

# Taiwan-Europe Semiconductor Short-term Training Program 2024

July to August 2024



## JUL / Lecture and Project Options:

- Analog Design Essentials & Power Management IC Design in CMOS BCD Technologies
- Full-Custom IC Design & Silicon Photonics Design and Analysis
- Full-Custom IC Design & CMOS MEMS IC Design
- Cell-based IC Design

## AUG / Internship

SYNOPSYS / Chroma ATE / TSRI

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# Integrated Circuit Design and Implementation Courses

All courses are located in Taiwan.

## July 2024

### Course Options (choose one)

1 Analog Design Essentials & Power Management IC Design in CMOS BCD Technologies	1 July-19 July <b>Lecture</b>	22 July-26 July <b>Project</b>
2 Full-Custom IC Design & Silicon Photonics Design and Analysis		
3 Full-Custom IC Design & CMOS MEMS IC Design		
4 Cell-based IC Design	1 July-12 July <b>Lecture</b>	15 July-26 July <b>Project</b>

## August 2024

SYNOPSYS / Chroma ATE / TSRI

29 July-23 August  
**Internship**

The official website of the internship company is as follows: scan the QR code below.

SYNOPSYS



Chroma ATE



TSRI



Note 1: In conjunction with the course, we offer internship opportunities in the Taiwanese industry, subject to industry qualification review. Providing your course completion certificate will assist in obtaining internship opportunities.

Note 2: Internship opportunities at Chroma ATE and Synopsys are limited to students who have taken the Silicon Photonics course and project.

# 1 Analog Design Essentials & Power Management IC Design in CMOS BCD Technologies

## 1 July-19 July

Weekday / 09:00-11:45,13:15-17:00

### Analog Design Essentials (2-week)

#### D1

Introduction  
IC Design Flow

#### D2

Fundamental Of Circuit Design:  
1) MOSFET  
2) Analog/Digital Signal

#### D3

Fundamental Of Circuit Design:  
3) Logic Gate;  
4) Analog Circuit Basics

#### D4

Operational Amplifier:  
1) Concept  
2) Stability

#### D5

Operational Amplifier:  
3) Architecture  
4) Gm/ID

#### D6

EDA Tools For Circuit Design:  
1) PDK  
2) Virtuoso

#### D7

EDA Tools For Circuit Design:  
3) Hspice  
4) Simulation

#### D8

Non-Ideal Effect  
1) Process Variation  
2) PVT

#### D9

Layout  
1) Concept  
2) Layout Dependent Effect

#### D10

Layout  
3) Design Rules  
4) DRC/ LVS/PEX Verification

### Power Management IC Design in CMOS BCD Technologies(1-week)

#### D11

- Introduction  
- High Voltage Circuit Design and simulation

#### D12

Chip Implementation:  
Schematic and Circuit Simulation

#### D13

Protection Mechanism I:  
Internal LV Device

#### D14

Protection Mechanisms II:  
1) HV Device  
2) HV I/O Device & ESD Rules

#### D15

Chip Implementation:  
Full Chip Layout and simulation

## Project / 22 July-26 July

Project 1 : Operational Amplifier Design Essentials - Hybrid-Compensated Two-Stage OTA Design (1-week)

Project 2 : Power Management IC Implementation in BCD Technologies - High-voltage linear regulator (1-week)

# 2 Full-Custom IC Design & Silicon Photonics Design and Analysis

## 1 July-19 July

Weekday / 09:00-11:45 13:15-17:00

### Full-Custom IC Design and Simulation (1-week)

#### D1

- Full-Custom IC Design Overview
- Circuit Simulation with ADE and Spectre

#### D2

- Fundamentals of Full-Custom Cell Design and Simulation

#### D3

- Layout Skill and Implementation

#### D4

- Layout Verification (DRC/LVS/LPE) and Debugging

#### D5

- Hands on Labs for Layout and Post-Sim.

### Silicon Photonics Design and Analysis (2-week)

#### D6

- Introduction
- Si waveguides
- Si Bending
- Y-junction and MMI

#### D7

- Grating coupler and edge coupler
- Coupler testing

#### D8

- Si ring resonator
- Modulator frequency response

#### D9

- Modulator testing: spectrum

#### D10

- Modulator testing: S-parameter and eye diagram

#### D11

- Foundry process
- Mach-zehnder interferometer
- Depletion/thermal phase shifter

#### D12

- PAM4 circuit design and pre-simulation
- Circuit layout

#### D13

- Silicon photonics related company visiting

#### D14

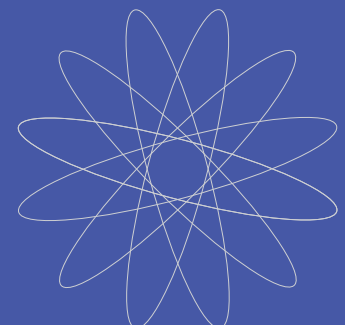
- Photodetector theory and testing

#### D15

- Post simulation
- Design rule checking

## Project: Silicon Photonics / 22 July-26 July

Design project: DP-QPSK coherent detection using 2D grating coupled silicon based receiver  
Testing project: 1 to 8 channel grating and edge coupler and fiber optical alignment methods



# 3 Full-Custom IC Design & CMOS MEMS IC Design

## 1 July-19 July

Weekday / 09:00-11:45 13:15-17:00

### Full-Custom IC Design and Simulation (1-week)

**D1**

- Full-Custom IC Design Overview
- Circuit Simulation with ADE and Spectre

**D2**

- Fundamentals of Full-Custom Cell Design and Simulation

**D3**

- Layout Skill and Implementation

**D4**

- Layout Verification (DRC/LVS/LPE) and Debugging

**D5**

- Hands on Labs for Layout and Post-Sim.

### CMOS MEMS IC Design, Simulation and Testing(2-week)

**D6**

- Preview of MEMS technology
- TSRI CMOS MEMS Process
- Lab.(design accelerometer in simulation version)

**D7**

- Applications of CMOS MEMS technology
- Characterizing the MEMS devices
- Lab. (design accelerometer in tape-out version)

**D8**

- Applications of accelerometer
- Design and architecture of accelerometer
- Simulation by CoventorWare

**D9**

- TSRI CMOS MEMS process flow and design rules
- TSRI CMOS MEMS MPW
- The MEMS measuring instruments in TSRI

**D10**

- Introduction of capacitive sensing readout circuit
- IP user guide
- Lab.(g sensor readout circuit simulation and integrate MEMS with readout circuit)

**D11**

- Application and working-principle of resonator
- Design and architecture of resonator
- Lab.(design resonator in simulation version)

**D12**

- Lab.(design resonator in simulation and tape-out version)
- Introduction and design of TIA readout circuit
- Lab.(simulation of TIA circuit)

**D13**

- MEMS related company visiting

**D14**

- TIA layout guideline
- Layout verification
- Combine MEMS and readout circuit
- Lab.(design TIA for simulation and layout)

**D15**

- Introduction and practical operation of MEMS laboratory

**Project: Design of sub-MHz resonator/oscillator (MEMS Resonator + TIA read circuit) / 22 July-26 July**

Design a CMOS MEMS Resonator  
Design of a transimpedance amplifier  
Integration of CMOS MEMS oscillator

# 4 Cell-based IC Design

## 1 July-12 July

Weekday / 09:00-11:45 13:15-17:00

### Cell-based IC Design, Implementation and Verification (2-week)

**D1**

Verilog Coding, Simulation and Debug (1)

**D2**

**D3**

**D4**

**D5**

Logic Implementation (2)\*\*

**D6**

Logic Implementation (2)

**D7**

**D8**

**D9**

Physical Implementation (3)\*\*

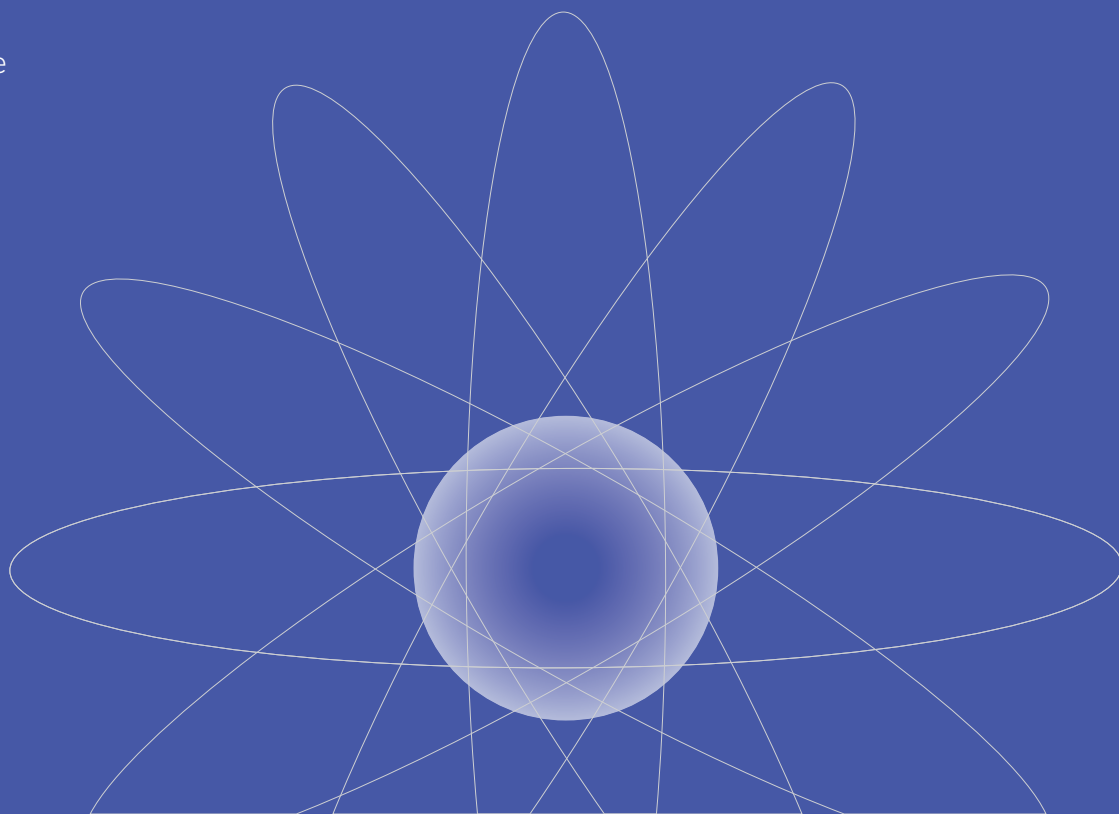
**D10**

Project

\*\* Logic Implementation = Logic Synthesis, Pre-layout Verification,  
Physical Implementation = P&R, DRC/LVS, Post-layout Verification

## Project: / 15 July-26 July

Job Assignment Machine  
Seam Carving Engine



# Target Audience

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**We  
look  
forward  
to  
your  
joining.**

We recommend students majoring in electronics and electrical engineering or those interested in semiconductor, electronics, microelectromechanical systems, and optoelectronic sciences and applications to participate in this program. This includes college students, master's, and PhD students.



# Welcome to Taiwan.



Taiwan is an island nation located in East Asia. It has a vibrant economy, a renowned semiconductor industry, and friendly people. Taiwan is a captivating destination known for its thriving semiconductor sector, dynamic democracy, and remarkable economic achievements. Taiwan's semiconductor industry has garnered worldwide recognition, earning it the title of the "Silicon Valley of Asia." The island is home to leading semiconductor companies and has become an indispensable player in shaping the digital era. Taiwan is most famous not only for its technological achievements but also for its robust democracy. Taiwan upholds the values of freedom, human rights, and civic engagement.