Sandeep Koranne

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- ♦ Chief Scientist & Principal Key Expert, Mentor, A Siemens Business. (January 2008 Present)
 - ★ Lead author and principal contributor to several commercial software products.
 - * Providing technical leadership and influence to global team.
 - * HPC, computational geometry algorithms, software architecture and implementation.
 - $\star\,$ Author of several papers and patents for Mentor (please see scholar.google.com).
- ♦ **Senior Algorithms Developer and Director**, Synplicity Inc. (April 2004 January 2008)
 - * Design, development, integration and testing of Synplicity's Amplify FPGA Physical Optimization tool using advanced graph theory algorithms and enumeration.
- ♦ **Senior Scientist**, Tanner Research, Inc. (September 2001 April 2004)
 - * Responsible for the design and development of a high-performance foundry compatible hierarchical layout verification suite of products.
- Project Lead, Philips Research Labs, The Netherlands, (July 1999 September 2001)

EDUCATION

♦ Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR July 2019

Masters in Mathematics: Thesis topic "High-Order Finite Difference Methods for Nonlinear Optical Media". Course work: Real Analysis, Complex Analysis, Linear Algebra, Numerical Analysis, PDE, Algebra, Topology. Took PhD level course work and qualifying exams.

♦ Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi

Masters in VLSI Design, Tools and Technology (interdisciplinary program), Jun 1997-Dec 1998. Master's program supported by a Fellowship from Texas Instruments India Ltd., Thesis: "XPLAN: A methodology to estimate crosstalk in VLSI circuits".

♦ Maulana Azad College of Technology, (REC), Bhopal

Bachelor's in Computer Science and Engineering, Aug 1993-May 1997.

Received University Gold Medal and Roll of Honors,

Undergraduate thesis: Solving the VLSI standard cell placement problem using graph partitioning.

AWARDS

- ♦ Winner of the Sun Studio 12 Contest 2010 (http://skoranne.blogspot.com).
- ♦ Exemplary achievement award at Synplicity and Mentor.
- ♦ University Gold Medal and Roll of Honor for securing 1st position in Computer Science.
- ♦ Gold medal in National Science Aptitude Test of India (year 1990).

SKILLS

- ♦ C++, C, Julia, Common Lisp, Fortran, Python, Erlang, Lex, Yacc.
- $\diamond~$ Strong background in algorithms, graph theory, and computational geometry.
- ♦ Applied Mathematics and numerical methods, using Reduce, Maxima, and Singular.
- ♦ Parallel programming using CUDA, OpenMP, MPI and Threads.
- ♦ Author of two books and several (more than 50) peer reviewed, archived papers.
- ♦ Scientific computing on Power, ARM, PS2 and PS3.
- ♦ Algorithm offloading to hardware using SystemC, Verilog, C++ ESL and OpenACC.
- ♦ Expert in CMOS, VLSI, Lithography, and semiconductor manufacturing.

ART

♦ Indian classical music instrumental (Sitar).