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INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE <i>(if applicable)</i>	YEAR(s)	FIELD OF STUDY
Morrisville State College SUNY Union College	A.A.S.	1976 1977-1979	Electrical Technologies Electrical Engineering

A. Positions and Honors.**Positions and Employment**

- 1976 - 1980 Insulating Systems Electrical / Mechanical Staff, GE Turbine Technology Laboratory, Schenectady, NY
- 1980 – 2010 MRI Research RF Engineering Staff, GE Global Research Center, Niskayuna, NY
- 2010 - Present Senior Imaging Research Engineer
Instructor, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine
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Other Experience and Professional Memberships

Member, International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine

Honors

- 2008 32 Channel Prostate Array – Bavarian Government grant, Munich, Germany
- 2007 GE MNST Patent of the year - Integrated low noise amplifier and balun for MRI receivers
- 2005 Whitney Tech Achievement GEGRC - High Channel Parallel Imaging
- 1996 Whitney Technical Achievement GEGRC 1996 - MR Device Tracking
- 2003 Silver Patent Award
- 2002 Imaging Technology Center - High Speed Imaging

B. PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS (From 16 papers, 41 abstracts, 16 patents.)

1. "What is the Optimum Phased Array Coil Design for Cardiac and Torso Magnetic Resonance?", Paul A. Bottomley, Carlos H. Lugo Olivieri, Randy Giaquinto, *Magnetic Resonance in Medicine* 37:591-599 (1997).
2. "Improved high-resolution MRI of human coronary lumen and plaque with a new cardiac coil", Z. Fayad , C. Hardy, R. Giaquinto, *Circulation* 102 (SuppII): II-399 (2000).
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10. "Feasibility of Single Breath-Hold Whole Heart Coverage Coronary MRA Using Highly Accelerated Parallel Imaging with a 32-Channel MR System", Niendorf T, Hardy CJ, Darrow RD, Giaquinto RO, Gross P, Cline H, Darrow RD, Cohen WS, Joshi S, Kenwood G, Rofsky NM, Sodickson DK., *J. Cardiovasc. Magn. Res* 7:58-59 (2005).
11. "Rapid Volumetric MRI Using Parallel Imaging with Order-of-Magnitude Accelerations and a 32-Element RF Coil Array: Feasibility and Implications", Daniel K. Sodickson, Christopher J. Hardy, Yudong Zhu, Randy O. Giaquinto, Patrick Gross, Gontran Kenwood, Thoralf Niendorf, Hubert Lejay, Charles A. McKenzie, Michael A. Ohliger, Aaron K Grant. Neil M. Rofsky, *Academic Radiology* 12:626-635 (2005).
12. "Concentric Coil Arrays for Parallel MRI", Michael A. Ohliger, Robert L. Greenman, Randy Giaquinto, Charles A. McKenzie, Graham Wiggins, and Daniel K. Sodickson *Magnetic Resonance in Medicine* 54:1248-1260 (2005).

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Parallel Excitation for High-Speed and High-Field MRI

The major goal of this project is to develop hardware and data acquisitions techniques to solve the problems of inhomogeneous excitation and high specific absorption rate in high field through the use of multiple excitation/reception technology.