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## **EDUCATION**

### M.Sc. Electrical Engineering- Electronics

Kashan University, Isfahan, Iran

GPA: 18.77/20 (4/4)

Thesis Title: Changing the Layer Stack of InP based Hybrid Plasmonic Waveguide with the purpose of Propagation Length Increment.

*Sept.2016 – May.2018* 

Supervisor: Dr. Mahmoud Nikoufard

Defended Master thesis with Excellent grade (20/20)

#### **B.Sc.** Electrical Engineering- Control Engineering

Vali-e-Asr University of Rafsanjan, Kerman, Iran

GPA: 15.58/20 (3/4)

Sept.2012 - Jun.2016

Thesis Title: Design and Simulation of a PID control system for a SEPIC

Converter Using Matlab.

Supervisor: Dr. Meisam Yahyazadeh



## **AWARDS & HONORS**

- Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> GPA among the graduating class of 2018 in the master's program at Kashan University.
- Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> GPA among the graduating class of 2016 in the undergraduate program of Vali-e-Asr University of Rafsanjan.
- Received national graduate and undergraduate full scholarship (tuition waiver).
- Ranked within the top 5% among more than 40,000 participants in the Iranian University entrance exam for the Master's degree in electrical engineering.
- Ranked within the top 5% among more than 300,000 participants in the Iranian University entrance exam for the Bachelor's degree in electrical engineering.



## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- Integrated Photonics
- Hybrid Plasmonics and Plasmonic devices
- Terahertz devices for communications applications
- Deep-learning-based inverse design of Terahertz devices
- metasurface and metamaterial
- Photonic Crystals



## **PUBLICATIONS**

- M. A. Mahdian, M. Nikoufard, and F. Soleimannezhad. Effect of etching depth on the performance of InP-based hybrid plasmonic waveguides. International Journal of Electronics and Communications 2020. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.aeue.2020.153403
- F. Soleimannezhad, M. Nikoufard, and M. A. Mahdian. Low-loss indium phosphide-based hybrid plasmonic waveguide. Microwave and Optical Technology Letters 2020. https://doi.org/10.1002/mop.32488
- A novel structure based on ridged gaped waveguides for terahertz applications. In preparation for the IEEE Journal of Lightwave Technology.
- M. A. Mahdian, M. Nikoufard, and F. Soleimannezhad. Effect of Etch Depth on Design of InP Based Multi-Mode Interferometer. Annual Physics Conference of Iran. Aug. 2017. Qazvin, Iran.
- F. Soleimannezhad, M. A. Mahdian, and M. Nikoufard. Effective Mode Area and Propagation Length of Deeply-etched InP-Based. Annual Physics Conference of Iran. Aug. 2017. Qazvin, Iran.
- F. Soleimannezhad, M. A. Mahdian, and M. Nikoufard. Investigation of Effective Parameters on Coupling Length in Deeply Etched Directional Hybrid Plasmonic Coupler Based on InP. Annual Physics Conference of Iran. Aug. 2019. Tabriz, Iran.



## **ACADEMIC PROJECTS**

- M. A. Mahdian, "Design and simulation of an 8-bit full-adder alongside with layout design", VLSI Circuit Design, Dr. Hossein Karimiyan, Kashan University, Spring 2017.
- M. A. Mahdian, "Design and Simulation of a high gain operational amplifier based on Gain Boosting technique", Linear integrated Circuits (CMOS), Dr. Farzan Rezaei, Kashan University, Fall 2017.
- M. A. Mahdian, "Principles and Design of Passive Photonic Integrated Circuits based on InP technology", Optoelectronics (1), Dr. Mahmoud Nikoufard, Kashan University, Fall 2017.
- M. A. Mahdian, "Investigation of Waveguide based Passive Photonic Integrated Circuits operation through FDTD simulation", Photonic Integrated Circuit (PIC), Dr. Mahmoud Nikoufard, Kashan University, Spring 2017.
- M. A. Mahdian, "Review, Comparison and Simulation of HPW devices in prior recent literatures through FEM Simulations", Photonic Integrated Circuit (PIC), Dr. Mahmoud Nikoufard, Kashan University, Spring 2017.



## Experience

- Teaching Experience
  - Teaching assistant of Electronics II in Vali-e-Asr university of Rafsanjan for two semesters of 2015-2016 | Troubleshooted the students' problems in the Electronics II course.
  - o Taught hardware design for freshmen in Vali-e-Asr university of Rafsanjan.
  - Online volunteer project | Teaching Electronics hardware design for teenagers.
- Work experience
  - Hardware designer at Vali-e-Asr university of Rafsanjan Robotic team | Designed Power supply and the main microcontroller PCB of a Rescue Robot as a part of the team.
  - o RoboCup Iran open April 2015 | participated as an electronic engineer with Vali-e-Asr university of Rafsanjan Robotic team.
  - o Internship at SATHA Co. | Became familiar with MV / LV electrical panels.
  - Freelance hardware engineer | Designed and assembled different hardware projects as a freelancer.



## **CERTIFICATES**

- AVR, Certified by Iran Technical & Vocational Training Organization. (272 Hours, Standard code: 0-23/93/1/1)
- PLC, Certified by Iran Technical & Vocational Training Organization. (272 Hours, Standard code: 0-84/55/2/4)
- ICDL, Certified by Iran Technical & Vocational Training Organization.
- Photonic Integrated Circuit design with Lumerical software, Certified by the Nanotechnology Promoting committee, Pars Allameh Asia.



## **SKILLS**

Programming Languages

Web Languages

**Applications** 

- C
- C++
- Python
- MATLAB
- HTML
- CSS
- JavaScript
- JQuery
- COMSOL Multiphysics®
- Lumerical
- CST Studio Suite®
- Synopsys HSPICE®
- Tanner EDA
- OriginPro (by OriginLab)
- Altium Designer
- Blender

- Keil μVision<sup>®</sup>
- CodeVisionAVR
- Arduino Software (IDE)
- Proteus Design Suite
- Adobe Photoshop®
- Adobe Audition®
- Adobe Illustrator®
- CorelDRAW Graphics Suite®



## **SELECTED COURSES AND GRADES**

- Theory and Technology of Manufacturing Semiconductor Devices (19/20)
- Photonic Integrated Circuit (PIC) (18.5/20)
- Optoelectronics (1) (19/20)
- Semiconductor Devices (19.5/20)
- VLSI Circuits Design (19/20)



## SELECTED PROJECTS

- Implementation of isolated power supply for a Rescue Robot.
- Design and Implementation of a microcontroller-based system for Indore IoT devices.
- Design and Implementation of an Ultrasonic Insect Repellent System with adjustable output frequency.
- Design and Implementation of an Educational Development board based on STM32 microcontrollers.



## LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Persian (Native)
- Arabic (Familiar)
- English (Fluent)
- -TOEFL iBT: Will be taken on oct 10, 2020.



## HOBBIES AND VOLUNTEERING

- Swimming
- **Sports**
- Basketball
- Graphic Design
- Web Design
- Personal Interests
- Podcast Production
- Educational Content Creation
- Playing Piano

**Volunteering** 

- Monthly Donation to indigent families
- Member of HazratRoghaye charity



## **REFERENCES**

- Dr. Mahmoud Nikoufard: mnik@kashanu.ac.ir
- Dr. Farzan Rezaie: f.rezaei@kashanu.ac.ir
- Dr. Daryoosh Dideban: dideban@kashanu.ac.ir