

Curriculum Vitae - Cristian RAVARIU

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A detailed list of Publishings at:

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WORK EXPERIENCE

May 2019-Present

**POSITION** 

**IEEE Senior Member** 

Oct 2013-Present

Full Professor Dr. eng., Habilitated

"Politehnica" Univesity of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information Technology, Dept. of Devices Circuits and Architectures Electronics, 060042 Bucharest Romania Habilitation domain: Nano-Bio-Engineering, Electronic Devices, Biosensors

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Business or sector University and Research

Oct 2005-Sept 2013

Associated Professor Dr. ing.

Politehnica Univesity of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information

Technology, Bucharest, Romania

Jan 2002-Sept 2005

Lecturer Dr. ing.

Politehnica University of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information

Technology, Bucharest, Romania

Jul 2001-Dec 2001

Assistent Dr. ing.

Politehnica Univesity of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information

Technology, Bucharest (Romania)

Mar 1999-Jul 2001

Assistent ing.

Politehnica Univesity of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information

Technology, Bucharest (Romania)

Apr 1996-Feb 1999

Scientific Researcher

National Institute of Research and Development for Microtechnology, Bucharest (Romania)

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Jan 1994-Mar 1996 Assistent Researcher

National Institute of Research and Development for Microtechnology, Bucharest (Romania)

Sept 1993-Jan 1994 Debutant Researcher

National Institute of Research and Development for Microtechnology, Bucharest (Romania)

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING** 

Jun 2010-Mar 2013 Post-Doc Studies

Politehnica University of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information

Technology

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POSDRU Excel nr. POSDRU/89/1.5/S/62557. Generalized SOI structures for nanotransistors and

biostructures. Post-Doc Diploma.

Apr 1994–Jul 2001 PhD Studies

Politehnica University of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics Telecommunications and Information

Technology

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Specialty of Micro-Electronics, under coordination of Acad. Prof. dr. eng. Adrian Rusu.

Thesis: Integrated structures on insulated (SOI) substrate.

Diploma: Magna Cum Laudae confers DOCTOR in Electronics and Telecommunication

Sep 1988–Jul 1993 Bachelor and Master Studies (Five years)

Politehnica University of Bucharest, Faculty of Electronics and Telecommunications

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Diploma of engineer in Microelectronics (for 5 years).

Oct 2012-Mar 2013 Foreign Specialty Stage

Laboratory of Analysis and Architecture of Systems LAAS-CNRS, Toulouse (France)

www.laas.fr

Theme: biosensors and organic electronic.

01Jun 2011–06 Jun 2011 Foreign Summer School in Bioelectronics

European Science Foundation ESF, S F Guixols (Spain)

Theme: B Cells and Protection

20 Aug 2006–25 Aug 2006 Foreign SINANO Specialty Stage in Nanoelectronics

University of Bologna - Arces, Bologna (Italy)

Specialty course SINANO, SImulation in NANOdevices, under org. Prof. Enrico Sangiorgi, University

of Bologna – Arces, Italia.

02 Jul 06–07 Jul 06 Foreign Specialty Stage in Bioelectronics

Dept. of Medical Physics, School of Medicine, University of Patras, Patras, Greece

Participant at 3rd Summer School on Emerging Technologies in Medicine, biosensors, biosignals,



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imagistics, Bio-MEMS, genomics, others; under coord. Prof. A. Bezerianos.

01 Jul 2003-30 Jul 2003

Foreign Specialty Stage in Micro-electronics, about SG-MOSFET École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, EPFL, Lausanne, Switzerland

Theme: Low power electrostatic silicon on sapphire RF switches for telecom application.

- 2008 - IEEE Member

**IEEE ACTIONS** 

- 2008 - Member at Bio-Medical Engineering Chapter.

- 2012 - 2019 - SSCS037 Romanian Chapter Chairman

- 2014 - present - Revitalizing Electron Device Society in Romania and EDS015 Romanian Current Chapter Chairman

- 2019 - present - Senior IEEE Member.

- 2020 - present - Member of the IEEE Romanian Council of Nanotechnology

#### PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue

Romanian

# Other languages

TANDING	SPEAKING		WRITING
Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
B2	C2	B2	C1
A2	B1	B1	A1
A1	A2	A2	A1
		Reading Spoken interaction B2 C2	Reading Spoken interaction Spoken production  B2 C2 B2

French Italian

English

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2: Proficient user Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

## Communication skills

- Team work skills, Seriousness in work, Communication skills (in all these years I worked in project teams, departments).
- Excellent abilities to teach: Electronic Devices, Nano-Bio-Electronics, Semiconductor Physics, Modelling of active Devices, Basic circuits or those discipline that I can update: Physics.
- I had the abilities to tech in French language the discipline Semiconductor Devices, in actual University (2005-2021)

## Organisational / managerial skills

- Good leadership skills achieved as leader of a multi-partnership research team, gained from Romanian national projects as director of 7 projects.
- Member of the Board of the Faculty of Electronics Council from 2012-2019.
- Chairman of IEEE Romanian-Chapters: Electron Devices.
- Reviewer of Projects: (National 2015-2019), Rep. Moldova (2019), M-ERA-NET (2020).
- Reviewer of papers at different Journals (e.g. IEEE Trans on Electron Devices, etc).
- Editor for special issues at Biosensor (MDPI Journal).

### Job-related skills

Ability to publish papers, organize scientific meetings, connections with IEEE.

Computer skills

Silvaco software package (Athena-Atlas, Suprem, Medici).

SPICE software: Spice 16.6-Cadence, LTSpice.

Remote Learning during pandemy'2020: Team from Microsoft, Moodle Platform, Skype.

Strong points

- Ability to publish papers in peer-review Journals, papers to Conferences, Chapters, books together with a scientific group.
- Excellent teaching skills for: MOS, Bipolar, JFET, other FETs, TFT, Tunnel-FET transistors, diodes, pn-junction and physics of semiconductors, Athena Microelectronics simulation, Atlas device simulation.
- Experience and opening to participate/propose/coordinate research projects.
- I have in my mind some hot topics for possible research works in your institution if there will be an interested group.
- I can arrange collaborations with Romania (e.g. Inst. of Microtechnology with clean room) and India (University JECRC, Jaipur, Digital Circuits) for future collaborations.

Weak points

- weak experience in collaboration with industry.
- not able to fly by airplanes.

Interests by this position

 Since 2013 reaching the lasts academic steps in Romanian University, with ResearchGate score of 32.

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# Most relevant achievements for this post

## I. Teaching field

- I.1. Maximum expertise field the following courses with adjacent seminaries, possible labs/projects:
- Bio-electronics and integrated biosensors (e.g for Master): Biosensor work principle and review, Bioscience: Bio-electronics Biodevices biosignals; biodetection in the living matter, cellular receptor, analytes, receptors integration, transducers, integrated Enzyme-FET Immuno-FET DNA-FET Microbial-FET, technological clues, resting and action potential at cell level.
- Nano-electronics (e.g for Master): Ultimate CMOS technological nodes in planar technology, future directions for CMOS integrated circuits. Nano-devices: Tunnel-FETs, Fin-FETs, GAA-FETs, Nano-wire-FETs, Vacuum nanotransistors, Carbon nanotubes-FETs, Thin Film Transistors TFT, Organic-TFT, Nano-core-shell-TFT, Single Electron Transistor SET, Silicon On Nothing SON-MOSFET, NOI.
- Simulation tools for Micro-Nano-electronics (for Master): Athena simulator for Si-wafers processing, Atlas device simulator.
- Physics of semiconductors (Bachelor studies): Energy diagrams, carriers phenomena, models, current transport, non-equilibrium, models for recombination rates/mobillities system of equations for semiconductors, tunnelling thru thin gate oxides, impact ionization.
- Physics of liquids (preparing for biosensors and microfluidics): Water physics and chemistry, Aq. Solutions, Electrical Double Layer, Surface phenomena, Capillary effects, Static of fluids, Dynamic of fluids (Bernoulli), Charged molecules and hydrated ions, Nerst formalism, ionic current (Butler-Volmer, Diffusion currents), electrolytic cells, potentiometric and amperometric sensors.
- -Active Electronic Devices (Bachelor studies): Devices presentation microelectronic technology draft specific physical phenomena equations for static characteristics deduction models parameters equivalent circuits of dynamic regime biasing circuits applications. This sequence is applied for the following devices: pn-junction, diodes, bipolar transistor (BJT), junction field effect transistor (JFET), metal-oxide-semiconductor transistor (MOS), silicon on insulator transistors (SOI).
- Models of the active components for Spice or a course of Devices Modelling (BJT Ebers-Moll, MOS Ihantola-Moll, Sub-threshold models, EKV, Theorem of Non Linear Electrical Conduction)
- 1.2. Average expertise for the following courses and adjacent applications, but with potential to self-preparing me fast if need.
- General bioengineering: Electrophysiological techniques (ECG, EEG, EMG, EGG, EOG), patch-clam technique, cells separation, bio-MEMS, viruses-cells-sensors, incursion inside cells, living matter modelling, introducing cellular biology.
- Microelectronic technology (oxidation, etching, diffusion, ions implantation, clean room processes, etc).
- I.3. No expertise for the following courses:
- Computer networking, laptop fixing or installing.



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I.4. Books for students (in Romanian language)

In the detailed list of publications you can see that C. Ravariu published more than 8 books for students in Romanian languages. Few examples:

- Cristian Ravariu. Electronic Devices, pp. 1-326, Publisher: Printech Romania, 2004, ISBN 973-718-133-6.
- Cristian Ravariu. Electronics biodevices: from nanostructures to medical applications (in Romanian), I-st Edition, Publisher: Politehnica Press Publishing, Bucharest, Romania, pp. 1-242, ISBN: 978-606-515-071-3, 2010; Awarded book by the Romanian Academy with Tudor Tanasescu award in 2011.
- Florin Babarada, Cristian Ravariu. Technologies of fabrication for micro- and bio-sensors, pp. 1-258, Publisher: Editura Printech Romania, 2004, ISBN 973-718-119-0.

## II. Research field

- II.1. Main Bio-Engineering Research Contracts to which C. Ravariu worked
- II.1.1. C. Ravariu was Director of the Following National Romanian Projects:
- Project title: "BioFET transistors for customized bioanalyses and cellular functions", (BIOFET) PNII Partnerships Complex Projects Program, commission 1 (Information and communication technology), UEFISCDI fund unit, 2008-2011, 5 Romanian Partners, ~ 250.000Eur.
- Project title: "Non-invasive technology for functional characterization of the **cellular beta-pancreatic mass** with unconventional electronic bio-devices", (ELECTROCELL) PNII Partnerships Complex Projects Program, commission 6 (**Biotechnologies**), UEFISCDI fund unit, 2008-2011, 4 Romanian Partners, ~ 220.000Eur.
- Project title: "Nano-transistors with thin films implemented through nanotechnologies and organic technologies at room temperature", (TFTNANOEL) PROGRAM PNIII: P4 Fundamental and Frontier Research, UEFISCDI fund unit, 2017-2019, 1 Romanian Partner, ~ 200.000Eur.
- Project title: "Demonstrator realization in planar transistor technology with tunneling of ultra-thin insulators as promoter of a series of nano-devices in industry", (DEMOTUN) PROGRAM PNIII: P2 Increasing the competitiveness of the Romanian economy through research, development and innovation, PROJECT TYPE: Experimental-Demonstrative Project, UEFISCDI fund unit, 2017-2018, 2 Romanian Partners, ~ 120.000Eur.
- Other 3 Grants for Young Researchers, between 2000-2007, where C. Ravariu was Director.

### II.1.2. Participant in National-International Projects with active role and topic on Bio-Nano-Engineering

- Project title: "New Innovative System for Radiation Safety of Patients Investigated by Radiological Imaging Methods based on Smart Cards", SRSPIRIM, comission 7 PNII Parteneriate, Director (Romania): Lidia Dobrescu. Participant: Cristian Ravariu, 2012-2015.
- Project title: "The method of differential diagnosis of meningitis by determining the cytokine profile using a rapid measurement device at the point of care (MEDICY) "- project coordinating partner Inst. Cantacuzino, UPB partner director Prof. Dr. Ing. Florin BABARADA, Participant Prof. Cristian Ravariu. 2014 2016.
- Project title: "Microstructures of sensors and actuators for micropositioning and micromanipulation mechanical and biological" MEMSAS (Microgripper), CEEX Project, IMT-coord., UPB-partener, Director. Raluca Muller, Participant: Cristian Ravariu, 2006-2008.
- Project (Switzerland-Romania) title: "Low power electrostatic silicon on sapphire RF switches for telecom applications", code ESSOS, Wildhainweg 20, Swiss National Science Foundation, Ecole Politehnique Federale de Lausanne and Universitatea Politehnica Bucuresti, Romania, Director. A. M. Ionescu (Switzerland), Participant: C. Ravariu, 2000-2003.
- Participant in other projects, non-relevant for this position.

### II.2. Patents

- Inventors: Cristian Ravariu, "Field effect transistors with a cavity on insulator, NOI (Nothing On Insulator) and a-NOI (almost-Nothing On Insulator)," Romanian Patent Number: RO126811-A0, OSIM Romanian agency, awarded in Aug. 2013.
- Inventors: Florin Babarada, Elena Manea, Cristian Ravariu. "Process for manufacturing, on silicon, the devices for detecting and characterizing the electrically charged biological molecules," Patent Number(s): RO126615-A2; RO126615-B1, OSIM Romanian agency, awarded in Nov 2015.
- Inventor and owner: C. Ravariu: "Transistors with p/n overlap films for biomimetic and industrial applications," Registered at OSIM Romanian Agency no. A/00021 / 12.01.2016, pass to decision stage in 2020.
- Inventors: C. Ravariu, F. Babarada, E. Manea, C. Parvulescu, title: "Manufacturing process of the versatile planar semiconductor device for testing the tunneling in ultra-thin insulator", OSIM Patent Filed: A00526 / 11-07-2018, Published in Apr. 2020 by OSIM.
- Inventors: Cristian Ravariu (Ro), Avireni Srinivasulu(India), title: "Technology for integrated circuit design with low number of NOI-MOS

hybrid devices," Owner: Universitatea Politehnica din Bucuresti - UPB Bucuresti, Romania, Priority Request for International Patenting, recorded A00813/17.10. 2018, title published in Apr. 2020, pass to examination stage in 2020.

- II.3. Top Articles in Top Journals or Chapters in Books in Bio-Nano-Engineering field
- C. Ravariu, E. Manea, F. Babarada, Masks and metallic electrodes compounds for silicon biosensor integration, *Journal of Alloys and Compounds* (Q1-Elsevier Journal), vol. 697, pp. 72-79, March 2017, http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jallcom.2016.12.099
- C. Ravariu, C. Pârvulescu, E. Manea, A. Dinescu, R. Gavrila, M. Purica, Vijay Arora. Manufacturing of a Nothing On Insulator Nano-Structure with two Cr/Au Nanowires Separated by 18 nm Air Gap. *Nanotechnology, (Q1-IOP Journal),* vol. 31, no. 27, pp.1-9, 2020. https://dx.doi.org/10.1088/1361-6528/ab7c45
- C. Ravariu, D. Istrati, D. Mihaiescu, A. Morosan, B. Purcareanu, R. Cristescu, R. Trusca, B. Vasile. Solution for green organic thin film transistors: Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nano-core with PABA external shell as p-type film. *Journal of Materials Science Materials in Electronics (Q2-Springer Journal)*, vol. 31, no.4, pp. 3063-3073, Jan 2020. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10854-019-02851-3
- C. Ravariu, Ala Bondarciuc. The sensitivity in the IR spectrum of the intact and pathological tissues by laser bio-photometry, Laser in Medical Science, (Q2-Springer Journal), March 2014, Vol 29, Issue 2, pp 581-588.
- C. Ravariu, Vacuum nano-triode in Nothing-On-Insulator configuration working in Terahertz domain, *IEEE Journal of the Electron Devices Society*, (Q2-IEEE Journal), vol. 6, no. 1, 2018, pp. 1115-1123, DOI 10.1109/JEDS.2018.2868465.
- C. Ravariu, Gate Swing Improving for the Nothing On Insulator Transistor in Weak Tunneling, IEEE Transactions on Nanotechnology (Q2-IEEE Journal), 2017, vol. 16, no. 6, pp. 1115 1121, DOI: 10.1109/TNANO.2017.2764802.
- C. Ravariu, Deeper Insights of the Conduction Mechanisms in a Vacuum SOI Nanotransistor, IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices Q1-IEEE Journal), vol. 63, no. 8, 2016, pp. 3278 3283, DOI: 10.1109/TED.2016.2580180.
- C. Ravariu, Compact NOI Nano-Device Simulation. IEEE Transactions on Very Large Scale Integration (VLSI) Systems (Q2-JEEE Journal), vol. 22, issue 8, Aug 2014, pp. 1841 1844, DOI:10.1109/TVLSI.2013.2278474
- C. Ravariu, E. Manea, A. Popescu, C. Podaru, C. Parvulescu, Micro-Technological Steps During the Fabrication of an AcHE Biosensor Designated to the Environment Monitoring, *American Journal of Bioscience and Bioengineering*, vol. 3, issue 3-1, pp. 1-6, 2015, DOI: 10.11648/j.bio.s.2015030301.11.
- C. Ravariu, A. Rusu, F. Udrea, F. Ravariu. Simulation results of some Diamond On Insulator nano-MISFETs, *Diamond and Related Materials* (Q2-Elsevier Journal). vol.15, nr.2, pp.777-782, 2006, DOI: 10.1016/j.diamond.2005.11.050.
- Ravariu C., Manea E., Babarada F., Ursutiu D., Mihaiescu D., Popescu A., "Organic Compounds Integrated on Nanostructured Materials for Biomedical Applications", Chapter 2 at section Biomedical Engineering in the book: Smart Industry & Smart Education. Editors: Auer M., Langmann R., Series Lecture Notes in Networks and Systems, vol 47. Springer, Cham, 2019, pp 489-497. https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-319-95678-7\_55.
- Ravariu C., et al. (2020) PV Microgrids Efficiency: From Nanomaterials and Semiconductor Polymer Technologies for PV Cells to Global MPPT Control for PV Arrays. Chapter In: Mahdavi Tabatabaei N., Kabalci E., Bizon N. (eds) Microgrid Architectures, Control and Protection Methods. Power Systems. Springer, Cham. Available at: https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007%2F978-3-030-23723-3
- C. Ravariu, Dan Eduard Mihaiescu, Green Electronics starting from Nanotechnologies and Organic semiconductors, Chapter 1 in Book: Green Electronics, In-Tech Publisher House, with Editors: Cristian Ravariu & Dan E. Mihaiescu, Published June 20, 2018, ISBN: 978-1-78923-304-9, pp. 3-13, DOI: 10.5772/intechopen.71456.
- A. Topor, C. Ravariu, F. Babarada, A. Salageanu, I. Caras, B. Patrichi, Mobile Electronic Device And Integrated Software For Citokines Fluorescence Detection, Chapter 6-th in Book: New trends on monitoring and diagnosis for health sciences, Editors Mihaela Badea, Laura Floroian, published by LAMBERT Academic Publishing, trademark of OmniScriptum GmbH & Co. KG, Germany, ISBN 978-3-659-77699-1, pp. 95-112, 2015.
- C. Ravariu, D. Mihaiescu, Static and dynamic aspects of different tunnelling NOI nanotransistors with oxide and vacuum, in Proceedings of IEEE European Conference on Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Bern, Switzerland, 17-19 Nov. 2017, pp. pp. 441–444. WOS:000455867600079. DOI: 10.1109/EECS.2017.87
- C. Ravariu, C. Ionescu-Tirgoviste, F. Ravariu. Glucose biofuels properties in the bloodstream in conjunction with the beta cell electrophysiology, Proceedings of 2-nd IEEE International Conference on Clean Electrical Power Conference, Jun. 09-11. 2009, Capri, Italy, pp. 124-127, DOI: 10.1109/ICCEP.2009.5212071, WOS:000275735500020 (cited 12 times).

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III. Annex with relevant scientific results

#### III. Relevant contributions

III.1. Inventor of the NOI (Nothing On Insulator) transistor. In collaboration with Institute of Microtechnology-Bucharest, we fabricated a planar p-NOI variant and a NOI-MIM with Metal-Insulator-Metal non-planar variant.

III.2. Acitivity of C. Ravariu with IEEE; Membership and Chairman of 2 Chapters.

IEEE Member no 90382147 from 2008. Affiliation to Engineering Medicine and Biology Organization in 2008, Electron Device Society in 2008. Since 2011 member and Chairman of Solid-State Circuits Society till 2020. Since 2014 C. Ravariu has revitalized the Romanian IEEE EDS-15 Chapter and becomes Chairman. Since 2019 C. Ravariu was admitted as IEEE Senior Member.

## III.3. Special actions with IEEE

Few DL (Distinguished Lecturers) invitation at Romanian SSCS-037 Chapter: Prof. Sorin Voinigescu - Univ. of Toronto Canada (in 2017), Prof. Farid Temcamani - ENSEA, CERGY, FRANCE (in 2015), Jose Carlos Pedro - AVEIRO, PORTUGAL (in 2015), Prof. Avireni Srinivasulu - from JECRC University, India (in 2018), Prof. Adrian M. Ionescu from EPFL Switzerland (2018).

SSCS Workshop: Workshop on Solid State Circuits - Design, Technology and Applications - IEEE SSC-DTA'2016 Oct. 19-21, 2016, Bucharest, Romania with Key speakers from DL list: Prof. Tony Chan Carusone, from University of Toronto Canada, Prof. Marian Verhelst, from KU Leuven, Belgium, Ing. Cristina Gorciu from Infineon Bucharest, Dr ing. Cristian Andriesei, Iasi, Romania.

Colloquimum IEEE EDS with Prof Arora, USA. around the talk: Nanoelectronics: Milestones Arising from CMOS 5nm Node and Beyond CMOS Design Process from 20th to 21st Century

Prof. dr. ing. Cristian Ravariu