# Natalia Galin

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## **Education**

# Jul 2000 – Current University of New South Wales, Sydney, NSW

- Currently in my 4<sup>th</sup> year of an Electrical Engineering degree
- From 2000 2005 I hold a Coop scholarship for Electrical Engineering
- WAM (Weighted Average Mark / 100) is: 81.25

# Jan 1998 – Jan 2000 St. George Girls' High School, Sydney, NSW

• Completed the HSC with a UAI of 99.50

# **Certificates/ Other Training**

- Agere Systems Australia, Undergraduate Award for Excellence in Microelectronics Design and Telecommunications Engineering, 2005
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the Altera NIOS II Soft-core processor competition, 2005
- Jayear scholarship for Physics, 2000
- CCNA Cisco Certified Network Associate, 2001
- Laboratory demonstrator for ELEC2041 Microprocessor and Interfacing
- Familiarity with the following programming languages:
  - C/C++
  - Perl
- Familiarity with the following hardware languages:
  - VHDL
- Familiarity with the following engineering programs:
  - PSPICE
  - Matlab
  - Maple
  - FGPA Advantage
  - ModelSim
- Familiarity with the following embedded processors:
  - Renesas MC16 family
  - ARM based processors

# **Work Experience**

# Nov 2004 – Feb 2005 Summer Research Program @ UNSW

# Topic: Hardware Implementation of Discrete Wavelet Transform for JPEG2000

- Algorithm to hardware implementation considerations:
  - Wavelet transform algorithm analysis for fixed point implementation
  - Hardware design for minimum area and maximum speed
  - Software simulation and verification
  - VHDL implementation and simulation

## Dec 2003 - Jun 2004 Cochlear Ltd Student Work Experience

#### I.T. 3: Cochlear Ltd

## Department: Design and Development – Embedded Systems Division

- Serial communication programming for Windows
- Writing verification software
- Designing and constructing a power indicator device
- Verification testing of prototype device, involving:
  - ESD testing
  - EMC testing at 3<sup>rd</sup> party site compliant with relevant IEC standard
  - Troubleshooting prototype circuitry
  - Designing and constructing a breakout box for detailed testing of the electrical reliability of data transfer of the device

## I.T. 2: Telstra Country Wide

# **Department: Complaints Management**

- Performed statistical analysis of data using Microsoft Access in order to determine any trends in complaints which would be used to determine their source and cause
- Automating the data analysis

## **I.T.1: Dimension Data**

## **Department: I.T. Support**

- Helped to set up and configure network equipment (routers and switches) for an experimental laboratory
- Received the CCNA certificate

## **Personal Information**

In my spare time I enjoy hobby electronics, scuba diving, playing my guitar and dancing. I view myself as adaptable, friendly, cheerful, hardworking, efficient and reliable.

#### References

Lawrence Chan (Cochlear Ltd.)
Saeid Nooshabadi (University of New South Wales)
Details will be given upon request.