

Guest Editors' Overview

THE 1992 International Microwave Symposium (IMS) and Microwave and Millimeter-Wave Circuits Symposium (MMWMCS) in Albuquerque, NM attracted a large number of papers. Of the 646 submissions to the IMS and 68 submissions to the MMWMCS, 380 and 48 respectively, were accepted. From these, expanded versions of 89 IMS papers and eight MMWMCS papers were submitted for publication in this issue and following the review process 38 IMS and six MMWMCS papers were accepted. A significant number of papers were returned to the authors for revision and resubmission to Dr. Stephen A. Maas because the publication deadline of this issue did not allow for a second review cycle. Some of these papers will be published in future issues of the TRANSACTIONS.

The technical papers in this issue reflect the broad range of topics presented at the symposium, such as solid state

devices and circuits, MMIC's, transmission lines, measurement techniques, and computer-aided design.

We want to express our thanks and appreciation to the reviewers (listed below) for their time and efforts. The high standards of the TRANSACTIONS are a direct result of their contributions. We also wish to thank the authors for their timely submissions and revisions, and to extend our thanks and congratulations to the IMS and the MMWMCS Technical Program Committees for first class Technical Programs.

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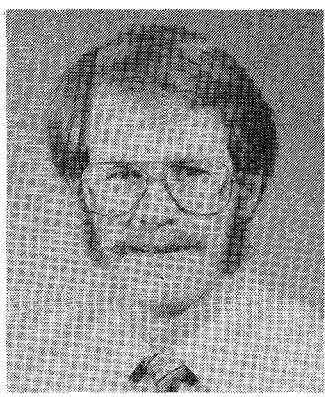


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