

# Radhakrishna Valiveti

## Resume

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### Summary

- Extensive experience in optical transport network architecture (e.g. OTN, SONET), network element architecture, design, and implementation of carrier-grade transmission products.
- Extensive experience in developing requirements for ASICs/FPGAs used in OTN network elements
- Regular contributor to ITU-T SG15 in the following areas: OTN Equipment, OTN Signal Formats & OTN Network Element Management.
- Co-authored IETF drafts related to GMPLS Extensions to support Beyond 100G OTN links, FlexE connection signaling.
- Hands on experience with the design & implementation of protocol software for Layers 2-5 of the OSI stack (e.g. LAPD, CLNP, IS-IS, ES-IS, TP4), IP/ATM, MPLS based L3VPNs
- In-depth understanding of networking protocols, and their applications

### Work Experience

10/2006 – Present **System Architect (Distinguished Engineer)**, *Infinera Corp*, Sunnyvale, USA.

- Developed (white-box) requirements for various generations of Infinera ASICs in these areas: G.709 OTN tributary interfaces, FlexE, FlexO, Infinera Proprietary Signals/Formats (used on the line-side interfaces), Overhead processing, Alarm Propagation. Supported the ASIC development team through all stages of development to ensure full compliance to applicable standards.
- Developed requirements for Layer 1 encryption (AES-GCM, AES-CTR modes) in INFN ASICs: at the ODU layer (in mapper ASIC) & bulk encryption (DSP ASIC). These requirements addressed the following aspects: algorithmic compliance, support for minimizing the cryptographic boundary (for FIPS 140-2 validation)
- Developed the End-2-End mechanism for Shared Mesh Protection (SMP) for ODU connections. This mechanism has been presented in various contributions to ITU-T SG15 Q9 (OTN Equipment). This work contributed to the ITU-T recommendation G.783.3.
- Defined the mechanism to support hitless ODUFlex resizing (specific to DTN-X networks). Working with ASIC & Software teams to get the mechanism implemented.
- Developed requirements related to control channel realization (e.g. trib & line side GCC channels) for several generations of Infinera's Network Elements.
- Developed DTN-X Network Architecture Specification. This specification takes a top-down view of DTN-X networks, and contains an in-depth coverage of these aspects: Layers (i.e. SignalsFormats), Adaptations, OTN atomic function realization, and Defect propagation. This document is used as the basis to derive requirements for the ASICs/FPGAs.
- Developed DTN Network Element requirements for these areas: GMPLS, L1VPN, Datapath recovery (protection, and restoration).

5/2005 – 10/1/2006 **System Architect**, *Fujitsu Network Communications*, Richardson, USA.

- Participated in the architecture definition of the FW9500 hybrid platform that supported TDM & Packet services (e.g. Point-to-Point Ethernet, VPLS) based on MPLS Pseudowires
  - Developed System Level Requirements for VPLS/H-VPLS, Control Plane High-Availability.
- 12/2003 – **Contractor (SW development)**, *Nortel*, Richardson, USA.  
4/2005
  - RSVP-TE for GGSN node: Wrote Functional Spec, Detailed Design & Designer Test plan. Worked on design changes support for a redundant control processor.
  - BGP/MPLS VPNs for GGSN node: Wrote the Designer Test plan, Added support for MPLS & VRF historical statistics.
- 10/2003 – **Contractor (SW development)**, *Avici*, Billerica, USA.  
11/2003
  - Resolved software issues related to: PPP, SONET Link Aggregation, MPLS LSP Protection (Fast Reroute).
- 12/2002 – **Contractor (Systems Arch)**, *Ciena*, San Jose, USA.  
5/2003
  - Specified the functional requirements for the CoreDirector features: Connection Test Access, Connection Loopback, OSI/DCC, 1GE/10GE tunneling with SONET/SDH VCAT/LCAS).
- 5/1998 – **Systems Architect**, *Fujitsu Network Communications*, Richardson, USA.  
8/2002
  - Part of the team tasked with developing the architecture for the first TDM/Packet Hybrid. Primarily responsible for Layer 2 and Layer 3 VPN support over MPLS networks.
  - Investigated protection of Point-to-Multipoint (P2MP, or multicast) MPLS LSPs, for the purposes of offering a fully protected TLS service.
  - Specified the optical UNI (O-UNI) interface between an MPLS LER (Label Edge Router), and the Optical Network Element (ONE).
  - Specification of Network Element Management Information models, and protocol specific realizations (in terms of TL-1 and SNMP)
- 6/1984 – **Member of Scientific Staff**, *Nortel*, Ottawa, Canada.  
5/1998
  - Part of a team defining the End-to-end architecture of a system offering Broadband access.
  - Developed various features for the HFC Cable Modem. E.g. Lightweight ATM signaling protocol, IP NAT (to support multiple attached PCs), Software Upgrade
  - Designed & Developed software for the following layers in the OSI Stack: LAPD (with QoS), Layer 3 (CLNP, IS-IS, ES-IS), and Layer 5 (Session Layer). Implemented performance enhancements at Layers 2 through 4 of the OSI stack
  - Implemented various STREAM's modules (e.g. TPI, Line Discipline Module, Serial Drivers)
  - Implemented a bridge for interconnecting IBM Token Ring LANs via a Frame Relay WAN
  - Analysis, Design, and Implementation of transparent access to (XMS based) remote file servers (via X.25 networks), file transfer utilities.
- 4/1981 – **SW Designer**, *Micom*, Montreal, Canada.  
6/1984
  - Designed and Implemented software for data communication protocols (e.g. BISYNC, SDLC, ISO Transport Layer 4/O, Session/Transport layers for Teletext service)

## Education

- 9/1987-12/1990 **Ph.D. (Electrical Engineering)**, Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada.
- 1979-1981 **M. Sc. (Computer Science)**, McGill University, Montreal, Canada.
- 7/1973-5/1978 **B. Tech. (Electronics and Electrical Communication)**, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, India.

## Honors/Awards

- 2009 Infinera President's Award. Awarded by Infinera President.
- 1991 Carleton University Medal for Outstanding Graduate Work at the Ph.D. level. Awarded by Carleton University.
- Sept 1987 - Post-Graduate Scholarship from Nortel. Awarded by Nortel.  
Jan 1991
- Sept 1987 - Post-Graduate Scholarship from the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council (NSERC) of  
August 1990 Canada. Awarded by NCERC.
- 1978 President of India silver medal. Awarded by IIT Kharagpur. Awarded for best academic performance in the graduating batch of the B. Tech program in the Electronics & Communication Engineering (ECE) department
- 1973 Stood fourth in the state of West Bengal in Higher Secondary Examination. Awarded by West Bengal HS Board.

## Publications

### Journal Publications

- [1] R. S. Valiveti and B. J. Oommen. "Adaptive Linear list Reorganization Under a Generalized Query System". In: *Journal of Applied Probability* 32 (1995), pp. 793-804.
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### Conference Publications

- [1] A. Sadasivarao et al. "Demonstration of Advanced Open WDM Operations and Analytics, Based on an Application-Extensible, Declarative, Data Model Abstracted Instrumentation Platform". In: *2019 Optical Fiber Communications Conference and Exhibition (OFC)*. Mar. 2019, pp. 1–3.
- [2] M. Anand, R. Subrahmaniam, and R. Valiveti. "POINT: An Intent-Driven Framework for Integrated Packet-Optical In-Band Network Telemetry". In: *2018 IEEE International Conference on Communications (ICC)*. May 2018, pp. 1–6. DOI: 10.1109/ICC.2018.8422785.
- [3] Madhukar Anand, Ramesh Subrahmaniam, and Radhakrishna Valiveti. "Unifying Real-Time Telemetry for Fun and Profit in Packet-Optical Networks". In: *Advanced Photonics 2017 (IPR, NOMA, Sensors, Networks, SPPCom, PS)*. Optical Society of America, 2017, JT4A.28. URL: <http://www.osapublishing.org/abstract.cfm?URI=Networks-2017-JT4A.28>.
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