

Contributors



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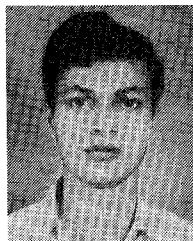
After graduation he was employed by the Westinghouse Company. He then joined the faculty of the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn where, from 1961 to 1966, he was Chairman of the Department of Electrophysics. He was a Visiting Professor of Electrical Engineering at M.I.T., Cambridge, MA, from 1972 to 1973, and a member of the Lehigh University Electrical Engineering Visiting Committee, Bethlehem, PA. He was Director of the School of Electrical Engineering at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, from 1966 to 1975, and is J. Preston Levis Professor of Electrical Engineering at Cornell University. He has contributed over 50 technical articles in network theory and microwave measurements, techniques, and devices. He holds 12 U.S. patents, and is senior author of the book *Network Theory*.

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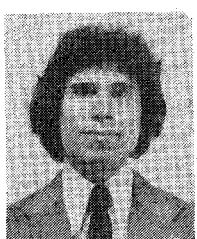
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1972 to March 1973, he worked at Scientific Atlanta, Atlanta, GA, on the design and manufacture of a 2-12-GHz shaped beam reflector antenna. From March 1977 to February 1978, he was on leave at the University of Stellenbosch working on microwave linear-phase filters.



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Rudolf Deutsch was born in Brasov, Rumania, in 1931. From 1950 to 1954, he studied chemistry at the University of Cluj, Cluj, Rumania. In 1962, he received the Ph.D. degree in theoretical physics from the University Lomonosov of Moscow, Moscow, U.S.S.R.

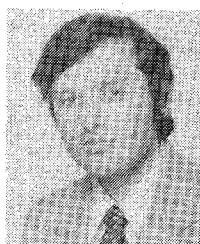
From 1954 to 1959, he was a Teacher at a secondary school and a Research Assistant at the University of Cluj. From 1962 to 1973, he was a Reader in Physics at the Polytechnical Institute at Iasi, Rumania. From 1973 to 1977,

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Adam T. Drobot was born in Zakopane, Poland, on May 13, 1947. He received the B.S. degree in engineering physics from Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, in 1968, and the Ph.D. degree in physics from the University of Texas, Austin, in 1974.

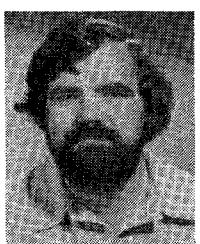
He has been working at Science Applications, Inc., as a Research Physicist specializing in numerical simulations of relativistic plasmas. He has worked on problems of generating electromagnetic radiation from intense relativistic electron beams, the electron cyclotron maser, collective ion acceleration, and is currently involved in research on electron and ion flow in high-power diodes.



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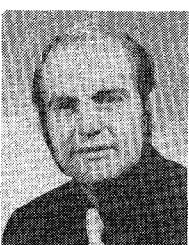
He has held a number of positions in the microwave industry. From 1964 to 1966, he was Product Line Manager at Microwave Associates, Inc., Burlington, MA. He is currently a Senior Research Fellow at Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh, Scotland. He is the author of the books *Principles of Microwave Ferrite Engineering* (NY: Wiley 1969), *Nonreciprocal Microwave Junctions and Circulators* (NY: Wiley, 1975), and *Passive and Active Microwave Circuits* (NY: Wiley, 1978).

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vices. This work led to the first programmable match filters, folded path large time-bandwidth delay lines, and spread spectrum communication links implemented with SAW devices. In 1974, he joined the staff at the University of Illinois, and his research has been directed at theoretical and experimental analysis of surface acoustic wave transducers. This work has resulted in a simplified powerful new theoretical approach to SAW analysis based on orthogonal function description of SAW energy.



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From 1970 to 1977, he was employed by the Department of Communications, Communications Research Centre, Ottawa, Ont., Canada. He is now with Ferranti Ltd., Manchester, U.K. His work involves the development of passive and solid-state microwave circuits, especially low-noise satellite subsystems.

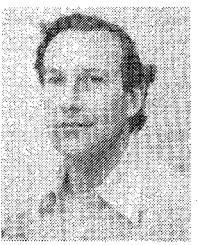
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From 1953 to 1959, he was a member of the Scientific Staff at the Applied Electronics Laboratories of the General Electric Company, Stanmore, Middlesex, England, where he worked on guided missile, radar, and countermeasures systems, and on microwave components. In 1959, he joined Mullard Research Laboratories, Redhill, Surrey, where he was engaged in broad-band receiver design, ECM, microwave components, and network synthesis. In 1964, he was a faculty member in the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering at the University of Leeds, where he carried out research in the fields of microwave network synthesis and broad-band microwave components, and held positions as an industrial consultant. Since July 1967, he has been with Microwave Development Laboratories, Natick, MA, and has the position of Vice-President for Research. He has developed several new microwave devices, particular filters and couplers, and introduced new types of computer-aided design techniques.

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In 1969, he joined the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization, Sydney, Australia, to develop low-noise receivers for radio astronomy. From 1971 to 1974, he worked on low-noise cryogenic receivers for millimeter-wave astronomy with the National Radio Astronomy Observatory, Charlottesville, VA. He is presently with the NASA/Goddard Institute for Space Studies, New York, NY, developing low-noise receivers for millimeter and submillimeter wavelengths.

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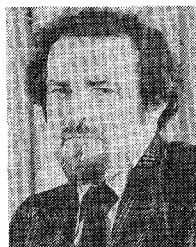
During World War II he was with the British Admiralty doing research on antenna design, waveguides, and radar. In 1946, he joined Standard Telecommunication Laboratories, Harlow, England, where he became Head of the Microwave Laboratory in 1950 and Assistant Manager of the Transmission Laboratory in 1962. Currently he is Professor of Electrical Engineering, at the University of Colorado, Boulder. He is the author of many papers and patents in the field of antennas and waveguides, as well as author of four research books.

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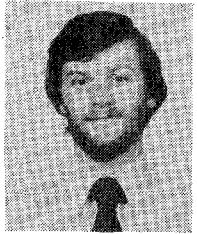
He joined Nippon Hoso Kyokai (NHK, Japan Broadcasting Corporation), Tokyo, Japan, in 1970. Since 1973, he has worked at their Technical Research Laboratories and has engaged in research and development of microwave components and circuits.



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His research interests include ferrite junction circulators at high- and low-signal levels and microstrip circuits. He is the coauthor of *Micro-wave Transistor Amplifier Design in Active and Passive Microwave Circuits* (NY: Wiley, 1978)

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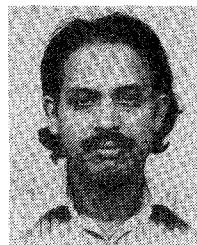
Mr. Nisbet was awarded the First Degree Prize by the Institute of Electrical Engineers (London) in 1976.



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Dr. Riblet was awarded the Microwave Career Award of the MTT Professional Group in 1976.



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He has held University Grants Commission senior research fellowship at the Indian Institute of Science from 1962 to 1965, Lecturership at the University of Roorkee from 1965 to 1969, Teaching/Research Assistantship at the University of Rhode Island, Kingston, from 1969 to 1974, Visiting Research Fellowship at the IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, NY, in 1972, and a Post-Doctoral Research Associateship at the University of Maryland, College Park, from 1974 to 1975. Presently he holds a joint appointment as Assistant Professor in Electrical Engineering Department and Materials Science Program at the Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India. Since his return to India in 1976, he has initiated research on dielectric optical waveguide. His current interests are in the areas of electromagnetic interaction with matter, fabrication and characterization of optical waveguide components. His other activities include research on electronic and magnetic materials, microwave semiconductor devices, amorphous silicon solar cells, etc. His research contributions have been published in journals of high international reputation. He has helped to organize and was a Panel Member of the NATO Advanced Study Institute on the Physics of Disordered Solids while at the University of Rhode Island (in 1974). He has received the IETE Award in 1967, from the Institution of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers, India, for his work on anisotropic dielectric guides. He has also been a Reviewer for several international/national professional journals.

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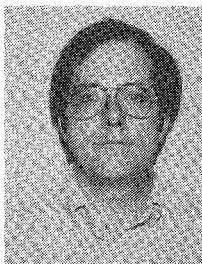
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Thomas Ruehle was born in 1954, in Redwood City, CA. He received the B.S. degree in electrical engineering from the University of Colorado, Boulder, in 1976, and is presently working there on the Masters degree in electrical engineering.

He is a member of Tau Beta Pi, the Engineering Honorary Society, and Eta Kappa Nu, the Electrical Engineering Honorary Society.

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In 1970 he was appointed a Lecturer and in 1971 became an Assistant Professor in the Department of Electronics, Osaka Institute of Technology. Since 1977, he has been a Professor in that department. His research interests are in waveguide discontinuities and electron beam exposure systems for the large scale integrated circuit.

Dr. Suga is a member of the Institute of Electronics and Communication Engineers of Japan.

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He has been a Professor in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, The University of Wisconsin, Madison, since 1967. Among other activities, he has served as Principal Scientific Officer at the Electronics Research and Development Establishment, Bangalore, India, as Senior Engineering Specialist at the Sylvania Applied Research Laboratory, Waltham, MA, as Visiting Professor at the University of Toronto, Canada, as a National Science Foundation Senior Postdoctoral Fellow at the California Institute of Technology, and as Postdoctoral and Honorary Research Fellow at the Gordon McKay Laboratory of Harvard University. He has conducted research in electromagnetic scattering and diffraction, surface waves, wave propagation in the ionosphere, waves, instabilities, and radiation in plasmas, nonlinear waves, waves and instabilities in periodic media, microsonics, and magnetics.

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In 1953 he joined the Department of Electrical Engineering, Osaka Institute of Technology, Osaka, Japan, where he was a Lecturer, an Assistant Professor (from 1954 to 1958), and a Professor (from 1958 to 1959). Since 1959 he has been a Professor in the Department of Electronic Engineering. His current research interests are microwave circuit and pattern recognition.

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