# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## PROFESSION

Engineer in the field of the radio signals and systems. Current research interests lie in the area of signal processing and digital communications with emphasis on multicarrier systems.

# EDUCATION.

Doctor of Philosophy in radio engineering, 1985. Moscow University of Radio Engineering, Electronics and Automatics. Thesis: Decentralized systems of synchronization. Engineer in the area of automatic control systems (diploma with honour), 1978. Moscow University of Aerospace Technology (Aviation Institute), Faculty of Automatic Control.

## **PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND.**

**1999- up to now**. Researcher, Senior Research scientist, Communications and Radio Laboratories, Helsinki University of Technology.

# **RESEARCH AREA**

• Statistical communication theory: theory of radio signals and systems; theory of multicarrier signals and systems; optimal control and filtering; nonlinear signal processing algorithms (including application of neural networks in signal processing), Fourier transform application in signal processing.

• Analysis of nonlinear effects in communication systems: theoretical characterization of nonlinear distortions in communication systems with the emphasis on multicarrier systems.

•Development of techniques for compensation for nonlinear effects in communication systems: peak-to-average power ratio reduction techniques; linearization techniques for power amplifiers; equalization methods for nonlinear radio channels.

## **CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECT**

"Bandwidth and power efficient OFDM-based communication systems".

The project is supported by Academy of Finland.

**1994-1998** Docent. Course: Radio circuits and signals. Moscow University of Radio Engineering, Electronics and Automatics, Faculty of Theoretical Foundations of Radio Engineering,

#### TEACHING

•Lectures as well as all kinds of studies in the area of theory of radio signals, theory of linear and nonlinear radio systems.

#### RESEARCH AREA.

•Development of algorithms of optimal nonlinear filtering in continuous-time radio systems.

• Fourier transform application for not absolutely integrable signals.

**1985-1994** Assistant Lecturer. Course: Radio circuits and signals. Moscow University of Radio Engineering, Electronics and Automatics, Faculty of Theoretical Foundations of Radio Engineering.

#### TEACHING

•Lectures as well as all kinds of studies in the area of theory of radio signals, theory of linear and nonlinear radio systems.

**1982-1985** Post-graduate student. Moscow University of Radio Engineering, Electronics and Automatics, Faculty of Theoretical Foundations of Radio Engineering.

1978-1982 Military Air Academy. Engineer-researcher.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

A reviewer of many international journals and conferences, a TPC member of IEEE ICC 2007,

**PERSONAL BACKGROUND**. Married, two sons - adults.