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**Research Interests :**

- ♦ Digital Signal Processing, Filter Design
- ♦ VLSI for Signal Processing

**Educational Background :**

- ♦ 2004, PhD in Electrical & Computer Engineering, National University of Singapore, Singapore
- ♦ 1997, Master of Engineering in Biomedical Engineering, Zhejiang University, PRChina
- ♦ 1994, Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering, Zhejiang University, PRChina

**Professional Experience :**

- ♦ 12.2005 ~ 02.2016: Assistant Professor, School of Electrical & Electronics Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- ♦ 07.2009 ~ 07.2009: Visiting Professor, Department of Mathematics & Statistics, Curtin University of Technology, Perth, Australia
- ♦ 01.2004 ~ 11.2005: Research Fellow, Temasek Laboratories, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- ♦ 10.2002 ~ 07.2003: Visiting Researcher, Department of Applied Mathematics, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong, PRC
- ♦ 06.2002 ~ 09.2002: Visiting Researcher, Digital Media Institute, Tampere University of Technology, Tampere, Finland
- ♦ 05.1998 ~ 01.2004: Research Engineer, Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, National University of Singapore, Singapore
- ♦ 07.1997 ~ 04.1998: Instructor, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, PRC

**Honors & Awards :**

- ♦ 2011: Silver Leaf Certificate received by Ph.D student, Ye Wenbin, at 2011 Asia Pacific Conference on Postgraduate Research in Microelectronics & Electronics (PrimeAsia 2011) for the

paper "An algorithm for the design of low power linear phase FIR filters" . The Silver Leaf Certificate recognizes the top 20% papers presented in the conference.

- ♦ 2009: IEEE Circuits and Systems Singapore Chapter Graduate Student Award with a cash prize of S\$200 received by Ph.D student Shi Dong.

- ♦ 1997: Recipient of the 1997 Scientific and Technological Progress Award of Zhejiang Province, PRC - Bronze. The award is to recognize the highest scientific and technological achievements in relevant areas in Zhejiang Province during the calendar year preceding the award. The award is based on the general quality, promotion to the scientific and technological progress, and social and economic impacts.

### **Brief Introduction :**

Dr. Yu Yajun' s main research areas are (1) Energy-efficient VLSI digital signal processing (DSP) system and (2) DSP for communications and Biomedical Engineering. She has a publication record with more than 30 internal SCI indexed journal papers, and more than 30 international conference papers. She is a committee member of IEEE Circuits & Systems Society, Digital Signal Processing Technical Committee.

### **Selected Publications :**

[1]. X. Lou, **Y. J. Yu** and P. K. Meher, "Analysis and Optimization of Product-Accumulation Section for Efficient Implementation of FIR Filters" , accepted by *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*.

[2]. X. Lou, **Y. J. Yu** and P. K. Meher, "Lower Bound Analysis and Perturbation of Critical Path for Area-Time Efficient Multiple Constant Multiplications" , accepted by *IEEE Trans. Computer-Aided Design of Integrated Circuits and Systems*.

[3]. X. Lou, **Y. J. Yu** and P. K. Meher, "New Approach to the Reduction of Sign-extension Overhead for Efficient Implementation of Multiple Constant Multiplications" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 62, no. 11, pp. 2695-2705, Nov. 2015.

[4]. R. Fan, **Y. J. Yu** and Y. L. Guan, "Generalization of Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing with Index Modulation" , *IEEE Trans. Wireless Communications*, vol. 14, no. 10, pp. 5350-5359, Oct. 2015.

[5]. W. B. Ye and **Y. J. Yu**, "Two-step Optimization Approach for the Design of Multiplierless Linear-Phase FIR Filters" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 62, no. 5, pp. 1279-1287, May 2015. (**Invited paper for special issue of IEEE TCAS-I on best papers selected from ISCAS' 14.**)

[6]. X. Lou, **Y. J. Yu** and P. K. Meher, "Fine-Grained Critical Path Analysis and Optimization for Area-Time Efficient Realization of Multiple Constant Multiplications" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 62, no. 3, pp. 863-872, March 2015.

- [7]. W. B. Ye, and **Y. J. Yu**, "Bit-level Multiplierless FIR Filter Optimization Incorporating Sparse Filter Technique" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 61, no. 11, pp. 3206-3215, Nov. 2014.
- [8]. W. J. Xu, **Y. J. Yu**, and H. Johansson, "Improved Filter Bank Approach for the Design of Variable Bandedge and Fractional Delay Filters" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 61, no. 3, pp. 764-777, March 2014.
- [9]. W. B. Ye, and **Y. J. Yu**, "Single Stage and Cascade Design of High Order Multiplierless linear phase FIR Filters Using Genetic Algorithm" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 60, no. 11, pp. 2987-2997, Nov. 2013. **(Invited paper for special issue of IEEE TCAS-I on best papers selected from ISCAS' 12.)**
- [10]. **Y. J. Yu**, and W. J. Xu, "Investigation on the Optimization Criteria for the Design of Variable Fractional Delay Filters" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. II*, vol. 60, no. 8, pp. 522-526, Aug. 2013.
- [11]. S. Y. Park, and **Y. J. Yu**, "Fixed-Point Analysis and Parameter Selections of MSR-CORDIC with Applications to FFT Designs" , *IEEE Trans. Signal Processing*, vol. 60, no. 12, pp.6245-6256, Dec. 2012.
- [12]. **Y. J. Yu**, and W. J. Xu, "Mixed-Radix Fast Filter Bank Approach for the Design of Variable Digital Filters with Simultaneously Tunable Bandedge and Fractional Delay" , *IEEE Trans. Signal Processing*, vol. 60, no. 1, pp.100-111, Jan. 2012.
- [13]. D. Shi, and **Y. J. Yu**, "Design of Discrete-valued Linear Phase FIR Filters in Cascade Form" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I* vol. 58, no. 7, pp.1627-1636, July 2011. **(Invited paper for special issue of IEEE TCAS-I on best papers selected from ISCAS' 10.)**
- [14]. R. Bregovic, **Y. J. Yu**, T. Saramäki, and Y. C. Lim, "Implementation of Linear-Phase FIR Filters for a Rational Sampling Rate Conversion Utilizing the Coefficient Symmetry" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I* vol. 58, no. 3, pp. 548-561, Mar. 2011.
- [15]. D. Shi, and **Y. J. Yu**, "Design of Linear Phase FIR Filters with High Probability of Achieving Minimum Number of Adders" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I* vol. 58, no. 1, pp. 126-136, Jan. 2011.
- [16]. R. Bregovic, **Y. J. Yu**, A. Viholainen and Y. C. Lim, "Implementation of Linear-Phase FIR Nearly Perfect-Reconstruction Cosine-Modulated Filterbanks Utilizing the Coefficient Symmetry" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I* vol. 57, no. 1, pp. 139-151, Jan. 2010.
- [17]. **Y. J. Yu**, D. Shi, and Y. C. Lim, "Design of Extrapolated Impulse Response FIR Filters with Residual Compensation in Subexpression Space" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I* vol. 56, no. 12, pp. 2621-2633, Dec. 2009.
- [18]. **Y. J. Yu**, Y. C. Lim and D. Shi, "Low Complexity Design of Variable Bandedge Linear Phase FIR filters with Sharp Transition Band" , *IEEE Trans. Signal Processing*, vol. 57, no. 4, pp. 1328-1338, April 2009.

[19]. **Y. J. Yu** and Y. C. Lim, "Design of Linear Phase FIR Filters in Subexpression Space Using Mixed Integer Linear Programming" , *IEEE Trans. Circuits, Syst. I*, vol. 54, no. 10, pp. 2330-2338, Oct. 2007.

#### **Book and Book Chapters :**

[1]. L. Wanhammar, and **Y. J. Yu**, "Digital Filter Structures and Their Implementation" *Academic Press Library in Signal Processing: Volume 1: Signal Processing Theory and Machine Learning*, (Editor-in-Chief: Sergios Theodoridis and Rama Chellappa, Publisher: Academic Press), 2013.

#### **Service as editor**

- ♦ Associate Editor  
2009 - Circuit Systems and Signal Processing.  
2010 - 2013 IEEE Trans. on Circuits and Systems II.
- ♦ Editorial Board Member (equivalent to Associate Editor)  
2015 - Digital Signal Processing, Elsevier
- ♦ Co-Guest Editor  
2007 - 2009 Circuits Systems and Signal Processing, special issue on "Low Power Digital Filter Design Techniques and Their Applications" , Jan. 2010.