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# Dean's preface



Education and research are crucial forces that govern the economic and social progress of the modern world. It becomes even more so in the digital age, when new generations of creators, researchers and entrepreneurs play an active role in the knowledge society, in the environment where quantity of scientific and engineering knowledge, according to some sources, doubles every 10 years. Such circumstances inevitably altered the role of universities, which must act as pillars of education, providing transfer of technology and knowledge through life-long learning, research and development. In the era of Google, when all kinds of information are just a mouse click away, this task is all but easy.

Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing (in Croatian: Fakultet elektrotehnike i računarstva - FER) fits perfectly in the above scheme. It is the largest technical faculty and leading educational and R&D institution in the fields of electrical engineering, information and communication technology and computing in the Republic of Croatia.

Being a constituent of the University of Zagreb, FER has its roots in the Technical Faculty, founded in 1919. In 1956, the departments of Technical Faculty grew into four new faculties, Faculty of Electrical Engineering being one of them. Recognizing the progress in the fields of computer science and information technology, but also appreciating the indivisibility between new and existing fields in the scope of engineering, the Faculty changed the name into the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing in 1994.

Since 1956, almost 15000 students graduated at the engineer's degree level (Dipl.-Ing.), more than 2000 completed additional two years and a master's thesis to obtain the *Magister* degree, and almost 600 students obtained the doctorate. To terminate this rather confusing academic degree scheme, at least for the English speaking community which has been continuously asking if our Dipl.-Ing. is a bachelor or master (the answer is 'no' on both accounts), the country adopted the standardized European system of academic degrees in 2005. The Faculty grasped the opportunity given by the reformation process, not only to redesign the curriculum, but also to completely refurbish the course of the study, pioneering the continuous assessment model in the country. Those efforts were awarded by the ASIIN accreditation in 2006.

The Faculty also offers a broad spectrum of services to business and industry, from research and consultancy to conference facilities, training and postgraduate recruitment.

We are also an integral part of the community, making a major contribution to the economic, social and cultural life of the city and region.

FER extends a warm welcome to those discovering our institution through this Progress Report and hopes that the association with us, in whatever sphere of activity, will be enjoyable and profitable.

Finally, I would like to express my acknowledgment and gratitude to our faculty, staff, students, graduates and friends who, all together, consolidate their efforts to continuously make FER a more enchanting place to work, teach, study and research.

Prof. Vedran Mornar, PhD  
Dean



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# 1. General Information



**Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing**

By the decision of the Parliament of the People's Republic of Croatia, on 26 April 1956, the former College of Engineering of the University of Zagreb was divided into four new faculties, one of them becoming the

**Faculty of Electrical Engineering,  
which started its independent existence  
on July 1, 1956.**

This was the start of the third, modern stage in the development of electrical engineering in Croatia, characterised by a turbulent development in electronics, electrical power engineering, electrical industry plants, automation, communications and computing.

The Faculty of Electrical Engineering (ETF - Elektrotehnički fakultet, in Croatian) existed under this name until 7 February 1995 when it was renamed the

**Faculty of Electrical Engineering  
and Computing**

Under its new name the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing (FER - Fakultet elektrotehnike i računarstva, in Croatian) continued its development with a commitment to the permanent improvement of its curriculum.

The Faculty buildings "A", "B" and "C" at the present location (Unska 3, Zagreb) were completed and

equipped in 1963. With the support of the industry and government a new building ("D") was built and inaugurated in 1989 and today the Faculty offers substantial educational and R&D facilities including 35 lecture halls, more than 60 laboratories, Congress centre, tele-conference centre, central library and 12 department libraries, student restaurant, sport and recreation facilities on 43308 m<sup>2</sup>.

The Faculty is organised in 12 departments which represent the focal points of education, research and development in various fields:

Department of Applied Physics (established in 1945)

Department of Applied Mathematics (1919)



**Lecture hall**



Department of Applied Computing (2005)

Department of Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering and Measurements (1924)

Department of Electric Machines, Drives and Automation (1925)

Department of Power Systems (1934)

Department of Telecommunications (1951)

Department of Electronic Systems and Information Processing (1942)

Department of Control and Computer Engineering in Automation (1954)

Department of Electroacoustics (1954)

Department of Electronics, Microelectronics, Computer and Intelligent Systems (1943)

Department of Radiocommunications and Microwave Electronics (1954)

#### *Research staff of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing*

Professors and lecturers	
Full professors	58
Associate professors	42
Assistant professors	33
Lecturers	3
Assistants	27
Junior researchers	130
Researchers	66



**White hall**

The present research and educational staff comprises more than 135 professors and 220 teaching and research assistants.

In the last few decades research and development at the Faculty has been carried out through projects promoted and funded by the Croatian Ministry of Science, Education and Sports in the fields of Applied Physics and Mathematics and in the fields of Electrical Engineering and Computing. With 19 approved scientific programmes and 71 approved scientific projects in 2007 the Faculty represents the leading institution in the fields of Electrical Engineering and Computing in Croatia. Additionally, researchers of the Faculty are currently leaders of 4 technological and 13 information projects for the Ministry, as well as the leaders of a number of industrial projects and projects with other partners.

Determined to remain a respectable research institution, FER undertakes scientific research at the highest levels of international standing. The Faculty has developed valuable international cooperation with many research institutions around the world, either directly or through inter-university cooperation. The number of international projects in the academic years 2005/2006 and 2006/2007 reached 47 projects, 11 of which are FP6 projects, which makes Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing one of the most internationally active institutions in Croatia.





Aula

Nowadays, FER counts around 2600 students at the bachelor level, 1800 students at the old Dipl.-Ing. Level and 278 PhD students. All those numbers clearly emphasize our highly spirited activities in teaching and research.

Finally, as an endorsement of the teaching and research excellence, FER has obtained the accreditation for the

bachelor and master study programs from the ASIIN agency (Akkreditierungsagentur für Studiengänge der Ingenieurwissenschaften, der Informatik, der Naturwissenschaften und der Mathematik). The accreditation was issued on the 23 March 2006 and 23 March 2007 by a decision of the Accreditation Commission and is valid until the 30 September 2011.



Management and administration



## 2. Historical Overview

When the University of Zagreb was reorganised in 1874 to become the first modern university in Croatia, it offered only the humanistic *trivium* of the Faculty of Law, the Theological College and the Faculty of Arts and Letters. However, documents show that in the wake of the momentous scientific discoveries at the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, its reformers had already made provision for the future establishment of faculties of natural sciences, engineering and other related disciplines.

Although the *Academy* traditionally promoted mainly arts and sciences, a strong technical culture and tradition developed alongside, particularly electrical engineering. Zagreb established its first telegraph connection with Vienna as early as 1850, when, on September 28, the first telegram was sent from Vienna to Zagreb by *Josip Jelačić*, the Civil Governor of Croatia, Slavonia and Dalmatia; in 1875, a major scientific book was printed in Zagreb: *Betriebsstörungen oberirdischer Telegraphen-Leitungen, deren Aufsuchung und Behebung*, by *Ferdinand Kovačević*, a pioneer and the first Croatian designer in the field of telegraphy; the first exchange in Zagreb was set up by *Wilim Schwarz* in 1886 and the first telephone was introduced in 1887; near the city of *Šibenik*, on the river *Krka*, on the beautiful waterfalls of *Skradinski buk* the hydro-power plant "Krka" was put in operation on August 28, 1895 (power generator 320 kVA, frequency 42 Hz), together with a polyphase transmission system (a 3 kV transmission line, 11 km long) to supply the city of *Šibenik* with electrical power - the first system of this kind in Croatia.



**The first building of the Technical College**

Zagreb was the cradle of the study of electrical engineering and electro technical sciences in Croatia: the first electric bulbs were described by *Bogoslav Šulek* in 1880, and the book *On Magnetism and Electricity* by *Oton Kučera* was published in 1891 by the *Cultural Society of Croatia (Matica hrvatska)*. The *Society of Engineers and Architects of Croatia and Slavonia*, at their Annual Assembly held on February 21, 1898, proposed to establish a *Technical College* with an *Engineering Department* in Zagreb. In 1910, *Dr. Juraj Žerjavić*, the abbot and parson of *Marija Bistrica* established by a deed of donation a foundation for the establishment and maintenance of the *College of Engineering* at the University of Zagreb and a year later, the Civil Governor of Croatia, Slavonia and Dalmatia, *Dr. Nikola Tomašić*, carried out a poll which resulted in the decision to set up a *Technical College*. At the beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, the Cultural Society of Croatia published quite a number of books dedicated to the application of natural sciences (electrical engineering), under the common title *Modern Time Inventions*, in which *Oton Kučera*, *Stanko Plivelić* and *Juraj Božičević* dedicated large chapters to electrical generators, motors, electric vehicles, electric energy transmission and accumulators. At that time, the *Hon. Marcel Kiepach, Križevčanin*, became known by his patents - the use of the dynamo for illumination (Paris, 1911) and an electric device for remote compass indication (London, 1911).

The Technical College was founded by the decree of the State Commissioners' Council on December 10, 1918 and accepted its first students on October 1, 1919.

Among other departments, the College also had the *Department of Electrical Engineering*. On March 31, 1926 the Technical College was renamed the College of Engineering. The newly founded College started work on the 1<sup>st</sup> of April of the same year. In that year,



**The building in Vukotinovičeva street where some departments were located from 1947 to 1963**



**Bronze bust of Prof. Lončar, one of the founders of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing.**

the University Senate awarded an honorary Ph.D. degree to *Nikola Tesla* (the inventor of several hundred patents in the field of electromagnetism, polyphase alternating current, high-frequency radio and wireless communications). The first *radio broadcast station* in Croatia and southeastern Europe was constructed in Zagreb already in 1926 (the first radio broadcast was on May 15, 1926), only 6 years after the beginning of radio-diffusion in America. One of its initiators was young *Dr. Josip Lončar*, who worked together with *Oton Kučera* and *Miroslav Plohl*. In 1927, Josip Lončar published his first book under the title *Construction of Receiving Radio Stations, Part 1* (1927) and *Part 2* (1929), where he elaborated the field of radiophony, combining scientific discourse with a popular approach and which promoted him as a pioneer of radiophony in Croatia.

In the thirties, the study of electrical engineering was registered under the name of the *Department of Electrical and Mechanical Engineering* and at that time all the fundamental electrical engineering subjects were lectured by Josip Lončar, part-time assistant professor (*Elements of Electrical Engineering, Electrical Measurements and Introduction to Radio*). All other electrical engineering subjects for obtaining a university degree in engineering were lectured by Miroslav Plohl (*High-Voltage Techniques, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Energy, Accumulators*). The first steps in laboratory and research work were done in the Department of Electrical Engineering, established in the academic year 1928/29 and situated in a separately constructed building, behind the central



**Professor Muljević (1913 - 2007), one of the doyens of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing, and his colleagues (Prof. Muljević is in the middle, photo taken in 2006).**

building on nowadays Roosevelt Square. The founder of the Department and its first Head was Miroslav Plohl, who was appointed full professor in the same academic year. When *Jure Horvat* joined the College of Engineering, the subject *Power Engineering* was introduced, followed by *Electric Energy Production* in the academic year 1933/34, by *Transient Processes in Electrical Devices* in the academic year 1935/36 and, for the first time, by *Low-Voltage Current* (lecturer M. Plohl) in the academic year 1936/37. After the tragic death of professor Plohl in late 1939, *Anton Dolenc* took over the duty of part-time lecturer in the subjects *High-Voltage Techniques* and *Theory and Manufacturing of Electric Machines and Transformers*.

From the very beginning to the 2<sup>nd</sup> World War, the whole burden of teaching and scientific work in the field was carried by professors Lončar, Plohl and Horvat. Teaching and research work was organised within the *Laboratory of Electrical Measurements* founded in 1924, which in the academic year 1936/37 became the *Laboratory of Electrical Engineering Fundamentals*, and three institutes:

Department of Electrical Engineering,

Department of High Voltage (founded in the academic year 1934/35),

Department of Low-Current Techniques (founded in the academic year 1938/39).

In the *Laboratory of Electrical Engineering Fundamentals*, professor Lončar (in the academic year 1934/35 appointed assistant professor and in the academic year 1937/38 full professor), thanks to his extraordinary persistence and interest, collected a considerable number of precise devices and instruments, which helped with scientific work and were also used for laboratory exercises by students. In such an environment, electrical engineers were educated according to world standards and did not lag behind their colleagues in other countries.

Zagreb soon became known by its international events in the field of electrical engineering. In 1930, Professor Lončar was the first to make the reception of television pictures from London possible in Zagreb. In the same year, he wrote about it in the London *Television* and the Berlin *Fernsehen* magazines. As the author of the book *About Modern Television*, published in Zagreb in 1937, professor Lončar is considered a *pioneer of television in Croatia*. The first TV-broadcast in Zagreb



**The building in Savska street 16 where the Dean's Office and three departments of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering were located from 1959 to 1963.**

and Croatia took place in 1939, when there were only two TV-stations in Europe: London and Berlin - the first television station in general having been installed in London in 1936. Also, *Josip Sliško*vić, a world known designer of radio and TV-receivers, made possible the first test reception of a London television broadcast in Vienna in 1930.

After the 2<sup>nd</sup> World War, the Council of the College of Engineering (all departments) comprised 14 full and associate professors, among whom Dr. Josip Lončar, also a full professor. Other lecturers were suspended or their appointments were annulled, because they had been appointed during the war. The *Section of Electrical Engineering of the Department of Mechanical Engineering* was consequently left with only a few lecturers, and everything had to start again from the very beginning at a time when a large number of students entered University and when the need of the country for engineers was rapidly increasing. Lecturers of other departments held general subjects and mechanical engineering subjects for students of electrical engineering. In that period enormous results were achieved in lecturing and scientific work, particularly in the development of electrical and radio industry.

The first electrical engineer graduated in the academic year 1927/28 and from that time up to the establishment of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering in 1956 a total of 750 electrical engineers graduated from the University of Zagreb.





## 3. Study programs at Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing

### STUDY PROGRAM SCHEME

First cycle study programs	1	<b>Study programs:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Electrical Engineering and Information Technology</li> <li>Computing</li> </ul> <i>(common 1<sup>st</sup> year for both study programs)</i>		
	2	<b>Study program: Electrical Engineering and Information Technology</b>	<b>Study program: Computing</b>	
	3	<b>Specializations:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wireless Communications</li> <li>Electronics</li> <li>Electronic and Computer Engineering</li> <li>Control Engineering and Automation</li> <li>Electrical Power Engineering</li> </ul>	<b>Specializations:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Software Engineering</li> <li>Computer Engineering</li> <li>Telecommunication and Informatics</li> <li>Computer Science</li> <li>Information Processing and Multimedia Systems</li> </ul>	
Second cycle study programs	4	<b>Study program: Electrical Engineering and Information Technology</b> <b>Profiles:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Control Engineering and Automation</li> <li>Electrical Engineering Systems and Technology</li> <li>Electrical Power Engineering</li> <li>Electronic and Computer Engineering</li> <li>Electronics</li> </ul>	<b>Study program: Information and Communication Technology</b> <b>Profiles</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Information Processing</li> <li>Telecommunications and Informatics</li> <li>Wireless Technologies</li> </ul>	<b>Study program: Computing</b> <b>Profiles:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Software Engineering and Information Systems</li> <li>Computer Engineering</li> <li>Computer Science</li> </ul>
	5			
Postgraduate study programs	6	<b>Postgraduate PhD study programs</b> <b>Fields and branches:</b>		
	7	<b>Electrical Engineering</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Automatic Control</li> <li>Electrical Measurements and Measurement Techniques</li> <li>Electronics</li> <li>Electric Machines</li> <li>Electric Power Engineering</li> <li>Radiocommunications</li> <li>Telecommunications and Information Technology</li> </ul>		
	8	<b>Computing</b>		
		<b>Specialist study Transformers</b>		



The study of electrical engineering and information technology as well as the study of computing are classified into studies within the area of engineering sciences. These studies prepare experts and potential young scientists for important areas that have a dominant role in technological and social development. Nowadays, advances in engineering are not achieved only by ingenious inventions, but in most cases are a result of sustainable effort in research and development.

University of Zagreb, Faculty of Electrical Engineering has been offering the university curriculum in the area of electrical engineering for more than fifty years. Computing topics had been introduced into the curriculum by the development of computing and the faculty changed its name to the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing in 1995. At the present time, all areas of electrical engineering are intertwined with information and communication technology as well as with computing.

### 3.1. First cycle study programs

Common objectives of two first cycle study programs are: to educate students for a broad range of professional careers, provide the basis for life-long learning, and prepare students for advanced studies at the graduate level.

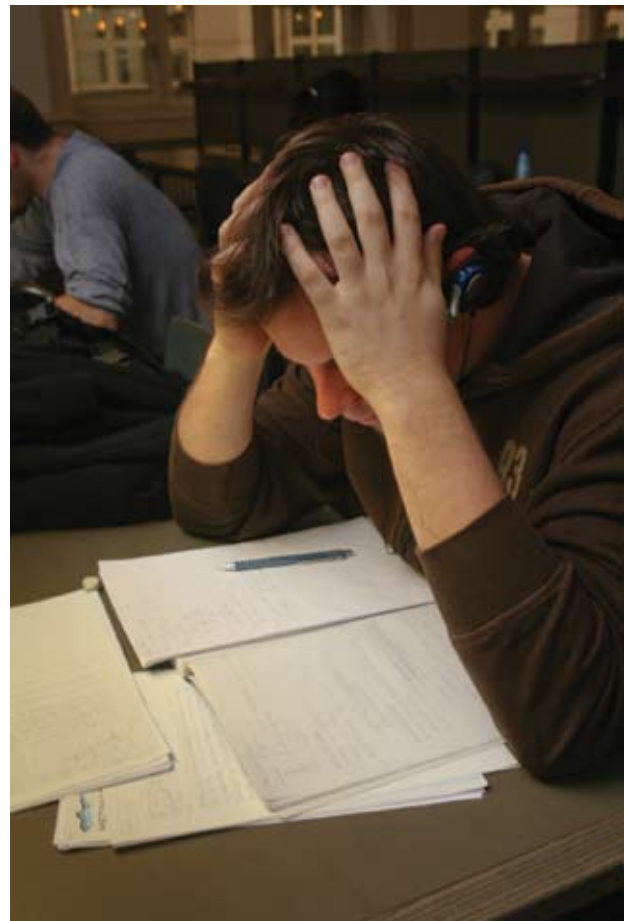
All study programs at FER are taught according to the prerequisite system. For every study program, the set of mandatory and the set of elective courses are defined. The student can enrol all courses for which prerequisites have been completed, amounting to around 30 ECTS points per semester. The students are obliged to be present at all forms of teaching. One of the main goals of this study-program reform is the switch from teaching to learning, so the students will have around 20 lecture hours per week. All courses are graded through continuous assessment, consisting of homework, periodical tests, two mid-term exams and the final exam.

The first cycle study ends when all mandatory courses are completed and 180 ECTS points are collected. The work on the bachelor thesis, which must be publicly defended, contributes with 12 ECTS points.

The first year of study is common to both study programs, the study of Electrical engineering and information technology and the study of Computing. This first year gives the students the fundamental knowledge of mathematics, physics, electrical engineering and computing. Also, this first year teaches the student to communicate effectively and acquaints them with general principles of engineering.

In the second year students broaden the knowledge in mathematics and electrical engineering or computing, but also introduces students to quality management and principles of economy. To emphasize individual work, they conduct and present a seminar.

In the third year, especially in the 6<sup>th</sup> semester, slight specializations are introduced by corresponding mandatory and elective courses, which give some practical knowledge for students who will not continue to the second level study. Some knowledge on ecology and law is also given. In the 5<sup>th</sup> semester, to increase project management and teamwork competences, they complete a project in groups of 6-8 students. The study finishes after the bachelor thesis is successfully completed and publicly defended.





#### First cycle study program - Electrical Engineering and Information Technology

**Electrical Engineering** covers the application of physical laws about electromagnetic phenomena in development of products and services that provide a benefit to the mankind. Information technology, which uses computers, computer networks, communication systems and technology to sense, process, store and display the information, today has a significant impact on electrical engineering. Nowadays, it is almost impossible to come across an activity within electrical engineering that is not interconnected with information technology. Thus, these areas have been joined into the first cycle study program of Electrical Engineering and Information Technology. This program develops the competencies to analyze and solve engineering problems of medium complexity, to work as an efficient member of a team, and to contribute to design of systems and processes in the area of electrical engineering and information technology. The fundamental knowledge of mathematics, physics, electrical engineering and information technology, backed up with usage of contemporary computer tools, is utilized.

Within the study program of Electrical Engineering and Information Technology, a student can slightly specialize in one among several offered specializations. This specialization is achieved by selecting appropriate group of courses during the third year of study.

Specialization in **Wireless Communications** is based on electromagnetism as essential wireless communication tool and on widely applied radio

systems. Let's mention only the principal topics: electromagnetic wave properties, propagation, wireless communication phenomenon, basic communication system units, signal processing for communication purposes, mobile wireless systems (public and private), optical communication technologies, multimedia and radio navigation, and wireless systems applications.

**Electronics** encompasses analysis, design and implementation of electronic systems that contain electronic devices and electronic circuits. The students acquire theoretical and practical knowledge needed for modelling, simulation, design and production of electronic circuits and systems in the fields of microelectronics, radiofrequency and microwave electronics, power electronics, electroacoustics, audio electronics, biomedicine, electronic measurement and testing, as well as other areas in electronics.

**Electronic and computer engineering** prepares students for employment and advancement in development, design and realization of systems based on analog and digital circuits, computers, systems on a chip and development of corresponding software. The program develops a knowledge base in electronic circuits, process monitoring and control, communications, instrumentation and intelligent systems. It comprises measurement of physical quantities, their conversion into electrical signals, analog and digital processing, application of embedded systems and networks for processing, storage, transmission, analysis and display of information. The emphasis of the program is in integration of multidisciplinary knowledge on circuits, algorithms and software in order to enable students to solve sophisticated problems in planning, management and control of research and development projects in modern enterprises, scientific organizations and services of a contemporary information society.

**Control Engineering and Automation** as multidisciplinary technological and engineering fields comprise the following knowledge: determination of requirements and criteria for control systems design related to flow of matter, energy and information;



implementation of methods for information processing and data acquisition in the control and automation systems; implementation of methods for system analysis and design; design and implementation of

hardware and software for control and automation systems. Control Engineering and Automation syllabus qualifies students for design, implementation and commissioning of the less complex systems in

## ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STUDY PROGRAM SCHEME

Semester	Course	ECTS points	Lecture hours per week	Lab hours per semester
I	Mathematics 1	7	6	
	Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering	7	5	15
	Digital Logic	6	4	15
	Programming and Software Engineering	6	4	15
	Skills of Communication	3	2	
	Mathematica	1		20
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
II	Mathematics 2	7	6	
	Physics 1	6	5	15
	Algorithms and Data Structures	6	4	15
	Computer Architecture 1	6	4	15
	Management in Engineering	3	2	
	Autocad	2		30
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
III	Mathematics 3E	5	4	
	Physics 2	6	5	15
	Electronics 1	7	5	15
	Electrical Circuits	7	5	15
	Quality Management	3	2	
	Matlab	2		30
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
IV	Probability and Statistics	5	4	
	Signals and Systems	6	4	15
	Energy Technology	6	4	15
	Electromagnetic Fields	6	4	15
	Economics and Managerial Decision Making	4	3	
	Seminar	3	2	
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
V	Automatic Control	5	4	15
	Communication Systems	5	4	15
	Information Theory	4	3	15
	Specialization course	4	3	15
	Specialization course	4	3	15
	Sustainable Development and Environment	2	2	
	Project	6		15
		<b>30</b>	<b>19</b>	
VI	Specialization course	4	3	15
	Elective course	4	3	
	Elective course	4	3	
	Elective course	4	3	
	Commercial Law	2	2	
	BSc Thesis	12		
		<b>30</b>	<b>14</b>	

the following fields: process automation, automation of manufacturing plants; computer-controlled systems; electromechanical systems, and process measurements and actuators.

**Electrical Power Engineering** is the branch of engineering science that studies the uses of electricity and the equipment for power generation and. Covers electric power system components, electricity consumption, generation (thermo, hydro, nuclear, renewable), transmission, distribution, electric utility operation, electric power system control, power system protection, power system reliability, government regulation, market operations, risk management etc.

#### ▼ First cycle study program - Computing

The principal object of study in **Computing** is the computer as a universal data processing machine, together with the methods of its application in diverse areas. The holistic approach to hardware, software, and hardware-software dependencies is used. Computing encompasses the theory, methods of analysis and synthesis, design and construction, application and operation of computer systems. This first cycle study program develops the competencies to analyze and solve engineering problems of medium complexity, to work as an efficient member of a team, and to contribute to design of systems and processes in the area of computing. The fundamental knowledge of mathematics, physics and electrical engineering, backed up with usage of contemporary computer tools, is utilized. Within the study program of Computing, a student can slightly specialize in one among several offered specializations. This specialization is achieved by selecting appropriate group of courses during the third year of study.

**Software Engineering** curriculum combines theoretical knowledge with practical work and experience, developing professional competences in the field of programming, abstraction and conceptual skills in the field of computing.

It provides multidisciplinary knowledge in the field of information systems, computer science and management. Focused on application and management of information technology helping to approve efficiency of operations in different kind of businesses, it unites technological knowledge with organizational environments. The graduates can work in the field of information systems management, programming analysis, systems analysis, systems programming, system integration, user requirements analysis, e-business and information technology application.

**Computer Engineering** program embodies research, design and implementation of computers, computer



systems and related software. It includes theory and practical aspects of the design and implementation of computers, computer based systems, mobile and embedded computers, communication systems and other systems that incorporate computers as well as software design with emphasis on applications that provide knowledge and understanding of the complete system. Computer engineering program provides system based approach to the design of computers and software as a whole. This program offers combination of core and advanced knowledge from both computing and electrical engineering required to understand, to design and to be able to envision future complex computers, computer based systems and applications running on those platforms.

**Telecommunications and Informatics specialization** provides knowledge and skills required for contribution to the design and implementation of networks, systems and services, especially identification, formulation and solution of intermediate engineering problems in the area of communication networks and information services. Besides general computing topics, information representation, logic and languages for specification and modelling are studied, as well as architecture of telecommunication networks and systems, and multimedia services. Elective courses cover concepts, techniques and tools related to local area networks, public mobile network, computer-telephony integration, network programming, basics of virtual environments and others, that will give qualifications and capabilities for development, production and usage of new information and communication technology.

**Computer Science** brings together scientific and engineering principles, theoretical analysis and computing experience to provide students with solid foundation of the discipline. The computer science module develops a high-level understanding of systems as a whole. This understanding encompasses an appreciation for the structure of computer systems and the processes involved in their construction and analysis. Students recognize many recurring themes such as abstraction, complexity, and evolutionary

change and apply them to a broad range of applications maintaining the skills as the field evolves.

Students of computer science are capable to understand and apply essential concepts, principles, and practices in the context of well-defined scenarios, showing judgment in the selection and application of tools and techniques. They also demonstrate the ability to work as an individual under guidance and

as a team member in industry, utility sector and government institutions.

### Information Processing and Multimedia Systems

- Information processing is an important ingredient of modern multimedia systems. The study profile provides knowledge in hardware and software components for processing, storage, coding, transfer, and analysis

## COMPUTING STUDY PROGRAM SCHEME

Semester	Course	ECTS points	Lecture hours per week	Lab hours per semester
I	Mathematics 1	7	6	
	Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering	7	5	15
	Digital Logic	6	4	15
	Programming and Software Engineering	6	4	15
	Skills of Communications	3	2	
	Mathematica	1		20
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
II	Mathematics 2	7	6	
	Physics 1	6	5	15
	Algorithms and Data Structures	6	4	15
	Computer Architecture 1	6	4	15
	Management in Engineering	3	2	
	Autocad	2		30
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
III	Mathematics 3C	5	4	
	Physics 2	6	5	15
	Electronics 1	7	5	15
	Operating Systems	7	5	15
	Quality Management	3	2	
	Matlab	2		30
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
IV	Probability and Statistics	5	4	
	Introduction to Theoretical Computer Science	6	4	15
	Signals and Systems	6	4	15
	Databases	6	4	15
	Economics and Managerial Decision Making	4	3	
	Seminar	3	2	
		<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	
V	Software Design	8	4	30
	Communication Networks	4	3	15
	Information Theory	4	3	15
	Specialization course	4	3	15
	Sustainable Development and Environment	2	2	
	Software Project	8		
		<b>30</b>	<b>15</b>	
VI	Specialization course	4	3	15
	Specialization course	4	3	15
	Elective course	4	3	
	Elective course	4	3	
	Commercial Law	2	2	
	BSc Thesis	12		
		<b>30</b>	<b>14</b>	

of various types of multimedia information (signals, speech, data, images, and video). Information processing has applications in communication networks, mobile ubiquitous systems, man-machine interaction, multimedia, medical informatics, security systems, biometrics, bioinformatics, and other areas of modern information society.

## 3.2. Second cycle study programs

From the academic year 2008/2009 FER will offer three study programs at the master level. The study programs are:

- Electrical engineering and information technology
- Information and communication technology
- Computing

The common objectives of the three second cycle study programs are to educate students for a broad range of professional careers and provide the basis for life-long learning. Recognizing the changing professional environment that students will encounter, the programs aim to develop engineers who possess a strong foundation in mathematics, science and engineering and are able to link science and engineering principles to identify, formulate and solve complex engineering problems in professional practice and research and development contexts.

Upon enrolment, a student immediately chooses the study program and decides for a profile, which is a specialization within a chosen study program. All study programs at FER are taught according to the prerequisite system. For every profile, the following sets of courses are defined:

- Theoretical courses – the courses which comprise theory specific to one or more profiles (e.g. courses which could have the word theory in the title).
- Specialization courses – the courses which further specialise a student within a profile.
- Elective courses – all other courses in the fields of Electrical engineering, Information technology or Computing, or other fields within student's interest.
- Mathematics and science courses – courses offered at FER or other faculties within University of Zagreb, with mathematical and science content.
- Humanistic or social courses – courses offered at FER or other faculties within University of Zagreb, with humanistic or social content.

During the second cycle study program, a student must enrol at least:

- Theoretical courses – 25 ECTS points
- Specialization courses – 20 ECTS points

- Elective courses – 12 ECTS points
- Mathematics and science courses – 8 ECTS points
- Humanistic or social courses - 6 ECTS points

In addition, a student must enrol two laboratories, which give practical knowledge specific to the chosen profile. Further, a student must successfully complete a seminar, where all participating students prepare and present individual presentations. Finally, a project must be completed, where students, in groups of 6 to 8, increase their project management, collaboration and team competences.

At the end, a graduation thesis must be completed and defended, which contributes with 30 ECTS points.

All courses will be graded through continuous assessment, consisting of homework, periodical tests, two mid-term exams and the final exam. One of the main goals of this study-program reform is the switch from teaching to learning, so the students will have around 16 lecture hours per week. All courses can be taught in English. The second cycle study ends when all mandatory courses are completed and 120 ECTS points are collected.

Next table contains the recommended study scheme and the list of courses. The students can choose other paths through the study.

### Second cycle study program - Electrical Engineering and Information Technology

Electrical engineering covers the application of physical laws about electromagnetic phenomena in development of products and services that provide a benefit to the mankind. Information technology, which uses computers, computer networks, communication systems and technology to sense, process, store and display the information, today has a significant impact on electrical engineering. Nowadays, it is almost impossible to come across an activity within electrical engineering that is not interconnected with information technology. Thus, these areas have been joined into the second cycle study program of Electrical engineering and information technology. This program enables a student to acquire the competencies to solve difficult engineering problems, to design complex systems, to act as a leader of a team and to conduct research and development in one of five profiles.

Within the study program, a student immediately decides for a profile. The profile determines the list of theoretical and specialization courses to choose from.

**Control Engineering and Automation** as a multidisciplinary scientific and technological field

## SECOND CYCLE STUDY PROGRAM SCHEME

Semester	Course	ECTS	Lecture hours per week	Lab hours per semester
VII	Theoretical course	5	3	
	Theoretical course	5	3	
	Theoretical course	5	3	
	Mathematics and science	4	3	
	Specialization course	4	2	
	Humanistic or social course	2	2	
	Laboratory of the profile, 1	5		60
		<b>30</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>60</b>
VIII	Theoretical course	5	3	
	Theoretical course	5	3	
	Mathematics and science	4	3	
	Specialization course	4	2	
	Specialization course	4	2	
	Humanistic or social course	2	2	
	Seminar	3	2	
	Laboratory of the profile, 2	3		30
		<b>30</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>30</b>
IX	Specialization course	4	2	
	Specialization course	4	2	
	Elective course	4	2	
	Elective course	4	2	
	Elective course	4	2	
	Humanistic or social course	2	2	
	Project	8		
		<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>	
X	Graduation thesis	30		
		<b>30</b>		

comprises the following knowledge: determination of requirements and criteria for control systems design related to flow of matter, energy and information; research, development and implementation of methods for information processing and data acquisition in the control systems; research, development and implementation of methods for the system analysis, the system design and the system optimization; development, design and implementation of hardware and software for computer control of systems; research, development and design of control algorithms for robots and robotized systems in industry, services and households.

**Electrical Engineering Systems and Technology** encompasses a wide area of electrical engineering closely related to the application of novel electrical engineering and information technologies. The concept of the curriculum is based on a systematic approach to solving engineering and research tasks. The systematic approach comprises the knowledge and the achievements in electrotechnics, power electronics, digital technology, applied mechanics, electromechanical energy conversion, contemporary measurement techniques and means of transportation. The topics on electrical drives, mechatronic systems,

modelling and construction of power electronics systems, design methodologies and diagnostics of electrical machines and devices, contemporary measurement systems, intelligent sensors and actuators are studied in detail. The multidisciplinary character of the profile includes the knowledge of applied computer systems for real-time operation, signal acquisition and processing, industrial communication networks, and system control via internet.

**Electrical Power Engineering** is a professional and scientific field of electrical engineering and power systems. It studies and promotes areas of power generation, transmission and distribution of electric energy as well as electric usage and energy management. By studying power systems engineering, students gain knowledge of fundamentals and applications of electrical power engineering in a wide range of topics: theory of power systems control; optimization methods applied to power systems; energy efficiency methods; reactive power control; electric facilities automation; reliability theory; expert systems; environmental protection; efficient use of energy and energy conservation; economic analysis; disturbances and transient phenomena in power systems; power system protection;



transmission and distribution networks network planning; development, stability, availability, reliability and operational safety of electric power system subsystems; mathematical modelling of power plants components and subsystems; deterministic and reliability analysis of operational safety; development modelling and analysis of environmental impact of electric power systems; establishment of open market environment, risk management and electrical energy trading; economy modelling, business and human resources management ,microeconomics, marketing, etc. Besides education, research is a crucial factor determining the power systems engineering progress with emphasis on the development of new power system technologies.

**Electronic and Computer Engineering** gives competences in development, design and implementation of electronic systems based on analog and digital circuits, computers and systems on chip, including software development. Application areas are electronic systems, measurement and instrumentation, process control, communication and intelligent systems. The profile covers measurement and acquisition of physical quantities, transform to electrical signals, analog and digital preprocessing, embedded system and networks for digital signal processing, transmission, analysis, storage and display of data. It gives strong emphasis on integration of multidisciplinary knowledge, as well as hardware, algorithms and software design to achieve complete solutions in a wide spectrum of applications.

**Electronics** deals with electronic devices and electronic circuits as the basic components of electronic products that are used in all areas of human activities, thereby having a very pronounced position in the modern society. The students in the Electronics study profile acquire theoretical and practical knowledge needed for the analysis, modelling, simulation, design and production of electronic circuits and systems. The students obtain the knowledge in the field of micro- and nanoelectronics, radiofrequency and microwave electronics, optoelectronics, power electronics, audioelectronics, electroacoustics, architectural acoustics, ultrasound, biomedicine, electronic



measurement and testing, as well as other areas in electronics.

### Second cycle study program - Information and Communication Technology

**Information and communication technology** enables the transfer and utilization of all kinds of information, therefore presenting the most penetrating contemporary generic technology. As such, it is the foundation of economy and society in the 21st century. This technology generates changes in all spheres of the society. It is applicable in all branches of economy and all areas of science, and it is the background for successful entrepreneurship, as well as for all social and governmental structures. This second cycle study program enables a student to acquire the competencies to solve difficult engineering problems, to design complex systems, to act as a leader of a team and to conduct research and development in one of three profiles. Within the study program, a student immediately decides for a profile. The profile determines the list of theoretical and specialization courses to choose from.

**Information processing (IP)** is an important ingredient of modern information and communication systems. IP study profile includes hardware and software components for processing, storage, coding, transfer, and analysis of various types of information (signals, speech, data, images, video). Students gain knowledge in theory and applications of communications, compression techniques, information security, and real-time signal processing. Information processing has applications in communication networks, mobile ubiquitous systems, man-machine interaction, multimedia, medical informatics, security systems, biometrics, bioinformatics, and other areas of modern information society. IP study profile opens carrier paths into a wide spectrum of IT companies, industrial sector, financial and service sector, and any other area where there is a need for processing, analysis, and transfer of information. Skills include design and development of algorithms, hardware and software systems, system testing, integration, and consulting.

**Telecommunications and Informatics** is based on information theory and information network theory, as well as switching algebra and automata theory. It is focused on the analysis and synthesis of multimedia information and communication in networks, as well as design and implementation of various communication systems and services. Models of local, access, and core networks are studied, including multi-service, intelligent, broadband networks and Internet, as well as planning and



optimization of networks and information flows, and network management. Information transmission and routing, including photonic technology are studied, as well as information and communication services, manageable, and testable systems and networks structures with adequate performance. Knowledge is acquired in the areas of distributed systems, programming, specification and modelling languages, data processing and management in networked systems, telematic services, e-business, and systems with learning capability. Related to that communication protocols, multimedia communications, virtual reality and virtual environments, mobility in networks, mobile networks and software agents are studied. Software engineering is focused on telecommunication systems, while project management as well as research and development management are oriented towards telecom market. Acquired competencies are suitable for, but not limited to the following employment opportunities and positions: research and development of software products for networks and services in telecommunication industry; planning, implementation, testing and management of public fixed and mobile telecommunication networks, Internet and related services; design and operation of corporate and private networks and associated information systems and e-business systems with information rich contents; fundamental and applied research and high education.

**Wireless Technologies** comprise the scientific and professional area related to the principles of electromagnetic waves generation, transmission, propagation and reception in the area of radio- and optical frequencies; devices and software characteristics and design for the above mentioned purposes; wireless and optical networks and systems architecture which apply the methods of sound, picture and data processing and transmission; electromagnetic compatibility; wireless networks and systems planning and design (mobile communication networks, optical networks, broadcasting systems,

terrestrial and satellite communication systems, wireless access, metropolitan, local networks, navigation and radar systems. Students are educated to work in the telecommunication industry, with public mobile wireless networks operators, broadcasting companies, transmitting and communications service providers, companies with private networks, small and medium enterprise companies which design, install and maintain wireless systems, with government administration on frequency planning, regulations and radio spectrum monitoring, in education and research.

### Second cycle study program - Computing

The principal object of study in **Computing** is the computer as a universal data processing machine, together with the methods of its application in diverse areas. The holistic approach to hardware, software, and hardware-software dependencies is used. Computing encompasses the theory, methods of analysis and synthesis, design and construction, application and operation of computer systems. This second cycle study program enables a student to acquire the competencies to solve difficult engineering problems, to design complex systems, to act as a leader of a team and to conduct research and development in one of three profiles. Within the study program Computing, a student immediately decides for a profile. The profile determines the list of theoretical and specialization courses to choose from.

**Software Engineering and Information Systems** is a profile where the software development is studied in a systematic, controllable and efficient way. The program focuses on the analysis and evaluation, specification, design and development of software products. Students will learn about project management, quality assurance processes and standardization. They will be encouraged to work in teams and to express their creativity.

Information systems are focused on using computer hardware, communication and software technology to fulfil the needs of information and to advance almost every aspect of human activities.

Technical, mathematical and other interdisciplinary knowledge is applied to analysis and restructuring of systems that include a human being as a user and a key subject. Such systems might be business systems, production or governmental systems. Complex software systems are designed, developed and implemented to serve as the basis of all the activities within the enterprises and to enhance their competitiveness.

**Computer Engineering** program embodies research, design and implementation of computers, computer systems and related software. It includes in-depth

knowledge of theory and practical aspects of the design and implementation of computers, computer based systems, mobile and embedded devices/computers, communication systems and other systems that incorporate computers as well as software design with emphasis on applications that require knowledge of the complete system. Computer engineering program provides system based approach to the design of computers, communication system and software as a whole. This program offers core, advanced and forefront knowledge required to creatively envision, conceptualize and design innovative, from simple to complex computers, computer based systems and applications running on those platforms.

**Computer Science** is the study of computers and algorithmic processes, including their principles, their hardware and software designs, their applications, and their impact on society. Computer science has scientific and mathematical, as well as practical, dimensions integrated into a distinct program study. Understanding of this integration transcends the implementation details of various components to encompass an appreciation for the complex structure of computer systems and their predictive behaviour. Computer science gives student competences for the most challenging tasks, from the infrastructural system programming to new application domains, as well as practical skills needed by the potential leaders of a group of programmers guiding them towards the most advanced problem solving paradigms.

### 3.3. Postgraduate study programs

**Postgraduate studies** at the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing are organized as doctoral study and specialist studies.

Postgraduate doctoral study leads to PhD academic degree in the scientific field of **Electrical Engineering** and the scientific field of **Computing**. The study is open to applicants who have completed undergraduate study (dipl.ing.) or Master of Science study at the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing, or other electrical engineering and/or computing studies, with excellent or very good marks. The field and branch of undergraduate study do not limit these applicants in choosing the field of postgraduate study. Applicants will be expected to acquire additional knowledge on their own, if necessary.

Applicants who have graduated at another relevant study with excellent or very good marks will be required to pass differential exams. Other university undergraduate studies relevant for admission to the



postgraduate doctoral study are mathematics, physics and informatics.

Every applicant designs his/her programme of study by choosing the number of courses as determined by the postgraduate study plan. The mentor appointed to student should endorse the student's selection of courses. The final choice of courses and the appointment of mentor is approved by the Faculty Council. To obtain PhD, the student must collect altogether 480 ECTS credits (including credits from previous high education) by publishing research results, and enrolling courses and passing examination. The students completes postgraduate study by preparing and defending PhD thesis.

By the academic year 2006/2007, 2015 candidates were awarded the Master of Science degree and 575 were awarded the Doctor of Science degree. The actual doctoral study program has been started in the year 2005/2006. Former Master of Science study that has been closed in the academic year 2004/2005, will be replaced by the the new second cycle study programs leading to the Master degree in the academic year 2008/2009.

In the academic year 2006/2007 postgraduate specialist study in **Transformers** has been introduced. The essential of this study is the education of specialists for transformer production and usage in order to improve research, development, design, production and usage of transformers by inclusion of latest findings from different transformer-related areas.

#### **Number of postgraduate students by academic year**

	2005/2006	2006/2007
PhD students	134	278
PhD degree awarded	21	17
MSc degree awarded	73	47
Specialist study in Transformers	-	19



## 4. Student Activities

### IEEE

The IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers), a non-profit organization, is the world's leading professional association for the advancement of technology. Members rely on the IEEE as a source of technical and professional information, resources and services. To foster an interest in the engineering profession, the IEEE also serves student members in colleges and universities around the world.

The IEEE has

- more than 365,000 members, including 68,000 students, in over 150 countries.
- 311 sections in ten geographic regions worldwide.
- about 1,570 chapters that unite local members with similar technical interests.
- more than 1,430 student branches at colleges and universities in 80 countries.
- 39 societies and 5 technical councils representing the wide range of technical interests.
- more than 300 conferences worldwide each year.
- about 900 active IEEE standards and more than 400 in development.

Goals of the IEEE Student Branch Zagreb are creating and promoting a professional environment among students of electrical engineering, electronics, computer science and information science and nurturing friendships among students of these technical sectors. The Branch serves as a communication channel among students and employees at the University of Zagreb, and provides information vital to the future career of the student. The Branch promotes linking with the world of professional technology within and outside institutions in which they are studying.

Since we are not a student association in the common sense of the word, but one of almost 2.000 branches which our colleagues make stronger every day, on every continent of the world, we can say that we are really promoting the global community of knowledge.

To see what we have done so far, we are inviting you to see [www.fer.hr/ieee](http://www.fer.hr/ieee). A short list of successfully completed projects is provided hereafter:

- numerous lectures (Thesis dos and dongs, 20 years of Chernobyl, Nikola Tesla...)
- participants at the Student Branch Congress of IEEE Region 8 in Paris
- forming of energy, computer and

- communication chapter within the Branch
- started a tradition of movie nights (scientific movies)
- participated with two teams in the 24h global programming challenge IEEEExtreme
- redesign of [www.fer.hr/ieee](http://www.fer.hr/ieee) - the branch web page
- completed work on the joint web of Section, GOLD and other student branches in Croatia
- actively helping IEEE Croatia section in their various activities.

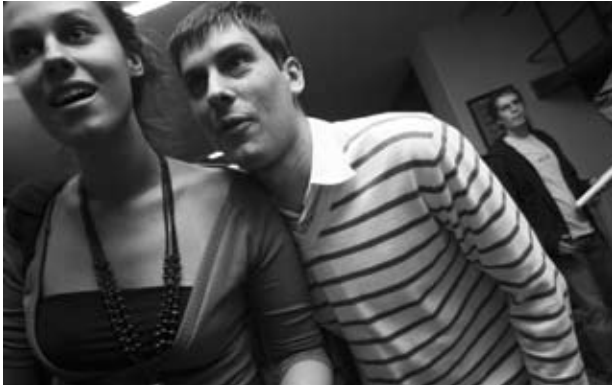
### SRK

SRK - Studentski računarski klub (eng. Student Computer Club) is a student organization which was founded more than ten years ago (on June 9th 1995) by group of student enthusiasts. Although computer science has changed dramatically over the years, SRK's programs and goals remained the same - promoting computer science, Unix-like operating systems, open source software, and student collaboration on various projects. Its main server "fly.srk.fer.hr" hosts all member accounts (almost 2500 of them) and most of services. SRK is open to all FER students, which become members by enlisting for a shell account on server.

### SS FER

SS FER is a volunteer student union which consists mainly of students from the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing, Zagreb, and its goals are to organize students' free time in a creative and educational way. During the past two years, our student union called SS FER has been involved with a lot of different kinds of projects, workshops and events for the student community.





Starting with the events, we would like to point out two fairs called **Spika** which we organized in 2006. and 2007. It is a fair where different companies have an opportunity to present future career options for students. We also organized the **Electromountaineering Rally** in 2006. and 2007., a hiking event including quizzes and sports. Our union also organizes the **FER Freshmen Party** each year, which is a huge part of Zagreb's cultural scene.

Members of SS FER have participated in the **Underwater Robotics Workshop**, along with other student unions from Croatia, such as BIUS, Student Club of Archeologists, Zagreb, D.I.I.V. and more. Some of our members have also participated in the **Interdisciplinary Explorers' Camp "Lastovo Islands"**, organized by the student union BIUS.

**MIPRO** is a convention traditionally dedicated to information and communication technology, electronics and microelectronics. This year **MIPRO Junior** has been founded by SS FER's students, and its idea is to gather all graduate and post-graduate student in promoting their works, projects, and generally exchanging knowledge. It's a unique opportunity for students to show what they have done and what they know.

SS FER also tries hard to provide students with some educational courses and workshops. Regarding sound management, the union organizes three courses annually: **the course of sound equipment and stage setup**, **the sound engineering workshop** regarding the sound setup and work behind the mixing board, and **the sound producing workshop** regarding the editing and working with recorded music sessions.

Members of the photo section of the union have also been organizing their **photo course** for years, until 2006. when the people from the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing recognized the quality of their work and made the course into a class being offered to FER's students. Also, the section had organized a workshop called '**Camera Obscura**' which idea is to make a primitive camera using a matchbox, take photos with it, and to use that to literally explain the way a camera actually works.

The computer section of SS FER is also doing a lot of different kinds of courses which goal is to familiarize

students with not so frequently used technologies, and to give them practical knowledge in working with computers and networks. We would like to point out the **SQL workshop for beginners**, which explains the basics of databases and how to manage them. The **Install Fest** is an event where a Linux operating system is installed in a step by step manner to show the participants how to do it properly, and it has been recognized by Open.hr, the student branch of IEEE and the union Exchanging the Skills. Also, one of the projects is maintaining a complete network and web system, so all members and interested parties can learn as much in these areas as willing.

One of the main projects of the SS FER union is the club **KSET**. This club works intensively on promoting underground and urban culture and has hosted different kinds of artists in the area of music, theatre and photography from around the world as well as from Croatia. The club is mostly famous for its concert program with around 100 concerts per year. Also, in the past couple of years the club has hosted an impressive amount of festivals. In 2006. it organized the **Thirsty Ear Festival**, a festival of underground music, praised by the Ministry of Culture of Republic Croatia and the City's Department for Culture. KSET has also been the host of two **ZGEtno festivals**, the first one in full, and the other one in companionship with the Student Centre Zagreb. A festival of experimental music **MARS** was also organized in 2007. **Let them be heard** is the festival where young, demo bands have an opportunity to present their ideas and work. This year KSET is also going to co-host the **No Jazz Festival 2007**.

In conclusion we would just like to point out that we try as hard as possible to provide an entertaining, as well as an educational environment, and that any student interested in helping our cause is more than welcome to join.

## SPORT ACTIVITIES

Students of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing have been highly successful at sports



contests organized by the University of Zagreb, Croatian National Championship and throughout the international scene. At the official championship of the University of Zagreb, FER competes in 19 out of a total of 20 sports. In the seasons 2004/05 and 2005/06 FER won the 3rd place in the overall competition. In the 2006/07 season FER took the 1st place for the first time in history.

At the 1st European University Futsal Championship, that took place in Paralimni (Cyprus), September 17-25/2004 FER won the 2nd place. At the EuroESADE competition that took place in Barcelona (Spain), FER won the 1st place amongst 26 other European universities. In Novi Sad at the 3rd European University Futsal Championship FER won the 2nd place amongst 15 competing universities. FER also took the 2nd place at the 4th European University Futsal Championship. Apart from the competitive activities taking place at FER, students can satisfy their need for recreation and companionship in a number of clubs, eg. cycling, hiking, dance, etc.

Apart from competing in official competitions, the involvement and contribution of FER's students and teachers to the organization of the University championship must be emphasized.

The Croatian Academic Sport Association (CASA) SUBOS has been active at FER for seven years. In the past two years CASA SUBOS has become the largest student sports club in Croatia. Currently, there are around 1000 members. In this club, students can take part in 20 sports and dance classes. Every year the club organizes several competitions and other sports events at the university and national level.

CASA SUBOS is one of the founders of the Zagreb University Sports Federation and takes part in the organization of the official sports championship of the University of Zagreb.

## eStudent

### Business Plan Contest

(<http://www.e-student.hr/bpc/>)

In the academic years 2005/06 and 2006/07 in association with the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Faculty of Economics and Business and strategic partners, the Organization organized a Business Plan writing project. In each round up to 200 students applied for the project and were divided into teams. The main goal of this project was to provide students with additional education,



interesting lecturers, interactive lectures (at least three big lectures every year) and workshops (five to six workshops every year) which would in turn awaken their entrepreneurial spirit and teach them the basics of entrepreneurship.

### Project Exchange

([www.burzaprojekata.com](http://www.burzaprojekata.com))

The Project Exchange team is involved in developing a portal that would introduce the faculty projects to the students, automate student applications for projects as well as the project announcements and student selection by the assistants/professors. During the academic year 2006/07 the portal was completed in the ASP.NET technology with a SQL data base. In June the documentation and official hiring of a host with a web address was completed. The official release to all students is expected in the near future.

### Lectures and Workshops

During the academic year 2005/06 eSTUDENT organized two big lectures, visits to firms and three workshops, whilst in the academic year 2006/07, summer months not included, eSTUDENT organized seven lectures and three workshops.

### Promotion/Organization of the Career Day and Promotion of Other Projects

In the academic years 2005/06 and 2006/07 eSTUDENT helped the portal MojPosao organize the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Croatian Career Days. It helped to promote and organize this significant job market fair which was held at the Boćarski dom Zrinjevac in Zagreb.

In addition, eSTUDENT participated in the promotion of a project in association with its partner company Agrokor on the project "Agrokor at FER" which started in June and ended in October 2007.





## 5.1. Department of Applied Physics

### Faculty and staff

#### ▼ Professors

**Tomislav Petković** – experimental hypernuclear physics; philosophy and history of science

**Dubravko Pevec** – reactor physics, nuclear engineering

**Vladimir Knapp** – nuclear physics and engineering (retired distinguished professor)

**Višnja Henč-Bartolić** – atomic physics, lasers (retired by the 1<sup>st</sup> of June, 2004; engaged by the Project 0036019 by the fall of 2006)

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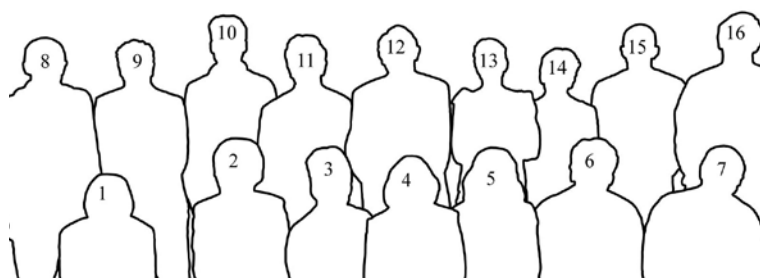
**Dubravko Horvat** – gravitation, cosmology and elementary particle structures and symmetries

#### ▼ Assistant professors

**Lahorija Bistričić** – molecular and laser physics

**Zoran Narančić** – elementary particle structures and symmetries

**Vesna Borjanović** – experimental solid state physics; impurities and structural defects in semiconductor structures



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## Educational activities

Lectures in general and modern physics: General physics and introduction to quantum mechanics. Electrical, optical, and magnetic properties of materials. Laser physics. Principles and applications of superconductivity. Introductory nuclear physics. Nuclear instrumentation and detectors for particles and radiation.

Lectures on the physical basis of new energy technologies. Selected topics in energy physics. Interactions and detection of nuclear radiation. Shielding and radiation protection. Nuclear fuel cycles and materials. Nuclear safety and regulation. New energy sources. Energy conversion and storage.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Physics I
- Physics II
- Physics of materials



- Laser physics
- Nuclear fuel cycles and reactor materials
- Radiation effects and radiation protection
- Renewable resources and advanced technology

### ▼ Elective courses

- Modern methods of physics for Electrical Engineering and Information Technology
- Computing methods of modern physics
- Quantum computers
- Fundamentals of nuclear physics
- Fundamentals of energy storage

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Foundations of superconductivity and its application
- Detectors and electronic instrumentation for particle physics
- Laser physics and electrooptics
- New energy sources
- Pulsed plasma physics with applications
- Quantum physics - selected topics
- Nuclear reactor theory
- Selected topics in nuclear physics and nuclear engineering
- Selected topics in semiconductor physics

## Research and development

Gravitational physics: compact structures, classical and quantum fields.

Advanced, inherently safe, small power nuclear reactor (IRIS); Optimal fuel management of the standard PWR reactor; advanced fuel cycles and long term nuclear energy strategies; Radiation shielding. Renewable energy resources and applications.

Study of structure and vibrational dynamics of molecular systems (crystals, polymer films, nanocomposites) with application in different fields such as optoelectronics, shape-memory materials, conducting polymers and biotechnology.

Experimental study of the light and medium-heavy mass hypernuclei based on the high resolution  $\Lambda$  spectroscopy, to be performed at the Jefferson Lab Hall C (Newport News, VA, USA). The technique is based on the electroproduction of  $\Lambda$ -hypernuclei by the  $(e, e'K^+)$  reaction, provided by the 2<sup>nd</sup> generation High-resolution Kaon Spectrometer (HKS) and with a new High-resolution Electron Spectrometer (HES) under construction now. The best resolution of about 200 keV (FWHM) in the hypernuclear spectra is expected in the wide mass region, by the 3<sup>rd</sup> generation experiments with a new HKS-HES set-up.



Investigation of carbon-rich polycrystalline silicon obtained by edge-defined film-fed growth technique. New approach to blind image deconvolution, reconstruction of the original image from an observation degraded by spatially invariant blurring process and noise was investigated. Fabrication and characterization of new hybrid (polymer/nanostructures) materials.

Study of structural and electronic properties of low dimensional systems: surfaces and ultra thin metallic films by scanning tunnelling microscopy (STM) and photoemission spectroscopy.

Properties of laser-produced plasma from Al, Mg, Si, Nb and Mo have been investigated and compared. Plasma radiation produced by ablative capillary discharge has been investigated as a radiation source for extreme ultraviolet lithography. Polyvinylchloride with additives (Sn, Zn and C) and polyacetal were used as materials for capillary production. Optimisation of working conditions was also performed.

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**Macrocyclic Ligands, Structural Changes of Solutions and Molecular Spectroscopy** (Project 0982904-2927, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Goran Baranović, Institute Rugjer Boskovic; Project collaborator: Lahorija Bistričić, 2007 -)

**Vibrational Dynamics and Structure of Multifunctional Polymer Systems** (Project 1252971-2868, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Vesna Volovšek, Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Technology, University of Zagreb; Project collaborator: Lahorija Bistričić, 2007 -)

**Overview of Nuclear Energy Status in EU and USA, and Suitability of Various Technologies for Croatia** (Croatian Electricity 21438; 0114-24/37-2006, Project leader: Dubravko Pevec, 2006)

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**Physical Properties of Partially Ordered Molecular Systems** (Project 125007, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Vesna Volovšek, Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Technology, University of Zagreb; Project collaborator: Lahorija Bistričić, 2002 – 2006)

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## International links

Brookhaven National Laboratory (BNL), Upton, New York, USA

Gesellschaft für Reaktorsicherheit (GRS), Garching, Germany

International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), Vienna, Austria

International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP), Trieste, Italy

Paul Scherrer Institute, (PSI), Villigen, Switzerland

Rheinland Westfallische Technische Hochschule Aachen, Aachen, Germany

Ruhr-Universität, Institut für Experimentalphysik V, Bochum, Germany

Universität Stuttgart, Institut für Kernenergetik und Energiesysteme, Stuttgart, Germany

Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility (TJNAF), Newport News, Virginia, USA

Institut Jožef Štefan (IJS), Ljubljana, Slovenia

East Carolina University (ECU), Greenville, North Carolina, USA

Dipartimento di Lingue e Civiltà dell'Europa centro-orientale, Università degli studi di Udine, Udine, Italia

Tecnologie Avanzate e Nanoscienza (TASC) National Laboratory, Trieste, Italy

Elettra Synchrotron Light Laboratory, Trieste, Italy

Simon Fraser University, Vancouver/Burnaby, Canada

Universität Wien, Fakultät für Physik, Vienna, Austria

## Doctor of science degree

Author: VESNA MIKŠIĆ TRONTL

Title: Electronic and structural properties of adsorbed metallic nanosystems

Date: 24 November, 2005

Mentor: Milorad Milun

Author: SAŠA ILIJIĆ

Title: Anisotropic Structures in General Theory of Relativity

Date: 20 February, 2007

Mentor: Dubravko Horvat



## 5.2. Department of Applied Mathematics

### Faculty and staff

#### ▼ Professors

**Vladimir Čepulić** – finite groups, finite mathematics

**Neven Elezović** – mathematical analysis

**Ivan Ivanšić** (retired as distinguished professor)  
– topology

**Ljubo Marangunić** – finite mathematics,  
mathematical analysis

**Darko Žubrinić** – nonlinear elliptic PDE-s, fractal  
analysis

#### ▼ Associate professors

**Ilko Brnetić** – mathematical analysis

**Mervan Pašić** – differential equations

**Mario-Osvin Pavčević** – discrete mathematics

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**Luka Korkut** – partial differential equations

**Mario Krnić** – mathematical analysis

**Vesna Županović** – dynamical systems



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**Marijana Greblički**  
**Lana Horvat-Dmitrović**  
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**Kristijan Tabak**  
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**Anamari Nakić**  
**Domagoj Vlah**  
**Ana Žgaljić**

### ▼ Administrative staff

**Zdenka Komerički**

Department of Applied Mathematics, founded in 1919 by professor Marije Kiseljak, is the oldest one at the Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing. Members of the Department are working in various fields of mathematics. Some of our past professors had been originally trained in electrical engineering. Such was the case for example with the academician Danilo Blanuša, a past dean of the Faculty, whose results concerning isometric imbeddings of hyperbolic spaces into Euclidean spaces obtained international acclaim (cited among others by John Nash), as well as his correction of Max Planck's formulae from relativistic phenomenological thermodynamics, and his graph now

called Blanuša's graph or Blanuša's snark (adopted as the logo of the Croatian Mathematical Society). Above the main entrance of the Department there is a nice rectangular marble plaque with an inscription cited from Plato's school: *Mideis ageometritos eisito* (in Greek), that is, «Those who do not know geometry cannot enter». For a more detailed information about the history of the Department of Applied Mathematics we invite you to consult a survey article written by professor Ivan Ivanšić, available at the web address [www.zpm.fer.hr/~darko/zavod\\_pov](http://www.zpm.fer.hr/~darko/zavod_pov) (in Croatian).

### Educational activities

Basic calculus. Vector analysis. Linear algebra. Differential equations. Functions of a complex variable. Fourier series. Laplace transform. Discrete mathematics. Graph theory. Numerical methods in applied mathematics. Probability and stochastic processes. Croatian and international mathematical competitions.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Mathematics I
- Mathematics II
- Mathematics III E
- Mathematics III R
- Probability and statistics



### ▼ Elective courses

- Introduction to chaos theory for engineers
- Mathematical modelling using Wolfram's Mathematica
- Stochastic processes
- Graph theory

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Differential equations and dynamical systems
- Discrete mathematical models
- Integral and discrete transformations with wavelet theory
- Equations of mathematical physics
- Combinatorial algorithms
- Finite mathematics
- Linear algebra and applications
- Mathematical methods in control theory
- Selected topics of mathematical analysis
- Basics of the theory of strategic games
- Queuing theory

## Research and development

Mathematical structures in mathematical models and numerical algorithms. Construction of combinatorial structures. Symmetric block designs. Group theory. Nonlinear and quasi-linear elliptic equations. Ordinary differential equations. Dynamical systems. Fractal analysis. Inequalities in analysis and applications.

### ▼ Projects

**Combinatorial designs and related configurations** (Project 0362964, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Principal investigator: Mario-Osvin Pavečević, 2006-2008)

**Inequalities and applications** (Project 0361054, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Principal investigator: Neven Elezović, 2006-2008)

**Fractional derivatives and higher transcendental functions** (Project HMP Croatia-Macedonia, National coordinator: Neven Elezović, 2006-2008)

**Nonlinear analysis of differential equations** (Project 0361291, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Principal investigator: Mervan Pašić, 2006-2008)

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Balogović, Martina; Hanjš, Željko; Krnić, Mario. *Mathematical Competitions in 2005./2006*. Zagreb: Element, 2007. (in Croatian)

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Elezović, Neven. *Discrete Probability*. Probability and Statistics. Elezović, Neven (ed.), Zagreb: Element, 2007. (in Croatian)

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Žubrinić, Darko. **Hausdorff dimension of singular sets of Sobolev functions and maximally singular Sobolev functions.** Mathematical Department of the Czech Academy of Sciences (Matematicki ustav České Akademie věd). Prag, Czech Republic, 1-7 December 2005.

### International links

Centro de Recerca Matemàtica, Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain

Nankai Universtiy, Tianjin, China

Universitz of Kiev-Mohyla Academy, Kyiv, Ukraine

Vinnits State Pedagogical Universtiy, Vinnitsa, Ukraine

Karl Franzes University, Graz, Austria

University of Oklahoma, Norman, USA

American Mathematical Society, Providence, RI, USA

Johannes Gutenberg-Universität, Mainz, Germany

Universität Bayreuth, Germany

Mathematics Department of the Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague, Czech Republic

**Doctor of science degree**

Author: NEVEN GRBAC  
Title: The Residual Spectrum of Hermitian Quaternionic Inner Form of the Group  $SO_8$  (in Croatian)  
Date: 16 June 2007  
Mentor: Goran Muić

Author: JOSIPA-PINA MILIŠIĆ  
Title: Optimization of Horizontal Current Bipolar Transistor Structure  
Date: 29 September 2007  
Mentor: Ansgar Jüngel

**Master of science degree**

Author: LANA HORVAT  
Title: Fractal Analysis of Dynamical Systems (in Croatian)  
Date: 9 March 2006  
Mentor: Vesna Županović

Author: MARIJANA IVANKOVIĆ  
Title: Second-metacyclic 2-groups (in Croatian)  
Date: 8 November 2005  
Mentor: Vladimir Čepulić

## 5.3. Department of Applied Computing

### Faculty and staff

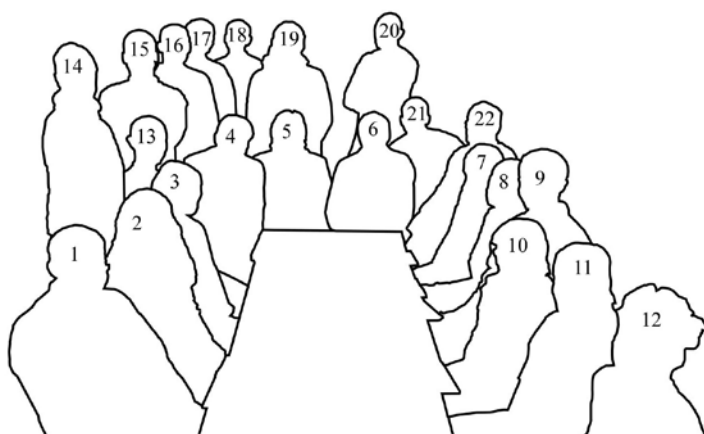
**Damir Kalpić** – information systems, operational research

**Vedran Mornar** – information systems, programming paradigms, e-learning

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### ▼ Associate professors

**Mirta Baranović** – databases, information systems, data warehousing, business intelligence

**Marijan Đurek** – computer ergonomics, computer forensics

**Krešimir Fertalj** – information systems, software engineering, project management

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**Gordan Gledec** – networks and Internet, web technologies

**Boris Vrdoljak** – database systems

**Slaven Zakošek** – database systems

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**Ljiljana Brkić**

**Mirjana Domazet-Lošo**

**Krešimir Križanović**

**Igor Mekterović**

**Boris Milašinović**

**Ivana Nižetić**

**Dubravka Pukljak Zoković**

**Lidia Rovin**

**Zvonimir Vanjak**

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**Kristina Andrić**

**Jasenska Anzil**

**Ivana Ilić**

**Vlatko Malović**

**Stjepan Pavlek**

**Tomislav Rajnović**

**Gorana Rubinić**

**Ivana Ujević**

**Vedran Vrbanić**

### ▼ Administrative staff

**Sonja Majstorović**

## Educational activities

Programming, Software engineering, Algorithms and data structures, Programming paradigms and languages, Databases, Data warehousing, Business Intelligence, Operational research, Object-oriented programming, Information systems design, Information systems security, Hardware and software ergonomics, Electronic business, Risk analysis.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Algorithms and data structures
- Databases
- Introduction to databases
- Programming and software engineering

### ▼ Elective courses

- Data warehousing
- Development of applications
- Ergonomics in computing
- Information systems design
- Object oriented programming
- Operational research
- Programming paradigms and languages
- Protection and security of information systems

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Algorithms in bioinformatics
- Applied numerical methods
- Data structures and algorithms
- Databases
- Electronic business
- Management of information systems
- Methods and techniques for software development
- Operational research
- Quantitative methods in risk management
- Structured programming techniques

## Research and development

Distance learning software has been further developed to support continuous assessment. Software for student administration has been upgraded to comply with the Bologna process. Strategy of computerisation for an insurance company is in its final stage. A data warehousing project and credit risk assessment project according to Basel II for a bank is under way.

### ▼ Projects

**Software engineering: Education and research co-operation** (DAAD project in the framework of the 'Stability Pact for South-Eastern Europe', National coordinator: Damir Kalpić, 2004-2008)

**Information System for Higher Education in Croatia – ISVU** (Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Project leader: Mirta Baranović, 2000-2007)

**Optimisation and risk management in information systems** (Project 036-0361983-3137,



Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Damir Kalpić, 2007-2012)

**Sustainable development of information systems** (Project 036-0361983-2022, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Krešimir Fertalj, 2007)

**Semantic integration of heterogeneous data sources** (Project 036-0361983-2012, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Project leader: Mirta Baranović, 2007)

**Computer supported education** (Project 036-0361983-2019, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Project leader: Vedran Mornar, 2007)

**Geospatial Sensors and Moving Objects Databases** (Project 036-0361983-2020, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Project leader: Zdravko Galić, 2007)

**System specification for Fauna-Croatia Database as part of the Nature Protection Information System** (The State Institute for Nature Protection, Project leader: Krešimir Fertalj, 2007)

**Development of data warehousing and business intelligence for banking** (Project leader: Damir Kalpić, 2005-2007)

**Strategy of computerisation in insurance** (Croatia Insurance Company Ltd, Project leader: Damir Kalpić, 2007)

**Expertise of critical issues in the realisation of the toll collecting system** (Croatian Highways, Project leader: Damir Kalpić, 2007)

## Publications

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**Dušan Vujević** – retired, precise measuring of voltage and magnetic quantities

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**Damir Ilić** – precise electromagnetic measurements, calibration of standards, virtual instruments

**Roman Malarić** – automated data acquisition systems, electromagnetic measurements, calibration of standards

**Mirko Randić** - distributed object-oriented software design, network and system management

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## Educational activities

Fundamentals of electrical engineering - theory and practice. Electrostatic and electromagnetic phenomena. Basic circuits and field theory. Electrical and non-electrical measurements, elements, methods, instruments and laboratory equipment. Metrology and absolute electromagnetic measurements. Measurement error theory, analysis and presentation of the measurement results. Metrology infrastructure, calibration and testing services. Quality management and the laboratory accreditation. Telemetric data acquisition systems and automated measurement systems. Process testing and industrial measurements of magnetic material properties, isolation and earthing. Electromagnetic field theory. Electromagnetic waves and wave propagation. Numerical methods and electromagnetic field calculation. Elements of design theory and design processing. Computational electromagnetic compatibility. Electromagnetic pollution. Data processing. Data management. Databases. Data Warehousing. Data mining. E-Business. Business Intelligence.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Databases
- Electrical measurements
- Electromagnetic fields
- Electromagnetic theory
- Fundamentals of electrical engineering
- Management in engineering
- Quality Management

### ▼ Elective courses

- Application of finite element method
- Data management
- Data processing
- Numerical procedures in design
- Process measurements
- Theory of electromagnetic fields
- Theory of electromagnetic fields

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Computational electromagnetic compatibility
- Computer aided analysis in electromagnetic theory
- Computer aided design
- Data warehouse design
- Digital measuring instruments and systems
- Electrical measurement of non electric quantities
- Electromagnetic pollution
- International measuring traceability
- Metrology and precise measurements
- Quality control and metrology
- Selected topics from data processing
- Validation of the software

### Research and development

Development and permanent improvement of highly accurate measurements in Croatia, primarily in the area of electromagnetic quantities. Internationally accredited Primary electromagnetic laboratory. Development of standards, measuring devices, instruments and procedures of high accuracy. Maintenance and comparison of voltage, resistance and capacitance standards. Automation of measuring procedures. Research and development of telemetric data acquisition systems, especially in collecting data from electric power plants and system, and transmitting them through public telephone network to the central monitoring station. Measurement of the quality of electrical energy in the Croatian distribution system. Methods of calibration of high-class wattmeters and power-meters. Organisation of metrology, certification and standardisation services in Croatia, with a view to implement a system of management, surveillance and documentation compatible with the appropriate quality systems in the European Union, harmonised with WECC, ILAC and other requirements. Research in the area of numerical calculation of electromagnetic fields, development of software packages for numerical field calculation applicable to electromagnetic compatibility problems as well as to analysis of human exposure to low-frequency electromagnetic fields. Research and development of ship's shaft generator. EM field influence of power lines on surrounding metallic objects. Computation, measurement, and analysis of EM fields for various sources of electromagnetic pollution. Application of complex numerical computation of electromagnetic fields to design of electrical apparatus and machines in order to achieve better quality and market competitiveness. Application of software packages in the development of new designs of electromagnetic devices, to be incorporated into usual design and developing procedures. The development of the methodology and

the tools for analysis of electromagnetic environment of power engineering systems and for protection of undesired electromagnetic fields. Initiation of further development and new approach to the integral solution of the problem relating to protection, control and management in the electric-power supply systems. Laboratory for Electromagnetic Fields. Measurement of electromagnetic pollution. Development of the magnetic field National Standard.

Object-relational database design, data mining, information system development, data warehousing design, networked economy, applications for electronic business.

### ▼ Projects

**Metrological Research and development of methods and procedures for measurement of electromagnetic quantities** (Joint Croatian – Macedonian project for scientific and technological cooperation, Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Republic of Croatia, and Ministry of Science and Education, Republic of Macedonia, principal Investigator: Roman Malarić (Croatia) and Marija Čundeva Blajer (Macedonia), 2007-2008)

**Participation in Broadband Society** (COST-298 Action, Šandor Dembitz became a member of Management Committee in 2007 - .)

**Stima dell'intercezza nella misurazione dell'energia elettrica (Estimation of Uncertainty in Electrical Energy Measurement)**, Croatian-Italian project supported by the Italian Ministry of Education, University and Development (Ministero dell'Istruzione, dell'Università e della Ricerca), (Responsible person: Mladen Boršić., 2005-2007) TRAJANJE

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Croatia, Principal investigator: Nikica Hlupić, 2004-2007)

**Analysis of Complex Grounding System – RP 110 kV Podsused** (Croatian Electricity, Project manager: Željko Štih, 2006)

**Business Intelligence and Electronic Business** (Agrokor, Project co-ordination: Ignac Lovrek and Zoran Skočir, Project leader: Zoran Skočir, 2005.- ...)

**Computation of EM Fields – TS 110/35/10 kV Švarča** (Croatian Electricity, Project manager: Željko Štih, 2006)

**Computation of EM Fields – TS 220/110/35/10 kV Plat** (Croatian Electricity, Project manager: Armin Pavić, 2007)

**Study of Importance of Distribution Substations as the Sources of Electromagnetic Fields** (Croatian Electricity, Project manager: Armin Pavić, 2005-2006.)

**Study of Importance of Underground Cables as the Sources of Electromagnetic Fields** (Croatian Electricity, Project manager: Armin Pavić, 2006-2007.)

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DKD – Deutsche Kalibrierdienst, Berlin and Braunschweig, Germany

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Facoltà di Ingegneria dell'Università degli Studi del Sannio, Benevento, Italy

Faculty of Electrical Engineering, University of Tuzla, Bosnia and Herzegovina

ILAC – International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation

IMEKO – International Measurement Confederation

INRIA-Futurs, Institut National de Recherche en Informatique et en Automatique, France

NIST – National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland, USA

NPL – National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, Middlesex, United Kingdom

NCSL International – National Conference of Standard Laboratories International

NMI (NMIA) – National Measurement Institute, Lindfield, Australia

PTB – Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt, Braunschweig, Germany

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## Educational activities

Fundamentals of electrical machinery. Direct current and electronically commutated motors, induction and synchronous machines. Small and special electric machines. Transformers. General theory of electromechanical conversion. Design in electrical machinery. Power electronics and electrical drives, control of electrical machines and drives. Mechatronic systems. Testing of electrical machines and drives. Applied mechanics for electrical engineering. Electric switches. Switching arrangements. Industrial plants and automation of industrial plants. Electrical traction.

Research and development of methods to analyse rotational electrical machines, transformers and electrical devices, and to design, construct, test and implement them in various industrial, electrical, transportation and other technical systems. Modelling, simulation and identification of parameters of electrical machines and power electronics converters. Analysis of small and special machines (step motors, linear motors, electronically commutated motors) for general purpose and particular usage. Electrical motor drives in normal and specific working conditions. Design, testing and commissioning. Reconstruction, retrofit and modernisation of large power electrical machines

and drives in electrical, industrial, mining and other plants. Research, development, design, construction and implementation of different power electronic converters. Research, development and application of the methods for automatic control of AC and DC electrical drives in industry, mining, transport, shipbuilding and elsewhere. Design, modelling and application mechatronic systems. Reconstruction and modernisation of controlled electrical drives, automation of electrical drives and protection systems, especially in rolling mills, mining and other similar industrial plants. Design and modernisation of industrial and electrical plants. Diagnostic of electrical motors and drives.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Automated Testing of Electrotechnical Devices
- Automation in Industrial Plants
- Automation Systems Design
- Control Engineering
- Control of Electric Drives
- Control of Power Converters
- Defense Systems and Technologies
- Design and Automatization Industrial Plants
- Design and Development of Interactive Simulation Systems
- Design of Electric Machinery
- Development of Electrical Products
- Diagnostic and Monitoring Machines and Drives
- Electrical Actuators
- Electrical Drives
- Electrical Machines
- Electrical Machine Controls Practicum
- Electrical Machines and Transformers
- Electrical Machines and Transformers Theory
- Electromechanical and Electrical Conversion
- Electromechanical and Electromagnetic Conversion
- Electromechanical Systems
- Electronics in Power Engineering
- Electrotechnical Materials and Technology
- Fundamentals of Mechatronics
- Fundamentals of Power Electronics
- Fundamentals of Mechatronics
- Graphics And Documentation For Engineers
- Industrial Plants Design
- Industrial System Dynamics
- Materials in Electrical Products
- Mechatronic Systems
- Physical Education
- Power Electronics
- Power Electronics Practicum
- Switching and Protection Devices
- Synchronous Machines and excitation systems
- Technical Mechanics



### ▼ Elective courses

- Computer Aided Design
- Control of Synchronous Machines
- Croatian Culture
- Design and Construction in the Field of Electrical Machines
- Design and Development of Interactive Simulation Systems
- Dynamics and Modelling of Electromechanical Systems
- Electrical Traction
- Electronic Power Converters for Motor Drives
- Laboratory for Control of Electric Machines
- Management of Change and Human Resources
- Managerial Decision Making
- Methods and Presentation of Results in Scientific Research
- Organisational Psychology
- Power Electronics
- Power Electronics Laboratory
- Quality Assurance and Quality Management
- Selected Chapters of Transformers
- Small and Special Electric Machines
- Sustainable Growth and Environment Protection
- Switching and Protection Devices in Electrical Plants
- Synchronous Machines and Excitations
- Theological Study of the Bible

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Automated Testing of Electrical Machines
- Control Systems of Electrical Drives
- Digital Real Time Simulations
- Disturbances and Protection of Synchronous Machines
- Dynamics of Alternating Current Machines
- Electrical Machines Design Methods
- Industrial Plants
- Integration of Intelligent Components in Highly Automated Mechatronic System
- Intelligent Systems in Industrial Plants
- Power Electronic Systems
- Special Electrical Drives
- Theory of Power Circuit Breakers
- Transformers

## Research and development

**Electric machines:** Finite Element Method based analysis of synchronous generators, both hydrogenerators and turbogenerators, as well as

transformers have been introduced. New advances in computing technology (hardware and software) have enabled more accurate determination of magnetic field distribution and basic machine parameters. The numerical tools are used for design of new generators and refurbishment of existing ones. A method for accurate calculation and analysis of turbogenerator electromagnetic parameters has been developed. Computerised on-line diagnostics for the state of induction motor cage rotor was investigated and applied in a large number of industrial facilities. The computerised method for on-site testing of LV and HV motors insulation systems has been developed and applied in power plants, chemical and cement industry.

**Control of AC electrical drives:** Research and development of digital control systems for AC electrical drives and synchronous generator excitation. Intelligent control systems and their applications in various plants. Development of a new DSP control system for electrical machines. Sensorless speed control system for slip-ring AC motor has been developed. Actual speed information is realised via rotor voltage frequency estimation (RVFE). Using line frequency as a reference, the fundamental component of the rotor frequency gives the slip of the motor, which determines the speed in digital form. Measurement of line currents and voltages for actual motor torque estimation has been realised also. This torque estimation technique replaced mechanical torque sensor.

**Power electronics:** Introducing the new concept of teaching Power electronics. Development of multimedia laboratory for Power electronics enabling integration of different teaching methodologies. Evaluation of simple power semiconductor thermal model applied in commercial circuit simulator. Obtained results corrected existing electrothermal model. The transient thermal impedance measurement method for MOS-gated power semiconductors is developed and tested, enabling fast and accurate on-site measurement.

**Industry automation:** Research and development of PROFIBUS (Industrial communication network) application in automated electrical machines testing systems. Coupling of an intelligent automation with soft computing related to industrial site applications. Design and build systems, which exhibit high level of intelligence, support a sufficient users application flexibility related to cost effective product. Introduction of engineering tools, which represent a holistic approach to control engineering, covering all the disciplines and activities required to the process automation system. Presentation and introduction of a different type of modern high-level PLC programming languages. These languages are function-block-based and have been specially developed for industrial automation process control. Study of a different type of application projects represented by a hierarchical and multifaceted engineering database,

which contains all the data, needed to fully describe the design and function of the plant. Information about selected database, which stores data without redundancy, i.e. without duplication, despite the fact that data items may have multiple usage. General information about high-speed communication links used as backbone for the process automation control system. Study a Fieldbus Foundation system architecture, which provides a framework for industrial application as a distributed system composed of digital devices and control/monitoring equipment. Research and development of mechatronic systems and electric vehicle systems.

## ▼ Projects

**Advanced Control Structures in Industrial Plants** (Project 0036026, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Gorislav Erceg)

**Electromechanical Systems of Optimal Energy Conversion** (Project 0036005, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Drago Ban)

**Power Quality and Power Electronics Converters** (Project 003039 Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Zvonko Benčić)

**Advanced digital guidance & control methods of one class of anti tank missiles** (Project 0036034 Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia,

Principal investigator Krešimir Ćosić)

**The research and optimisation of electric vehicle drive** (Project 0036053, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Ivan Ilić)

**Integration techniques in complex mechatronic systems** (Project 0036032, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Fetah Kolonić)

**Refurbishment and Operation of Synchronous Generators** (Project 0036021, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Zlatko Maljković)



**Electromagnetic Bistabil – Actuator for Switches**, (TP-01/03613, Project leader: Gorislav Erceg)

**Mehatronic Devices for Fitness Training**, (TP-C64, Project leader: Gorislav Erceg)

**Procedures of industrial controller optimization in natural gas process production**, (Project 4976/04, Oil and gas company INA, Project leader: Fetah Kolonić).

**Scientific and Continuous Education Consulting for The “Hrvatska Elektroprivreda**, (Project leader: Ivan Ilić)

**Marina Traffic and Gate Acces Control System**, (Project leader: Krešimir Ćosić)

**Whiplash Injury Integrated High-Tech Diagnostic System**, (Project manager: Miroslav Slamić)

**Digital Simulators for Anti-Armor and Anti-Aircraft Missile Systems**, (Project manager: Miroslav Slamić)

**Adaptive Control of Scenarios in VR Therapy of PTSD** (Project 036-0000000-2029, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Krešimir Ćosić, 2007-2010)

**Development of Simulator Prototype – SIMIG 2000** (Ministry of Defense, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Gorislav Erceg, 2006-2007)

**Development of Simulation System – SIMIG 2000** (Ministry of Defense, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Gorislav Erceg, 2007-2008)

**Electronic Licence Plate for Vessels – ERP2** (Ministry of Interior, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Nikola Švigir, 2007-2008)

**Optimalni izbor permanentnih magneta za elektromagnetske uređaje** (Ministarstvo znanosti, obrazovanja i športa Republike Hrvatske i Agencija za raziskovalno dejavnost Republike Slovenije, bilateralni projekt Zavoda za elektrostrojstvo i automatizaciju, FER i Laboratorija za energetiko, Fakulteta za elektrotehniko, računalništvo in informatiko, Univerza v Mariboru), voditelj, 2007. – 2008.

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**Control of complex Electromechanical Systems for Manipulations in Transport** (Project 036-0363078-1629, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Fetah Kolonić, 2006-2009)

**Electrical Power Generation Systems** (Program Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator, Zlatko Maljković)

**Refurbishment and Operation of Hydro-generators** (Project 036-0361616-1617, Ministry

of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Zlatko Maljković)

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Power system analysis. High voltage engineering. Nuclear physics reactor theory. Nuclear and thermal power plants. Fuel cycles and reactors materials. Engineering reliability and safety. Energy and environment. Geographic information systems. Energy systems economics. Energy efficiency. Energy and environment management. Renewable energy sources.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Electric Facilities
- Electric Power Distribution Systems
- Electric Power Engineering
- Electric Power Networks
- Electric Power Plants
- Electric Power Transmission
- Energy and Environment
- Energy Processes
- Heat Transfer
- High Voltage Engineering
- Introduction to Nuclear Engineering
- Nuclear Power Plant Safety
- Nuclear Power Plants
- Numerical Methods in Electric Power System Analysis
- Power System Automatic Control
- Power System Control
- Power System Protection and Local Control
- Electrical Machines and Transformers
- Fundamentals of Power Electronics





### ▼ Elective courses

- Electricity Markets
- Electric Facilities Automation
- Electric Power Facilities Protection
- Electric Power System Dynamics
- Electric Power System Reliability
- Electric Power Systems Planning on Open Markets
- Electrical Lighting
- Energy Management
- Energy Resources
- Geographic Information Systems
- MV and LV Networks
- Nuclear Power Plant Control
- Power System Economics
- Power Systems Maintenance
- Selected Chapters of High Voltage Engineering
- Switching and Protection Equipment in Electric Power Facilities
- Transmission Networks Planning and Evolution
- Transmission System Control
- Uninterruptible Power Supplies
- Transients and Electromagnetic Compatibility in Electric Power System

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Disturbance Inhibition and Protection of Synchronous Machines

- Electric Facilities
- Geoinformation Systems
- Electrical Power Facilities Engineering
- Nuclear Power Plants Concepts
- Overhead Lines and Power Cables
- Optimization in Electric Power Networks
- Construction Planning of Electrical Power Production Units in Uncertainty Conditions
- Distribution Networks Planning
- Power Systems Operations
- Dynamics of Power Plants Operation
- Reliability Modeling in Electric Power System Subsystems
- Overvoltages in Power System
- Risk Assessment and Management
- Electrical Power Network Measurements
- Control Techniques in Electrical Engineering
- Power System Protection
- Nuclear Power Plant Operational Safety
- Environmental Impact of Electric Power Systems
- Lines and Power Supply of Electric Traction
- High-Voltage Networks Analysis
- Risk Analyzing
- Quality of Power Supply
- Modeling Relations on Electricity Markets
- Relay Protection
- Transformers
- Diagnostics in Power System Maintenance

- Advanced Nuclear Reactors in Sustainable Development
- Electrical Power Network Calculation
- Stochastic Assessment of Technological Risk

## Research and development

**Power Systems Engineering:** The research aim is to advance both fundamental knowledge and the applications of electrical power engineering across a broad front by working on fundamental scientific project, in partnership with industry, transnational institutions, electric utilities and other university groups. The research work is generally concerned with increasing the availability and the reliability of a power system with an emphasis on the adjustment to an open market environment. Specific goals include: improving models and methodologies for power system analysis, operation and control; development, production and application of models and methodologies for program systems planning, maintenance and development; application of soft computing (artificial intelligence, meta-heuristics, etc.), information technologies (web oriented technologies, geographic information systems, enterprise IT solutions, etc.) and operational research in improving the process of planning, development, exploitation and control of power systems; investigation on applications for coordinated control of power system devices and exploring the system stability, security and economic operation; integration of intelligent devices and agents in energy management systems and distribution management systems equipment and software; advanced modelling of dynamics, disturbances and transient phenomena in transmission and distribution networks (in particular regarding distributed generation); advances in fault detection, restoration and outage management. At time of global changes in the energy sector, with emphasis on sustainable development, and in view of Croatia's application for joining EU, significant efforts are devoted to elimination of technical and administrative inadequacies in relation to EU legislation and directives. In particular, this implies liberalization efforts, restructuring of utilities, revitalization of facilities, new legislation and adoption of new standards.

**Power Technologies:** General objective of the research is to develop databases and methodologies for reliable assessment of operational safety of nuclear power plants and for quantitative assessment of the environmental impact of applicable energy technologies (electric power producing plants and their technology chains), as a base for estimating optimal long-term development strategy of the Croatian energy system. Research work included new strategies of energy sector and power system development for Republic of Croatia; preparing medium and

long-term electricity generation expansion plan for power system; comparison of energy, economic and environmental characteristics of different options for electric power generating; studies for rational use of energy and energy savings, assuming a centralized structure of the electricity market. Research work regarding renewable energy sources and its role in Croatian power sector, and electricity production considering cap on CO<sub>2</sub> emissions. Recent research covers development of new models for power system generation optimization and planning under uncertainties on open electricity market. The goal of that research is to create analytical and software tools which will enable a smooth transition to liberalized electricity market in Croatia, and ensure healthy and efficient power system operation, in compliance with environmental requirements with the best support mechanisms for renewable energy sources. In the nuclear energy field the specific analyses and calculations of transients and consequences of potential accidents in NPP Krško have recently been updated with some 3D models and extended to power plant severe accidents.

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**Analysis and Determination of Baselines for Green Energy Marketing Campaign in Croatian Power Utility**, (HEP, Project Leader: Nenad Debrecin)

**Analysis Of Thermal And Mechanical Properties Of NPP Krsko Core** (URSJV, Project leader: Davor Grgic)

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**Analyze and Choice of TSS Connection on 110 kV Transmission Network** (HŽ, Project Leader: Ivo Uglešić)

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## Educational activities

Information theory and information networks. Automata theory and logical design. Telecommunication networks, Internet. Languages and algorithms. Teletraffic theory. Digital transmission and switching, all-optical networks. Data communications. Local and access networks. Communication protocols. Hardware and software architectures of telecommunication systems, processors and programming languages. Mobile agents and multi-agent systems. Formal methods and techniques. Network planning, control and management. Information and telematic services. Broadband and intelligent networks. Multimedia communications, virtual reality. Mobility. System reliability. Performance evaluation and network optimisation, quality of service. Software processes. Project management.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Communication networks
- Communication protocols
- Digital automata
- Digital logic
- Information networks
- Information theory
- Information, logic and languages
- Logical design and switching algebra
- Management in engineering
- Multimedia communications
- Reliability of telecommunication systems
- Switching systems



- Telecommunication networks
- Telematic services
- Teletraffic theory
- Transmission systems

### ▼ Elective courses

- Algorithms and optimisation methods
- Concurrent programming
- Computer telephony integration
- Data transmission
- Diagnostics and reliability
- Formal methods in synthesis of telecommunication systems
- Fundamentals of network management
- Fundamentals of virtual environments
- Introduction to virtual environments
- Learning automata
- Local and access networks
- Mobile software agents
- Mobility in networks
- Organisation of telecommunication network
- Photonic communication technology
- Project management
- Telecommunication software development
- Virtual environments

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Analysis of information processes
- Broadband networks
- Communications in virtual environments
- Communication protocols - selected topics
- Concurrent systems
- Distributed information systems
- Formalisms in telecommunications
- Information and communication
- Intelligent control and automata games
- Methods and models in automata theory
- Network availability
- Network management
- Open network architectures
- Optical transmission network
- Optimisation methods for telecommunications
- Petri nets and distributed systems
- Software processes
- Telecommunication system design

## Research and development

Information and communication technology. Information flows and teletraffic, analytical models and simulation of information sources and flows in

broadband networks. Information channel capacity in multi-user wireless systems. Performance analyses of access network technologies. Network modelling and optimisation, network planning, performance evaluation, high-speed network dynamics. Queuing network theory and applications. Logic, relation between information, knowledge and communication. Learning automata theory and applications. Software design: models, methods, languages and tools for telecommunications. Call and service conceptual modelling, concurrent programming and distributed processing. Communication and signalling protocols, formal specification and verification. Reliability and availability of telecommunication systems and network, reliability models of all-optical transmission network and its components. Comparative analysis of different protection/restoration scenarios. Fault testing and diagnosis, maintenance of telecommunication systems. Integrated communication systems, computer telephony integration. Multimedia and virtual reality, virtual characters. Mobility of users and services, mobile agents and multi-agent systems. Internet services and applications, e-business technology. Network evolution.

### ▼ Projects

**e-Photon/ONE, Optical Networks: Towards Bandwidth Manageability and Cost Efficiency** (EU Sixth Framework Programme, Network of Excellence, WP12 leader: Branko Mikac, 2004-2006)

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**HUMAINE: Human-Machine Interaction Network on Emotion** (EU Sixth Framework Programme, Network of Excellence, FER co-ordinator: Igor S. Pandžić, 2003-2007)

**PEACH: Presence research in action** (EU Sixth Framework Programme, Coordination Action, FER co-ordinator: Igor S. Pandžić, 2006-2009)

**SIMILAR: The European research taskforce creating human-machine interfaces SIMILAR to human-human communication** (EU Sixth Framework Programme, Network of Excellence, FER co-ordinator: Igor S. Pandžić, 2003-2007)

**Cross-Modal Analysis of Verbal and Non-verbal Communication** (COST 2102, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, Management committee member and national co-ordinator: Igor S. Pandžić, 2006-2010)

**Towards Digital Optical Network** (COST 291, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, Management committee member and national co-ordinator: Branko Mikac, 2003-2008)



**Wi-QoS: Traffic and QoS Management in Wireless Multimedia Networks** (Project COST 290 – Cooperation in Science and Technology, European Commission, FER delegate: Maja Matijašević, 2007–)

**Embodied conversational agent for services in networked and mobile systems** (Project 0036060, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Igor S. Pandžić, 2004-2006)

**Mobility of users and services in new generation networks** (Project 0036030, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Ignac Lovrek, 2002-2006)

**New telecommunication networks architectures** (Project 0036009, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Mladen Kos, 2002-2006)

**Telecommunication infrastructure for knowledge networking** (Project 0036004, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Marijan Kunšić, 2002-2006)

**Content Delivery and Mobility of Users and Services in New Generation Networks** (Project 036-0362027-1639, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Maja Matijašević, 2007–)

**Embodied Conversational Agents as Interface for Networked and Mobile Services** (Project 036-0362027-2028, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Igor S. Pandžić, 2007–)

**Knowledge-Based Network and Service Management** (Project 036-0362027-1640, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Dragan Jevtić, 2007–)

**Performance Analysis and Design of Broadband Networks** (Project 036-0362027-1641, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Alen Bažant, 2007–)

**Agent-based Service Telecom Operations Management** (Ericsson Nikola Tesla, R&D Centre, Principal investigator: Gordan Ježić, 2005-2006)

**Agent-based Service & Telecom Operations Management** (Ericsson Nikola Tesla, R&D Centre, Principal investigator: Gordan Ježić, 2006-2007)

**Billing system in telecommunication networks** (Siemens d.d., Principal investigator: Alen Bažant, 2006)

**Business Intelligence and Electronic Commerce** (Agrokor, Project coordinators: Mirko Laušić, Marina Šimunić, Ignac Lovrek, Zoran Skočir, 2004–)

**Development of telecommunication network planning tools** (Ericsson Nikola Tesla d.d., Principal investigator: Alen Bažant, 2005)

**Development of tools and methods for design and optimization of telecommunication networks** (Ericsson Nikola Tesla d.d., Principal investigator: Alen Bažant, 2006-2007)

**Information intensive services** (Research Project, KATE-KOM and Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing, Department of Telecommunications, Zagreb, Principal investigator: Željka Car, 2005-2007)

**Networked Virtual Reality in IMS** (Ericsson Nikola Tesla, R&D Centre, Principal investigator: Maja Matijašević, 2005-2006)

**Parameters for broadband network deployment and service provisioning in suburban and rural areas based on FLASH-OFDM wireless access** (Odašiljači i veze, Principal investigator: Maja Matijašević, 2006)

**Performances of broadband services transport over access network** (HT – Hrvatske telekomunikacije d.d., Principal investigator: Alen Bažant, 2006–)

**Planning of asymmetrical digital subscriber lines** (ELKA kabeli d.o.o., Principal investigator: prof. dr.sc. Alen Bažant, 2005-2006)

**Session-level Signaling for Advanced Multimedia** (Ericsson Nikola Tesla, R&D Centre, Principal investigator: Maja Matijašević, 2006-2007)

**SIP Solutions** (Siemens d.d., Principal investigator: Marko Topolnik, 2005-2006)

**SIP Solutions** (Siemens d.d., Principal investigator: Josip Gracin, 2006-2007)

**Strategy for development of broadband access in the Republic of Croatia** (Ministry of Sea, Tourism, Transport and Development, Principal investigator: Alen Bažant, 2005)

**Telecommunications – technology and market** (HT – Hrvatske telekomunikacije d.d., Seminar coordinators: Vlasta Hudek, Gordan Gledec, 2006–)

**WWW.HR - Croatian Home Page** (CARnet – Croatian Academic and Research Network, Project leader: Gordan Gledec)

## Publications

### ▼ Books

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Pandžić, Igor S.; Bažant, Alen; Ilić, Željko; Vrdoljak, Zdenko; Sinković, Vjekoslav. *Uvod u teoriju informacije i kodiranje*, Zagreb: Element, 2007. (in Croatian)

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Car, Željka; Kušek Mario. *Proc. 9th International Conference on Telecommunications, ConTEL 2007*, Car, Željka; Kušek Mario (Eds.). Zagreb: University of Zagreb, FER, 2007.

### ▼ Chapter in book

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Ježić, Gordan; Matijašević, Maja. **Tržište pokretne mreže i usluga. Telekomunikacije - tehnologija i tržište**, Lovrek, Ignac; Gledec, Gordan (ed.), Zagreb: Element, 2007. 73-108 (in Croatian)

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Lovrek, Ignac. **Telekomunikacijska tehnologija i specifičnosti telekomunikacijskog tržišta. Telekomunikacije - tehnologija i tržište**, Lovrek, Ignac; Gledec, Gordan (ed.), Zagreb: Element, 2007. 1-36 (in Croatian)

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## International links

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 Date: 8 July 2005  
 Mentor: Mladen Tkalić

Author: MATIJA ŠERMAN  
 Title: Security Problems in Wireless Local Area Networks  
 Date: 30 September 2005  
 Mentor: Miljenko Mikuc

Author: ROBERT HORVAT  
 Title: Analyses of Intelligent Network Implementations for Mobile Number Portability  
 Date: 14 October 2005  
 Mentor: Mladen Kos

Author: Goranka Zorić  
 Title: Automatic lip synchronization by speech signal analysis  
 Date: 21 October 2005  
 Mentor: Igor S. Pandžić

Author: GORAN KOŠARIĆ  
 Title: Public transport network for broadband access  
 Date: 6 December 2005  
 Mentor: Mladen Tkalić

Author: HRVOJE KOMERIČKI  
 Title: Control of multimedia session parameters in UMTS network  
 Date: 20 December 2005  
 Mentor: Maja Matijašević

Author: ALISA DEVLJIĆ  
 Title: Semantic agents for location-aware service provisioning in mobile network  
 Date: 20 December 2005  
 Mentor: Gordan Ježić

Author: DANKO VILENDEČIĆ  
 Title: Session management emulator for networked virtual reality services in UMTS  
 Date: 16 January 2006  
 Mentor: Maja Matijašević

Author: JASNA MULABEGOVIĆ  
 Title: Function Testing of Software Modules in Telecommunications Systems  
 Date: 7 February 2006  
 Mentor: Marijan Kunštić

Author: DAVOR GALIĆ  
 Title: Protocol Support to the VPN services  
 Date: 19 May 2006  
 Mentor: Marijan Kunštić

Author: ANTO IVIĆ  
 Title: Customer care and billing system in function of telecommunication services quality management  
 Date: 19 May 2006  
 Mentor: Mladen Kos

Author: DRAŽEN MOKROVIĆ  
 Title: Distribution of broadband services in public access network  
 Date: 30 May 2006  
 Mentor: Mladen Tkalić

Author: TONČI IVANKOVIĆ  
 Title: Multimedia Multicast Communication in UMTS  
 Date: 2 June 2006  
 Mentor: Ignac Lovrek

Author: ALEN BULIĆ  
 Title: International Preference Call in Multiservice Network Implemented by BICC Protocol  
 Date: 10 July 2006  
 Mentor: Ignac Lovrek

Author: MIHAELA SMADILO  
 Title: Effectiveness assessment of using project management software in ICT projects  
 Date: 17 October 2006  
 Mentor: Željka Car

Author: NENAD DRAGUN  
 Title: Derivation of knowledge base from databases in telecommunication network management system  
 Date: 17 October 2006  
 Mentor: Marijan Kunštić

Author: TIHOMIR ALADROVIĆ  
 Title: Hierarchical Coding of Video Stream for Transmission in Lossy Channels  
 Date: 8 December 2006  
 Mentor: Mladen Kos

Author: DUŠAN BOGDANOVIĆ  
Title: WCDMA Network Tuning Based on Drop Call Analysis  
Date: 21 December 2006  
Mentor: Miljenko Mikuc

Author: NIKOLA RENDULIĆ  
Title: Modelling and analysis of software testing process compatible with quality assurance standard  
Date: 26 January 2007  
Mentor: Željka Car

Author: GORAN ĐAMBIĆ  
Title: Analysis of protocols for wavelength-based multiple access in optical networks  
Date: 16 February 2007  
Mentor: Alen Bažant

Author: IRENA JURDANA  
Title: Modelling and availability analysis of optical fibre transmission network  
Date: 6 March 2007  
Mentor: Branko Mikac

Author: NIKOLA MUSA  
Title: Analyses and Application of Distributed IP Traffic Forwarding Models in Broadband Local Area Networks  
Date: 11 June 2007  
Mentor: Mladen Kos

Author: PETRA SVOBODA  
Title: Tailoring Software Development Methodology to Collaborative Database Design Model  
Date: 9 July 2007  
Mentor: Željka Car

Author: JURE NIŽIĆ  
Title: Software Agent for enabling Interoperability in School Software Systems  
Date: 5 October 2007  
Mentor: Željka Car

Author: MATIJA MIĆIN  
Title: Interoperability of Distributed Systems based on Publish-Subscribe Scheme  
Date: 5 October 2007  
Mentor: Ignac Lovrek



## 5.8. Department of Electronic Systems and Information Processing

### Faculty and staff

#### ▼ Professors

**Hrvoje Babić** - member of the Croatian Academy of Science and Arts, professor emeritus

**Branko Jeren** - network and system theory, signal processing

**Sven Lončarić** - signal and image processing, computer vision, intelligent systems

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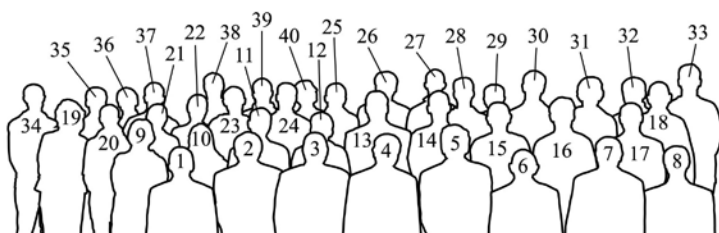
**Stanko Tonković** - electronic instrumentation and measurements, biomedical engineering

**Ante Šantić** - professor emeritus



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1 Ratko Magjarević, 2 Branko Jeren, 3 Zoran Stare, 4 Vladimir Naglič, 5 Neven Mijat, 6 Hrvoje Babić, 7 Stanko Tonković, 8 Mario Cifrek, 9 Nevenka Šukurma, 10 Jasmina Zorko, 11 Igor Lacković, 12 Davor Petrinović, 13 Dražen Jurišić, 14 Sven Lončarić, 15 Damir Seršić, 16 Mladen Vučić, 17 Vedran Bilas, 18 Darko Vasić, 19 Aleksandra Cesarik, 20 Nikolina Volf, 21 Ana Sović, 22 Željka Lučev, 23 Josip Mihel, 24 Ognjen Krkač, 25 Tomislav Pribanić, 26 Mile Šikić, 27 Krešimir Šikić, 28 Hrvoje Kalinić, 29 Silvio Svečnjak, 30 Goran Molnar, 31 Marijan Kuri, 32 Ivo Majić, 33 Hrvoje Džapo, 34 Boris Šnajder, 35 Zvonko Kostanjcar, 36 Tihomir Marjanović, 37 Goran Horak, 38 Andro Bačan, 39 Marko Subašić, 40 Ivan Dokmanić



### ▼ Associate professors

**Vedran Bilas** - electronic instrumentation and measurements, biomedical engineering

**Mario Cifrek** - electronic instrumentation and measurements, biomedical engineering

**Davor Petrinović** - digital signal and speech analysis and processing

**Damir Seršić** – digital signal and image processing

**Zoran Stare** - electronic instrumentation and measurements, biomedical engineering

**Mladen Vučić** - analogue and digital signal processing, digital system design

### ▼ Assistant professors

**Dražen Jurišić** – analog signal processing and filtering

**Igor Lacković** - electronic instrumentation and measurements, biomedical engineering

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**Tomislav Pribanić**

**Mile Šikić**



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**Hrvoje Bogunović**

**Goran Horak**

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**Zvonko Kostanjčar**

**Vjekoslav Levačić**

**Tihomir Marjanović**

**Goran Molnar**

**Tomislav Petković**

**Ana Sović**

**Siniša Sovilj**

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**Krešimir Šikić**

**Darko Vasić**

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**Andro Bačan**

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**Tihomir Katić**

**Ognjen Krkač**

**Željka Lučev**

**Ivo Majić**

**Ivica Medved**

**Josip Mihel**

**Saša Mrvoš**

**Predrag Pale**

**Silvio Svečnjak**

**Boris Šnajder**

**Ivica Vukoja**

### ▼ Administrative staff

**Jasmina Zorko**

**Aleksandra Cesarik**

**Nikolina Volf**

### ▼ Lab support

**Marijan Kuri**

## Educational activities

Electronic measurement and instrumentation. Measurement systems. Transducers and sensors. Smart sensor systems. Electronic equipment design. Computerized instrumentation. Biomedical engineering and electronics. Biomedical informatics. Computers in medicine. ICT in health care and medicine. Signal and systems theory. Network theory. Digital signal processing. Digital speech processing. Systems for signal processing. Linear and nonlinear electric networks. Telemetry systems. Electrical filters. Numerical methods in electric network and systems design. Embedded system design. Advanced tools for

digital system design. Data multimedia transmission and computer networks. Digital image processing. Neural networks. Random processes in systems. Entrepreneurship for engineers.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses:

- Electrical circuits
- Embedded Systems
- Signals and systems
- Biomedical electronics
- Design and manufacturing of electronic equipment
- Digital signal processing
- Electronic instrumentation
- Electronic measurement and components
- Electronic measurements and instrumentation
- Embedded system design
- Filters and filter amplifiers
- Network and transmission line theory
- Random processes in systems
- Systems for process control
- Stochastic Processes in Systems
- Transmission and telemetry systems

### ▼ Elective courses

- Advanced methods of digital signal processing
- Advanced tools for digital system design
- Automated instrumentation
- Biomedical informatics
- Design of intelligent measurement systems
- Digital image processing
- Digital speech processing
- Industrial measurement systems
- Integration of computer and telephone services
- Introduction to high-technology entrepreneurship
- Multimedia data transfer and computer networks
- Multisensor systems and locomotion
- Neural networks
- Selected topics of biomedical engineering
- Software design for measurement and control systems
- Switched capacitor circuits
- Transducers in measurement systems

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Biomechanical and neurophysiological mechanisms
- Digital image analysis
- Digital signal processing and applications
- Digital signal processor architectures
- Digital simulation in real time
- Digital speech processing
- Electrical filters - selected topics

- Graphs and networks
- Instrumentation in environmental control
- Measurement and analysis of stochastic processes
- Measuring amplifiers
- Medical instrumentation for 2-D imaging
- Multisensor biomonitoring systems
- Multimedia data transfer and computer networks
- Multisensor systems and locomotion
- Neural networks
- Nonlinear systems
- Selected topics on digital image processing
- Signal theory
- Switched capacitor circuits
- Systems for measurement nonelectrical values
- Use of computers in medicine

### Research and development

Analogue and digital signal processing in different fields. Digital multi-channel instrumentation systems. Intelligent electronic instrumentation. Pulsed eddy current nondestructive measurement. Distributed systems for analog and mixed signal processing. Design of analog active filters with low sensitivity, low power, low noise and tuneability of filter parameters. Embedded systems. Digital system design. Speech processing. Adaptive multidimensional signal processing. Digital image processing. Computer vision. Intelligent systems for 3-D medical image analysis. 3-D volume visualisation. Virtual reality and applications in medicine, geography, and education. Information systems and technologies. Computer networks and multimedia. Numerical methods in electrical network and filter design. Biomedical instrumentation design. Bioelectric signal analysis. Bioelectrical impedance measurement and modeling. Bioelectromagnetics. Biomonitoring. Non-invasive and minimally invasive measurement methods and instrumentation in medicine. Electrical stimulation and cardiac pacing. Human motion and gait analysis. Diffuse infrared biotelemetry. Health technology assessment. Standardisation and safety of electromedical equipment.

### ▼ Projects

**Noninvasive Measurements and Procedures in Biomedicine** (Project 036-0362979-1554, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Stanko Tonković)

**Intelligent systems for measurement of difficult-to-measure variables** (Project 036-0362979-1625, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Vedran Bilas)

**Complex System Modelling** (Project 036-0362979-1987, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Branko Jeren)

**Intelligent methods for image processing and analysis** (Project 036-0362979-1989, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Sven Lončarić)

**Systems for Analog and Mixed Signal Processing** (Project 036-0362979-2316, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Neven Mijat)

**Design and implementation of efficient methods for digital signal processing** (Project 036-0362979-2217, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Mladen Vučić)

**Distributed System for Analog and Mixed Signal Processing** (Project 0036003, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Neven Mijat)

**Noninvasive Measurements and Technologies in Biomedicine** (Project 0036007, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Stanko Tonković)

**Systems and Algorithms for Signal and Image Processing** (Project 0036028, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Branko Jeren)

**Analog and Digital System Design Based on Optimization Procedures** (Project 0036029, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Mladen Vučić)

**Digital Speech Processing in Contemporary Information Technologies** (Project 0036054, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Davor Petrinović)

**Intelligent Multidimensional Image Processing and Analysis** (Project 0036058, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Sven Lončarić)

**Electronic Instrumentation for Harsh Environment** (Project 0036061, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Vedran Bilas)

**Minimally Invasive Measurements and Technologies in Biomedicine – Program 0362979** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Stanko Tonković)

**Crypto Phone for Fixed Telephony** (Technological Project E51/2005, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Stanko Tonković)

**Numerical modeling of electric and thermal behaviour of tissue during electrochemotherapy and electrogene therapy** (Bilateral Croatian-

Slovenian research project, Principal investigator: prof.dr.sc. Ratko Magjarević, 2005-2006)

**Electrophysiology of anticipation and learning process: Processing of cognitive EXG potentials** (Bilateral Croatian-Macedonian research project, Principal investigator: prof.dr.sc. Ratko Magjarević, 2005-2006)

**Numerical modeling of electric field distribution in electrochemotherapy and electro gene therapy of deep tissue** (Bilateral Croatian-Slovenian research project, Principal investigator: prof.dr.sc. Ratko Magjarević, 2007-2008).

**Intelligent Instrumentation for Home Health Monitoring**, (Bilateral Croatian-Hungarian research project, Principal investigator: prof.dr.sc. Ratko Magjarević, 2007-2008)

**Wireless Sensor Network of an Intelligent Building**, (Siemens, Project leader: Vedran Bilas)

**General Purpose Telemetry Platform** (Siemens, Project leader: Vedran Bilas)

**Multiphase Flow Sensors** (Hotwell Austria, Project leader: Vedran Bilas)

**Through-Casing Formation Conductivity Measurement** (Hotwell Austria, Project leader: Vedran Bilas)

**Production Logging Instrumentation** (Hotwell Austria, Project leader: Vedran Bilas)

**An integrated, model based, approach for the quantification of cardiac function based on cardiac imaging.** (The National Foundation for Science, Higher Education and Technological Development of the Republic of Croatia, FER project coordinator: prof. dr.sc. Sven Lončarić)

**Functional X-ray Neuro Imaging** (Philips Medical Systems, Netherlands, Project leader: Sven Lončarić)

**Face Image Validation System** (Siemens dd, Project leader: Sven Lončarić)

**Physiological Modelling of MR Image Formation** (COST Action B21, Croatian Coordinator:)

**Medical Imaging & Medical Information Processing** (CEEPUS project CII-AT-0042-02-0607 Croatian coordinator: prof. dr.sc. Sven Lončarić)

**Medical Imaging & Medical Information Processing** (CEEPUS project CII-AT-0042-03-0708 Croatian coordinator: prof. dr.sc. Sven Lončarić)

**Access Control System Technical Analysis** (Ministry of Defence, Project Leader: Krešimir Šikić)

**CARNet Centre for Computer Security** (CARNet – Croatian Academic and Research Network, Project Leader: Tihomir Katić)

**Hoax recognizer** (CARNet, Project Leader: Mile Šikić)

**Electrical power infrastructure design of the Ministry of Justice** (Ministry of Justice, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Electrical power infrastructure design of Faculty of Kinesiology** (CARNet, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Linux e-learning course for the Information Systems and Information technologies support Agency – APIS IT** (APIS, Leader: Srđan Pajić)

**Local Area Network of the Faculty of Graphic Arts** (CARNet, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of Centar Banka** (Centar Banka, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of Croatian Motorways** (Croatian Motorways, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of the Ministry of Justice** (Ministry of Justice, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of the Privredna banka Zagreb** (Privredna banka Zagreb member of Intesa SanPaolo group, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of the Rectorate of the University of Zagreb** (University of Zagreb, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of the Rectorate of Student Centre** (CARNet, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Local Area Network of Škola narodnog zdravlja “Andrija Štampar”** (CARNet, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Network traffic monitoring and forensic analysis** (Croatian National Bank, Project Leader: Tihomir Katić)

**Software development consulting for Croatian National Institute of Public Health** (Croatian National Institute of Public Health, Project Leader: Krešimir Šikić)

**System room for FINA - Financial Agency** (FINA, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Teleconferencing system for communication with schools on islands** (CARNet, Project Leader: Ivica Medved)

**Teleconferencing Room of the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture** (CARNet, Project Leader: Damir Seršić)

**Teleconferencing Room of Polytechnic Lavoslav Ružička in Vukovar** (CARNet, Project Leader: Damir Seršić)

**Vulnerability Scanning for the CARNet** (CARNet, Project Leader: Tihomir Katić)

**WideAreaNetworkofHrvatskaelektroprivreda – HEP** (HEP, Project Leader: Krešimir Šikić)



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- Automation of plants and processes
- Computers and processes
- Digital and nonlinear control systems
- Digital computers I
- Digital computers II
- Digital control systems
- Elements of process automation
- Fundamentals of robotics
- Introduction to digital computers
- Modelling and simulation
- Nonlinear and optimal control systems
- Process modelling and simulation
- Remote and distributed control systems
- Servo systems

### ▼ Elective courses

- Adaptive and optimal control of the systems
- Adaptive and robust control
- Automation of biotechnological processes
- Automation of ship processes
- Flexible manufacturing systems

- Intelligent control systems
- Mobile robotics
- Open computing
- Optimisation of system parameters
- Process identification
- Process measurements
- Project management
- Software engineering - selected topics

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Adaptive and optimal control of the systems
- Adaptive and robust control - selected topics
- Applied Estimation Techniques
- Control of autonomous systems
- Control of discrete event systems
- Control of robotised plants
- Design of multivariable control systems
- Digital servo systems
- Flight objects guidance and control
- History of electrical engineering
- Intelligent control systems
- Intelligent measuring systems in process automation
- Intelligent manufacturing systems
- Mathematical modelling of electric power systems
- Microcomputers
- Model reference adaptive control
- Modelling and simulation using computers
- Multimedia computer systems
- Nonlinear control systems
- Process automation - selected topics
- Project management
- Software engineering - selected topics
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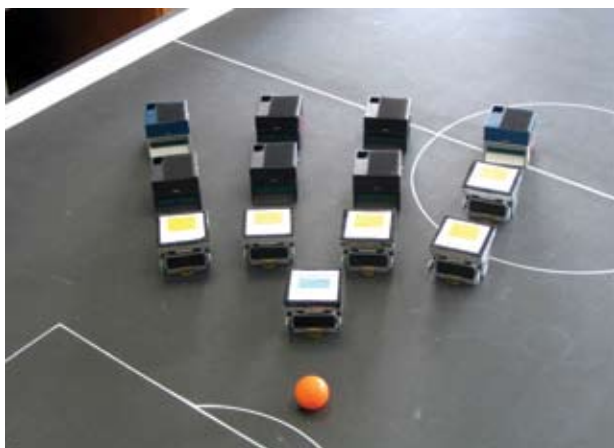
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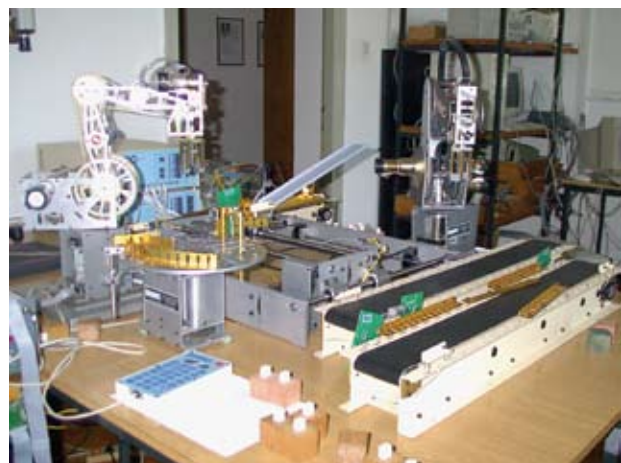
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**Darko Gašparović**

## Educational activities

Acoustics: physical acoustics, hearing acoustics, speech and musical acoustics, speech recognition, architectural and building acoustics, control of noise and vibrations, infrasound and ultrasound in industry and medicine, prediction and measurement of noise pollution, audiology and audiometry, analysis and synthesis of speech and music, acoustical measurements.

Electroacoustics: electro-mechano-acoustical analogies, microphones, loudspeakers and enclosures, headphones, analogue and digital sound recording and reproduction, sound reinforcement in closed and open spaces, audio and data signal processing, sound systems, audio measurements.



Multimedia communications: digital audio broadcasting, radio receiver techniques, communication receivers and measurements, surround sound, multichannel recording and reproduction, movie and TV sound, Internet audio, broadband transmission of sound with GSM, sound broadcasting systems and facilities.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Acoustic signals and systems
- Audio electronics
- Digital audiotecchnique
- Electroacoustics
- Receivers

### ▼ Elective courses

- Acoustics of speech and music
- Architectural acoustics
- Digital processing of music and speech
- Noise and vibration
- Professional audio equipment
- Psychoacoustics
- Sound systems and loudspeakers
- Ultrasound and hydroacoustics

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Audio Forensics
- Audiocommunications
- Acoustical Design
- Electroacoustical measurements
- Electroacoustical transducers and systems
- Hearing Acoustics
- Noise and vibration
- Receiver techniques in digital transmission
- Sound in architecture
- Sound in Multimedia Systems
- The technology of acoustic space
- Ultrasonic Systems

## Research and development

Investigation of problems in acoustics, electroacoustics and audiotecchnics. Physical and physiological acoustics, surface acoustics waves, acoustical optics, hearing, speech intelligibility, audiology and audiometry, radiation of sound, architectural acoustics, problems of noise and noise control, hydroacoustics, ultrasound applications in medicine, pharmacy and industry, control rooms, sound studios and public address systems. Techniques of high fidelity, sound reproduction systems, analogue and digital processing of sound, audio amplifiers. Problems

of communication, consumer receivers and receiver system planning. Digital audio signal processing in radiocommunications. Digital audio transmission and receiving. Engineering of components, equipment and systems in audio and radio receivers and radio broadcasting. Psychoacoustical models of the hearing process and their application in the recording, transmission, editing and reproducing of audio signal. Sound processing in multimedia. Development and measurement of acoustical components, equipment and spaces. Measurement and estimation of sound quality.

## ▼ Projects

**Processing and Evaluation of Acoustical Signals in Communications** (Project 0036011, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Branko Somek, 2002-2006)

**Influence of high energy ultrasound on tissue** (Project 0036023, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Bojan Ivančević, 2002-2006)

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**Acoustic characteristics of composite elements in civil engineering** (Project 036-0821504-2319, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Kristian Jambrošić, 2007-2012)

**Acoustic design and sound reinforcement project of two halls** (Hotel Mogorjelo, Project leader: Bojan Ivančević)

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**Acoustical design for two control rooms and a studio** (Radio Rovinj, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)

**Acoustical design and noise control of three multimedia auditoriums** (Ministry of Foreign Affairs and European Integration, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)

**Noise control** (Data centre Republic of Croatia State Geodetic Administration, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)

**Acoustical design of school's Concert hall** (Josip Hatze Music school Split, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)

**Acoustical design and noise control for main studio and 3 control rooms** (AVA Television Production, Zagreb, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)



**Acoustical design for Studio Bajsić** (Croatian Radiotelevision, Zagreb, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)

**Acoustical design for rehearsal spaces** (Academy of Musics, Zagreb, Project leader: Hrvoje Domitrović)

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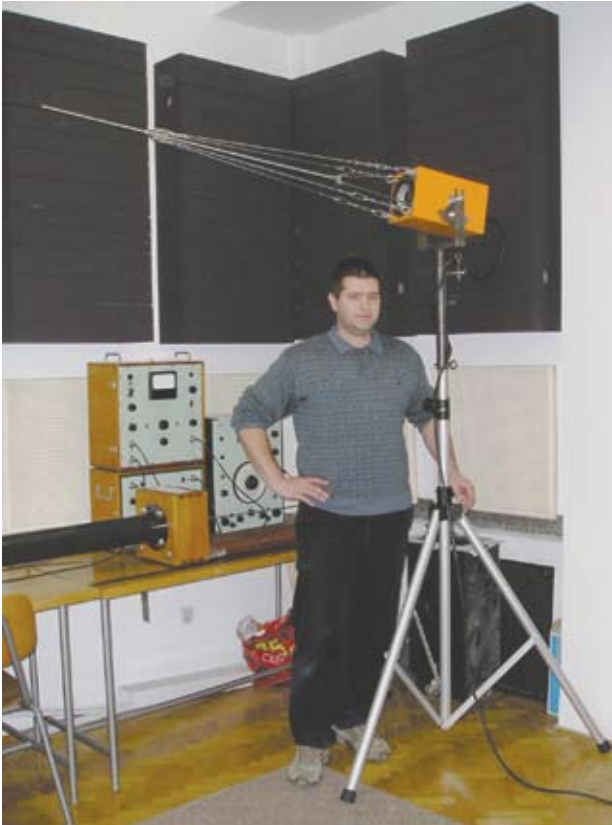
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 European Acoustical Society (EAA), Madrid, Spain  
 International Institute for Acoustics and Vibration (IIAV), USA  
 Acoustical Society of America (ASA), New York, USA  
 Austrian Acoustics Association (AAA), Vienna, Austria  
 DEGA, University of Oldenburg, Germany  
 Slovenian Acoustical Society (SAS), Ljubljana, Slovenia  
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## Doctor of science degree

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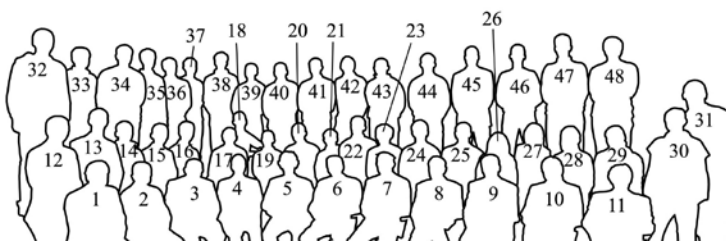
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**Željko Butković** – electronic devices and circuits, microelectronic analog and digital circuits, CAD in microelectronics

**Vlado Glavinić** – digital systems, computer networks, Semantic Web, user interfaces, e-learning systems

**Uroš Peruško** – retired, distinguished professor

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**Siniša Srblijić** – Web computing; widget programming and composition; end-user programming; service-oriented computing; programming language translation; programming language and compiler design; theory of computing.

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**Adrijan Barić** - electronic devices and circuits, high speed integrated circuits, chip interconnect, modelling of passive and active devices

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**Domagoj Jakobović** – evolutionary computation, parallel and distributed computation

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**Igor Krois** – analog design

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## Educational activities

Electronic devices. Analogue electronics. Microelectronic technology, devices and circuits. Microelectronic standard circuits, ASIC and SoC design. Computer-based circuit analysis. Integrated circuit physical design and verification. Digital electronics. Digital logic design. Digital systems design. Data store design. Arithmetic circuit design. Computer architecture and organisation. Multiprocessor and parallel systems. Distributed systems. Digital control. Operating systems. Software architectures. Real-time systems. Computer and communication networks. Internet technologies. Programming language translation. Programming language and compiler design. Computer system evaluation. Computer graphics. Computer animation. Office automation. Object oriented system design. Automata theory. Pattern recognition. Biometrics. Computer vision. Expert systems. Intelligent systems. Data mining. User interfaces. Formal methods in system design. Fuzzy logic. Neural networks. Genetic algorithms. Parallel programming in distributed systems. Evolutionary algorithms. Information system security. Software engineering and design. Web computing. Theory of computing.

### Core undergraduate courses

- Automata, formal languages, and compiler design I
- Automata, formal languages, and compiler design II
- Communication networks (FER-2)
- Computer aided analysis and design
- Computer architecture and organisation
- Computer networks
- Digital electronics
- Digital logic
- Digital system design
- Electronics I
- Electronics II
- Electronics 1 (FER2)
- Electronics 2 (FER2)
- Formal methods in the design of computing systems
- Fundamentals of microelectronics
- Intelligent systems
- Introduction to theory of computation
- Microelectronic circuits
- Operating systems
- Programming language translation.

### Elective courses

- Analog integrated circuits
- Advanced microelectronic structures
- Chips of ultra high complexity

- Compiler technology for parallel computer systems
- Computer animation.
- Computer architecture CISC and RISC
- Computer graphics
- Design of CMOS microprocessor circuits
- Expert systems techniques
- Fuzzy, evolutionary and neuro-computing
- GaAs and heterostructure semiconductor devices
- Machine learning
- Memory systems
- Open office systems
- Operating systems II
- Optimising compilers
- Parallel programming
- Pattern recognition
- Physical design of integrated circuits
- Real-time systems
- Reliable and fault-tolerant digital systems
- User interfaces and interactive systems design

### Postgraduate courses

- Advanced and intelligent networking technologies
- Algorithms in control systems
- Biometric-based Security Systems
- Compiler technology for distributed computer systems
- Computer and robot vision
- Computer architecture CISC and RISC
- Computer graphics
- Computer systems evaluation
- Computer system security
- Custom design of VLSI/ULSI circuits
- Distributed computing systems
- Dynamic Scene Analysis
- GaAs and heterostructure semiconductor devices
- High speed integrated circuits
- Human computer interaction
- Knowledge discovery in data sets
- Knowledge representation in information systems
- Memory circuits and systems
- Methods for object-oriented system design
- Microelectronic circuits design
- Microelectronics of computing and communicating systems
- Multiprocessors and parallel systems
- Network computer systems
- Processes in distributed computing systems
- Programming language translation in distributed computing systems
- Programmable logic circuits
- Reliability and fault-tolerance of computer systems
- Robot and Computer Vision.
- Statistical models for data mining

- Storage systems
- System-on-Chip (SoC)
- Visualization methods.

## Research and development

### ▼ Electronics & microelectronics

Semiconductor material applications in non-standard fields. New semiconductor heating elements and temperature sensors. Modern homojunction and heterojunction transistor structures. New horizontal current bipolar transistor (HCBT). Development of semiconductor device models. Modelling of passive devices. Development of simulation methods and their application in microelectronics. Development of topology design methods for VLSI/ULSI circuits. Analysis and design of bipolar, CMOS, BiCMOS and GaAs analogue and digital integrated circuits. Physical layout and verification of microprocessor integrated circuits. On chip DC and RF measurements.

### ▼ Computing

Digital system design. Computer systems hardware and software co-design and development. Investigation and application of formal methods in the design of computing systems. Software and hardware reliability. Embedded systems. Distributed real-time systems. Large-scale systems. Dependable systems design and development. Network security. Computer system security. Computer graphics, animation, visualization and human-computer interaction. Adaptive scheduling systems in single computers, clusters and grids. Internet computing. Semantic Web and ontologies. Widget programming and composition. End-user programming. Service-oriented computing. Intelligent information systems. Mapping data to ontologies. Multi-agent systems. Computer vision. Pattern recognition. Biometrics. Expert and other



On chip transistor characterization

knowledge based systems. Machine learning. Data, text and signal mining. E-learning. Office automation.

### ▼ Projects

**ROBust mixed signal design methodologies for Smart Power ICs** (ROBUSPIC, FP6 project, European Commission, National coordinator: Adrijan Barić, 2003-2007)

FP6 Marie Curie International Incoming Fellowship **Advanced Vision-based Concurrent Mapping and Navigation (AviCMaL)**, project number 21532, jointly proposed by Axel Pinz and Siniša Šegvić, coordinated by Axel Pinz (TU Graz), 2006-2007.

**COST Action 2101 Biometrics for Identity Documents and Smart cards (BIDS)**, coordinator: Prof. dr. sc. Slobodan Ribarić; start: 1. Dec. 2006. end: 30. Nov. 2009.)

European project **BioSecure Network of Excellence (NoE)** is defined as project “**Biometrics for Secure Authentication**” (**BioSec**, coordinator: Prof. dr. sc. Slobodan Ribarić; start: 1. June 2005. end: 30. Sept. 2007.)

**AMI Semiconductor Research and Development Agreement** (AMI Semiconductor Belgium BVBA, Principal investigator: Adrijan Barić, 2007-2008 )

**A New Horizontal Current Bipolar Transistor (HCBT) for 0.18μm BiCMOS Integration** (Asahi Kasei EMD Corp. Principal investigator: Tomislav Suligoj, 2006-)

**Knowledge discovery and visualization of textual data** (Croatian-French research project, program COGITO, coordinators: Bojana Dalbelo Bašić and Annie Morin, 2007-2008)

**Computer-aided document indexing for accessing legislation** (KRO/009/006, Croatian-Flemish project, coordinators: Bojana Dalbelo Bašić and Marie-Francine Moens, 2007-2009)

Croatian – Chinese Scientific and Technological Project **Fuzzy Knowledge Representation and Reasoning for Multi-agent Systems** (project leader: Prof. dr. sc. Slobodan Ribarić; start: 1. January 2006. end: 30. December 2007.).

Bilateral Croatian-Slovenian **Multimodal Biometric Verification System (VMS)**, project leader: Prof. dr. sc. Slobodan Ribarić; start: 1. January 2006. end: 30. December 2007.).

**Measurements and Modeling of Signal Integrity in Mixed-Signal Integrated Circuits** (National Foundation for Science, Higher Education and Technological Development of the Republic of Croatia, Principal investigators: Branimir Pejčinović and Adrijan Barić, 2006-2007)

**Semiconductor Device Modeling and High-Speed Circuit Design** (Project 0036027, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Adrijan Barić, 2002-2006)

**Signal Integrity of Mixed-Signal Integrated Circuits** (Project 036-0361621-1622, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Adrijan Barić, 2007- 2009)

**Sophisticated Semiconductor Structures for Communication Technology** ( Project 036-1642, Ministry of Science, Education Sports of the Republic of Croatia, Principal Investigator: Petar Biljanović, 2007.-2009.)

**Nanometric electron devices and circuit applications** (Project 036 – 0361566 – 1567 Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Tomislav Suligoj, 2007-2009)

**Knowledge discovery in textual data** (036-1300646-1986, Croatian Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, principal investigator: Bojana Dalbelo Bašić, 2007-20009)

**Automatic document indexing with descriptors from Eurovoc** (Croatian Information, Documentation and Referral Agency (HIDRA) and Institute of Linguistics, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Zagreb, Principal investigator: Bojana Dalbelo Bašić, 2005-2007)

**Semantic Web as Information Infrastructure Enabler** (Project 0036033, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Vlado Glavinić, 2002-2006)

**Universal Middleware Platform for e-Learning Systems** (Project 036-0361994-1995, Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Vlado Glavinić, 2007-2009)

**Intelligent Support to Omnipresence of e-Learning** (Program 0361994, Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Republic of Croatia, Program coordinator: Vlado Glavinić, 2007-2009)

**Multi-Agent Systems for Dynamic Scene Interpretation (0036025 - MAS for Dynamic Scene Interpretation**, project leader Prof. dr. sc. Slobodan Ribarić; start: 1. Dec. 2002. end: 30. Nov. 2006.):

**Autonomy-Oriented Computing Structures (AOC – 036 –0361935-1954**, project leader Prof. dr. sc. Slobodan Ribarić; start: 1. Dec. 2006. end: 30. Nov. 2009.)

**System for Object State Diagnostic Based on Multispectral Image Analysis** (TP-036 principal investigator Prof. dr. sc. S. Ribarić, start: June 2004. end June 2006.)

**Design Environments for Embedded Systems** (Project 036-0362980-1929, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Daniel Gajski, 2007-2009)

**Distributed Embedded Computer Systems** (Scientific project 0036051, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Leo Budin, 2002-2006)

**Distributed Systems, Methods, and Applications** (Scientific program 036-0362980, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Siniša Srblijić, 2007-2009)

**Computing Environments for Ubiquitous Distributed Systems** (Scientific project 036-0362980-1921, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Principal investigator: Siniša Srblijić, 2007-2009)

**Wrapper of Public Information System Mediator** (Project TP-01/036-29, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Republic of Croatia, Part of national CroGrid technological multi-project, Project leader: Siniša Srblijić, 2003-2007)

**Middleware Architecture in New Generation Networks** (ERICSSON Nikola Tesla dd. Zagreb, Project leader: Siniša Srblijić, 2000-present)

**Internet Key Exchange ver. 2** (Siemens d.d., Project Leader: Vlado Glavinić)

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Srblijić, Siniša. **Programming language translation** (Prevođenje programskih jezika) / Elezović, Neven (ed.). Zagreb : Element, 1st ed., 2007., (in Croatian)

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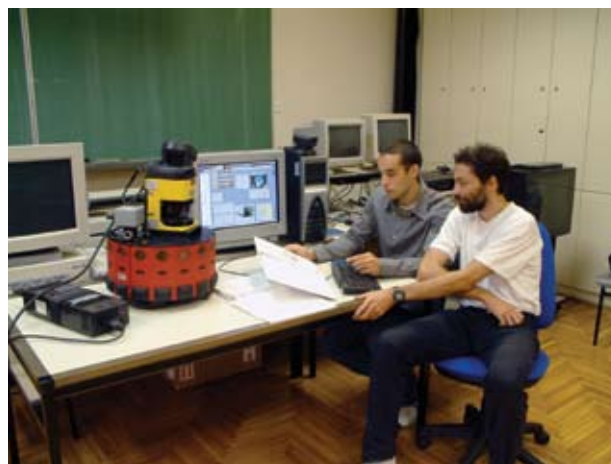
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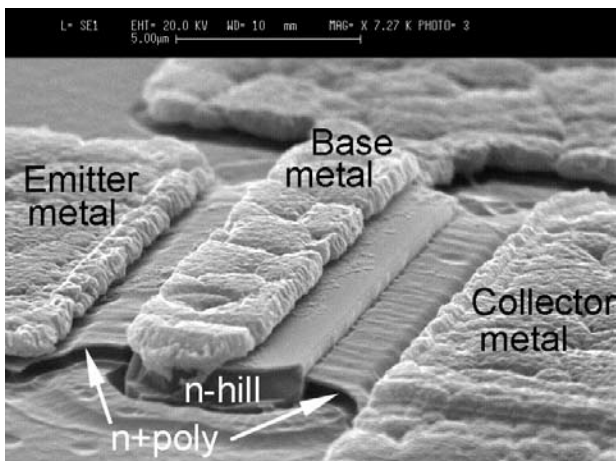
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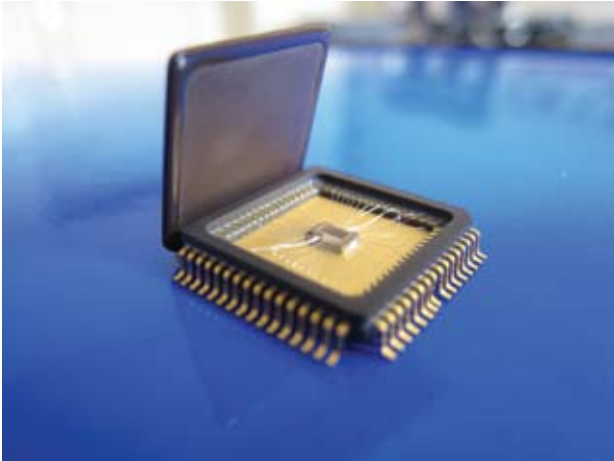
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## Doctor of science degree

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**Author:** IVAN JANEŠ  
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**Mentor:** Marin Golub

**Author:** JOSIP KRAPAC  
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**Date:** 27 March 2007  
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**Date:** 10 May 2007  
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**Author:** DANIEL SKROBO  
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## 5.12. Department of Wireless Communications

### Faculty and staff

#### ▼ Professors

**Juraj Bartolić** - electromagnetic wave theory, microwave engineering, antennas and propagation, smart antennas, remote sensing, EMC

**Sonja Grgić** - video signal processing and communications, picture quality assessment, digital television broadcasting

**Boris Kviz**, retired, distinguished professor - optical communication systems, radiotelemetry, radiolocation and navigation

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**Branka Zovko-Cihlar**, retired, distinguished professor - television, video signal generation, processing and transmission, multimedia communications, noise in radio communications

### ▼ Associate professors

**Davor Bonefačić** - microwave engineering, active antennas, radar systems

**Mislav Grgić** - digital video communications, Internet communications, face recognition

**Silvio Hrabar** - electromagnetic wave theory, application of microwaves, antennas, optoelectronic circuits

**Tomislav Kos** - radio positioning and navigation, television, cable television systems, broadband networks

**Krešimir Malarić** - electromagnetic wave theory, microwave communications, satellite communications, EMC, biomedical effects of electromagnetic fields

**Dina Šimunić** - biomedical effects of electromagnetic fields, microwave communications

**Zvonimir Šipuš** - optical communication systems, computational electromagnetics, antennas

### ▼ Assistants

**Ninoslav Majurec**, left on September 2005

**Antonio Šarolić**, left on December 2005

**Gordan Šišul**

**Radovan Zentner**, temporarily left on 31 December 2004

**Mario Cvitković**, started on 16 September 2006

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**Emil Dumić**

**Branimir Ivšić**

**Tin Komljenović**

**Mario Muštra**

**Siniša Škokić**

**Damir Zrno**

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**Josipa Tanja Baček**

### ▼ Lab support

**Damir Petričević**

## Educational activities

Active Antennas, Advanced Electromagnetic Engineering, Antennas, Application of Microwaves in Industry and Science, Biomedical Effects of Electromagnetic Fields, Broadband Networks for Television Signal Distribution, Digital Television, Digital Video Communications, Frequency and Signal Synthesis, Microwave Communications, Microwave Engineering, Microwave Measurements, Microwave Receivers, Microwave Semiconductor Electronics, Mobile Communication, Modulation Methods, Modulations and Modulators, Noise Analysis in Communication System, Noise in Radio Communications, Numerical Analysis of Antennas and Guiding Structures, Optical Communication Systems, Optical Communications, Optical Sensors and Components, Optoelectronic Circuits, Packet Radiocommunications, Picture Quality in Digital Video Communications, Protection of Radiocommunication Systems, Radar Systems, Radio Positioning and Navigation, Radio Communication System Fundamentals, Radio Communication Systems, Radio-Frequency Amplifier Design, Radio Frequency Electronics, Satellite Communications, Spread Spectrum Systems, Television, Theory of Communication Systems, Theory of Electromagnetic Waves, Wireless Circuits Design.

### ▼ Core undergraduate courses

- Antennas
- Digital video communications
- Microwave communications
- Microwave engineering
- Modulations and modulators
- Optical communication systems
- Optoelectronic circuits
- Radiocommunication system fundamentals
- Radiofrequency electronics
- Television
- Theory of electromagnetic waves

### ▼ Elective courses

- Application of microwaves in industry and science
- Digital television
- Electronic surveillance, electronic countermeasures and counter-countermeasures
- Frequency and signal synthesis
- Microwave receivers
- Mobile communication
- Mobile systems planning
- Noise analysis in communication system
- Numerical analysis of antennas and guiding structures



- Optical communication networks
- Packet radiocommunications
- Protection of radiocommunication systems
- Radar systems
- Radio positioning and navigation
- Radiocommunication multimedia services
- Remote sensing

### ▼ Postgraduate courses

- Active antennas
- Advanced electromagnetic engineering
- Biomedical effects of electromagnetic fields
- Broadband networks for television signal distribution
- Communications for multimedia services
- Digital television
- Electronic tracking systems
- Frequency and signal synthesis
- Microwave instrumentation and measuring methods
- Microwave semiconductor electronics
- Modulation methods
- Multimedia content retrieval
- Navigation systems
- Noise in radiocommunications
- Optical communications
- Optical sensors and components
- Picture quality in digital video communications
- Radiocommunication systems
- Satellite communications
- Spread spectrum systems
- Technology of radiofrequency components
- Theory of communication systems
- Wireless circuits design

### Research and development

Smart antennas for communication and radar systems. Self-oscillating push-pull phased arrays of modified rectangular and circular patches with electronic beam scanning and quasi-optical power combining capabilities. Planar and quasi-planar small antennas for mobile base station and terminal applications. Numerical methods in electromagnetic wave scattering and antenna analysis. Conformal antennas - microstrip arrays on planar, cylindrical and spherical structures. Broadband microstrip radiating elements: stacked patch antennas on planar and cylindrical structures. Introduction of genetic algorithms into the analysis of complex antenna problems. Highly sensitive fully automatic phase noise measurement system. Land and satellite mobile radio communication spectrum efficiency. Electromagnetic compatibility of wireless systems.



**Electric field distribution of a typical GSM base station**

Multimedia communications and services. Digital image and video compression algorithms. Multimedia transmission over broadband and wireless networks. Quality of service for video communications. Subjective assessment of picture quality. The effect of bit errors and packet loss on compressed video. Variable bit rate video coding and quality control. Theoretical and experimental study of TEM and GTEM cells. Electromagnetic field measurements. Biomedical effects of electromagnetic fields. High precision RF and microwave measurements. Dosimetry and densitometry of electromagnetic fields. Soliton propagation in fibers. Numerical modelling of multilayer fibers. Meta-materials. Multi-frequency radar systems. Ionospheric and tropospheric propagation impact on satellite positioning performance.

### ▼ Projects

**ACE2 - Antenna Centre of Excellence** (FP6 - NoE, National coordinator: Juraj Bartolić)

**ESoA - The European School of Antennas** (Marie Curie Actions, National coordinator: Juraj Bartolić)

**ASSIST - Antenna Systems & Sensors for Information Society Technology** (COST Action IC 0603, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National coordinator: Juraj Bartolić)

**Innovative Antennas for Emerging Terrestrial and Space-based Applications** (Project COST 284, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National coordinator: Juraj Bartolić)

**Mitigation of Ionospheric Effects on Radio Systems** (COST Action 296, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National coordinator: Tomislav Kos)

**Optical Fibres for New Challenges Facing the Information Society** (COST Action 299, Cooperation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National coordinator: Zvonimir Šipuš)

**CEEPUS network CII-HU-0008-01-0607 - Telecommunication** (Institutional Coordinator Tomislav Kos)



**Electric field measurement of high power transmitters**

**Investigation of Backward-wave Metamaterials based on Anisotropic Plasma-like Structures** (Bilateral project between Croatia and Germany funded by Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst and Croatian Ministry of Science, Principal investigator: Silvio Hrabar, 2007-2010)

**Analysis of Curved Frequency Selective Surfaces** (Project FA8655-07-1-3018 – European Office of Aerospace Research and Development (EOARD), Principal investigator: Zvonimir Šipuš, 2007-2008)

**Luneberg Antenna for Multimedia on Train** (EUREKA Cluster project: PIDEA + EURIPIDES EUR-06-109 LAFMOT - European Commission, Ministry of Science and Technology, Republic of Croatia, Project coordinator: Zvonimir Šipuš, 2007-2010)

**Adaptive Antennas in Communication and Radar Systems** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Juraj Bartolić, 2002-2006)

**Applied Electromagnetics in Communication Technologies** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Zvonimir Šipuš, 2002-2006)

**Electromagnetic Compatibility - Environmental Impacts** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Borivoj Modlić, 2002-2006)

**GTEM-Cell Prototype Development** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Krešimir Malarić, 2002-2006)

**Independent Laboratory for Research and Students** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Dina Šimunić, 2002-2006)

**Multimedia Communication Systems** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Branka Zovko-Cihlar, 2002-2006)

**Research and Development Laboratory for Wireless Data Communications and Dosimetry** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Dina Šimunić, 2002-2006)

**Efficiency increase of wireless communications systems** (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Dina Šimunić, 2007-2009)

**Electromagnetic Compatibility - Environmental Protection**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Borivoj Modlić, 2007-2009)

**Electromagnetic effects and structures in communication systems**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Zvonimir Šipuš, 2007-2009)

**Electromagnetic Metamaterials and Nanoelectromagnetics**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Silvio Hrabar, 2007-2009)

**Environment for satellite positioning**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Tomislav Kos, 2007-2009)

**Intelligent Image Features Extraction in Knowledge Discovery Systems**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Mislav Grgić, 2007-2009)

**Laboratory for Electromagnetic compatibility and biological effects of electromagnetic fields**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Krešimir Malarić, 2007-2009)

**Multifunctional Antennas in Communication and Radar Systems**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Juraj Bartolić, 2007-2009)

**Picture Quality Management in Digital Video Broadcasting**, (Ministry of Science, Education and Sport, Principal investigator: Sonja Grgić, 2007-2009)

**SEE-ERA.NET Pilot Joint Call Development of Strategy and Methods for Monitoring of Electromagnetic Pollution in the Environment of the Western Balkans**

**Research for Increasing the Efficiency of Wireless Communication Systems** (Ministry of Science and Technology, Principal investigator: Dina Šimunić)

**Potential Health Implications from Mobile Communication Systems** (Project COST 281, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National co-ordinator: Dina Šimunić)

**GRAAL: Graphs and Algorithms in Communication Networks Publications** (Project COST 293, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National co-ordinator: Dina Šimunić)

**Participation in the Broadband Society** (Project COST 298, Co-operation in Science and Technology, European Commission, National co-ordinator: Dina Šimunić and Šandor Dembitz)

## Publications

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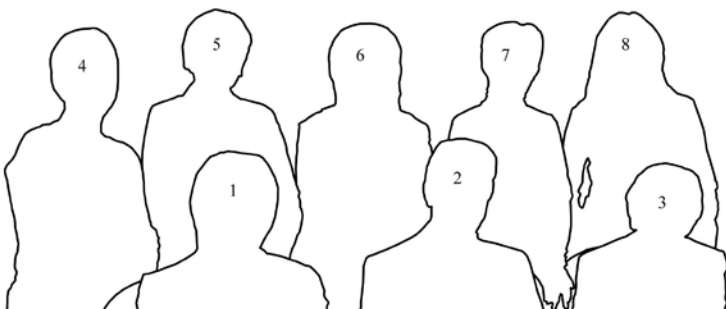
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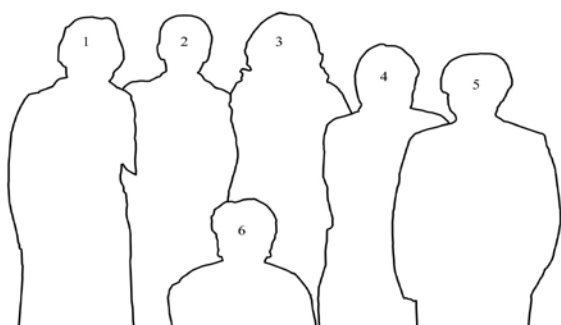
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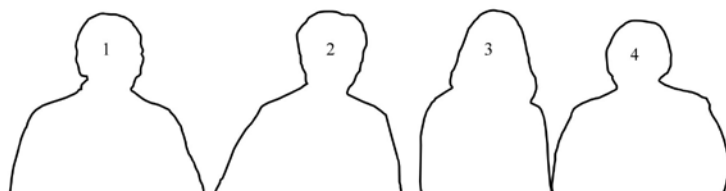
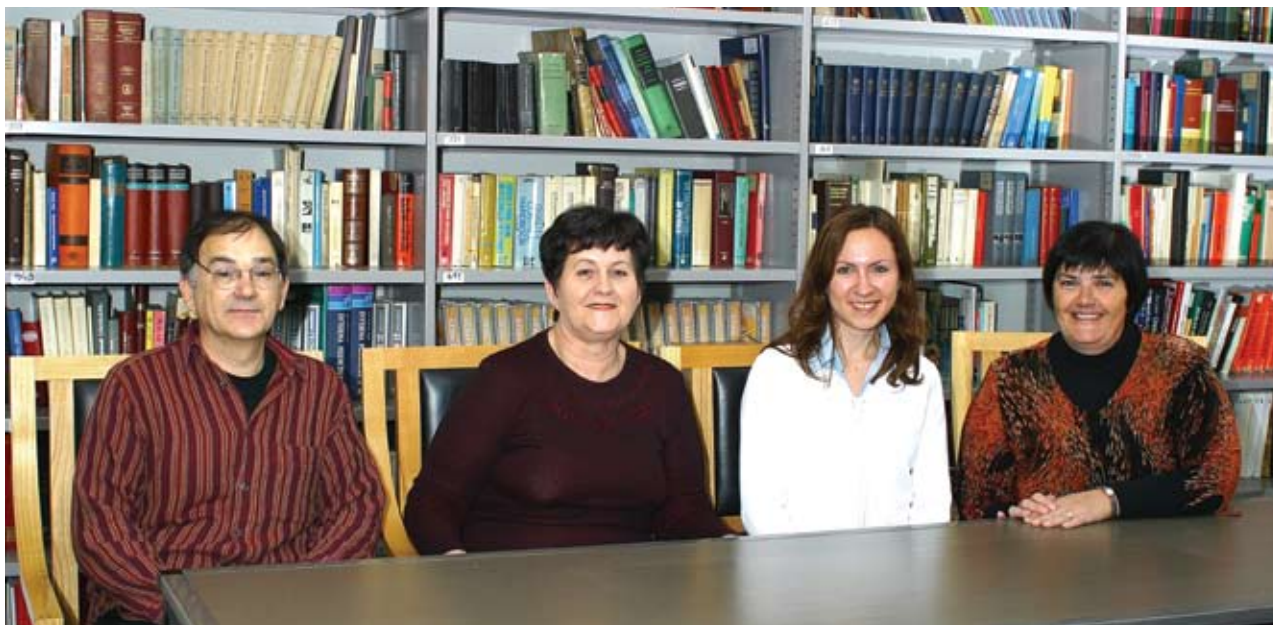
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