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Nationality: Bulgarian

Date of Birth: 17th August 1982

Company: Intel

Position: Senior Member Of Technical Staff: Modem Baseband HW

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Intel Deutschland GmbH, AM Campeon 10-12, Neubiberg 85579, Germany

#### **Research Interests**

Cellular Baseband, Network on Chip (NoC) and System-on-Chip (SoC) HW Architecture and Design Coding Theory, Information theory, Estimation theory, MIMO detectors, Pattern matching algorithms Digital & RF Circuit Analysis, Design and Layout

#### **Experience**

<u>Intel</u>, Senior Member of Technical Staff, **Modem Baseband** HW Architecture and Design : April 2017 - Present

Intel, Member of Technical Staff, SoC and NoC Architecture and Design: April 2015 – March 2017

Intel, Staff Engineer, NoC Architecture and Design: April 2014 – March 2015

Intel, Senior Engineer, CPU Subsystems Design: July 2012 – March 2014

Dept. Information and Communications and Dept. of Nanobio Materials and Electronics, GIST – IT Professor

with teaching and research focus on Brain Computer Interface (BCI) Systems: May 2011 – June 2012

**Communication Sensor Networks Laboratory (CSNL), GIST** -Research Assistant : September 2007 – August 2011

Faculty of Engineering, University of New South Wales (UNSW) - Teaching Assistant: May 2009 – July 2009

Communication Systems Laboratory (CSN), GIST -Research Assistant: September 2005 – August 2007

Faculty of Telecommunications, <u>TU-Sofia</u> -Research Assistant : August 2003 – July 2005

Microsoft Bulgaria - Student Consultant for .NET Technology: October 2003 – June 2005 Petrex – ARM Microcontroller Architecture Consultant : September 2004 – May 2005

ECAD Laboratory, TU-Sofia -Internship: Digital Circuit Design Tools: July 2004

Bulgarian Telecommunication Company (Vivacom) –Internship: PC Systems: July 2003

Globaltech Bulgaria - Communication Software Verification: May – July 2002

Radio Communications Laboratory, TU-Sofia -Internship: Analog RF Circuits: January - April 2002

### **Education**

Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology (GIST)

Ph.D., Information and Communications

Dissertation: Raptor Codes: The Implementation Point of View

Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology (GIST)

M.Sc., Information and Communications

Thesis: DDR SDRAM Controller for Embedded Systems

Technical University of Sofia (TU-Sofia)

B.Eng., Communications and Communications Technologies Thesis: *Development of Digital System for Mossbauer Analysis*  September 2007 – August 2011

Final Defense Completed, March 2011

September 2005 – August 2007

September 2001 - July 2005

High School, Foreign Languages

#### **Skills & Interests**

**Programming Languages:** Assembler, C, C++, Visual C++, Delphi, Matlab, CUDA, OpenCL, TinyOS, Java **Hardware:** VHDL, Verilog, ModelSim, PrimeTime, Perl, Verdi, Specman, ICC, Quartus. ADS, PIC & Atmel microcontrollers, ARM and Atom architecture.

Languages: Bulgarian (Mother Tongue), English (5/5), Russian (4/5), German (4/5), Korean (1/5).

**Professional Interests:** Microprocessor Architecture, Brain Computer interface (BCI) Systems, System on Chip (SoC), Embedded Systems, Digital Circuit Design, VLSI low power circuit design, Computer Architecture, Software Design and Coding, Wireless Communications, GPU Programming, Algorithms.

Hobbies: Swimming, Martial Arts, Mathematics, Ice Skating, Skiing, Electronics, Developing Software, Driving.

## Projects (non NDA)

# **Brain-Computer Interface (BCI) Systems (September 2011 – June 2012)**

- Design and implementation of non-medical BCI systems.
- Algorithms and methods for improved real time performance.

### Online Computer Assisted Learning (December, 2011 to March 2012)

- Design online learning platform
- Silverlight and ASP.NET technology
- Record, playback, signal processing and visualization of speech

# Parallel decoding of fountain codes (March, 2011 to August 2011)

- Design of parallel decoding algorithms.
- Implementation and performance verification on GPU.
- Hardware implementation and performance verification (FPGA, ASIC).

### RaptorQ code for MBMS Systems (September, 2010 to January, 2011)

- Implementation and evaluation on workstation and embedded system.
- Design of efficient decoding algorithm.
- Implementation and verification on FPGA.

### Raptor codes on binary erasure channel (BEC) (August, 2008 to May, 2010)

- Performance evaluation on NIOS II embedded system.
- Parallel scalable hardware architecture for Raptor decoder.
- Hardware/Software co-design of Raptor decoder.
- Design of incremental decoding algorithms
- Implementation and verification on FPGA

### SHA-2 hardware intellectual property (IP) (March, 2008 to May, 2008)

- Design of energy efficient hardware architecture.
- Implementation and verification on FPGA.

# DDR SDRAM Controller IP (March, 2007 to July, 2007)

- Design of energy efficient hardware architecture for video.
- Implementation and verification on FPGA.

## MMIC Voltage controlled oscillator (VCO) at 26 GHz (October, 2005 to November, 2005)

Design and Implementation with commercial foundry library.

# MPEG 2 Video codec (September, 2005 to February, 2007)

- Hardware architecture of H.263 and H.222 standards.
- Implementation and verification on FPGA.

# Digital Module for Mossbauer Spectral Analyzer (September, 2003 to July, 2005)

- Design of printed circuit board (PCB).
- Design and coding of PC user application.

- Design and coding of microcontroller application.
- Design, implementation and verification of digital circuits on CPLD.

#### Lectures

**Embedded Systems Design**, Spring Semester 2011, GIST, Dept. Information & Communications **Brain-Computer Interface (BCI) Systems**, Spring Semester 2012, GIST, Dept. information & Communications and Dept. of Nanobio Materials and Electronics

#### **Patents**

- "Interconnect Networks Supporting Multiple Consistency Mechanisms, Multiple Protocols, and Multiple Switching Mechanism", 2016: <a href="https://patents.justia.com/patent/20180165240">https://patents.justia.com/patent/20180165240</a>
- "Control and Data Multiplexing", 2017: https://patents.justia.com/patent/20180375602
- "Trace Network used as a Configuration Network", 2017: https://patents.justia.com/patent/20190089582

#### **Journal Publications**

Linjia Hu, Saeid Nooshabadi, **Todor Mladenov**, "Forward error correction with Raptor GF(2) and GF(256) codes on GPU", IEEE Trans. Consumer Electronics 59(1), pp. 273-280 (2013)

- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, Juan A. Montiel-Nelson and K. Kim, "Decoding of Raptor Codes on Embedded Systems", Elsevier Microprocessors and Microsystems Embedded Hardware Design (MICPRO), pp. 375-382, Vol. 36, Issue 5, July 2012.
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "Efficient GF(256) Raptor Code Decoding for Multimedia Broadcast/Multicast Services and Consumer Terminals," IEEE Trans. on Cons. Electron.,pp. 356-363, Vol. 58, Issue 2, May 2012.
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "Efficient Incremental Raptor Decoding over BEC for 3GPP MBMS and DVB IP-Datacast Services," IEEE Trans. on Broad., Vol. 57, No.2, pp.313-318, June 2011.
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "Implementation and Evaluation of Raptor Codes on Embedded Systems," IEEE Trans. on Comp., Vol. 60, No. 12, pp. 1678-1691, December 2011.
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "MBMS Raptor Codes Design Trade-offs for IPTV," IEEE Trans. on Cons. Electron., vol. 56, no. 3, August 2010.
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "Strategies for the Design of Raptor Decoding in Broadcast/Multicast Delivery Systems," IEEE Trans. on Cons. Electron., vol. 56, no. 2, pp. 423-428, May 2010.
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "*Hardware Accelerator for Raptor Decoder*," International Scientific and Applied Science Conference ELECTRONICS 2009, published in Ann. Journal of Electr., Issue 1, Vol. 3, pp. 64-67

#### **Conference Publications**

- T. Mladenov, "5G Pdsch Front End Distributed Control HW processor Architecture", DTTC, 2019
- H. Tajouri, T. Mladenov, "Analytical Modeling of Network on Chip", IETC, November 2015
- H. Reining, **T. Mladenov**, S. Bernardi, J. Hermann, R. De Gruijl, K. Nair, B. Klein, "Mobile NoC Fabric For Low Cost Mobile Devices", IETC, November 2014
- L. Hu, S. Nooshabadi, **T. Mladenov**, "Forward error correction with RaptorQ code on GPU", <u>ISCAS 2013</u>, pp. 281-284
- **T. Mladenov**, S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "Accurate Motor Imagery Based Dry Electrode Brain-Computer Interface System for Consumer Applications," in Proc. of IEEE 16<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Consumer Electronics (ISCE), pp. 1-4, June 2012
- R. Babaei, **T. Mladenov**, and K. Kim, "Reducing the False Detection Rate of Hand Motor Imagery Based Dry Electrode Brain-Computer Interface System," in Proc. of GIST 2012 Health Conference, May 2012 Philipp M. Eittenberger, **T. Mladenov**, and Udo R. Krieger, "Raptor Codes for P2P Streaming," in Proc. of Euromicro International Conference on Parallel, Distributed and Network-Based Processing (PDP), pp. 327 332, Feb. 2012
- T. Mladenov, S. Nooshabadi, and K. Kim, "Forward Error Correction with RaptorQ Code on Embedded

- Systems," in Proc. of IEEE International Midwest Symposium on Circuits and Systems (MWSCAS), August 2011
- **T. Mladenov,** S. Nooshabadi, Juan A. Montiel-Nelson and K. Kim, "Implementation and Performance Evaluation of Raptor Codes on Embedded System," in Proc. of XXV Conference on design of Circuits and Integrated Systems (DCIC), Lanzarote, November 2010
- **T. Mladenov**, S. Nooshabadi, K. Kim, and A. Dassatti, "Analysis and Implementation of Raptor Codes on Embedded System," in Proc. of IEEE International Midwest Symposium on Circuits and Systems (MWSCAS), pp. 45-48, August 2010
- **T. Mladenov**, S. Nooshabadi, K. Kim, and A. Dassatti, "Parallel Scalable Hardware Architecture for Hard Raptor Decoder," in Proc. of IEEE International Symposium on Circuits and Systems (ISCAS), pp. 3741-3744, May 2010
- **T. Mladenov**, S. Nooshabadi, K. Kim, and A. Dassatti, "Hardware Implementation of Matrix Inversion for Raptor Decoder on Embedded System," in Proc. of IEEE International Midwest Symposium on Circuits and Systems (MWSCAS), pp. 678-690 ,August 2009
- **T. Mladenov,** and S. Nooshabadi, "*Implementation of Reconfigurable SHA-2 Hardware Core*," in Proc. of IEEE Asia Pacific Conference on Circuits and Systems, pp. 1802-1805, 2008
- **T. Mladenov**, F. Mujahid, E. Jung, and D. Har, "Bandwidth, Area Efficient and Target Device Independent DDR SDRAM Controller," in Proc. of XVIII International Conference on Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE), Vol. 18, pp. 102-106, Vienna, Austria, 2006
- **T. Mladenov**, F. Mujahid, E. Jung, and D. Har, "Implementation of High Data Rate Stream Parsing with Data Aligning Mechanism," in Proc. of IEEE International Symposium on Signal Processing and Information Technology (ISSPIT), pp. 697-701, Vancouver, Canada, 2006
- **T. Mladenov**, and V. Mladenov, "*Interface Module for Mossbauer spectral Analysis*," in Proc. of International Scientific and Applied Science Conference ELECTRONICS, Sozopol, Bulgaria, 2005
- V. Mladenov, and **T. Mladenov**, "Reconfigurable Controller for Industrial Applications," in Proc. of International Scientific Conference "COMPUTER SCIENCE", Sofia, Bulgaria, 2004
- **T. Mladenov**, and V. Mladenov, "*Microcontrollers' Programmer*," in Proc. of International Scientific and Applied Science Conference ELECTRONICS, Sozopol, Bulgaria, 2004

### **Students Supervision**

- Safaiya Raiyan: Master's Thesis, TU Dresden
- Hela Tajouri: Master's Thesis, TU Munich
- Nicolai Oswald: Master's Thesis, TU Munich
- Kai Mast: Bachelor's Thesis, University of Bamberg
- Linus Dietz: Bachelor's Thesis, University of Bamberg
- Miroslav Mihalev: Internship, TU Sofia
- Anastasios Psarras: Ph.D. Internship, Democritus University of Thrace
- Ioannis Seitanidis: Ph.D. Internship, Democritus University of Thrace

# **Awards & Scholarships**

- Doosan Research Scholarship for excellent research record in 2009-2010 period
- National IT Industry Promotion Agency of Korea, Scholarship, September 2007 August 2011
- Korean Research Foundation, Scholarship, September 2005 August 2007
- Technical University of Sofia, Scholarship, January 2004 July 2005

### Reference(s) available upon request!

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