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Professor Alexander Kostin

1. Homepage

A short-bio info

Alexander E. Kostin received his BS degree in electrical engineering from Ryazan Radiotechnical Institute (Technical University), Ryazan, Russia, a PhD in computer engineering from Moscow Engineering-Physical Institute (Technical University), Moscow, and a DSc degree in computer science from Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology (Technical University), Moscow. Up to 1995, he worked as Associate Professor and then as Professor in the Department of Computer Engineering at Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology – Technical University. Since 1995, he has been working as Associate Professor and then Professor in the Department of Computer Engineering of Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, Cyprus. As a university professor, he prepared a variety of courses in computer science and computer engineering, including "Mathematical Foundations of Cybernetics", "System Simulation", "Systems Programming", "Computer Networks", "Network and Distributed Systems", "Internet Architecture and Protocols". His research and professional interests include computer systems analysis, distributed systems and their modeling and simulation, Petri nets and their extensions, advanced simulation systems. He is an author or co-author of six textbooks for students, of over one hundred of other works, including papers in journals and conference proceedings, and surveys of computer science and computer engineering books in English and German languages. His biographical and professional information is published in Marquis Who's Who in the World, 23rd ed., 2006, and in S.Rains (ed.), "2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 21st Century", Ed. 5, Melrose Press, 2008.

2. Education

Degree	Area	University	Year
BSc	Electronics Engineering	Ryazan Radiotechnical Institute – Technical University, USSR	1959
PhD	Computer engineering	Moscow Engineering Physics Institute – Technical University, USSR	1968
DSc (Doctor of Sciences, the next level of education over PhD)	Computer science	Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology-Technical University, USSR	1989

Academic Certificates

Asst Prof	Technical Cybernetics	Tula Technical University, USSR	1968
Assoc Prof	Technical Cybernetics	Tula Technical University, USSR	1970
Professor	Computer science	Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology-Technical University, USSR	1990

Professor	Computer engineering	Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, Northern Cyprus	2007
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3. Academic Career

2010 - present: **Professor** in Girne American University, Girne, Northern Cyprus, in Advanced Programming Languages (for graduate students), Advanced Programming (for graduate students), Data Communication and Networks (for graduate students), Distributed Computing (for graduate students), Advanced Topics in Software Systems, Advanced System Simulation (for graduate students), Computing Concepts and System Software (for graduate students), Advanced DBMS (for graduate students), Operating Systems (for undergraduate students), Networks and Telecommunication (for undergraduate students).

2007 - 2010: **Professor** at Eastern Mediterranean University, Magusa, Northern Cyprus, in Systems Programming, Computer Networks, Internet Architecture and Protocols, Networked Computing, Advanced Systems Simulation (for graduate students), Distributed Systems (for graduate students).

1995 - 2007: **Associate Professor** at Eastern Mediterranean University, Magusa, Northern Cyprus, in Systems Programming, Computer Networks, Systems Simulation (for graduate students), Distributed Systems (for graduate students).

1991 - 1995: **Professor** at Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology - Technical University, Moscow, Russia, in Computer Programming, Assembler Languages, Systems Programming, System Simulation, Data Structures, and Computer Networks.

1976 - 1991: **Associate Professor** at Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology (Technical University), Moscow, Russia, in Computer Programming, Assembler Languages, Systems Programming, System Simulation, Data Structures, and Computer Networks.

1970 - 1974: **Associate Professor** at Tula Technical University, Tula, USSR, in Mathematical Foundation of Cybernetics, Operations Research, Optimization Theory.

1969 - 1970: **Assistant Professor** at Tula Technical University, Tula, USSR, in Mathematical Foundation of Cybernetics, Operations Research, Optimization Theory.

1959 – 1969: **Project engineer** and then **leading project engineer** in a Research & Development Co., Tula, USSR.

Awards:

A medal and diploma for the best Scientific work, by Ministry of Higher Education of USSR, 23.03.1983

Personal and professional information is presented in
“Marquis Who’s Who in the World” (Edition 26, November 2005)

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S.Rains (ed.), **“2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 21st Century”**, Edition 5,
Melrose Press, 2009,
to appreciate the achievements as an educator and scientist.

4. Publications:

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13. A.Kostin, G.Oz, and H.Haci, "A Restricted Flooding Mechanism for Efficient Anycast Server Localization in MANETs", *Wireless Networks (SCI journal)*, vol. 21, no. 5, pp. 1603 – 1612, 2015, available also online at <http://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11276-014-0872-1>.

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2. Kostin, A.E., *Structure and Functioning of Microcomputers*, Vyshaya Shkola Publ., Moscow, 1987.
3. Kostin, A.E., and Shangin, V.F., *Organization and Processing of Data Structures in Computer Systems*, Vyshaya Shkola Publ., Moscow, 1987.
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2. Kostin, A.E., *Introduction to Systems Programming*, MIET Press, Moscow, 1980.
3. Kostin, A.E., *Large Systems: Elements of Theory*, Tula Tech. Univ. Press, Tula, 1973.

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1. Zverev, E.M, Mikhailov, B.A., and Kostin, A.E., "Implementation of Interprocessor Communication in a Multiprocessor System," *Communication Technology: Microelectronic Systems*, 1981, No. 1, pp. 90 - 94.
2. Ilushechkin, V.M., Kostin, A.E., and Shangin, V.F., "Interactive System for the

Creation and Solving of E-net Simulation Models," *Electronic Technology*, 1983, No. 3(48), pp. 45 - 47.

3. Kornilov, A.R., and Kostin, A.E., "A Scheduler of Concurrent Processes for the DVK Operating System," *Microprocessor Tools and Systems*, (Moscow), 1986, No. 4, pp. 56 -58.
4. Kostin, A.E., "Software Package for the E-net Based Modeling of Discrete Systems with Concurrent Processes," *Control Systems and Machines*, (Moscow), 1987, No. 4, 58 - 72.
5. Kostin, A.E., Ilushechkin, V.M., and Kornilov, A.R., "Representation of Concurrent Processes in Distributed Microprocessor Systems by E-nets," *High School Communications: Instrumental Tools*, (Moscow), 1986, vol. 29, No. 3, pp. 28 - 33.
6. Kostin, A.E., and Savchenko, L.V., "Extended E-nets for Investigation of Systems of Distributed Information Processing," *Automatics and Computers*, (Riga Proceedings of All-Union Conference "Technology of Programming), 1988, No. 6, pp. 27 - 35.
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In proceedings of conferences and workshops (refereed):

1. Kostin, A.E., "Modeling as a Technological Stage in the Development of Real-Time Programs," *Proceedings of All-Union Conference "Technology of Programming"*, Kiev, Glushkov's Institute of Cybernetics, Academy of Science of Ukraine, 1986, pp. 180 - 182.
2. Kostin, A.E., and Ilushechkin, V.M., "Formalized Representation and Modeling of Network Systems," *Proc. of the 10th All-Union Workshop on Computer Networks*, Academy of Science of USSR, 1985, Part 3, pp. 66 - 71.
3. Kostin, A.E., Ilushechkin, V.M., and Kornilov, A.R., "Implementation of Inter-Layer Interfaces for a Local Area Network of Microcomputers," *Proc. of the 11th All-Union Workshop on Computer Networks*, Academy of Science of USSR, Riga, 1986, Part 3, pp. 298 - 302.
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5. Research

Computer systems analysis and simulation, computer networks, distributed systems, models and algorithms for organization of distributed data processing, distributed computing and distributed computing platforms and environments, network and systems programming (with object orientation), Petri nets and their extensions, development of advanced simulation systems, simulation of communication systems and protocols, pattern analysis and recognition, development of systems software.

1995 - present: **Modeling, simulation and investigation of networked and distributed data processing systems.**

1990 - 1995: **Scientific manager** of a research group in a number of projects on modeling and simulation of computer networks and distributed systems.

1984 - 1990: **Scientific manager** of a research group in a number of projects on the development of an advanced simulation system based on the extended Petri nets.

1980 - 1984: **Scientific manager** of a research group in a project on the design and implementation of the communication subsystem for a multiprocessor numerical control (NC) system.

1976 - 1980: **Scientific manager** of a research group in a project on the development and implementation of a multiprocessor message switching system.

1969 - 1976: **Scientific manager** of a research group on the design and implementation of algorithms and software for pattern recognition.

1959 - 1969: **Project engineer** and then **leading project engineer** in a research group on the development of algorithms and components of a pattern recognition system.

Academic advisor to several Ph.D. theses in Computer Engineering at Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology - Technical University (Moscow, Russia), Eastern Mediterranean University (Magusa, KKTC) and Girne American University (Girne, KKTC).

Author of about 100 scientific publications in Computer Science and Computer Engineering, including a few textbooks for university students.

Translator and editor of the Russian edition of the book of Tremblay, J.P., and Sorenson, P.G., *An Introduction to Data Structures with Applications*, McGraw-Hill, 1984.

Personal and professional information is included in the following Reference Books:

1. Marquis Who's Who in the World, Edition 26, published in November 2005, to appreciate the achievements as an educator and scientist.
2. 2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 21st Century, Edition 5, International Biographic Centre, UK, 2008.

Research in process –working papers

Modeling, simulation and investigation of networked and distributed data processing systems.

List of PhD students of MIS Department, GAU, who have defended their PhD theses in 2012 – 2018 under supervision of Prof A.Kostin

Name and Surname	PhD thesis topic (abbreviated)	Date of defense
Yasemin Fanaeian	Anycast-based routing in wireless sensor networks	October 19, 2012
Arif Sari	Security mechanisms in mobile ad-hoc networks	December 28, 2012
Hassan Rawash	Electronic human resource management	January 15, 2013
Bibigul Tulegenova	Using repertory grid technique	February 8, 2013
Gokhan Ozkartal	Speech understanding system	June 10, 2014
Mehmet Karay	Modeling of Distributed Workflow Processes in Information Systems with Extended Petri Nets	March 11, 2015

Hayder Wattar	Routing in wireless sensor networks	Feb 10, 2016
Ahmad Al-Radaideh	Cloud computing in healthcare	Feb 17, 2016
Ahmad Ghazi Al Shanty(cosupervisor)	A trusted third party authentication protocol for WSNs	Dec 22, 2016
Johnson Olu-Egbunive	Using Virtualization for Network Management	Feb 6, 2017
Emran AlJarrah	Performance investigation of the routing protocol for Low Power and Unreliable Networks for IoT	Feb. 2018

Defended MSc and PhD theses (in Eastern Mediterranean University)

Name	Degree	Date Admitted	Student Status	Date Conferred	Thesis Title
A.Sundal	MS	05.10.2002	Graduated	10.11.2004	Performance Investigation of the IEEE 802.11b Wireless Network
A.Amintabar	MS	15.11.2002	Graduated	20.12.2004	Development of a New Distributed Leader Election Protocol
Z.Sharghi	MS	7.10.2007	Graduated	20.2.2009	Models and Methods of Dissemination of Information in Wireless Networks
H.Haci	MS	8.11.2008	Graduated	21.2.2010	Performance Investigation of Simulation Models of Wireless Mobile Networks
G. Oz	PhD	01.10.1997	Graduated	10.06.2001	Organization and Assessment of Distributed Load Balancing
A. Aktun	MS	10.09.1996	Graduated	20.07.1996	A Comparative Study of Network Application Programming Interfaces

R. Azmi	MS	12.09.1997	Graduated	10.07.1999	Design and Implementation of Alternating Sequential/Parallel Computation in a Distributed Environment
C. Atlig	MS	6.09.1998	Graduated	19.09.2000	Development of an Architecture and Implementation of Distributed Replicated Services
S. Khalid	MS	09.09.1999	Graduated	11.9.2001	The Design and Performance Study of a Distributed System Based on Java RMI
Z. Yetgin	MS	12.09.2000	Graduated	1.2.2002	Development of a Hierarchical Election Algorithm for a Large-Scale Distributed System
Y.K. Yuce	MS	15.09.2001	Graduated	18.9.2003	Development of a Reliable Multicast System in a Local Area Network

6. Professional Career

Appointments and Affiliations

2010 - present: **Professor** at Girne American University, Girne, Northern Cyprus, in Advanced Programming Languages (for graduate students), Advanced Programming (for graduate students), Data Communication and Networks (for graduate students), Distributed Computing (for graduate students), Advanced Topics in Software Systems (for graduate students), Advanced System Simulation (for graduate students), Computing Concepts and System Software (for graduate students), Advanced DBMS (for graduate students), Operating Systems (for undergraduate students), Networks and Telecommunication (for undergraduate students).

2007 - 2010: **Professor** at Eastern Mediterranean University, Magusa, Northern Cyprus, in Systems Programming, Computer Networks, Internet Architecture and Protocols, Networked Computing, Advanced Systems Simulation (for graduate students), Distributed Systems (for graduate students).

1995 - 2007: **Associate Professor** at Eastern Mediterranean University, Magusa, Northern Cyprus, in Systems Programming, Computer Networks, Systems Simulation (for graduate students), Distributed Systems (for graduate students).

1991 - 1995: **Professor** at Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology - Technical University, Moscow, Russia, in Computer Programming, Assembler Languages, Systems Programming, System Simulation, Data Structures, and Computer Networks.

1976 - 1991: **Associate Professor** at Moscow Institute of Electronic Technology (Technical University), Moscow, Russia, in Computer Programming, Assembler Languages, Systems Programming, System Simulation, Data Structures, and Computer Networks.

1970 - 1974: **Associate Professor** at Tula Technical University, Tula, USSR, in Mathematical Foundation of Cybernetics, Operations Research, Optimization Theory.

1969 - 1970: **Assistant Professor** at Tula Technical University, Tula, USSR, in Mathematical Foundation of Cybernetics, Operations Research, Optimization Theory.

1959 – 1969: **Project engineer** and then **leading project engineer** in a Research & Development Co., Tula, USSR.

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