#### **CHRISTOS VEZYRTZIS**

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#### **Education**

• Columbia University, Fu Foundation School of Engineering & Applied Science, New York, NY

PhD candidate, Electrical Engineering

Jan. 2007 – present

Advisors: Prof. Yannis Tsividis and Prof. Steven Nowick (CS dept.)

**GPA: 4.0/4.0** 

• Columbia University, Fu Foundation School of Engineering & Applied Science, New York, NY

MSc in Electrical Engineering with concentration on Circuits & Electronics

Sep. 2006 – Dec. 2007

**GPA: 4.0/4.0** 

Courses: Adv. communication circuits, Advanced analog IC, MOS Transistors, Microwave circuits, Analog systems in VLSI, Digital Signal Processing, Embedded systems design, Advanced logic design, VLSI testing.

**Completed projects**: Receiver front-end design, Microwave LNA design, Pipeline ADC design, MPEG codec implementation on FPGA, Design and simulation of a floating-point adder in VHDL.

National Technical University of Athens, Athens, Greece

Sep. 2001- July 2006

Diploma in Electrical and Computer Engineering

GPA: 8.94/10.00

### Work & Teaching Experience

**Completed research projects** 

- o Ultra-low-voltage reference design (under supervision of Prof. Peter Kinget)
- o Processing of signals using level-crossing sampling
- o Direct processing of MPEG-encoding signals using companding

Teaching assistant Jan. 2008 – Dec. 2008

MOS Transistors, Random signals and noise

National Technical University of Athens

Summer 2009

Summer 2007

- o Design of complete RF measurements loop
- Conexant Systems

o Design of mixed signal PLLs involving Bang-Bang structures.

#### **Publications**

- C. Vezyrtzis and Y.Tsividis, Processing of signals using level-crossing sampling, Proc. ISCAS 2009, Taipei, Taiwan, May 2009
- P. Kinget, C. Vezyrtzis et. al., "Voltage References for Ultra-Low Supply Voltages," *IEEE Custom Integrated Circuits Conference*, pp.715-720, 2008.

#### **Research Interests**

VLSI circuit design, Digital Signal Processing (DSP), Asynchronous circuit design.

## Fellowships – Awards - Memberships

- Awarded the Gerondelis Foundation scholarship.
- Awarded the Propondis Foundation scholarship, among top 30 applicants, for Graduate Studies
- Awards for performance in national mathematics competitions (Eyklides, Archimedes) (2000,2001)
- Member, IEEE.

# **Skills**

Language skills:

Greek (mother language), English (fluent), German (fair)

IC Design, tools and prog. languages:

Cadence, MATLAB (Instrumentation, Simulink), ADS,

VHDL, C, Java and LaTex

## Website

http://www.columbia.edu/~cv2176/home.html