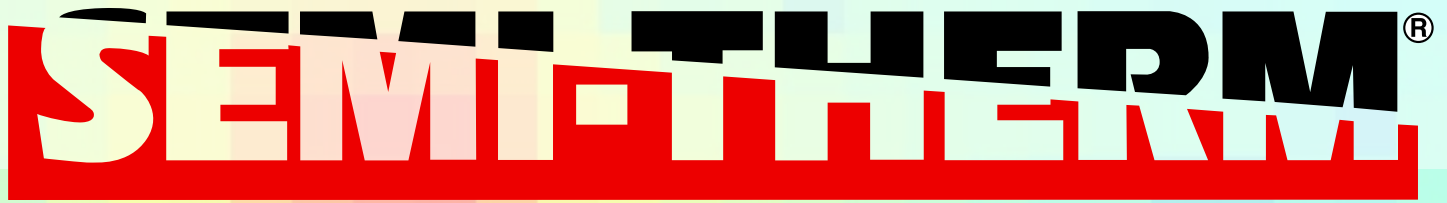


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## Welcome to SEMI-THERM 35!



**Adriana Rangel, Cisco Systems, Inc.  
Symposium General Chair**

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the SEMI-THERM 35 annual conference. This year, the program committee has assembled an excellent program dedicated to thermal design, thermal management as well as measurement of semiconductor systems and components.

The SEMI-THERM conference is committed to provide a forum for discussion of the latest advances in electronic thermal management. This year's program provides 6 short courses which are included with the conference registration. They are presented by experts in a variety of topics. The short courses are designed to educate our engineering community and to start our conference with an opportunity to learn and network on the first day, Monday March 18th. An evening tutorial will be presented on Tuesday night and How-to courses complete the evening on Wednesday after the exhibitor reception.

The program committee has also put together a fantastic morning program that includes technical papers, a keynote speaker and 2 luncheon speakers. On Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon, the SEMI-THERM exhibits are open to all as well as vendor workshops, with both providing opportunities to learn more about innovative thermal products and vendors.

At the Thursday luncheon, as part of SEMI-THERM tradition, an award session will include the presentation of the THERMI award, the Harvey Rosten awards, as well as the Thermal Hall of Fame, Lifetime Achievement award. The Best Paper in different categories will also be recognized.

The Harvey Rosten award recipients are James W. VanGilder, Christopher M. Healey, Michael Condor, Wei Tian, Quentin Menuisier. The THERMI award recipient is Dr. Peter Raad from Southern Methodist University. The Thermal Hall of Fame Lifetime Achievement will be presented to Márta Rencz, in recognition of significant contributions to the field of electronics thermal management.

I would like to congratulate the Program Chair, Pablo Hidalgo, and Vice-Chair, Marcelo del Valle, for this year's outstanding conference program. I hope you will enjoy attending this symposium, and I look forward to a wonderful week of learning and networking.

Sincerely,

Adriana Rangel  
Symposium General Chair



# SEMI-THERM 35



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**Adriana Rangel, Cisco Systems**

Adriana Rangel is a thermal engineer at Cisco, where she is responsible for Catalyst 9200 and 9300 product lines on the enterprise networking group. Previous to Cisco, she worked as a thermal engineer consultant for Electronic Cooling Solutions, where she provided expert thermal analysis for a many bay area tech companies. She also worked as an engineering manager and helped trained junior engineers on CFD software and equipment testing. She has 20 year experience on CFD analysis and experimental testing of electronics, covering a wide range of products. She has a Master's degree in Mechanical Engineering with emphasis in Thermal/Fluids from San Jose State University.

### Program Chair



**Pablo Hidalgo, Aavid**

Pablo Hidalgo is a Senior Thermal Engineer at Aavid working on the development of new products for the military and aerospace industries as well as consumer products, data centers and medical applications. Currently his primary focus is on the development of a new line of products within Aavid for consumer electronics. Previously he spent eight years in the department of mechanical engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology working as a research engineer. During his tenure at Georgia Tech, he worked in thermal management of high power electronics using flow control and aerodynamic techniques. His professional experience and interests are single and two-phase cooling, heat pipes, vapor chambers, R&D, flow control and fluid/structure interactions.

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**Marcelo del Valle, Intel**

Dr. Marcelo del Valle is a Thermal/Mechanical engineer at Intel Corporation. He received his B.S.M.E from Universidad de Santiago, Chile, M.S.M.E. from University of Nevada, Reno and his Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering from Villanova University. Dr. del Valle has worked extensively in experimental measurements in the thermal sciences for more than 7 years. His doctoral research involved detailed experimental characterization and modeling of air to liquid heat exchangers in data center applications. He has published and presented extensively in problems arising from thermal management of electronics, spanning from the chip/module to the facility level, single and two-phase liquid cooling, and thermal management in energy systems. He is part of the program committee of the SEMI-THERM Symposium.

# SEMI-THERM 35



## Schedule of Events Monday March 18, 2019

### Short Courses

Concurrent short courses at SEMI-THERM 35 will be held in the morning and afternoon of March 18, 2019. These sessions are free to regular paid attendees.

**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**San Jose, San Juan, Santa Clara, Carmel, Monterey**

Session Chair: Marcello del Valle, Intel

#### **Short Course 1: Statistical Analysis Methods for Dealing with Uncertainty in Thermal Testing**

Instructor: Ross Wilcoxon, PhD, Principal Mechanical Engineer, Mission Systems, Collins Aerospace

#### **Short Course 2: Design and Optimization of Heat Sinks**

Instructor: Dr. Georgios Karamanis, Co-Founder and Senior Engineer, Transport Phenomena Technologies, LLC

#### **Short Course 3: A Holistic Approach to Improve Mission Critical Facility Performance**

Instructor: Kourosh Nemati, Application Engineer, Future Facilities Ltd.

#### **Short Course 4: Thermal Challenges in Automotive Electronics**

Instructor: Tobias Best, Managing Director, Alpha-Numerics GmbH

### **Afternoon Short Courses**

**1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.**

**San Jose, Santa Clara, Carmel, Monterey**

Session Chair: Marcello Del Valle, Intel

#### **Short Course 5: Introduction to the Design and Implementation of Indirect Liquid Cooling for Electronic Systems**

Instructors: Alfonso Ortega, Ph.D., Professor and Director, Laboratory for Advanced Thermal and Fluid Systems, Villanova University

Rahima Mohammed, Senior Principal Engineer, Intel Corporation

#### **Short Course 6: Design of Experiments (DOE) for Thermal Engineering**

Instructor: James Petroski, Principal Consultant, Design by Analysis Technical Consulting

**3:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

**Bayshore Ballroom Foyer**

**Attendee Registration**

**5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

**Bayshore Ballroom Foyer**

**Welcome Reception**

**6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.**

**San Carlos**

**SEMI-THERM Program Committee Meeting**

## Short Courses Monday, March 18, 2019

### Short Course 1 Morning

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

#### Statistical Analysis Methods for Dealing with Uncertainty in Thermal Testing

Ross Wilcoxon, PhD, Principal Mechanical Engineer, Mission Systems, Collins Aerospace

Statistical analysis is a methodology for using probabilistic methods to address the uncertainty that is inherent to all data. This course will give an overview of fundamental statistical methods that are used to identify the useful signals within a data set that may otherwise be obscured by the noise of data uncertainty. The class will provide the attendees with a better understanding of the how and why various statistical approaches are used as well as give tutorials on how to use a number of statistical analysis methods on actual data.

About the Instructor



**Ross Wilcoxon** is a Principal Mechanical Engineer in the Rockwell Collins Advanced Technology Center. He conducts research and supports product development related to component reliability, electronics packaging and thermal management of avionics. Prior to joining Rockwell Collins in 1998, he was an assistant professor at South Dakota State University.

### Short Course 2 Morning

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

#### Design and Optimization of Heat Sinks

Dr. Georgios Karamanis, Co-Founder and Senior Engineer, Transport Phenomena Technologies, LLC

This course provides the audience with an understanding of heat sink design and optimization in the context of the thermal management of electronics. The course has two parts. The first part begins with an overview of common methods to manufacture heat sinks such as extrusion, die casting and forging, and discusses their advantages and disadvantages with respect to cost and fin geometry. Attention then shifts to the theory of spreading resistance and how it can be calculated in order to properly size the thicknesses of the bases of heat sinks. Next, the theory of the operation of heat pipes in tubular and flat (vapor chamber) configurations is presented along with their roles in smoothing out temperature gradients in the fins and bases of heat sinks.

In the second part of the course, single-phase conjugate heat transfer, where conduction in the heat sink is coupled to convection in the coolant, i.e., air or water, flowing through the heat sink is highlighted. We discuss why the constant heat transfer coefficient assumption tends to be an invalid one in real heat sinks by using specific examples. Then, the use of computational fluid dynamics (CFD) to compute conjugate Nusselt numbers is considered.

Next, we discuss how to embed pre-computed CFD results for conjugate Nusselt numbers and dimensionless flow resistances for heat sinks in flow network models (FNMs) of circuit packs such as blade servers.

Finally, a case study is presented where the fin height, length, spacing and thickness for 6 longitudinal-fin heat sinks cooling 6 microprocessors are simultaneously optimized by embedding the FNM representation of the circuit pack in a multi-variable optimization scheme.



**Dr. Georgios Karamanis** is a Co-Founder and Senior Engineer at Transport Phenomena Technologies, LLC. He received his Ph.D. and M.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Tufts University. He has expertise in analytical, numerical and experimental techniques relevant to convective transport. He is the PI in a NSF Phase I SBIR awarded to Transport Phenomena Technologies, LLC, to develop specialized thermal modeling software for Data/Telco centers.

## Short Courses Monday March 18, 2019

### Short Course 3 Morning

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

#### A Holistic Approach to Improve Mission Critical Facility Performance

Kourosh Nemati, Application Engineer, Future Facilities Ltd.

In recent years, data center designers & operators have focused on energy consumption, particularly PUE, to decrease operating expenses (OPEX). Hybrid cooling solutions, containment, and air-side or water-side economizers are examples of solutions implemented in data centers to achieve lower PUE. While these solutions have a positive effect on OPEX, they can also increase Capital Expenses (CAPEX) significantly. Meanwhile, a major driver of increased OPEX and PUE continues to go largely unnoticed – the fact that IT equipment, cooling infrastructure and data halls are all designed and tested separately. Since all these processes operate independently, it is a tremendous challenge to integrate them into one tool. However, if this can be achieved, data center energy consumption can be improved while providing sufficient cooling for IT, even during critical failure.

This entry-to-intermediate-level short course will demonstrate a comprehensive “Chip to Facility” CFD modeling process, using the Future Facilities software platform. The course will cover the entire process of detailed server modeling and room-level modeling, including different types of cooling strategies and control systems both in design and operational planning. Additional topics will be presented, including: a standard for data center model calibration, model integration to DCIM/ITSM via API web services, and an overview of external (generator yard and rooftop) modeling.



**Kourosh Nemati** is an application engineer at Future Facilities. He received his doctoral degree from the State University of New York at Binghamton. During his Ph.D., he has been involved in several data center thermal management projects, specialized in transport in data centers using both empirical and numerical approaches from server to room levels. He is a member of ASHRAE TC9.9, Green Grid and the NSF ES2 research project.

### Short Course 4 Morning

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

#### Thermal Challenges in Automotive Electronics

Tobias Best, Managing Director, Alpha-Numerics GmbH

Growing demands on electronic equipment in the automotive industry means a very precise consideration of thermal management is required. For several decades, there has been a trend that the performance increases, but the equipment gets smaller, leading to higher packing density. In addition to this challenge, which is common in other electronics industry segments, the automotive industry offers yet another hurdle. The installation space for the electronic equipment is usually not a simple boundary condition from a thermal point of view.

The thermal impact from solar radiation, noise-insulation (which acts as heat-insulation) and the effect of engine heat on electronics installed in the engine compartment all need to be considered. Without considering these effects in the design of the thermal management, the equipment might work as a prototype, but could completely fail in the field.

This short course will give an overview of the challenges an engineer will face when developing electronic equipment especially for the automotive industry. The course will concentrate on the physical area around thermal management and will show examples of the many challenges faced. The use of simulation to visualize the thermal behavior of the design and the creation of a digital twin for virtual prototyping will also be covered. The seminar will highlight some physical background concerning electronics cooling and will give ideas to help meet the latest requirements.



With more than 20 years experience using an industry specific CFD simulation tool and working as a consultant for the automotive industry, **Tobias Best** is currently owner and Managing Director of Alpha-Numerics GmbH in Germany.



## Short Courses Monday March 18, 2019

### Short Course 5 Afternoon

1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

#### Introduction to the Design and Implementation of Indirect Liquid Cooling for Electronic Systems

**Alfonso (Al) Ortega, Ph.D., Professor and Director, Laboratory for Advanced Thermal and Fluid Systems, Villanova University**

**Rahima Mohammed, Senior Principal Engineer, Intel Corporation**

The capacity of liquid cooling systems to manage heat dissipation from electronics far exceeds the capacity of air-cooled systems, a fact that has been known and pursued for decades. The preference for air cooling is readily justified because of ease of use and compatibility with electronics and their reliability. Air-cooling performance is ultimately limited by volumetric constraints on the size of the extended surface heat sink attached to high power components, acoustic limits on the allowable volumetric flow rates, and availability of air-movers that can deliver flow at pressure heads sufficiently high to overcome the pressure drop in volumetrically dense finned structures. Practically speaking, air cooling strategies cannot achieve heat sink resistances much below 0.1 C/W and component heat dissipations much greater than 100 W. Transitioning to liquids such as water or refrigerants as the primary heat transfer medium requires more exacting design and adaptation of infrastructure at system and component levels to accommodate delivery of liquid flow to high power devices. This short course is intended for engineers who want to better understand strategic considerations in the selection of indirect liquid cooling solutions as compared to air-cooled solutions. The course will focus on the design and performance considerations for indirect (cold-plate based) liquid cooling solutions that use either single phase (liquid) or two-phase (boiling) convection as the primary strategy for heat removal. Topics to be covered include the following:

- Design drivers for liquid cooling transition in different platforms: Server, Desktop, Mobile
- System ramifications and trade-offs of solutions using liquid versus air cooling
- Design principles for single phase liquid-cooled cold plate design at conventional scales and emerging principles and data for micro-scale heat sink design
- Understanding the behavior of boilers/evaporators with mini or microscale features
- Design principles for liquid cooling systems and their implementation

**Dr. Alfonso Ortega** is the James R. Birlle Professor of Energy Technology at Villanova University. He is the Director of the Laboratory for Advanced Thermal and Fluid Systems and the Founding Director of the Villanova site of the NSF Center for Energy Smart Electronic Systems (ES2) founded in 2011. He received his B.S. from The University of Texas-El Paso, and his M.S. and Ph.D. from Stanford University, all in Mechanical Engineering. He was on the faculty of the Department of Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering at The University of Arizona in Tucson for 18 years. For two years, he served as the Program Director for Thermal Transport and Thermal Processing in the Chemical and Transport Systems Division of The National Science Foundation, where he managed the NSF's primary program funding heat transfer and thermal technology research in U.S. universities.



Dr. Ortega is a teacher of thermal sciences and experimental methods. He is an internationally recognized expert in the areas of thermal management in electronic systems. He has supervised over 40 M.S. and Ph.D. candidates to degree completion, 5 postdoctoral researchers, and more than 70 undergraduate research students. He is the author of over 300 journal and symposia papers, book chapters, and monographs and is a frequent short course

lecturer on thermal management and experimental measurements.

He is a Fellow of the ASME and received the 2003 SEMI-THERM Thermie Award and the 2017 THERMI Achievement Award in recognition of his contributions to the field of electronics thermal measurements.

**Rahima Mohammed** is a Senior Principal Engineer and serves as the lead of the Customer Delight Office for strategic customers in Performance, Power and Competitive Analysis (P2CA) team of Intel Corporation. She has been with Intel over 20 years after graduate schooling from Yale. Before joining P2CA, she served as the Data Center customer solutions technologist and led data mining efforts on customer returned parts and as test and validation lead for server products in Manufacturing Validation Engineering (MVE). She also served as the advanced test module technologist in Manufacturing Development Organization (MDO). Prior to that, she served as the path finding czar for strategic emerging technologies across market segments and also setup the innovation programs for the division. Rahima led the team to deliver 15 advanced validation platform designs and pioneered innovative temperature margining thermal tools for over thirty-five silicon products. She also chairs various technical steering committees and serves on Industry advisory boards. She demonstrates consistent leadership in IP creation, and has published 100+ papers in Intel internal and external conferences and filed 5 patents. She serves as a reviewer for various conferences like Itherm, Interpack, and a program committee member of IEEE SEMI-THERM conference and Burn-in-test strategies



workshop. She served as the vice-program chair, program chair, and general chair of SEMI-THERM conferences in 2014, 2015, and 2016, respectively. She has served as the senior advisor for Women at Intel Network of Guadalajara, Mexico for the past 8 years. She has been working with GHC and AnitaB since 2011.

## Short Courses Monday March 18, 2019

### Short Course 6 Afternoon

1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

#### Design of Experiments (DOE) for Thermal Engineering

James Petroski, Principal Consultant, Design by Analysis Technical Consulting

This course is intended to introduce people to the concept of Design of Experiments (DOE) and how it can be applied to engineering for effective design and experimentation. Beginning with a discussion of effective experimentation, the class will progress through different types of experimentation used today, the role of statistics in planning experiments and the product designs they influence, to an overview of various types of DOE's.

In depth presentation of certain DOE types will be given and the reason why the DOE type is chosen for a particular situation. The course will then show the process of setting up a "typical" DOE and follow with two examples, one from an analytical design using a DOE and a second of an experimental DOE of a system.



**James Petroski** is the founder and Principal Consultant of Design by Analysis Technical Consulting. Mr. Petroski has been involved in thermal, shock and vibration management of electronics systems for DOD, NASA and commercial applications with over 35 years' experience in the field of electronics packaging and LED thermal management. He received his Bachelors in Engineering Science and Mechanics from Georgia Tech and a MS degree in Engineering Mechanics from Cleveland State University. He has authored numerous papers related to LED and electronics packaging, has over thirty patents pertaining to solid-state lighting and electronics cooling, and is currently a member of the ASME K-16 Subcommittee on Heat Transfer in Electronics.

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## SEMI-THERM 35 KEYNOTE

Tuesday March 19, 2019 9:10 a.m.

### Challenges in the CPU and GPU Markets

The technical challenges for CPU and GPU products have gone through several inflections over the last 25 years. This talk will focus on these inflections as well as look forward to what may lie ahead.



#### Tom Dolbear, AMD

Since October 2017, Tom has been the Senior Director in AMD's Radeon Technology Group leading the global board hardware engineering team responsible for electrical design, power regulation, and thermal/mechanical design for GPUs and graphics cards for the mobile, gaming, and datacenter/machine learning markets. From 2009 to October 2017, Tom directed AMD's global packaging organization, developing solutions for Playstation™ 4 and Xbox™ One, for Fiji and Vega GPUs utilizing 2.5D technology, and for the Epyc™ and Ryzen™ processors. Tom was the catalyst behind the integration of the AMD and ATI packaging teams in 2008. From 1995 to 2009, he worked in several architecture, packaging, and platform engineering roles within AMD, including being a key contributor to bringing Opteron™ to the server market, the achievement of the first 1GHz CPU, and the development of AMD's first unique motherboard infrastructure for K7 CPUs.

Prior to joining AMD in 1995, he was a Member of Technical Staff at MCC, the first pre-competitive research consortium in the United States. He holds fifteen patents in the field of electronic packaging. He graduated from The University of Texas at Austin with a BS in Mechanical Engineering and from Stanford University with a MS in Mechanical Engineering.

### Schedule of Events Tuesday, March 19, 2019

**7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.**

**Speakers' Breakfast**

**San Jose**  
(March 19 Speakers, Session Chairs and Co-Chairs only)

**7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**Attendee Registration**

**Bayshore Ballroom Foyer**

**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Exhibitor Setup**

**Bayshore Ballroom**

**8:00 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.**

**Symposium Opening and Welcome**

General Chair: Adriana Rangel, Cisco Systems, Inc.

**Oak and Fir**

**8:10 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.**

**Session 1: LEDs**

Session Chair: Jim Petroski, Mentor, A Siemens Business

**Oak and Fir**

**8:10 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.**

**A Methodology to Determine the Sites of Variability in an LED Assembly**

Robin Bornoff<sup>1</sup>, Thomas Mérelle<sup>2</sup>, Josephine Sari<sup>3</sup>, Alessandro Di Bucchianico<sup>3</sup>, Gabor Farkas<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Mentor - A Siemens Business, <sup>2</sup>PI Lighting, <sup>3</sup>Eindhoven University of Technology

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## Schedule of Events Tuesday March 19, 2019 Continued

**8:30 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.**

**Oak and Fir**

### **Accurate Thermal Transient Measurements Interpretation of Monochromatic LEDs**

Anton Alexeev<sup>1</sup>, Genevieve Martin<sup>2</sup>, Grigory Onushkin<sup>2</sup>, Jean-Paul Linnartz<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Eindhoven University of Technology, <sup>2</sup>Signify

**8:50 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.**

### **Implementation of a Multi-Domain LED Model and its Application for Optimized LED Luminaire Design**

János Hegedüs<sup>1</sup>, Gusztáv Hantos<sup>1</sup>, Robin Bornoff<sup>2</sup>, Márta Rencz<sup>3</sup>, András Poppe<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Budapest University of Technology and Economics, <sup>2</sup>Mentor, A Siemens Business

<sup>3</sup>Mentor, A Siemens Business, Budapest University of Technology and Economics

**9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.**

**Oak and Fir**

### **Keynote Address: Challenges in the CPU and GPU Markets**

Tom Dolbear, AMD

**10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**

**Gateway Foyer**

### **Networking Break**

**10:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**Oak**

### **Parallel Session 2: Two Phase Cooling**

Session Co-Chairs: George Meyer and Sobo Sun, Celsia Inc.

**10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.**

### **Assessment of Critical Heat Flux on Finite Size Surfaces Under Pool Boiling**

Julia Reed, Vijay K. Dhir, University of California, Los Angeles

**10:50 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.**

### **Molecular Dynamic Simulation of Evaporative Heat Transfer on Graphene Coated Silicon Substrate for Electronics Cooling**

Binjian Ma<sup>1</sup>, Rui Zhou<sup>1</sup>, Li Shan<sup>1</sup>, Junhui Li<sup>1</sup>, Damena Agonafer<sup>1</sup>, Baris Dogruoz<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Washington University in St. Louis, <sup>2</sup>Cisco Systems Inc.

**11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

### **Experimental and Numerical Investigation of Microdroplet Evaporation on Porous Pillar Structures**

Li Shan<sup>1</sup>, Binjian Ma<sup>1</sup>, Baris Dogruoz<sup>2</sup>, Damena Agonafer<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Washington University in St. Louis

<sup>2</sup>Cisco Systems, Inc.

**11:30 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.**

### **Heat Pumps to Upgrade Data Center Waste Heat: Integration with 2-Phase Cooling**

Steven G. Schon<sup>1</sup>, Rehan Khalid<sup>2</sup>, Aaron P. Wemhoff<sup>3</sup>, Alfonso Ortega<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>QuantaCool (CTO) and Villanova University (Research Fellow, Department of Mechanical Engineering)

<sup>2</sup>Villanova University, Department of Mechanical Engineering (Ph.D. candidate)

<sup>3</sup>Villanova University, Department of Mechanical Engineering (Professor)

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Luncheon Speaker  
Tuesday March 19, 2019

## The Future of Innovation – Fusing Art and Technology

Innovation is one of the most overused buzz words in modern society. If everything is “innovative” then surely nothing is?! Another popular mantra nowadays is to bring the humanities into the tech world for increased revenue owing to diverse perspectives. However, these are examples of popular sound bites that generate “check-the-box” exercises and thus limit our ability to progress humanity through technological evolution. In this talk I discuss the need to deeply understand what innovation truly is (and is not) and I share real examples of ways to develop innovative solutions by fusing art and technology.



**Domhnaill Hernon** is Head of Experiments in Arts and Technology (E.A.T.) at Nokia Bell Labs. He graduated with a B.Eng in Aeronautical Engineering, a Ph.D in fundamental fluid mechanics from the University of Limerick and an Executive M.B.A. from Dublin City University, Ireland. He is passionate about turning research/ideas into reality and exploring the bounds of creativity to push the limits of technology. Domhnaill was previously responsible for turning Bell Labs disruptive research assets into proto-solutions that could be tested at scale in the market and he established new methods to overcome the “Innovation Valley of Death”. He is currently responsible for Bell Labs global activities in E.A.T. where he collaborates with the artistic/creative community to push the limits of technology to solve the greatest human need challenges.

## Schedule of Events Tuesday March 19, 2019 Continued

**11:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**Oak**

### **Thermal Performance of Metal Foam Heat Sink with Pin Fins for Non-Uniform Heat Flux Electronics Cooling**

Yongtong Li<sup>1</sup>, Liang Gong<sup>1</sup>, Minghai Xu<sup>1</sup>, Yogendra Joshi<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>China University of Petroleum, <sup>2</sup>Georgia Institute of Technology

**10:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**Fir**

### **Parallel Session 3: Thermal Interface Materials**

Session Chair: Jason Strader, Laird

**10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.**

### **Mechanical Cycling Reliability Testing for Thermal Interface Materials for Semiconductor Test Requirements**

David L. Saums<sup>1</sup>, Timothy Jensen<sup>2</sup>, Carol Gowans<sup>2</sup>, Ron Hunadi<sup>2</sup>, Mohamad Abo Ras<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>DS&A LLC, <sup>2</sup>Indium Corporation, <sup>3</sup>Berliner Nanotest und Design GmbH

**10:50 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.**

### **Liquid Metal Innovations for High Performance TIMs**

Timothy Jensen, Indium Corporation

**11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

### **High Performance Lightweight Ceramic Material for Thermal Management in Electronic Devices**

Bei Xiang, Chandra Raman, Xiang Liu, Momentive Performance Materials Quartz, Inc.

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## Vendor Workshops Parallel Sessions Tuesday March 19, 2019 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**2:00 p.m.**

**Oak**

**Mentor, a Siemens Business**

**Simcenter Flotherm 2019.1 Update: Transient Modeling, electro-thermal circuit simulation, accurate reduced order models, and more**

Byron Blackmore – Mentor, A Siemens Business

Siemens PLM Simcenter portfolio includes a range of electronics cooling, CFD and multi-physics simulation software to meet the application modeling requirement of the electronics and semiconductor industry and the wide demographic of engineering software user skill level, experience and discipline. This presentation focuses on Simcenter Flotherm, the 30+ year industry leading electronics cooling software, latest release enhancements for 2019. Topics include:

- Transient modeling using power control
- Industry standard open file format support (using ECXML)
- Reduced order modeling speed and accuracy
- Thermal netlist extraction & electro-thermal circuit modeling
- And much more...

**3:00 p.m.**

**Oak**

**t-Global**

**Development of Measuring Instrument of the Thermal Conductivity of Heat Pipes and Graphite Sheets Using Angstrom Theory**

One thing needs to be noted is that when developing the measuring technology, some of the heat transfer path for the graphite sheet or graphene sheet is two-dimensional while the heat transfer path of heat pipe is one dimension. Based on the Angstrom method, this research designed a set of experimental instruments to measure the thermal diffusivity  $\alpha$  of the material. The Thermal Diffusivity Measuring Instrument namely TDMI is calibrated by a pure substance such as copper, tin, aluminum etc., after the calibration is completed, the thermal conductivity of the heat pipe and graphite sheet can be measured. In this experiment, the repeatability errors are within 5%, while accuracy errors are within 10%.

**3:00 p.m.**

**Fir**

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## Schedule of Events Tuesday March 19, 2019 Continued

**11:30 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.**

**Fir**

**Performance of Durable High-Performance Polymer Composite TIMs Under Accelerated Aging Conditions**

John A. Howarter, Michael D. Toomey, Hyungyung Jo, School of Materials Engineering, Purdue University

**11:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**Thermal Diffusivity Characterization of Thick Graphite Foils**

Rick Beyerle, Martin Smalc, Rajath Kantharaj, Jonathan Taylor, Julian Norley, NeoGraf Solutions, LLC

**12:20 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**Pine and Cedar**

**Luncheon and Presentation:**

**The Future of Innovation - Fusing Art and Technology**

Presenter: Domhnaill Hernon, Head of Experiments in Arts and Technology at Nokia Bell Labs

**1:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m**

**Bayshore Ballroom**

**Exhibits Open**

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## Teardown Session

Tuesday Afternoon, March 19, 2019 4:00 p.m.

### Alternative Thermal Solution For A Wireless Home Router

Presenter:

**Justin Dixon, Electronic Cooling Solutions, Inc.**

In recent years the demand for faster internet speeds has been steadily increasing. As consumers rely more on the internet for shopping, streaming videos, gaming, personal communications, business, etc. the technology used to support these applications must advance to keep in step with demand. The market dictates that devices of this nature be small, silent and aesthetically pleasing while also meeting performance requirements. Currently, many wireless devices use vents and heatsinks to cool internal components which alters the external appearance and can reduce aesthetic quality.

This Teardown session will explore the possibility of removing the heatsinks and vents currently used for cooling in a high end wireless home router and replacing them with an alternative thermal solution using heat spreaders and conductive enclosure materials. Thermal analysis and thermal test data are presented and used to demonstrate the functionality of the alternative thermal solution. A "tear down" and evaluation of the current thermal solution are presented. The evaluation includes IR scans to determine hot spots and thermal test data to determine component temperatures under stressed loading conditions. Illustrations of system components and architecture and obstacles to designing a thermal solution are also discussed.



**Justin Dixon** has been a consulting thermal engineer at Electronic Cooling Solutions for 5 years. He has provided thermal analysis and testing services in the consumer electronics, telecommunications, automotive and medical devices industries. Recently he has consulted in the design for a number of consumer electronics devices such as routers, access points, cameras, LCD displays and more. He graduated, with honors, from San Jose State University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering and a focus on thermal fluids.

## Schedule of Events Tuesday March 19, 2019 Continued

**2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

**Vendor Workshops Parallel Sessions**

**Oak and Fir**

**2:00 p.m.**

**Mentor, A Siemens Business**

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**3:00 p.m.**

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**3:00 p.m.**

**FK Kasei**

**Fir**

**4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.**

**Tear Down Session: Alternative Thermal Solution for a Wireless Home Router**

Justin Dixon, Electronic Cooling Solutions, Inc.

**Bayshore Ballroom Foyer**

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## Evening Tutorial

Tuesday March 19 2019, 7:30 p.m.

### AI Is Helping Engineers Break Through The Barriers Of Thermal Design

Presenter:

**Lieven Vervecken, Diabatix**

Imagine what would happen if you explained the laws of thermodynamics to a hyperintelligent machine. With the capacity to think, imagine how that machine would optimally design cooling fins and cooling channels to precisely fit your needs. Would it decide to use parallel cooling fins, S-shaped cooling channels, or something new? Would it try to maximize the contact surface area, or not? Artificial intelligence is revolutionizing the way thermal engineers design cooling solutions. Discover how in a presentation by Diabatix.



**Lieven Vervecken** is CEO and co-founder of Diabatix, an engineering company specialized in advanced thermal design. Prior to founding Diabatix, Lieven received a PhD in mechanical engineering from the renowned University of Leuven, in the field of numerical simulations. Lieven incorporated his expertise into the advanced A.I. technology that lies at the heart of Diabatix. What started out as a small venture has become a fast-growing company serving multinationals all over the world.

Lieven is an experienced speaker at national and international conferences with a passion for the limitless possibilities of combining engineering with artificial intelligence technology.

During his talk he will expound on the many doors the Diabatix technology can open.

### Schedule of Events Tuesday March 19, 2019 Continued

**6:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**  
**Dinner**

**Pine and Cedar**

**7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**  
**Evening Tutorial:**

**Breaking Through the Barriers of Thermal Design with A.I.**

Presenter: Lieven Vervecken, CEO, Diabatix

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## Schedule of Events Wednesday, March 20, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.**  
**Speakers' Breakfast** **San Jose**  
(March 20 Speakers, Session Chairs and Co-Chairs only)
- 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** **Bayshore Ballroom Foyer**  
**Attendee Registration**
- 8:00 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.** **Oak and Fir**  
**Symposium Welcome Message**  
Program Chair: Pablo Hidalgo, Aavid
- 8:10 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.** **Oak and Fir**  
**THERMI Award Presentation**  
'Reflections on a Journey of Developing Means to Characterize Hot Spots in Cool Chips'  
Peter E. Raad, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Southern Methodist University
- 9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.** **Oak and Fir**  
**Session 4: Automotive/Aerospace/Outdoor**  
Session Chair: Hussameddine Kabbani, Facebook
- 9:10 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.**  
**The Impact of Anodization on the Thermal Performance of Passively Cooled Electronic Enclosures Made of Die-cast Aluminum**  
Zhongchen Zhang<sup>1</sup>, Michael Collins<sup>2</sup>, Chris Botting<sup>3</sup>, Eric Lau<sup>3</sup>, Majid Bahrami<sup>1</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Simon Fraser University, <sup>2</sup>University of Waterloo, <sup>3</sup>Delta-Q Technologies
- 9:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.**  
**Development of a 3D Printed Loop Heat Pipe**  
William G. Anderson<sup>1</sup>, Joel Crawmer<sup>1</sup>, Bradley Richard  
<sup>1</sup>Advanced Cooling Technologies, Inc.
- 9:50 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.**  
**Measurement of Thermal Resistance of Thermal Interface Materials with High In-Plane Thermal Conductivity Using Transient Thermal Based Structure Function Analysis\***  
Aloysius Davin Oetomo, Craig Green, Carbice Corporation  
\*Via Videoconference
- 10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** **Gateway Foyer**  
**Networking Break**
- 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.** **Oak**  
**Parallel Session 5: CFD/Numerical Modeling**  
Session Chair: Taravat Khadivi, Qualcomm
- 10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.**  
**Design using Multi-Scale, Multi-Physics Analyses And Shape Optimization for Compact Heat Transfer Devices**  
Daniel Bacellar, Dennis Nasuta, Cara Martin, Reinhard Radermacher, Optimized Thermal Systems, Inc.

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## Monday, March 18, 2019

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

San Jose, Santa Clara, Carmel, Monterey

### Morning Short Courses

Session Chair: Marcello del Valle, Intel

#### Short Course 1

#### Statistical Analysis Methods for Dealing with Uncertainty in Thermal Testing

Instructor: Ross Wilcoxon, PhD, Principal Mechanical Engineer, Mission Systems, Collins Aerospace

#### Short Course 2

#### Design and Optimization of Heat Sinks

Instructor: Dr. Georgios Karamanis, Co-Founder and Senior Engineer, Transport Phenomena Technologies, LLC

#### Short Course 3

#### A Holistic Approach to Improve Mission Critical Facility Performance

Instructor: Kourosh Nemati, Application Engineer, Future Facilities

#### Short Course 4

#### Thermal Challenges in Automotive Electronics

Instructor: Tobias Best, Managing Director, Alpha-Numerics

1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

### Afternoon Short Courses

Session Chair: Marcello del Valle, Intel

#### Short Course 5

#### Introduction to the Design and Implementation of Indirect Liquid Cooling for Electronic Systems

Instructors: Alfonso Ortega, Ph.D., Professor and Director, Laboratory for Advanced Thermal and Fluid Systems, Villanova University  
Rahima Mohammed, Senior Principal Engineer, Intel Corporation

#### Short Course 6

#### Design of Experiments (DOE) for Thermal Engineering

Instructor: James Petroski, Principal Consultant, Design by Analysis Technical Consulting

3:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Bayshore Ballroom Foyer

### Attendee Registration

5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Bayshore Ballroom Foyer

### Welcome Reception

6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.

San Carlos

### SEMI-THERM Program Committee Meeting

## Tuesday, March 19, 2019

7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.

### Speakers' Breakfast

(March 19 Speakers and Chairs only)

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Bayshore Ballroom Foyer

### Attendee Registration

8:00 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.

Oak and Fir

### Symposium Opening and Welcome

General Chair: Adriana Rangel, Cisco Systems, Inc.

8:10 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.

Oak and Fir

### Session 1: LEDs

Session Chair: Jim Petroski, Mentor, A Siemens Business

9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.

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### Keynote Address: Challenges in the CPU and GPU Markets

Tom Dolbear, AMD

10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Gateway Foyer

### Networking Break

10:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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### Session 2: Two Phase Cooling

Session Co-Chairs: George Meyer and Sobo Sun, Celsia Inc.

10:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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### Parallel Session 3: Thermal Interface Materials

Session Chair: Jason Strader, Laird

12:20 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Pine and Cedar

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1:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Bayshore Ballroom

### Exhibits Open

2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Oak and Fir

### Vendor Workshops Parallel Sessions

4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Bayshore Ballroom Foyer

### Tear Down Session: Alternative Thermal Solution for a Wireless Home Router

Justin Dixon, Electronic Cooling Solutions, Inc.

6:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Pine and Cedar

### Dinner

7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

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### Symposium Welcome Message

Program Chair: Pablo Hidalgo

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'Reflections on a Journey of Design' Characterize Hot Spots in Cooling Systems

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9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.

### Session 4: Automotive/Aerospace

Session Chair: Hussameddine

10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

### Networking Break

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

### Parallel Session 5: CFD/Numerical

Session Chair: Taravat Khadivi

10:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

### Parallel Session 6: Two Phase Flow

Session Chair: Prithish Parida, IBM

12:40 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

### Luncheon and Presentation

1:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

### Exhibits Open

2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

### Vendor Workshops Parallel Sessions

5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

### Exhibitor Reception

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

### How-To Sessions

How to Wright Whale... er, Ross Wilcoxon, PhD, Principal Mechanical Engineer, Mission Systems, Collins Aerospace

### Design of Liquid Cooled Systems

Pablo Hidalgo, Senior Engineer, Division of Boyd Corp.



## Wednesday, March 20, 2019

San Jose  
Speakers' Breakfast  
(March 21 Speakers and Chairs only)

Bayshore Ballroom Foyer

Oak and Fir  
Symposium Welcome Message  
Program Chair: Pablo Hidalgo, Aavid

Oak and Fir  
Session 7: Consumer Electronics  
Session Chair: Mark Carbone, Intel and Angel Han, Huawei

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Embedded Tutorial:  
Modeling Two-Phase Heat Transfer Systems,  
Pumped and Passive Designs  
Prithish R. Parida, Research Staff Member, IBM  
Research; George Meyer, CEO, Celsia, Inc.; Sobo Sun,  
General Manager, Celsia, Inc.

Gateway Foyer

Oak  
Session 8: Data Center Cooling  
Session Chair: Marcelo del Valle, Intel

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Thermal Hall of Fame Lifetime Achievement  
Award Presentation  
'From a Tiny University Lab to the World: the  
MicRed Story'  
Dr. Márta Rencz, Budapest University of Technology  
and Economics

Pine and Cedar

Bayshore Ballroom

Oak and Fir

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5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
STEF Board Meeting

Principal Mechanical Engineer,  
Aerospace

Engineer, Aavid, Thermal

## Thursday, March 21, 2019

7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.  
Speakers' Breakfast  
(March 21 Speakers and Chairs only)

7:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Attendee Registration

8:00 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.  
Symposium Welcome Message  
Program Chair: Pablo Hidalgo, Aavid

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10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.  
Networking Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
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Session Chair: Marcelo del Valle, Intel

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12:20 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Awards Luncheon  
Harvey Rosten Award, Thermal Hall of Fame Award,  
and THERMI Award

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Post SEMI-THERM Program Meeting

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Technical Advisory Board Meeting

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
STEF Board Meeting

## Friday, March 22, 2019

San Jose 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
JEDEC JC 15 Meeting

Santa Clara

Gateway Foyer Thermal Characterization Techniques for  
Semiconductor Packages  
Activities within JC-15's scope include the  
standardization of thermal characterization  
techniques, both testing and modeling, for  
electronic packages, components, and materials  
for semiconductor devices.

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The following events are open to all  
Registered SEMI-THERM Attendees:

### Tuesday:

- Exhibits
- Vendor Workshops
- Evening Tutorial

### Wednesday:

- Exhibits
- Vendor Workshops
- How To Courses

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papers shortly thereafter, with a final  
submission deadline on September 15,  
2019.

## Schedule of Events Wednesday March 20, 2019 Continued

**10:50 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.**

**Research on Package Thermal Resistance of Power Semiconductor Devices**

Koji Nishi, Ashikaga University

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**11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

**The Necessity for Thermal-Electrical Multiphysics for Board Heating in a Server Rack Unit**

Jared Harvest, Wade Smith, Satyajeet Padhi, ANSYS, Inc.

**11:30 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.**

**Temperature Profile of High Power Density (HPD) ASIC Device Mounted on Multi-Layered Diamond Enhanced Heat Spreader**

Firooz Faili<sup>1</sup>, Thomas Obeloer<sup>1</sup>, Russell Mason<sup>1</sup>, Daniel Twitchen<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Element Six Technologies, USA, <sup>2</sup>Element Six Technologies Limited

**11:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**Practical Evaluation of Thermally-Conductive Plastics and Guidelines for Use**

Dave Saums, DS&A LLC

**12:10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

**Optimization of an Array of Heat Sinks to Satisfy an Arbitrary Objective Function**

Georgios (George) Karamanis, Marc Hodes, Transport Phenomena Technologies LLC

**10:30 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**Parallel Session 6: Two Phase Cooling**

Session Chair: Pritish Parida, IBM

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**10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.**

**CTE Matching Heat Pipe Thermal Ground Plane**

Nelson Gernert, Mark North, Aavid Thermal Division of Boyd

**10:50 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.**

**An Ultra-Thin Loop Heat Pipe with Long-Distance Heat Transport for Cooling of Small Electronic Devices**

Shuto Tomita, Ai Ueno, Hosei Nagano, Nagoya University

**11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

**Evaluation of the Performance of Various Heat Pipe Mounting Methods with Various Thickness TIM's and Mounting Pressures**

George Meyer, Sobo Sun, Rock Chin, Celsia Technologies TW, Inc..

**11:30 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.**

**Relative Performance of Two-Phase vs Solid Conductive Heat Spreaders for High Heat Flux Applications**

Joe Boswell<sup>1</sup>, Corey Wilson<sup>1</sup>, Daniel Pounds<sup>1</sup>, Joshua Schorp<sup>1</sup>, Bruce Drolen<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>ThermAvant Technologies <sup>2</sup>Consultant to ThermAvant Technologies

**11:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.**

**The Impact of Heat Rejection Architecture on the Thermal Performance of a Pumped Two-Phase Cooling System\***

Elizabeth Baker, Danah Valez, Timothy A. Shedd, Florida Polytechnic University

\*Via Videoconference

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## Schedule of Events Wednesday March 20, 2019 Continued

### Vendor Workshops Parallel Sessions

Wednesday March 20, 2019 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**2:00 p.m.**

**Oak**

**Mentor, a Siemens Business**

**SiC Power Semiconductor Thermal Characterization and an Update on Thermal Model Calibration Techniques**

Andras Poppe, Mentor A Siemens Business

A presentation on the latest in accurate, repeatable thermal characterization techniques utilizing Simcenter T3STER thermal transient test technology, combining thermal measurement with simulation and for reliability assessment studies. Topics:

- A proposed approach for SiC MOSFET power semiconductor module thermal measurement to generate accurate heat flow path analysis information in the form of structure functions
- IGBT & MOSFET thermal reliability: power cycling and thermal degradation tracking (Simcenter POWERTESTER update)
- Progress of DELPHI4LED project on multi-domain LED modeling incl. model calibration using thermal/optical measurement
- Automatic calibration of detailed IC package thermal models in Simcenter Flotherm and Simcenter FLOEFD software

**3:00 p.m.**

**Oak**

**ANSYS**

**Automation and Customization for Electronics Thermal Management Simulation**

Automating routine tasks and customizing workflows for specific applications enables significant time saving, productivity increases, and repeatability. In the electronics thermal management space, automation and customization benefits all stages of the CFD analysis, from model building to meshing, solving, and post-processing. Workflows can be automated for each stage or to combine all stages of the CFD electronics thermal simulation process.

This workshop will present an overview of the automation and customization tools ANSYS provides as part of its electronics thermal management simulation platform. It will highlight examples of customization for electronics thermal management and will provide an update on recent enhancements that improve users' ability to automate and customize their simulations. Attendees will have the chance to see how automation and customization could help improve their existing simulation processes, and possibly open the doors to new opportunities. The underlying goal of automation and customization is to enhance the productivity of engineers using simulation.

**3:00 p.m.**

**Fir**

**CoolIT**

**Preparing to Liquid Cool Your Next Deployment**

Whether you are an OEM or Hyperscale data center operator looking for products that enable your technology to perform at its peak, or a data center operator needing reliable products to reduce OpEx, CoolIT Systems modular Rack DCLC platform is equipped to support any server, rack configuration and data center environment. Utilizing Rack DCLC's three module approach, customers work directly with CoolIT's engineering experts to select components specific to their needs. In this workshop tutorial, we will be explaining the process of how we select and design direct liquid cooling components to meet required performance needs.

**4:00 p.m.**

**Fir**

**Future Facilities**

**6SigmaET Ten Years Old and Still Developing Rapidly**

6SigmaET was introduced to the electronics thermal industry at SEMI-THERM 25 in 2009. In 2019, we are celebrating the first 10 years of our state-of-the-art electronics cooling software. We'll take a short trip down memory lane to explore 6SigmaET's important philosophy of putting the user experience first, with real modelling objects rather than simplified, integrations with a wide range of ECAD/MCAD tools, and many more key usability features. We'll also explore the development of 6SigmaET's unique Multi-Level Unstructured Staggered Grid system, which allows complex models to be solved with minimal effort. The presentation will showcase the current release of 6SigmaET and will offer a sneak preview of some of our upcoming features.

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## Schedule of Events Wednesday March 20, 2019 Continued

**12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

Pine and Cedar

**Luncheon and Presentation**

**'The Origins of Silicon Valley: Why and How It Happened Here'**

Paul Wesling, IEEE Life Fellow

**1:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

Bayshore Ballroom

**Exhibits Open**

**2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

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**Vendor Workshops Parallel Sessions**

**2:00 p.m.**

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**Mentor, A Siemens Business**

**SiC Power Semiconductor Thermal Characterization and an Update on Thermal Model Calibration Techniques**

**3:00 p.m.**

Oak

**Ansys**

**Automation and Customization for Electronics Thermal Management Simulation**

**3:00 p.m.**

Fir

**CoolIT**

**Preparing to Liquid Cool Your Next Deployment**

**4:00 p.m.**

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**Future Facilities**

**6SigmaET Ten Years Old and Still Developing Rapidly**

**5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

Bayshore Ballroom

**Exhibitor Reception**

**7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

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**How-To Session**

**How to Wright Whale... er, Write Well....**

Ross Wilcoxon, Collins Aerospace

**8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

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**How-To Session**

**Design of Liquid Cooled Systems**

Pablo Hidalgo, Senior Engineer, Aavid, Thermal Division of Boyd Corp.

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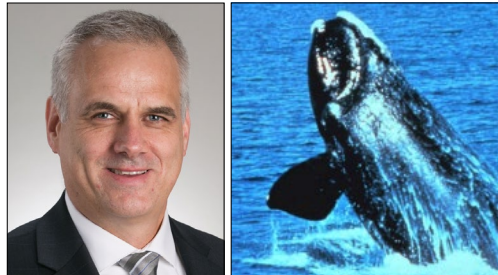


## How-To Sessions

Wednesday March 20, 2019 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

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### How to Wright Whale... er, Write Well...

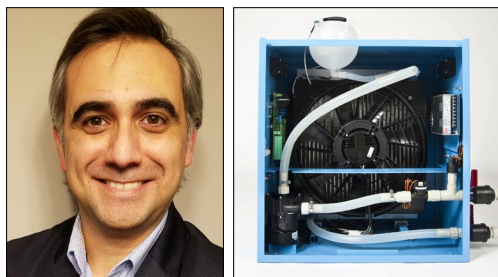
Ross Wilcoxon, PhD, Principal Mechanical Engineer, Mission Systems, Collins Aerospace

Whether you are selling an idea to management, proposing work to a customer, or presenting the results of your research, the ability to communicate well through your writing is critical. This presentation gives an overview on a few things to keep in mind to improve your technical writing abilities. It will provide some insight into effective writing from an engineer who has authored and reviewed numerous publications and has also contributed to multiple proposals for external funding.

**Dr. Ross Wilcoxon** is a Principal Mechanical Engineer in the Collins Aerospace Advanced Technology group. He conducts research and supports product development related to component reliability, electronics packaging and thermal management for communication, processing, displays and radars. He has 30 US Patents, dozens of journal and conference publications, and is an associate technical editor of Electronics Cooling magazine. Prior to joining Rockwell Collins in 1998, he was an assistant professor at South Dakota State University.

8:00 p.m.

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### Design of Liquid Cooled Systems

Pablo Hidalgo, Senior Engineer, Aavid, Thermal Division of Boyd Corp.

Automating routine tasks and customizing workflows for specific applications enables significant time saving, productivity increases, and repeatability. In the electronics thermal management space, automation and customization benefits all stages of the CFD analysis, from model building to meshing, solving, and post-processing. Workflows can be automated for each stage or to combine all stages of the CFD electronics thermal simulation process.

This workshop will present an overview of the automation and customization tools ANSYS provides as part of its electronics thermal management simulation platform. It will highlight examples of customization for electronics thermal management and will provide an update on recent enhancements that improve users' ability to automate and customize their simulations. Attendees will have the chance to see how automation and customization could help improve their existing simulation processes, and possibly open the doors to new opportunities. The underlying goal of automation and customization is to enhance the productivity of engineers using simulation.

**Pablo Hidalgo** is a Senior Thermal Engineer at Aavid working on the development of new products for the military and aerospace industries as well as consumer products, data centers and medical applications. Currently his primary focus is on the development of a new line of products within Aavid for consumer electronics. Previously he spent eight years in the department of mechanical engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology working as a research engineer. During his tenure at Georgia Tech, he worked in thermal management of high power electronics using flow control and aerodynamic techniques. His professional experience and interests are single and two-phase cooling, heat pipes, vapor chambers, R&D, flow control and fluid/structure interactions.

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## Schedule of Events Thursday , March 21, 2019

**7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.**  
**Speakers' Breakfast**

**San Jose**  
(March 21 Speakers, Session Chairs and Co-Chairs only)

**7:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**  
**Attendee Registration**

**Gateway Foyer**

**8:00 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.**  
**Symposium Welcome Message**  
Program Chair: Pablo Hidalgo, Aavid

**Oak and Fir**

**8:10 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.**  
**Session 7: Consumer Electronics**  
Session Chair: Mark Carbone, Intel and Angel Han, Huawei

**Oak and Fir**

**8:10 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.**  
**Analysis of Natural Frequency Dependency on Temperature Variation of MEMS Vibratory Gyroscope**  
Jacek Nazdrowicz, Andrzej Napieralski, Lodz University of Technology

**8:30 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.**  
**Battery Discharge Capacity Calculation by Temperature Measurement**  
Jeevan Kanesalingam, Khoo Li Lian, Motorola Solutions

**8:50 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.**  
**Exploring Heatpipe Configurations for Package On Package (PoP) Cooling**  
Sankarananda Basak<sup>1</sup>, Ryota Watanabe<sup>2</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Intel Corporation, <sup>2</sup>Lenovo (Japan) Ltd.

**9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.**  
**Embedded Tutorial**  
**Modeling Two-Phase Heat Transfer Systems, Pumped and Passive Designs**  
Pritish R. Parida<sup>1</sup>, George Meyer<sup>2</sup>, Sobo Sun<sup>2</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>IBM Research, <sup>2</sup>Celsia, Inc.

**Oak and Fir**

**10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**  
**Networking Break**

**Gateway Foyer**

**10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**  
**Session 8: Data Center Cooling**  
Session Chair: Marcelo del Valle, Intel

**Oak and Fir**

**10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.**  
**Simulation-Based Optimization of Data Center Cooling Performance Using Performance Indicators**  
John Petrongolo<sup>1</sup>, Kourosh Nemati<sup>2</sup>, Kamran Fouladi<sup>1</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Widener University, <sup>2</sup>Future Facilities

**10:50 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.**  
**Transient Analysis Overshoot in Temperature for High Power Thermal Solutions**  
Javier Avalos , Enrique Barreto, Intel Corporation, Zapopan, Mexico.

*Continued*

## Embedded Tutorial

Thursday March 21, 2019

9:10 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.

### Modeling Two-Phase Heat Transfer Systems, Pumped And Passive Designs

Presenters:

**George Meyer**  
Celsia

**Pritish R. Parida**  
IBM Thomas J Watson Research Center

**Sobo Sun**  
Celsia

Two-phase heat transfer systems utilize the latent heat property of a coolant fluid to transfer heat loads to regions or components where it could be efficiently dissipated to the ambient environment. The development of two-phase cooling for both two-dimensional (2D) and three-dimensional (3D) integrated circuits using pumped dielectric coolant and passive designs such as heat pipes, vapor chambers, thermosyphons, etc., has gained recent attention due to the ability to manage high heat densities, compatibility with electronics and above ambient temperature operation to achieve very low cooling energy usage. Development of this approach requires high fidelity and computationally manageable conjugate thermal models both at the device level as well as at the system level.

This talk will describe a few modeling methodologies demonstrating the process of design and development of both passive and pumped two-phase heat transfer systems.



**George Meyer** is a thermal industry veteran with over three decades of experience in electronics thermal management. He currently serves as the CEO of Celsia Inc., a design and manufacturing company specializing in custom heat sink assemblies using heat pipes and vapor chambers. Previously, Mr. Meyer spent twenty-eight years with Thermacore in various executive roles including Chairman of the company's Taiwan operations. He holds over 70 patents in heat sink and heat pipe technologies and serves as a chairperson for the SEMI-THERM thermal conferences in the San Francisco area.



**Pritish R. Parida** received the B.Tech. degree in mechanical engineering from IIT Guwahati, Guwahati, India, in 2006, the M.Sc. degree in mechanical engineering from Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, Baton-Rouge, LA, USA, in 2007, and the Ph.D. degree in mechanical engineering from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech), Blacksburg, VA, USA, in 2010. He is currently a Research Staff Member at IBM T. J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, NY, USA, where he develops new techniques and innovative solutions, offering fundamental breakthroughs in the state of the art to provide market differentiating technology for IBM's portfolio of products and services in the field of information technology. He addresses the thermal challenges in computer systems to achieve highly energy-efficient thermal designs to reduce the cooling energy used by computers in data centers. He has co-authored over 50 peer-reviewed publications and holds over 40 issued patents.



**Sobo Sun** is a 20 year thermal industry veteran with 80 patents in this field and expertise in heat sink modeling and design for manufacturability. Prior roles include various senior management positions with CoolerMaster and Thermacore. Masters Mechanical Engineering, National Chung-Hsing University and PhD. ME candidate, National Chiao Tung University.

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## Schedule of Events Thursday March 21, 2019 Continued

**11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

**Oak and Fir**

### **Airflow Management Using Active Air Dampers in Presence of a Dynamic Workload in Data Centers**

Sadegh Khalili<sup>1</sup>, Ghazal Mohsenian<sup>1</sup>, Anuroop Desu<sup>2</sup>, Kanad Ghose<sup>2</sup>, Bahgat Sammakia<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Department of Mechanical Engineering, Binghamton University-SUNY, NY, USA

<sup>2</sup>Department of Computer Science, Binghamton University-SUNY, NY, USA

**11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

**Oak and Fir**

### **Thermal Hall of Fame Lifetime Achievement Award Presentation**

'From a Tiny University Lab to the World: the MicRed Story'

Dr. Márta Rencz, Budapest University of Technology and Economics

**12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**Pine and Cedar**

### **Awards Luncheon**

#### **Harvey Rosten Award**

'Compact Cooling-System Model for Transient Data Center Simulations'

Jim VanGilder, Chris Healey, Wei Tian, Michael Condor, Quentin Menuisier

#### **Thermal Hall of Fame Award**

Dr. Márta Rencz

#### **THERMI Award**

Dr. Peter E. Raad

**3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

**San Jose**

### **Post SEMI-THERM Program Meeting**

**4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**San Jose**

### **Technical Advisory Board Meeting**

**5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

**San Jose**

### **STEF Board Meeting**

## Schedule of Events Friday, March 22, 2019

**8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

**Santa Clara**

### **JEDEC JC 15 Meeting**

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Thursday March 21, 2019 12:30 p.m.

## The 2018 Harvey Rosten Award

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### Compact Cooling-System Model for Transient Data Center Simulations

**Jim VanGilder, Chris Healey, Wei Tian, Michael Condor, Quentin Menuisier**

Schneider Electric

For Outstanding Work in the Field of Thermal Analysis of Electronic Equipment.

**Jim VanGilder** received a BS from the University of Maine (1992) and an MS from Duke University (1993) in Mechanical Engineering. He joined Flomerics in 1997 where he initially focused on CFD for traditional electronics thermal applications and later on building-scale applications and, ultimately, data centers. He joined Schneider Electric (APC at the time) in 2003 where he focused on developing practical and fast tools to assist the thermal design and operation of data centers; Jim currently directs CFD development and related research. He has authored over 50 technical publications and holds more than 30 US patents related to data-center and electronics cooling. Jim is a long-time member and former chair of ASHRAE TC 4.10, Indoor Environmental Modeling, and a frequent contributor to the ASME InterPack and IEEE ITherm conferences. Jim is also a licensed professional engineer in the state of Massachusetts.

**Chris Healey** is a graduate of the College of William and Mary (2005, BS Math) and Georgia Institute of Technology (2010, PhD Industrial Engineering). He is a Data Science Team Leader in Schneider Electric, working in thermal analytics and data science in the goal of efficiency and reliability of data center systems through optimal design, efficient control, and predictive maintenance. He has authored or co-authored seven journal papers and numerous conference proceedings.

**Michael Condor** received a BS from Bucknell University (2000) in Computer Science. Michael has nearly 20 years of experience developing software for data center management technology (DCIM) as well as thermal analytics software. Michael is currently the lead software engineer for the Thermal Analytics team in Schneider Electric.

**Wei Tian** received a PhD in Civil Engineering from the University of Miami. He is currently a research engineer at Schneider Electric, working in developing numerical models and tools to analyze thermal performance of data centers. His research interests include computational fluid dynamics, energy system modeling, and dynamic simulation and optimization. Wei has authored over 20 technical papers.

**Quentin Menuisier** received an MS from ENSMM (2018), a French Engineering School in Computational Mechanics. He had the opportunity to work in Schneider Electric as a Computational Fluid Dynamics intern. He currently works in France as an Engineering Consultant.

### The Harvey Rosten Award

The Award is for outstanding work, recently published or in the public domain, which advances the analysis or modeling of thermal or thermomechanical effects in electronic equipment or components, including experiments aimed specifically at the validation of numerical models. The award is in the form of a plaque and a \$1000 cash prize. The Award was established by the family and friends of Harvey Rosten, to commemorate his achievements in the field of thermal analysis of electronics equipment, and the thermal modeling of electronics parts and packages. The Award is made annually to encourage innovation and excellence in these and closely related fields.

The recipient is selected by the Selection Committee, made up of eminent practitioners in the electronics-thermal field. The criteria for selection are that the work: represents an advance in thermal analysis or thermal modeling of electronics equipment or components, including experiments aimed specifically at validating numerical models; demonstrates clear application to practical electronics design; demonstrates insight into the physical processes affecting the thermal behavior of electronics components, parts and systems; is innovative in embodying this understanding in either thermal analysis or thermal modeling; takes a pragmatic approach.





Thursday March 21, 2019 12:30 p.m.

## THERMI Award

Each year, SEMI-THERM honors a person as a Significant Contributor to the field of semiconductor thermal management. The THERMI award is intended to recognize a recipient's history of contributions to crucial thermal issues affecting the performance of semiconductor devices and systems.

The voting body of past THERMI winners and the current year General Chair are pleased to present the 2019 THERMI Award to:



**Dr. Peter Raad**

**Southern Methodist University**

Dr. Raad will be giving a presentation:

'Reflections on a Journey of Developing Means to Characterize Hot Spots in Cool Chips'

**Peter E. Raad** is a professor of mechanical engineering at Southern Methodist University (SMU) in Dallas, Texas. He first joined SMU in 1986 and has previously served as the associate dean of its School of Engineering. From 2000 to 2012, he founded and directed the Hart eCenter at SMU, a university-wide center to address the impact of the interactive networked technologies on society. During that time, he also founded and directed The Guildhall at SMU, a first of its kind, graduate program in digital game development. Raad has received over \$2.8 million in funding support for his research in tsunami mitigation and in metrology of submicron electronics. In 2006, he founded TMX Scientific, a company to innovate and commercialize deep submicron thermal measurement systems and ultrafast thermal computational engines. Raad's work in the thermal management field includes the development of innovative deep-submicron thermal metrology techniques and systems, as well as novel coupling of computations and measurements to provide transient, three-dimensional temperature fields in electronic structures with inaccessible internal features.

His honors include the Allan Kraus Thermal Management Medal (2014); the Harvey Rosten Award for Excellence in the Physical Design of Electronics (2006); the ASME North Texas Section Engineer of the Year (1999-2000); the Next-Gen's Top 25 People of 2007 (most influential in the video gaming industry); and Outstanding Graduate (four times) and Undergraduate (three times) Faculty Awards at SMU.

He has published over 55 journal articles and given more than 100 conference and invited talks. He holds U.S. and international patents in thermal metrology and computational characterization of multiscale integrated circuits. He is a Fellow of ASME and a Senior Member of IEEE. He received his BSME (with honors, 1980), MS (1981), and PhD (1986) in mechanical engineering from the University of Tennessee - Knoxville.



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Márta Rencz received the Electrical Engineering degree, the Doctor in Engineering Degree and the PhD degree from the Budapest University of Technology and Economics, where she has also obtained the Habilitation. She has received the Doctor of Science degree from the Hungarian Academy of Science in the field of Microelectronics. She is a professor at the Budapest University of Technology and Economics. Between 2005 and 2013 she served as the Head of Department of Electron Devices. She has participated in numerous international research projects, mostly in the field of investigating, measuring and modeling multi-physical effects in electronics. She has published her theoretical and practical results in more than 300 technical papers.

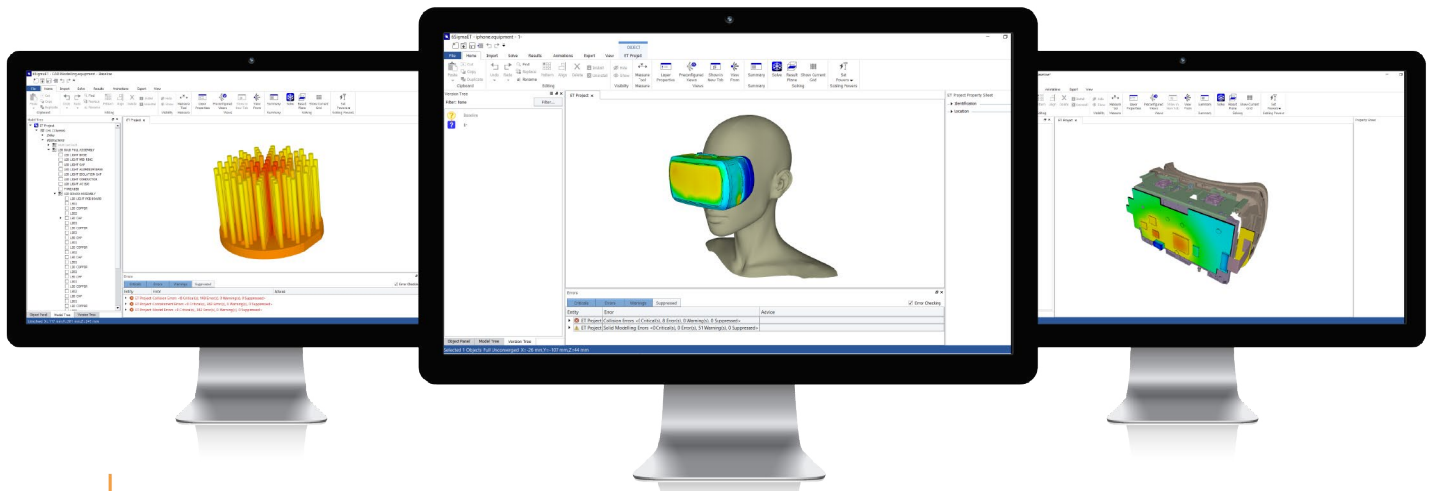
She has been the guest editor of over 10 special issues of various scientific Journals in the fields of thermal investigations and thermal management in electronics. She is regularly reviewing scientific papers and international research proposals. She was a co-founder and CEO of Micred Ltd that is now part of Mentor, a Siemens business, where she still holds a research director position.

She initiated in 1992 the THERMINIC EU research project that has led to the THERMINIC workshops, dealing with thermal issues in electronics, giving a forum for thermal management experts. Today she is the chair of the steering committee of THERMINIC.

She holds various awards of excellence, among others Harvey Rosten award (2001) and the Allan Krauss thermal management award of ASME (2015). In 2013 she has received the Doctor Honoris Causa degree from the Tallinn University of Technology in Estonia.

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