rising interest in nanoionics has been fueled by a wide range of demonstrated and potential applications. Accomplishments of CANi include the generation of several dozen U.S. and foreign patents and the licensing of the Programmable Metallization Cell (PMC) platform to industry. PMC technology, which can lead to smaller, cheaper and more efficient memory, started appearing in commercial products at the start of 2012.

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Axon Technologies Adesto Technologies



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Connection One, a National Science Foundation Industry/University Cooperative Center, was established at Arizona State University in 2002 with five industry members. Ten years later, Connection One is funding over 35 projects with five university partners, 25 industry members and eight federal government members.

This world-class consortium is focused on developing the next-generation integrated circuits, systems and sensors to enhance technologies ranging from cellular to environmental and defense applications.

Over the last 10 years, Connection One's technical and scientific breakthroughs have included integrated radio IC, new technology for digital hearing aids, implantable neuron sensors, nanosensors and ultra-wideband radar. This year, noted accomplishments include: a multi-mode transceiver integrated on a single chip that enables reduced size and complexity and greater efficiency, and a meta-ground plane that reduces the size of bulky antenna systems and provides extremely wide bandwidth.

The center has established an active cooperative program that has enabled a wide range of opportunities for student internships, faculty exchange and rapid tech transfer. On average, Connection One places 10 to 15 students in internships each year.

As the center enters Phase III, the focus will be on the development of integrated solutions for wireless systems ranging from sensor nodes to fifth and sixth generation wireless systems.

# Connection One: NSF Center on Communication Circuits and Systems

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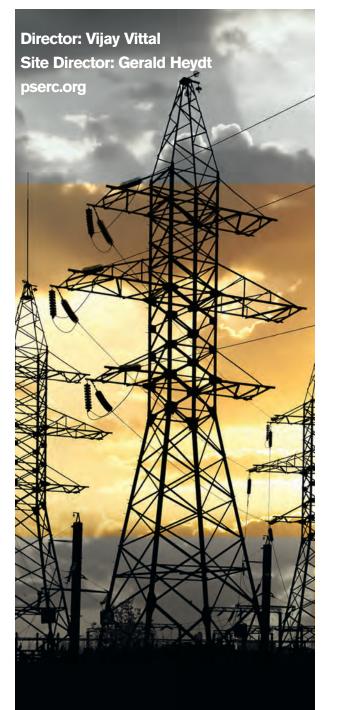
# **PSERC:** Power Systems Engineering Research Center

The Power Systems Engineering Research Center (PSERC) is a National Science Foundation industry/ University Cooperative Research Center (I/UCRC) that addresses a broad array of power systems technology, research and theory. The center draws on multiuniversity expertise, researching the diverse challenges facing the electric power industry and educating the next generation of power engineers.

The Future Grid Initiative, a U.S. Department of Energy project started in 2011, is investigating the requirements for a transformation of the grid to support high penetrations of variable distributed sustainable energy such as wind, solar and hydro resources, along with large central generation sources, energy storage and responsive users equipped with embedded intelligence and automation.

Through this initiative, PSERC has identified a set of technical challenges in six thrust areas. In collaboration with industry and government, they are seeking solutions by looking at broad analysis needs. Researchers have created white papers and led workshop discussions on: The Information Hierarchy for the Future Grid, and Grid Enablers of Sustainable Energy Systems.

By informing others about PSERC's research and education efforts, the center hopes to serve as a catalyst for other initiatives that pursue the solutions needed for the future grid.



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# QESST: Quantum Energy and Sustainable Solar Technologies



The Quantum Energy and Sustainable Solar Technologies (QESST) Engineering Research Center was launched in 2011 with funding from the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Department of Energy. QESST leverages the collaboration of university, industry and government researchers to advance photovoltaic science and technology in order to address one of society's greatest challenges: transforming electricity generation to sustainably meet the growing demand for energy.

Through a wide range of programs—cutting-edge research, industrial engagement, university education, public engagement and outreach, pre-college curriculum development, teacher training, participation with policymakers and external stakeholders—QESST aims to use sustainable energy as a vehicle to revitalize the popular perception of science and engineering.

QESST is headquartered in state-of-the-art laboratory, clean room and office space in the MacroTechnology Works building at the ASU Research Park—a venue ideally suited for leading a collaborative network of industry-relevant research.

### university partners

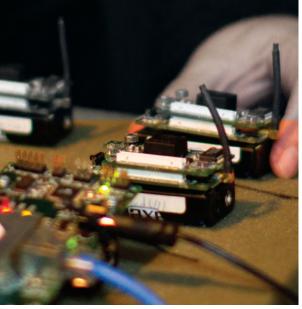
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# **SenSIP:** Sensor, Signal and Information Processing Center

The Sensor, Signal and Information Processing Center (SenSIP), is an Industry/University Cooperative Research Center (I/UCRC) in partnership with the Texas Net-Centric I/UCRC. The center's research encompasses development of a broad array of digital signal processing, imaging and communications algorithms for sensor technologies, including those used in chemical sensors, cell phones and radar and sonar systems.

Last year, SenSIP joined in two separate partnerships with international universities. One of these is a collaboration between University of Cyprus, Polytechnic Milano in Italy, ETH Zurich (the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology) and Boston University. SenSIP will work with the partners to accelerate technological advancements for use in sensor networks, "smart" power grids and telecommunications systems. The endeavor is being supported by the European Union through funding from the Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation for four years. SenSIP participated in the annual review meeting February 2012 and the joint KIOS-UCy workshop on April 2012 that included presentations from all four partners. One jointly advised KIOS-SenSIP Ph.D. student from the University of Cyprus successfully defended his dissertation on speech recognition in June 2012.

SenSIP also continues its partnership with Imperial College London's University Defence Research Centre. In spring 2012, SenSIP and Imperial College EEE signed a collaborative memorandum of undertstanding. Director: Andreas Spanias sensip.asu.edu





The partnership earned continuing funding from the prestigious British Council UK Prime Minister Fund. The focus is to accelerate the advance of sensor-array technology for use in national defense and security systems. The proposal was one of under 30 selected for funding out of more than 230 other proposals to the British Council. The group has already produced two joint publications and had two visitor Ph.D. student exchanges.

Sprint Communications signed an agreement with SenSIP to donate a \$300,000 4G/LTE facility for use in research and education. Working with Sprint management and ASU's UTO office, the SenSIP team plans to deploy the facility in fall 2012. Research will include mobile health, defense and security communications, and Net Centric research with SenSIP partners at UTD and SMU.

SenSIP recruited two new industry members in 2011 which include Sprint Communications (signed membership for four years) and Brainstorm Technologies (signed membership agreement starting in 2011 for two years). SenSIP also renewed Raytheon Missile Systems for two years starting January 2012. In all, SenSIP has six industry members including Intel, Lockheed Martin and LG Electronics.

SenSIP funded research on solar panel monitoring continued with Mitsui in 2011-2012. New fault detection and monitoring algorithms have been developed. Two IEEE papers have been published and a SenSIP-Mitsui joint research monograph is being published by Morgan and Claypool publishers.

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ASU NanoFab is the Southwest regional node of the NSF-supported National Nanotechnology Infrastructure Network (NNIN), one of the fourteen NNIN university sites. It is a flexible foundry, offering a wide range of device processing and characterization tools. The 4,000-square-foot, class-100 cleanroom, state-of-the-art equipment and knowledgeable technical staff provide the facility, equipment and resources to enable full range of operations—from the wet world of biosystems and chemistry to the dry world of inorganic materials, as well as hybrid structures in between.

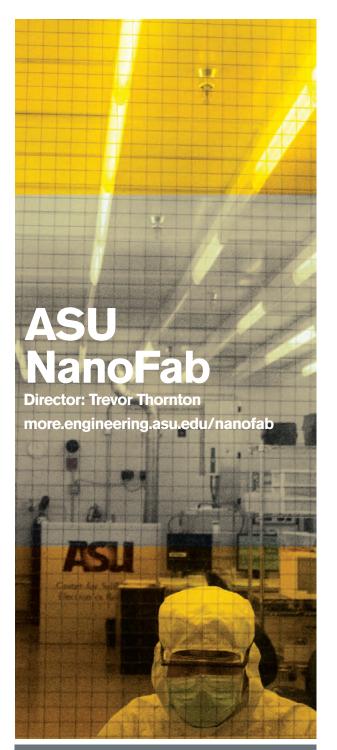
# **Project highlights**

Carbon Nanotubes for Nanofluidics: carbon nanotubes (CNT) are attracting a lot of interest for use in DNA sequencing and for chem/bio-sensing. CNT based nanofluidic integrated devices have been fabricated to understand the fluid dynamics at sub-2nm dimensions.

Plasma Lithography for Cell Networks Formation: a versatile plasma lithography technique has been developed and applied to create cell networks, including those that mimic natural tissues for studying several distinct cell types.

Autonomous Brain Implant: The overall goal of this NIH-funded research is to develop a novel MEMS technology that will allow sensors to seek and monitor single neurons of interest in the brain over long periods of time. Novel packaging techniques and interconnect components for MEMS implantable devices have been developed.

MEMS Resonator for Monitoring Blood Coagulation: a small-size, light-weight, low-power, and disposable device for monitoring blood coagulation in real time is being developed. A piezoelectric thin film is sandwiched between two electrodes. As a droplet of blood coagulates on the electrodes, the viscosity increases and consequently lowers the resonant frequency of the resonator.



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# Flexible Display Center

The Flexible Display Center is a governmentindustry-academia partnership to advance full-color flexible display technology and foster development of a manufacturing ecosystem to support the rapidly growing market for flexible electronic devices. The center partners include many of the world's leading providers of advanced display technology, materials and process equipment. The Flexible Display Center is unique among the U.S. Army's University centers, having been formed through a 10-year cooperative agreement with Arizona State University in 2004. This adaptable agreement has enabled the Flexible Display Center to create and implement a proven collaborative partnership model with over 26 active industry members, and to successfully deploy world class wafer-scale R&D and GEN-II display-scale pilot production lines for rapid flexible technology development and manufacturing supply chain commercialization.

In a significant advancement in 2012, FDC researchers successfully manufactured the world's largest flexible color organic light emitting display (OLED) prototype using advanced mixed-oxide thin-film transistors (TFTs). Measuring 7.4 diagonal inches, the device was developed in conjunction with Army Research Labs scientists. It also meets a critical target set by the U.S. Department of Defense to advance the development of full-color, full-motion video flexible OLED displays for use in thin, lightweight, bendable and highly rugged devices.



## government partners

The Army Research Laboratory The Natick Soldier RD&E Center (NSRDEC) The U.S. Army Manufacturing Technology (ManTech) Program The Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics, and Technology (OASA(ALT)) The U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command (RDECOM)

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LightWorks is a university-wide initiative that pulls light-inspired research at ASU under one strategic framework. It is a multidisciplinary effort to leverage ASU's unique strengths, particularly in renewable energy fields including artificial photosynthesis, biofuels and next-generation photovoltaics.

LightWorks fosters cooperation among academia, industry and government to advance innovation, facilitate technology transfer and guide energy education and policy advancement.

Research is aimed at a variety of applications, including low-cost, high-efficiency solar panel technologies, renewable biofuel and biohydrogen production, fungible fuels from CO<sub>2</sub>, water and sunlight, and high-efficiency lighting, cooling and flexible display technologies.

Cross-disciplinary efforts that address the energy grid infrastructure, supply chain, policy and transition involve participation of many ASU centers, academic programs and institutes.

In addition to QESST and PSERC, ECEE-led centers contributing to the LightWorks initiative include:

### Center for Computational Nanoscience Director: Marco Saraniti

The Center for Computational Nanoscience brings together multidisciplinary working on modeling and simulation of nanoscale systems. Typical projects focus on the development of novel numerical methods and algorithms, as well as applications to the study of phenomena with nanoscale resolution. Of particular relevance for the center is the study of phenomena that originate at the nanoscale, but evolve on much greater time and space domains.



### Center for Photonics Innovation Director: Yong-Hang Zhang

The Center for Photonics Innovation integrates a broad spectrum of research areas, ranging from the fundamental study of photon-matter interactions to practical devices, such as solar cells, lasers, and optical sensors for medical and biological applications. The center's goal is to seamlessly integrate education and research, while offering a high standard of scholarship as well as opportunities for promoting technology commercialization.

# The Solar Power Laboratory

**Director: Christiana Honsberg** 

Researchers in the Solar Power Laboratory, part of the QESST Engineering Research Center, are working to overcome the barriers for existing solar cells reaching theoretical limits, focusing on increasing efficiency and reducing cost. Efforts include development of new cell structures, kerfless silicon substrates, tandem solar cells and nanostructures.

SPL is home to the student-led pilot line, an industrial-scale that enables students and collaborators to make full-size silicon solar cells, and is used in training students, comparing new research results on commercial equipment and allowing commercial collaborators to test ideas. Other key educational activities focus on the development of a PV educational site, www.pveducation.org, which includes an on-line textbook attracting 300,000 unique visitors a year.



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#### selected publications:

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### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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computational electromagnetic methods (FDTD, FEM, MoM, GO/GTD/UTD, PO/PTD) for antennas, scattering and highintensity radiated fields (HIRF), flexible and conformal antennas,

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honors and distinctions: ASU Regents' Professor; Honorary Doctorate-University of Thessaloniki (Greece); IEEE Life Fellow; IEEE Third Millennium Medal; IEEE AP Society Distinguished Achievement Award; IEEE AP Society Chen-To Tai Distinguished Educator Award; ASU Outstanding Graduate Mentor Award; ASU Schools of Engineering Graduate Teaching Excellence Award; ASU College of Engineering Distinguished Achievement Award; IEEE Region 6 Individual Achievement Award; IEEE Phoenix Section Professionalism Award.

#### selected publications:

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#### research expertise:

semiconductors for hostile environments, device physics and modeling, microelectronic device and sensor design and manufacturing, analog/RF/mixed signal circuit design and test

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**honors and distinctions:** ONR Faculty Research Fellow; IEEE Senior Member; IEEE Nuclear and Space Radiation Effects Conference Committee, Associate Editor for IEEE Transactions on Nuclear Science; IEEE Solid State Circuits Society Section Chairman.

#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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**honors and distinctions:** NSF CAREER Award, 2009; Best Poster Award in IEEE International Conference on Sensors, 2007; First Place Prize and the Best Paper, DAC (Design Automation Conference) Student Design Contest, 2001.

#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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**honors and distinctions:** IEEE Senior Member; previous associate editor, IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems II; previous guest editor, IEEE Journal of Solid State Circuits; recipient of the Intel Achievement Award and multiple Intel divisional recognition awards; technical committee member for IEEE Custom Integrated Circuits Conference, IEEE Nuclear and Space Radiation Effects Conference, and for the International Symposium on Low-Power Electronics and Design.

#### selected publications:

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### selected publications:

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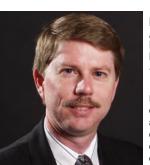
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#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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**honors and distinctions:** UMD Distinguished Dissertation award, 2009; IBM Emerging Leader in Multimedia, 2008.

#### selected publications:

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**honors and distinctions:** IEEE Senior Member; IEEE-PES Certificate for Outstanding Student Research Supervision (three times); six awards for outstanding research from the IEEE IAS Mining Engineering Committee; various awards for outstanding teaching.

#### selected publications:

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**honors and distinctions:** National Academy of Engineering, 2004; Ira A. Fulton Chaired Professor; Iowa State University College of Engineering Anson Marston Distinguished Professor, 2004; Foundation Award for Outstanding Achievement in Research, 2003; IEEE Fellow; IEEE Power Engineering Society Technical Council Committee of the Year Award, 2000-2001; Outstanding Power Engineering Educator Award, PES, IEEE, 2000; Warren B. Boast Undergraduate Teaching Award, 2000.

#### selected publications:

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honors and distinctions: Graduate Research Award, American Vacuum Society, 2001.

#### selected publications:

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#### selected publications:

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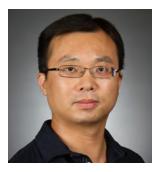
honors and distinctions: IEEE INFOCOM 2009 Best Paper Award runner-up; IEEE ICC 2008 Best Paper Award; ONR YIP Award, 2005; IEEE Fellow; NSF CAREER Award, 2003.

#### selected publications:

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honors and distinctions: NSF CAREER Award, 2009.

#### selected publications:

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**honors and distinctions:** IEEE Senior Member; Innovation and Excellence in Laser Technology and Applications Award from Hughes Research Labs; chair and co-chair of numerous international conferences and workshops.

#### selected publications:

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> Professor Richard Farmer, who taught electrical engineering at Arizona State University for most of the past 45 years passed away at his home in Phoenix in the spring.

"Professor Farmer was a tireless contributor to our electrical engineering programs and the electric power industry for more than four decades. During his service at ASU, he made a positive impact on thousands of our students," said Stephen Phillips, a professor and director of the School of Electrical, Computer and Energy Engineering.

Farmer earned his master's degree in engineering from ASU in 1964. The next year he began work at Arizona Public Service Co. (APS), where he would eventually become principal engineer.

In 1966 he began teaching one course each semester at the university. After retirement from APS in 1994, having spent almost 30 years with the company, he began teaching additional courses and later attained full professorship.

He was elected to the National Academy in 2006. The honor is among the highest distinctions in engineering, as it recognizes outstanding contributions to engineering research and education, advancement of engineering fields and pioneering of new technology.

In 1986 Farmer was elected to the status of Fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE), the world's largest professional association for the advancement of technology.

In 2007 the IEEE's Power Engineering Society gave him the highly prestigious Charles Concordia Power Systems Engineering Award for "innovation in the development, analysis, measurement and mitigation techniques for subsynchronous resonance and leadership in the area of power system dynamic analysis."

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He was a valued mentor to both students and younger colleagues.







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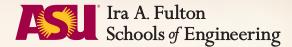
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