

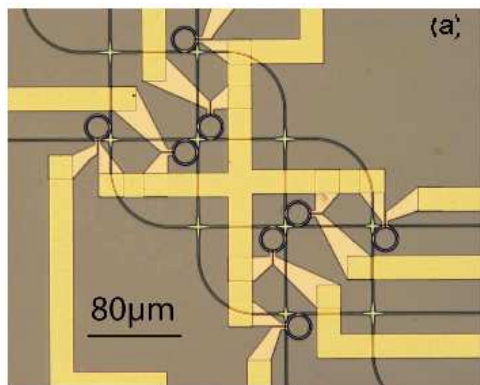
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**Workshop on the Interaction between**  
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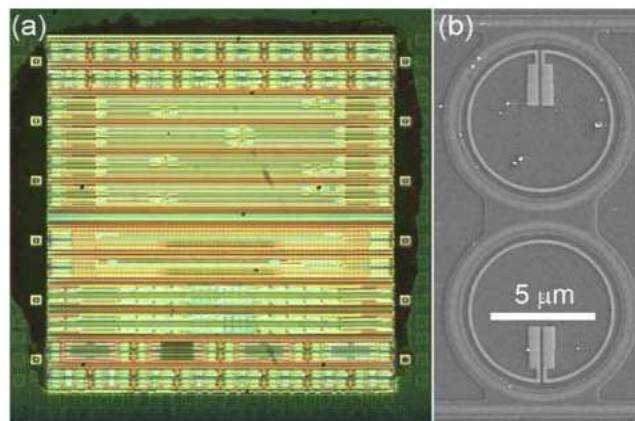
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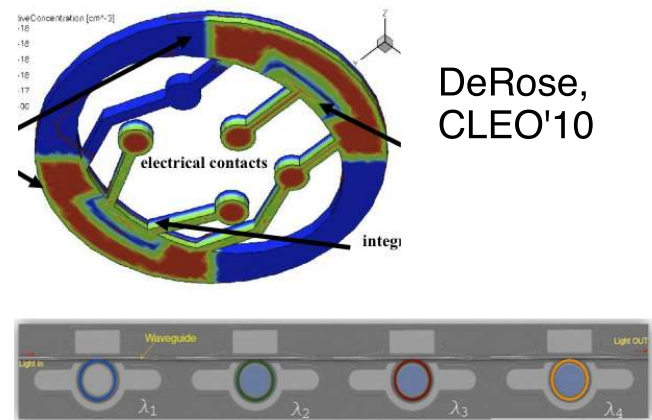
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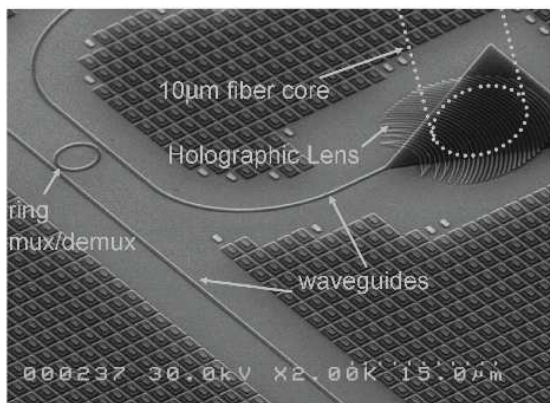
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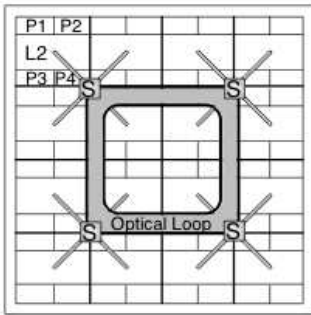


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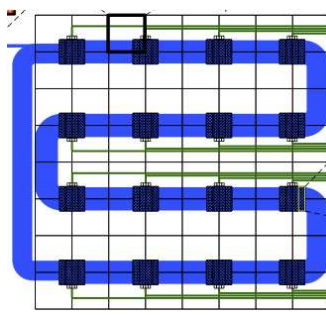


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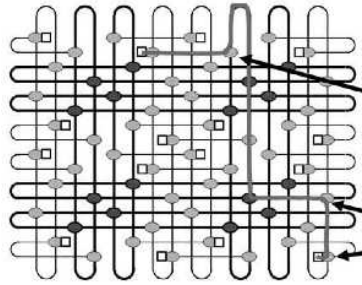
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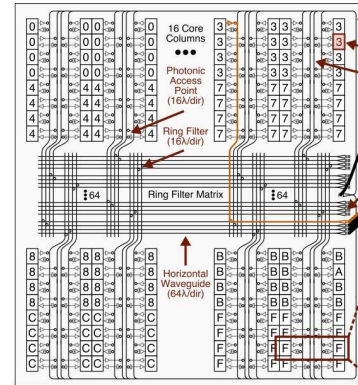
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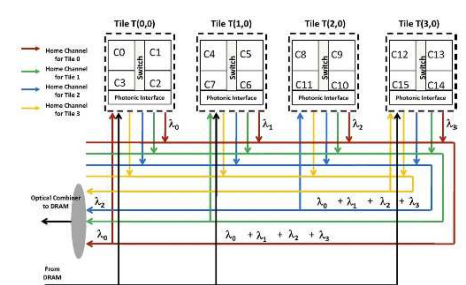
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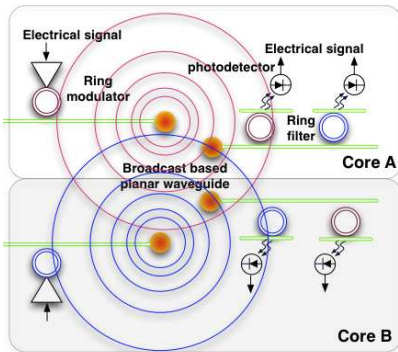
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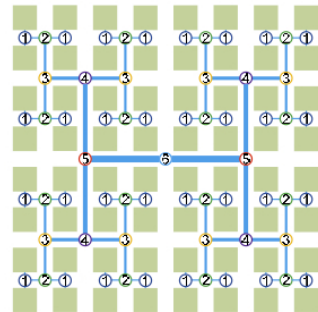
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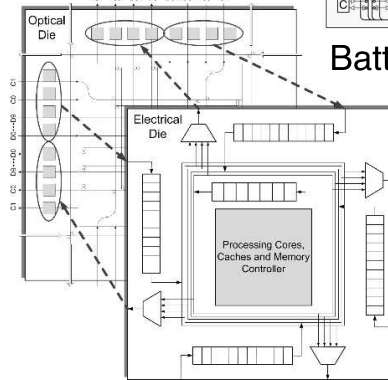
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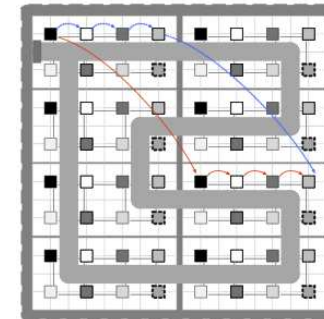
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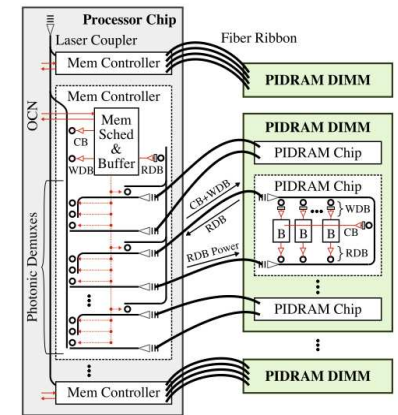
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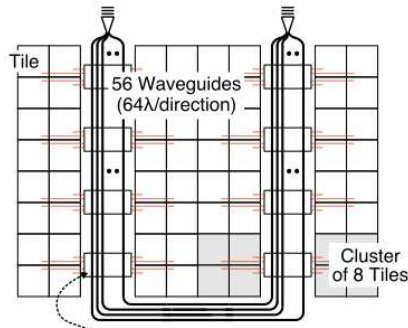
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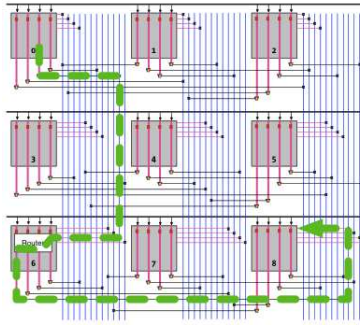
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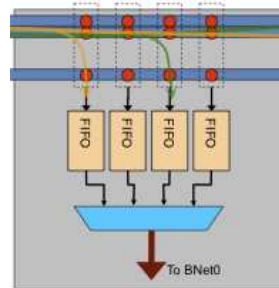
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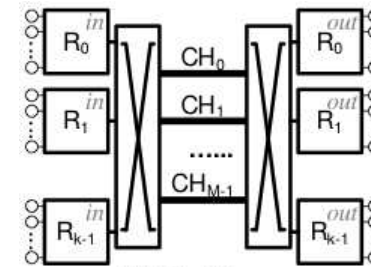
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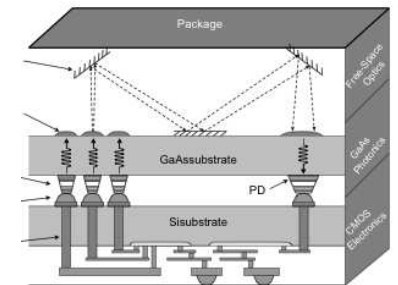
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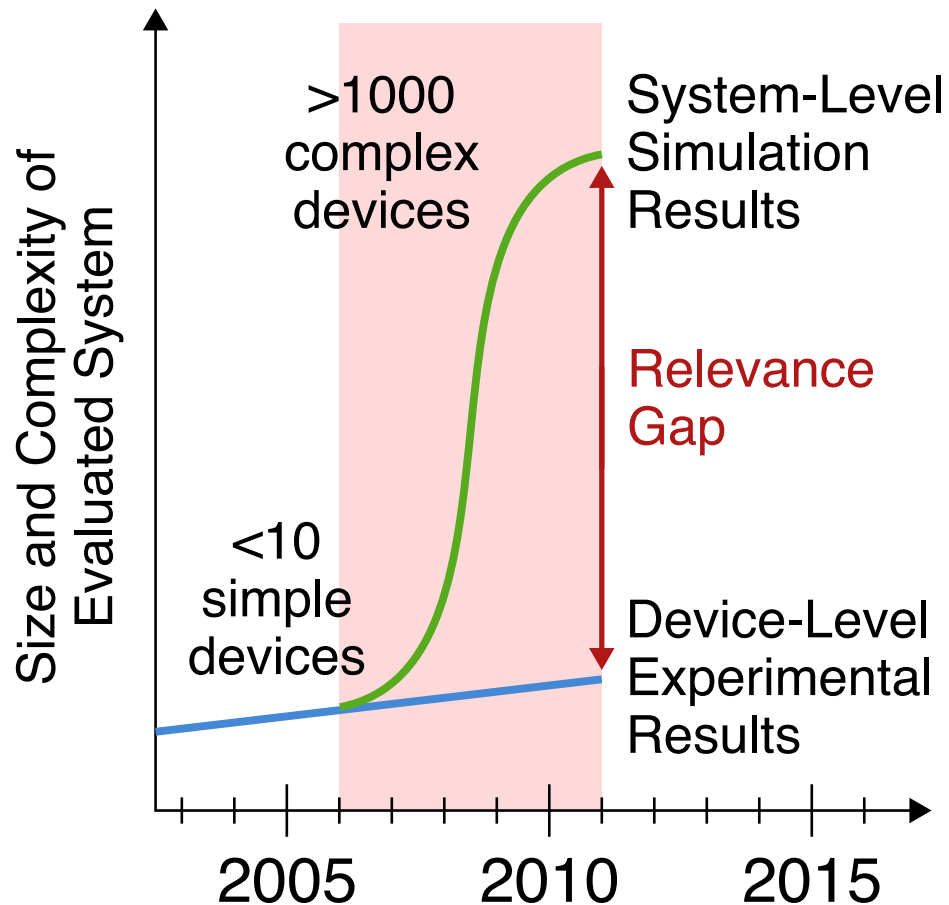


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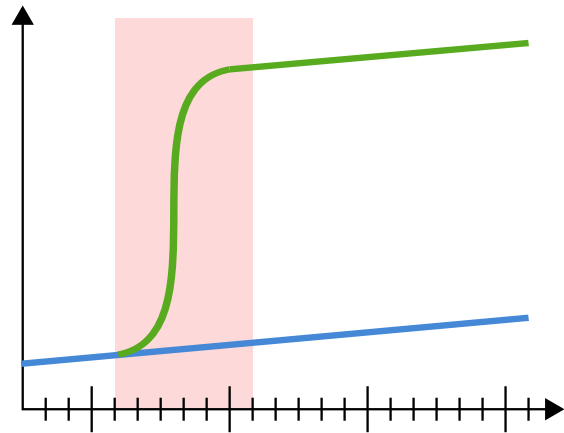
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# Honeymoon Period of Nanophotonic System-Level Research

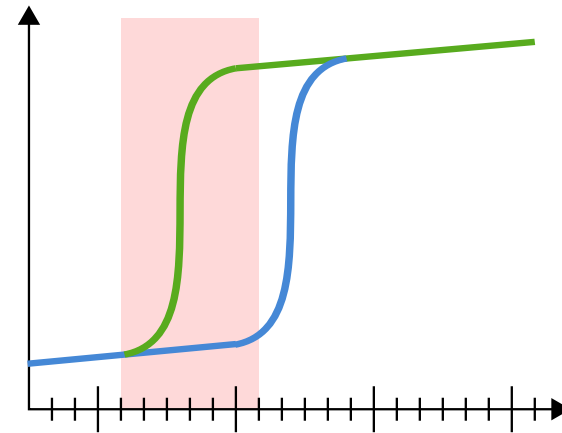


- ▶ Drove excitement in system-level community about this technology
- ▶ Illustrated potential benefit albeit with projected device parameters
- ▶ Less emphasis on practical issues required to really achieve these benefits
  - ▷ Transceiver circuits
  - ▷ Clocking
  - ▷ Off-chip laser design
  - ▷ Thermal tuning
  - ▷ Manufacturing
  - ▷ Reliability

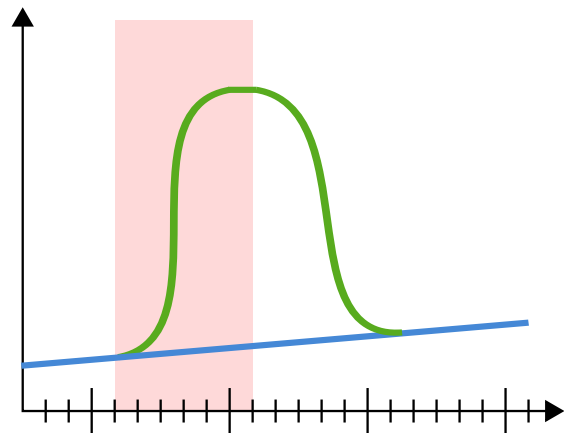
# Possible Post-Honeymoon Research Trajectories?



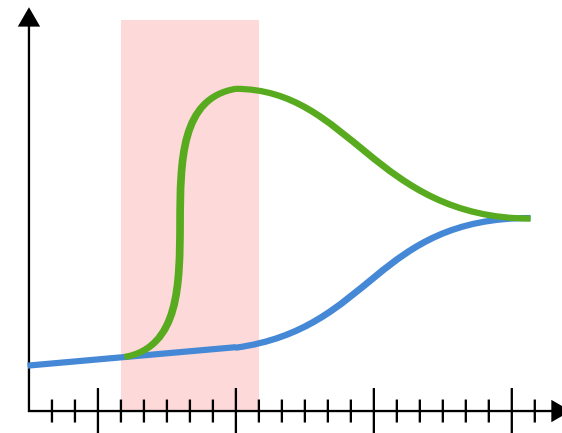
Communities Diverge  
Maintaining Relevance Gap



Disruptive Device Breakthrough  
Solves All Challenges

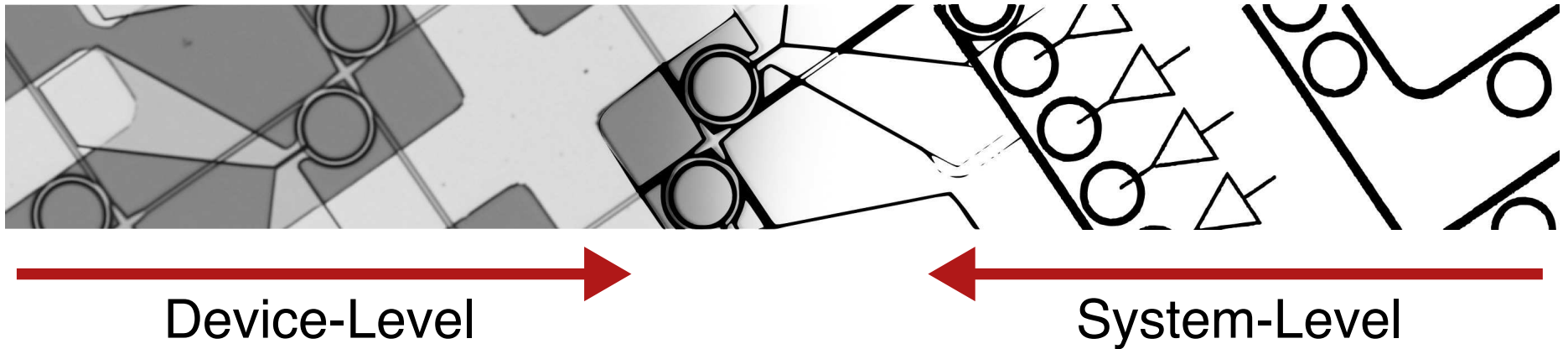


Stop Large-Scale System Research



Meet in the Middle

## Goal for WINDS 2010



To begin to move beyond the honeymoon period by bringing together device-level and system-level nanophotonic researchers to talk about their work and to share their experiences with this emerging technology

# Workshop Agenda: Morning Sessions

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## ▶ 9:00 – 10:00 am : Invited Tutorials

- ▷ *Microphotonics for Next Generation Computers*  
Michael Watts (MIT)
- ▷ *Designing Nanophotonic Interconnection Networks*  
Christopher Batten (Cornell)

## ▶ 10:30 – 12:00 am : Invited Talks

- ▷ *Future State-of-the-Art Electrical Interconnect*  
Byungsub Kim (Intel)
- ▷ *Scaling and Designing Nanomodulators for Chip-Level Integration*  
Sasikanth Manipatruni (GE Global Research)
- ▷ *Keynote: The Oracle Macrochip: Architecture and Devices*  
Frankie Liu and Michael O. McCracken (Oracle, Sun Labs)

# Workshop Agenda: Afternoon Sessions

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## ▶ 1:30 – 2:50 pm : Early Afternoon Session

- ▷ *EOS: A Monolithic CMOS Photonic Platform*  
V. Stojanović et al. (MIT)
- ▷ *Scalable Nanophotonic Interconnect for Cache-Coherent Multicores*  
R.W. Morris and A.K. Kodi (Ohio University)
- ▷ *Device Guidelines for WDM Interconnects Using Silicon Microrings*  
N. Sherwood-Droz, K. Preston, J.S. Levy, and M. Lipson (Cornell)
- ▷ *System-Level Trimming Issues in On-Chip Nanophotonic Networks*  
C. Nitta, M. Farrens, and V. Akella (U.C. Davis)



# Workshop Agenda: Afternoon Sessions

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## ▶ 3:30 – 4:50 pm : Late Afternoon Session

- ▷ *Initial Results of Prototyping a 3D Integrated Intra-Chip Free-Space Optical Interconnect*  
B. Ciftcioglu et al. (University of Rochester)
- ▷ *Towards Chip-Scale Plasmonic Interconnects*  
H.M.G. Wassel et al. (UCSB/Stanford)
- ▷ *Exploring Benefits and Designs of Optically Connected Disintegrated Processor Architecture*  
Y. Pan, Y. Demir, N. Hardavellas, J. Kim, and G. Memik  
(Northwestern/KAIST)
- ▷ *Implementing System-in-Package with Nanophotonic Interconnect*  
M. Cianchetti, N. Sherwood-Droz, and C. Batten (Cornell)

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