

## NSF Workshop on Shared Infrastructure for Machine Learning EDA

Workshop date: Mar 10, 2023, Friday, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. CST

**Onsite wifi:** eduroam for academics, UofM-Guest for non-academics

*In person attendance location:* 4-178A Keller Hall, 200 Union Street SE, Minneapolis

Map: <https://campusmaps.umn.edu/kenneth-h-keller-hall>

Keller Hall is 1 block west of the Graduate Hotel and signage will show the way to 4-178A

*Virtual attendance zoom link:*

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/93972372050?pwd=ckpEUXBUa2JiTzhsR0M3YVJMd3VKdz09>

Meeting ID: 939 7237 2050      Passcode: P826mx

9:30 – 10:00 a.m.      Breakfast

### Session 1

*Chairs:* Sachin Sapatnekar (UMN) and Mike Quinn (TAMU)

10:00 – 10:10 a.m.      Welcome, Dean Andrew Alleyne, College of Science and Engineering, UMN

10:10 – 10:15 a.m.      Opening, Sankar Basu (NSF)

10:15 – 10:35 a.m.      Andrew Kahng (UCSD)

“Bars and Barriers to Overcome for Shared ML EDA Infrastructure”

10:35 – 10:55 a.m.      Ruchir Puri (IBM)

“Engineering the Flywheel of AI for Electronic Design Automation: Present Challenges and Future Opportunities”

10:55 – 11:15 a.m.      Thomas Andersen (Synopsys) “AI for chip design - An industry perspective”

11:15 – 11:35 a.m.      Dan Yu (Siemens EDA) “ML for Data-Driven Verification”

11:35 – 11:55 a.m.      Siddharth Garg (NYU) “Towards Large, High Quality and Open Datasets for ML4EDA”

12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Break**

### Session 2

*Chair:* Jiang Hu (TAMU)

12:30 – 12:50 p.m.      Sachin Sapatnekar (UMN)

“Generating ML datasets for digital and analog EDA: Opportunities and challenges”

12:50 – 1:10 p.m.      Mark Ren (Nvidia) “Enabling Generative AI and GPU Acceleration for EDA”

1:10 – 1:30 p.m.      Scot Weber (AMD)

“Practical considerations for scaling AI/ML in an EDA context”

1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Breakout session**

1. Data: raw data or scripts? format, scope & pitfalls (S. Garg, T.-W. Huang) **4-131 Keller**
2. Software interface between ML/EDA tools: Scope/pitfalls (V. Chhabria, M. Robbins) **5-120 Keller**
3. Open source environment and platform extensibility (T. Ansell, C. Yu) **4-178A Keller**
4. Testcases, benchmark and validation systems (M. Quinn, I. Bustany) **4-146 Keller**
5. Collaboration between industry and academia (Y. Chen, C. Alpert) **4-178B Keller**
6. Analog design automation (D. Pan, J. Hu) **3-166 Keller**

2:30 – 2:45 p.m.      **Break**

### Session 3

*Chair:* Yiran Chen (Duke)

2:45 – 3:00 p.m.      Eric Schmidt, Michelle Ritter (Steel Perlot)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m.      Summary of breakout discussion

4:00 – 5:00 p.m.      **Panel:** Towards pervasive AI in EDA through a shared ML infrastructure

Moderator: Ismail Bustany (AMD)

Panelists: Srinivas Bodapati (Intel), Joe Jiang (Google),

Sung-Kyu Lim (DARPA), Marcus Pan (SRC), Matt Robbins (Steel Perlot)

**Dinner:** 6pm, Tea House

## **Zoom links for breakout sessions**

**Breakout 1:** Data: raw data or scripts? Format, scope & pitfalls

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/92581397077?pwd=ZmRNcXdVNVVlZ0hqUDRxb2xMWHJhUT09>

**Breakout 2:** Software interface between ML and EDA tools - scope & pitfalls

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/91210896083?pwd=YTY2ajBNSys5VWljUkEwcUROc25EUT09>

**Breakout 3:** Open source environment and platform extensibility

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/97406106157?pwd=Q1VFYXNEd0FhZ2o5UmRRUXRTYXFydz09>

**Breakout 4:** Testcases, benchmark and validation systems

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/97241365127?pwd=d013c1ZwT0tTRkQwbEZYcTJ0OGZHQT09>

**Breakout 5:** Collaboration between industry and academia

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/95571430139?pwd=OTJtNUNYSnBhb1JGNU9yQjAwYVFIQT09>

**Breakout 6:** Analog design automation

<https://umn.zoom.us/j/94772893939?pwd=ZDVWV1o4Sms2OHVlc2QzY3hxUkx0Zz09>