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World-class training workshop on analog IC power management by top Integrated Circuit (IC) expert from the United States

HKSTP and ON Semiconductor, a Hong Kong Science Park tenant specialising in advanced semiconductor, jointly organised a 3-day intensive 'Analog IC Power Management' training workshop on 13-15 August 2003 at Hong Kong Science Park. World renowned IC expert Dr Gabriel A. Rincon-Mora, Director, Georgia Tech Analog IC Design Consortium of Georgia Institute of Technology, was invited as the lecturer of the training.



"IC design is one of the key focuses of HKSTP and we are committed to driving its development in the local industry. We are pleased to organise such a world-class training workshop where we can bring new visions and innovations of IC technology to the local professionals and facilitate idea and experience exchanges," said Ir SW Cheung, Vice President of Business Development and Technology Support of HKSTP. "It's our honor to have Dr Rincon-Mora as our speaker, who shared with us invaluable insights in the industry."

"It's very encouraging to see Hong Kong has such a strong focus on the IC design industry. I'm particularly impressed with HKSTP's dedicated effort in driving the development of Hong Kong's technology sector,"said Dr Rincon-Mora.

Based on a top-down design approach, the workshop included introduction and discussion of the emergence of high performance voltage regulators, state-of-the-art design considerations and constraints as well as the practical issues behind their implementation.

A total of 18 participants joined the workshop, including Science Park tenants ON Semiconductor, SOLOMON Systech Ltd., REnex Technology Limited and incubatee MiniLogic Device Corporation Limited.

"The workshop was fruitful with very positive responses and interactions, which helped inspire new ideas and innovations in IC design." Dr Rincon-Mora concluded. "The professionals here are very competent and of high quality. Coupled with HKSTP's excellent supporting facilities and the government regulations, I'm confident that Hong Kong's IC design industry is moving towards a bright future and I look forward to seeing its great success soon."

