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research and education in
the Finnish ICT sector

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Foreword

by the current
Chair of the Board

Education, research and development are key factors for economic growth and, therefore, the well-being of our society. They provide the resources to realise growth in a sustainable way, including all the elements of sustainability, the environment, society and the economy. Nokia Foundation already has 30 years of history on this path of supporting education and research in ICT in Finland. This document tells that history.

In the ICT industry, competitiveness depends on the quality of the technology provided — meaning there has been heavy investments in R&D in the ICT domain. Recently, Nokia has invested around four billion euros annually in R&D. Among companies in Finland, this level of investment is totally in a league of its own.

Nokia Foundation should not settle with anything but the best. Nokia Foundation has encouraged this by welcoming top-level scientists into our community and taking highly promising researchers to the best places in the world. Nokia Foundation has also supported the best research and education in the ICT sector in Finland. Investing in talent is necessary so that we can continue to compete with the best globally. The evidence of this very broad support by Nokia Foundation over the last 30 years is presented also in the appendix to this history. The cumulative sum of the awards given by the Nokia Foundation during its 30 years of history sums up to more than 11,5 million euros.

Mikko Uusitalo

Chair of the Board, Nokia Foundation

September 2025



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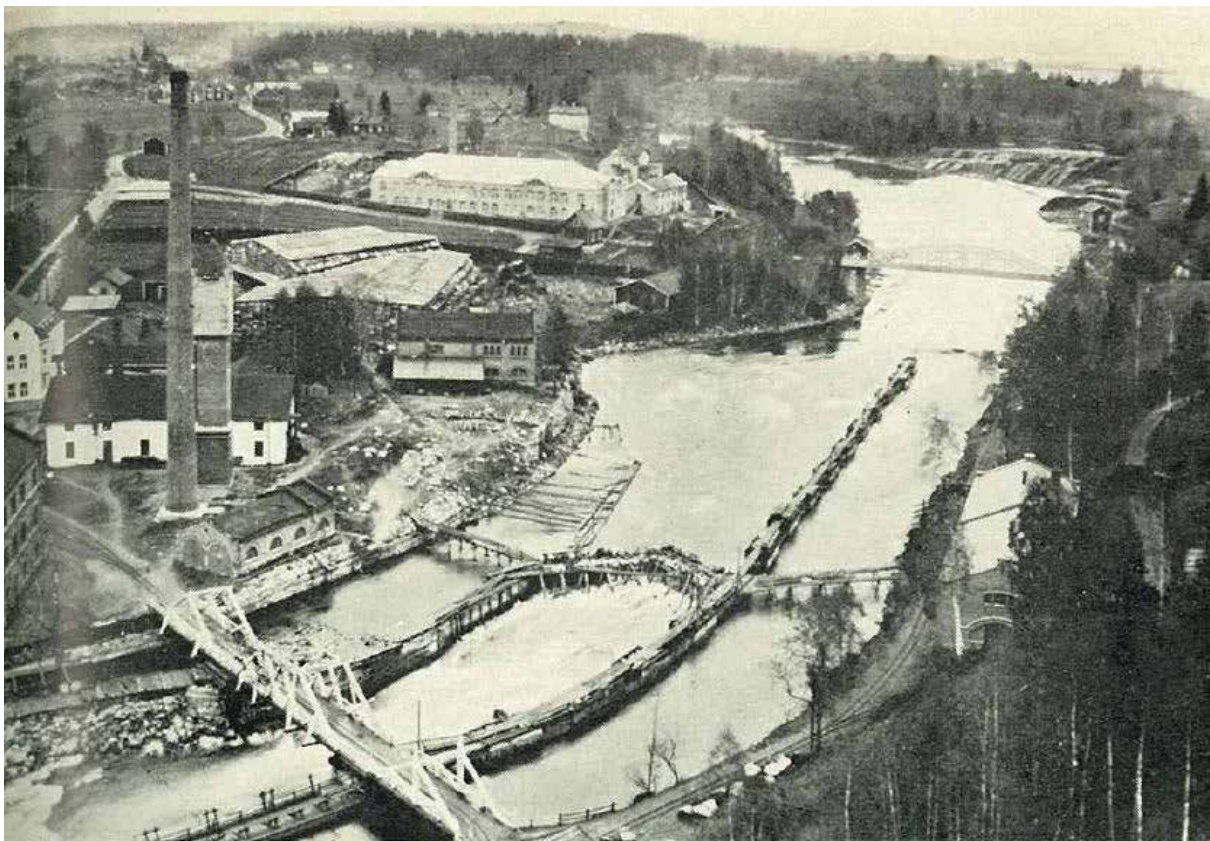
Establishment of the Foundation



Transformation of Nokia into a technology company

The name "Nokia" originates from a wood pulp mill that was founded on the banks of the rapids of the same name in 1865. Nokia became a multi-sector corporation at the beginning of

1967 when the forest industry company Nokia, Suomen Kumitehdas Oy (Finnish Rubber Works) and Suomen Kaapelitehdas Oy (Finnish Cable Works) were merged into Oy Nokia Ab.



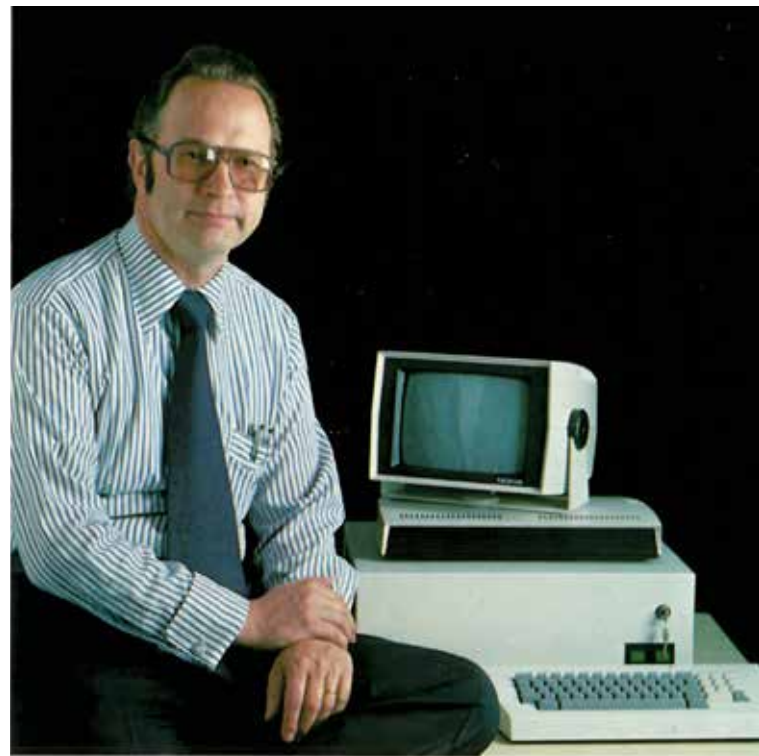
Nokia paper factory in 1909.

Nokia's roots as a technology company stem from Suomen Kaapelitehdas (Finnish Cable Works), which began selling and marketing computers from other manufacturers in the early 1960s. The company also established a data centre that was used by leading Finnish companies when they started using computers. Finnish Cable Works began manufacturing two-way radios in the mid-1960s.



President Kekkonen, CEO Westerlund and President Breznev in 1961 at Nokia cable factory.

In the 1970s, Nokia began manufacturing digital call centres, as they started running on time division multiplexing technology (TDMT), which Nokia already had strong expertise in. In 1979, Nokia and Salora founded the mobile phone joint venture Mobira Oy, which in 1989 became Nokia Mobile Phones. The company's share of the global mobile phone market increased to 10 per cent the following year.



Nokia CEO Kari Kairamo and the Mikro Mikko computer.

Nokia launched its first computer in 1972. The scale of computer production extended in 1988 when Nokia developed the office computer Mikro Mikko and acquired the Swedish company Ericsson Information Systems. Nokia grew into the largest computer company in the Nordic countries.

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Nokia television in the 1980s.
Työväenmuseo Werstas.

In 1984 Nokia also, it also expanded its operations to the production of televisions through acquisitions in 1984. Nokia had a strong belief in the integration of TVs, monitors and computers. Following major acquisitions in 1987, Nokia became one of the major European television manufacturers.¹

Research, development and technology were top priorities for Kari Kairamo, the CEO of Nokia, in the early 1980s. With the establishment of the TEKES, the Finnish Funding Agency for Technology in 1983, the focus began to shift from fragmented and individual research projects to national technology programs. These programs formed an important layer alongside private research activities and concentrated resources on building fundamental expertise². According to Yrjö Neuvo, who was Professor at the Tampere University of Technology at the time, “the national will was to move forward in technology”. He also visited University of Oulu as a teacher within a national program, which he considered to be “hugely important” for Finland’s development.³



Professor Yrjö Neuvo, 1986.
Veli-Matti Parkkinen / Vapriikin kuva-arkisto.

In 1986, Finland’s leading technology company Nokia established a joint research and development unit within its electronics division. It quickly found its place as a service provider to the business units and grew at an annual rate of 50%. In 1989, the R&D unit employed 200 people.

Nokia established an electrical engineering training program for its employees in Salo in 1987. The students had passed the normal admission exams of Tampere University of Technology and studied in accordance with the university’s study guide. Professor Neuvo held DISKO and LISKO courses at the Salo Research Center in the fields of digital signal processing and telecommunications technology, which made him very familiar among the researchers at Nokia’s Salo unit.⁴

1 Häikiö 2002.
2 Michelsen 1993, 264-265; Häikiö 2002, 114.
3 Neuvo, 6 August 2025.
4 Häikiö 2015, 168.



The world's first GSM call was made by the Governor of the Bank of Finland, Harri Holkeri, over a network provided by Nokia and Radiolinja in July 1991.

Dark clouds started gathering over Nokia in 1988. Some of the major acquisitions were perhaps not well thought out. The television industry suffered from overcapacity in the sector, which resulted in losses. Nokia discontinued its operations in the traditional paper industry and the manufacture of rubber boots. The Finnish economic boom of the 1980s ended in 1990, and unemployment began to rise worryingly. One of the mainstays of the Finnish economy, the profitable Eastern trade, was declining and ended in its traditional form in 1991 when the Soviet Union collapsed. Finland fell into recession. Nokia's Telecommunications unit, which manufactured call centres and networks, had lost its most important export market. Nokia lost a lot of money.

Fortunately, Nokia's Telecommunications unit found new markets in the West just as demand for digital mobile networks began to grow strongly. Nokia Mobile Phones succeeded in

producing its first hit phone at the beginning of 1992.⁵ As Nokia's production facilities were in Finland, the company also benefited from the huge devaluations of the Finnish markka (FIM) in November 1991 and October 1992. Jorma Ollila, Chief of Nokia Mobile Phones, was appointed as CEO at the beginning of 1992. He recruited Professor Neuvo as Nokia's Chief Technology Officer at the beginning of 1993, although at the time Neuvo had "an excellent working environment, a good international network of researchers and collaborative projects with companies".

“Nokia Mobile Phones succeeded in producing its first hit phone at the beginning of 1992.”

"To create a clear framework"

According to Jorma Ollila, there were occasional discussions about establishing a foundation after he started as CEO. However, it was a very challenging time for the company, "until 1994, when we realised that we would survive, that we had created the right concept in our strategy. Focusing on telecommunications and mobile phones would drive our growth." At that time, the company increased its investments in research and development considerably. At the same time, Nokia realised that "we must do everything in our power to support the creation of a sufficient academic basis, sufficient amount of theses and sufficient research in Finland."⁶ Ollila managed to recruit Juhani Kuusi, Director General of TEKES the Finnish Funding Agency for Technology and Innovation, Doctor of Technology, as Head of Nokia Research Center in early 1995.

According to the Nokia Foundation History over the first 10 years, the idea of establishing the Foundation gradually came from the people working at Nokia. Nokia received a large number of sponsorship requests from universities and student organisations, and the company wanted

to support them. Nokia also wanted to profile itself as an expert in its field.⁷ In spring 2025, Jorma Ollila says that

the idea of the Foundation was born in discussions between Yrjö Neuvo, Juhani Kuusi and me. Juhani Kuusi was Head of Nokia Research Center. And Yrjö Neuvo had strongly influenced the decision to recruit him. We both knew him, of course. Yrjö Neuvo's background was in the academic world in Tampere. Juhani Kuusi, on the other hand, had worked as a civil servant and ended up at TEKES. In our discussions, we understood that now could be the right time. I am not sure who said what in the discussion.⁸

According to Yrjö Neuvo, "there was an urgent need to establish the Foundation because the number of doctors employed in business was so low".⁹ Juhani Kuusi's experience in building TEKES operations also made him a solid expert in the world of foundations. According to Kuusi, "the aim of the Foundation was to create a clear framework with social relevance to support students and researchers and to publicly

6 Ollila, 13 May 2025.

7 Nokia Foundation: A decade of activities 1995–2004. Nokia Foundation 2004.

8 Ollila, 13 May 2025.

9 Neuvo, 6 August 2025.



Professor Markku Juntti University of Oulu

represent social responsibility on behalf of Nokia as a whole”.¹⁰ Professor Markku Juntti, who served on the Board of Nokia Foundation for a long time, remembers that “there was a lot of discussion in the 1990s about doctoral education and about how it should be increased. By establishing the Foundation, Nokia wanted to do its part.”¹¹

According to Ollila, Nokia needed and wanted to attract people with a “strong academic background to Finland. And if someone wanted to write a doctoral thesis on topics defined by the Foundation, the Foundation would provide support.” Another motive was that by supporting educational institutions and the scientific field, the state would be more willing to invest in them. In this way, Finnish technical colleges and universities could provide sufficient support for Nokia and other Finnish companies in the industry. Of course, the third important factor was Nokia’s corporate image in general and especially among students.¹²

After CEO Ollila made a proposal to establish the Foundation, Nokia’s Board of Directors took the

matter to the Annual General Meeting. Nokia’s Annual General Meeting, held at the Helsinki Fair Centre on 30 March 1995, decided to establish Oy Nokia Ab’s Foundation with a share capital of FIM 10 million and approved the Foundation’s rules.¹³ The purpose of the Foundation was to support the scientific development of information and telecommunications technology and to promote teaching in the field in Finland. From 1997, the Foundation’s official name was Nokia Corporation’s Foundation, and it was called Nokia Foundation in unofficial contexts.



The establishment permit and approval of the rules for the Nokia Foundation by the Finnish Patent and Registration Office.

- 10 Nokia Foundation: A decade of activities 1995–2004. Nokia Foundation 2004.
- 11 Ollila, 13 May 2025; Juntti, 5 August 2025.
- 12 Ollila, 13 May 2025.
- 13 Oy Nokia Ab Board of Directors, 30 March 1995.





Capital increases create the basis for effective operations

Finland joined the European Union at the beginning of 1995. The country continued to suffer from high unemployment, but the activity and success of Nokia and its subcontractors were early signs of better times. As a successful high-tech manufacturer, Nokia boosted the self-esteem of a nation used to hard living. On the day of the Annual General Meeting, Nokia announced that it had signed a large digital mobile network expansion agreement in Germany, the value of which was FIM 2.5 billion. The order was the largest single transaction in Nokia's history to date.¹⁴

When the Foundation's first grants and awards were awarded in November 1995, Nokia suffered an acute "logistics problem, as the computer systems were not working properly. The components and products were shipped to the wrong continent. But when the growth rate is about a hundred per cent, this can happen and the systems rarely keep up. But in this case, the problem was perhaps bigger than usual," Ollila says in spring 2025. From the point of view

of the Foundation's establishment, the timing of the logistics problem was interesting. If the Foundation had been proposed in 1996, Ollila says that "we might have questioned whether we had the money for this right now". In the spring of 1997, when Nokia's Board of Directors proposed to the Annual General Meeting that the Foundation's capital be increased by FIM 10 million, Nokia's outlook was much brighter, even brilliant.

Ollila remembers that the decision was not straightforward for Board of Directors:

The Board disagreed on how much money should be invested in the Foundation. Iiro Viinanen was of the opinion that since money seems to be coming in, we should invest boldly. And then there were others, the bankers on the Board, who thought this was the wrong starting point. I did not agree with the bankers, I even supported the higher amount, and then we increased the amount. At the Annual General Meeting,



Viinanen even made a statement that the investment could be larger. The original proposal remained, but the matter was thought over.¹⁵

The Annual General Meeting approved the proposed capital increase. As Minister of Finance, Iiro Viinanen had supervised the state's treasury through the severe recession in 1991-1996. After his term as Minister, he became CEO of one of Nokia's major owners, Insurance Company Pohjola, and thereby joined Nokia's Board of Directors.

At the end of 1997, Nokia also donated to the Foundation funds from the recognition award that Eduard Rhein Stiftung - which promotes research and development in radio, television and information technology - had awarded to Heikki Huttunen of Nokia Mobile Phones for the development of GSM.¹⁶

In the winter of 1998, Nokia's Board of Directors noted that the company's profitability had turned

so good that it proposed an increase in the Foundation's capital by another FIM 10 million. The Annual General Meeting approved the proposal.¹⁷ In 1998, the return on investments in the Foundation was weak and Nokia made a further donation of FIM 150,000 to cover the planned grants. In 1999, the Foundation's capital was increased by another three million euros. The total amount of grants and awards awarded in 1998 was FIM 913,000. Three years later, the equivalent amount was EUR 423,000, or approximately FIM 2.5 million.¹⁸

With the increased basic capital, the Foundation's operations gained a fairly stable and established ground. Nokia Foundation's capital was increased by five million Euros in 2004 with the note that no additional financing was expected from Nokia in the coming years. At the end of 2004, the Foundation's investment assets amounted to EUR 12.6 million.¹⁹

15 Ollila, 13 May 2025.

16 Board of Directors 3/1997; 1/1998;
<https://www.eduard-rhein-stiftung.de/entwicklung-des-digitalen-mobiltelefonsystes-gsm/>

17 Ollila, 13 May 2025; Board of Directors 1/1998; 2/1998.

18 Board of Directors 4/1998; 1/1999; 2/1999 (agenda); 3/2000; 2/2001.

19 Board of Directors 1/2004; 1/2005.

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First years of operations





Nokia Foundation Board and annual celebrations

The structure of Nokia Foundation Board was established so that the Chair and two Board members would come from Nokia. The remaining three positions were filled by application among Finnish universities and the academic world, in accordance with the Foundation's rules. Juhani Kuusi became the first Chair of the Foundation Board. The other two members representing Nokia were Yrjö Neuvo and Kaj G. Lindén. The first professors to become Board members were Jaakko Astola from Tampere University of Technology, Jorma Lammasniemi from Technical Research Center of Finland (VTT) and Heikki Saikkonen from Helsinki University of Technology.

Lindén left the Board at the end of 1999. Kuusi continued to chair the Board until the end of 2003. Tero Ojanperä, Head of Nokia Research Center, succeeded him as the new Chair. Yrjö Neuvo's term on the Board of Nokia Foundation lasted from the Foundation's establishment until 2009, a total of 15 years, making him the longest-serving member in the Board's history. Members representing the research world initially changed annually, until the turn of the millennium, when the term was extended

to two or three years. Helsinki University of Technology (Aalto University since 2009) and Tampere University of Technology (Tampere University since 2019) have had representatives on the Foundation's Board throughout its history, as has the University of Oulu, with the exception of a few years.

The Foundation has not distributed any remuneration to the members of the Board, except for a short period in the early 2000s. In a way, Nokia supported the Foundation by donating the contributions of its employees to the Board without compensation. This also applied to the Foundation Officer and secretary, who came from Nokia. Nokia's volunteers were responsible for the Foundation's financial management and accounting. This kept the operating costs low.

The largest individual overhead expense consisted of the arrangements for the annual celebrations. Those were attended by the grant recipients, the recipient of the annual recognition award, the Foundation's Board, Nokia's CEO and representatives of Nokia's and the Research Center stakeholders. Hannu Kauppinen, who




Nokia N-Gage gaming phone in technology demo in Award Ceremony 2004 in Nokia Research Center (NRC) Ruoholahti.

started working at Nokia Research Center in 1997, remembers seeing a large group of PhD students on a scholarship and professors in the large auditorium of the Ruoholahti office building, listening to the acknowledgement speech of the award-winner.

Then I realised that this is something very significant in the Finnish research world, and that researchers who have received grants see this as a great career development opportunity for themselves, adding it to their resumes that they have received a grant from Nokia Foundation, which will guarantee their success.

On the other hand, Nokia knew who the award winners were and could recruit them to work for Nokia.²⁰ Nokia Foundation's 10th anniversary celebration in 2004 was also held at the Ruoholahti Research Center. In the early years, the anniversary celebrations were occasionally held at Hotel Lord, also known as Vanha Poli.

20 Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.



Nokia Scholarship encourages postgraduate studies

The Board of Nokia Foundation initially granted three different grants: Nokia Scholarship, Nokia Visiting Fellow and Nokia Team. The Foundation had a two-fold role, which has remained the framework of its operations for decades. On the one hand, it provided extensive support for researcher training, while on the other hand, it promoted the transfer and development of excellence through researcher visits. The main objective was to support young post-graduate students so that the grant recipients could take a leave from their main position for the duration of the grant period. This was a recommendation for most of the recipients. It was an absolute requirement for Nokia employees only. With regard to the distribution of grants, the policy was that Nokia employees were not favoured, but also not discriminated against.²¹

The Foundation wanted to encourage high-quality, pioneering research and fast graduation at a young age. In terms of the number of grants and their total amount, the majority were distributed as scholarships, which were granted

for “further studies in Finland and abroad to persons aiming for a Licentiate’s or Doctoral degree”. The purpose of the scholarship was to support, in particular, young post-graduate students, and one student could receive the grant twice during their studies. The maximum grant amount was set at FIM 30,000 in the autumn of 1995. In this first round, grants were awarded to seventeen post-graduate students. The total amount of FIM 420,500 accounted for more than 70 per cent of all the funding distributed by the Foundation, including the recognition award. Some of the post-graduate students received a scholarship for a visit to a foreign university.²²

In the first application round, the number of applicants was still small. Perhaps the potential applicants at universities thought that the application had to be connected to Nokia’s mobile phones or networks. In the Board’s opinion, the targets set in the first grant applications were modest. However, the situation improved quickly. The Foundation received “many high-

21 Report of the Board of Directors, 1995.

22 Nokia Foundation: A decade of activities 1995-2004. Nokia Foundation 2004.; Board of Directors 4/1995.



quality” applications, as was stated in the annual reports year after year.

In 1999, the Foundation shifted its focus from full-time scholarships to efficient and prompt post-graduate studies.²³ The policy can also be approached from the point of view of the grant amount. The establishment of graduate schools under the Ministry of Education provided an even clearer path to further studies in higher education institutions in the late 1990s. The research schools made the work of post-graduate students more structured, more efficient and financially safer.



The Polytech Choir (Polyteknikkojen kuoro) in the Nokia Foundation Awards Ceremony in Dipoli, Otaniemi.

In 1998, the Finnish Cultural Foundation significantly increased scholarships for doctoral researchers to enable them to work all year round. At the time, the grant amounts varied from to FIM 70,000 to 80,000. The following year, the amount rose to FIM 90,000²⁴, and the Foundation could promise conditional three-year funding to new doctoral students. Larger foundations and research schools tended to prefer the overall funding of thesis projects.

Nokia Foundation did not develop its operations in the same direction.

The number of scholarship applications received by the Foundation increased sharply after the turn of the millennium. In 2000, 134 grants were applied for and 67 were granted, totalling EUR 311,000.²⁵ In 2002, the number of applications was 243 applications, and in the peak year 2005, the number rose to 300 applications, and the number of granted scholarships was 70. The Foundation’s representatives were pleased with the development. “We have been able to contribute to the increased interest in basic research in the telecommunications industry,” Yrjö Neuvo estimated in 2004, referring to Nokia and Nokia Foundation. Markku Juntti, who received the Nokia Scholarship in 1997, remembers that during the dot-com bubble at the turn of the century, research was also extended in companies. In the case of Nokia Foundation, the increased awareness of the Foundation may also have had an impact. “When information flows, there are more applications and, at the same time, the quality of the applications increases,” said Professor Markku Kivikoski, assessing the situation in 2004.²⁶

It was undeniable that the traditional way of thinking that “a master’s in engineering was really good, and nothing interesting came after it” was weakening. The change had started slowly and accelerated in the late 1990s. According to Neuvo, “students started to understand that PhDs can also be employed by business”. A good example of this is Kai Öistämö, a student at the Tampere University of Technology. He completed his doctoral degree in 1992 with notable determination. Having joined Nokia in 1991, he subsequently advanced to become the Head of the company’s mobile phone division. “The idea began to take root — it marked a

23 Board of Directors 1/1999.

24 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Annual Report, 1 October 1997 - 30 September 1998.

25 Board of Directors 3/2000.

26 Nokia Foundation: A decade of activities 1995-2004. Nokia Foundation 2004.



“Jorma Ollila considers the internationalisation trend interesting and inevitable.”

significant conceptual shift in how I perceived career development," Neuvo reflects.²⁷

In the mid-1990s, most of the research topics were directly related to the development of computing efficiency, mobile phones, and network hardware and circuits. A little less than ten years later, popular research topics were method and application development related to multimedia, software development and the development of radio frequency electronics. The Foundation had also awarded grants to promising researchers whose work has limited links to technology. "In the future, the Foundation must continue to support young talents in their post-graduate studies and research, regardless of discipline. Talent in itself is important," said Tero Ojanperä, Head of Nokia Research Center and new Chair of the Board of Nokia Foundation in 2004.

There was a notable change in the backgrounds of the applicants and recipients of doctoral thesis grants during the first ten years. During the first two years, all grant recipients were Finnish. After this, the number of grant recipients with a foreign background started to grow, initially slowly, but after the turn of the millennium quickly to more than ten, and in 2004 more than twenty per cent or nearly one-third of all grant recipients.

Jorma Ollila considers the internationalisation trend interesting and inevitable. He also describes the appreciation of the Finnish



Foreign students at Tampere University of Technology.
K. Uusitalo / Vapriikin kuva-arkisto.

university institution and, on the other hand, the particularly strong appeal of ICT education.²⁸

Professor Moncef Gabbouj from Tunisia, who led the Signal Processing Department at the Tampere University of Technology, received Nokia Foundation's Recognition Award in 2005 for his work in developing the international teaching network and MSE training in Finland. Professor had created ways for foreigners to obtain degrees in the field of technology in Finland. Nokia expressed its gratitude to him for all the talented students recruited to the company. Professor Neuvo had accepted Gabbouj as a teacher for English-language signal processing courses held for foreign students in 1990. Gabbouj played a key role in expanding the one-year program, which was established in 1989, into a comprehensive system that enabled foreign talents to study up to the doctorate level. The international master's program was new in Finland. In 2005, there were more programmes of this kind and the Ministry of Education was in the process of confirming them.²⁹

27 Neuvo, 6 August 2025.

28 Ollila, 13 May 2025.

29 Olavi Koistinen, Nokia Foundation rewarded a developer of teaching from Tampere. Hs.fi, 2 December 2005.



Visiting experts who strengthen networks

By granting the award to Professor Gabbouj, Nokia Foundation also wanted to emphasise the importance of international teaching and effective networking in Finland.³⁰ An essential part of the Foundation's activities was to support researcher exchange and cooperation in the field of IT, data and telecommunications technology. The tool they used was the Nokia Visiting Fellow grant, which was granted to "a foreign professor or expert working in Finland or a Finnish expert working in a prestigious foreign research institute". The first Visiting Fellow grant, granted in 1995, amounted to FIM 60,000. The goal of the grant was to develop long-term international cooperation between universities. It was "necessary for the researchers to get stimuli from their own field all over the world," says Yrjö Neuvo, who had ranked the professors of the Electrical Department of the University of Technology after his Licentiate's thesis. "The three fellows who were in the lead, Martti Tiuri, Veikko Porra and Seppo J. Halme, had all been in the US for a year, which made me want to

go, as well." Neuvo believes that "without that, the other steps in my career would probably not have taken place".³¹

Visiting Fellow grants were initially awarded two or three per year. As the distributable funds grew, the Foundation explored the possibility of cooperating with the renowned American Fulbright system in 1998.

The initiative was made by a member of the Board of Nokia Foundation, Veikko Porra, Professor of Circuit Engineering at Helsinki University of Technology, who was also a member of the Board of Directors of the Finnish Fulbright Centre. He had visited the United States as an Asla-Fulbright researcher himself. Nokia's aim with the cooperation was visits from the US to Finland by prestigious professors.³² In winter 1999, the parties agreed on the Nokia-Fulbright Fellowship in Electronics, Information and Telecommunications Technology. The costs of the visits were distributed between the host university for the accommodation, Nokia

30 Report of the Board of Directors 2005.

31 Neuvo, 6 August 2025.

32 Board of Directors 3/1997; 1/1998; 2/1998.



Foundation for the actual scholarship and the administrative fee paid to Fulbright. Fulbright paid for the return flight tickets. When Fulbright applied for candidates suitable for a scholarship through its own system, it essentially made the work of Nokia Foundation easier. Due to the Fulbright experiment, no Nokia Fellowship grant was awarded in 1999.³³

The problem was that the modest grant did not attract as many talented applicants as the funders would have liked. On the proposal of the Fulbright Center, the cooperation was redirected in 2001 so that the scholarship could also be awarded to candidates who had already completed their doctoral thesis but who were in the early stages of their careers. The scholarship was renamed Fulbright-Nokia Grant in Electronics, Information and Telecommunications Technology.³⁴ In the following years, grants were awarded, but the applicants did not meet expectations. Yrjö Neuvo hoped that Finnish professors would be more

active in applying for Fulbright scholarship.³⁵ In 2006, no Fulbright scholarships were applied for.³⁶

At the turn of the millennium, the Foundation also decided to support research visits of young post-doc researchers to Finland, with the aim of creating research hubs and good working environments as well as intensifying international cooperation. The grant was named Nokia Visiting Researcher, and it was combined with Nokia Visiting Fellow in 2001. At the same time, the Foundation decided to support post-doc researchers going abroad from Finland.³⁷ In 2003, nine research visits were financed through this grant. The system worked fairly well, and researchers and professors moved in both directions. In 2005, the Board stated that the Visiting Fellow grant was definitely worth keeping and that they wished for more active advertising.³⁸

33 Board of Directors 5/1998; Report of the Board of Directors.

34 Board of Directors 1/2001.

35 Board of Directors 3/2005; Report of the Board of Directors 2005

36 Report of the Board of Directors 2006.

37 Board of Directors 1/2000; 2/2000; 1/2001.

38 Board of Directors 1/2005.

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Side paths Nokia Team and Educational Award

With the Nokia Team grant, the Foundation aimed to “promote the interaction between research and education communities and industry. The team’s topic could be related to research, education, significant development activities or the international publication of research results. The aim was to transfer technology and new insights between the research and education community and industry.” The Nokia Team grant somewhat resembled TEKES role as an expert body that evaluated research projects proposed by industry, research institutes, universities and other higher education institutions and allocated the necessary funds for them.³⁹

The first grant of FIM 60,000 was awarded to the project “Low-speed image codecs, MPEG4” carried out at the Helsinki University of Technology and Nokia Research Center. By the turn of the millennium, 20 grants had been awarded before the grant was discontinued.

To support the production of teaching materials, the Foundation began awarding Nokia Educational Awards for textbooks in 2000. The Foundation’s new emphasis was perhaps

anticipated by the Recognition Award of the previous year, which was awarded to Kullervo Nieminen “for his multifunctional and successful work in the development of math education”. Nieminen had established a mathematics line at Päivölä College in Valkeakoski, whose students had been able to do internships at Nokia since 1997.

In 2000, a total of EUR 26,500 was granted as Educational Awards to nine applications.⁴⁰ Some of the awards were allocated to working groups. By 2004, the Foundation had awarded nearly 50 textbook awards. “The aim was to support up-to-date learning materials for different educational levels,” Juhani Kuusi said. According to Kuusi, it was particularly important in fast-developing industries that the learning material corresponded to the spearhead of the development process and that it was available for roles at different levels - also in Finnish. However, the Educational Award was discontinued in 2005 when the Board decided that it did not sufficiently correspond to the Foundation’s objectives.⁴¹

39 Michelsen 1993, 264.

40 Board of Directors 1/2000; 2/2000.

41 Board of Directors 1/2005.

03

Professional and renewing Foundation





Winds of change on the Board

At the beginning of 2008, Henry Tirri from Nokia Research Center started as Chair of the Foundation's Board. Tirri had served as a member of the Board since 2006. He had a PhD in computer science and had been building laboratories in Nokia's Bay Area in California and was responsible for several units at Nokia Research Center around the world. Tirri's chairmanship began with the appointment of the first foreign member of the Board, Bob Iannucci, and the first female member, Barbara Heikkinen. Both came from within Nokia. The minutes of the Foundation Board were now drawn up in English. Grant applications prepared in Finnish were no longer accepted.

Tirri lived in Palo Alto, California, which is why some of the Board meetings were also held remotely. With regard to professors, there was a significant change in the Board's work in terms of longer terms. Tommi Mikkonen, Professor at Tampere University of Technology, who joined the Board in 2006 and served on the Board until the end of 2011. Professor Ari Paasio of the University of Turku served on the Board from 2007 to 2012, Heikki Hämmäinen of Aalto University from 2008 to 2016 and Markku Juntti

of the University of Oulu from 2009 to 2017. Juntti says that the Board of Nokia Foundation was a useful place for him to network, even though some of the Board members were familiar to him from before. Without the Foundation, he would not have come to know software researchers from other universities and Nokia's research directors so well. The scholarship applications provided a good cross-section of where the discipline was heading.⁴²

During Tirri's chairmanship, a university reform was carried out in Finland, giving universities the opportunity to obtain funding from the private sector. In 2009, Helsinki University of Technology, the Helsinki School of Economics, and the University of Art and Design Helsinki merged into Aalto University, which acts as a private foundation.

Nokia's market share in the rapidly expanding mobile phone market had risen to 38% in 2002 and remained close to 40% until 2009. In 2008, Nokia sold 468 million mobile phones. However, darker clouds began to gather around the company. Computer brand Apple's mobile phone, iPhone, was launched in the United States in June 2007, and immediately gained

42 Juntti, 5 August 2025.

huge popularity. The American search engine company Google, on the other hand, released its own open-source Linux-based Android operating system in the autumn of 2007. In June 2008, Nokia acquired the software company Symbian and transformed it into a foundation that provided its members with mobile phone software free of charge.⁴³ Nokia also invested in cameras for mobile phones and map and location services, which it had gained access to through the giant Navteq deal in 2008.⁴⁴



The Nokia 8110 was introduced in 1996 and was the company's first slider phone. Nokia 8110 also known as banana phone and Matrix phone is one of the most iconic Nokia phones. Nokia Design Archive, Aalto-yliopiston arkisto.

Interest in Android grew rapidly. At the end of 2009, it was used by Samsung, LG, Motorola and soon also Sony Ericsson. The Symbian operating system was in a downturn, which was deepened by the app developers' reluctance to make applications for it. In August 2010, Nokia and Intel announced that they had established a research laboratory at the University of Oulu to develop three-dimensional features and applications for the Meego operating system, which was expected to rescue Nokia from its distress. The location of the laboratory in Oulu was justified by the university's evidence. For example, the realXtend open-source virtual world had been developed there.⁴⁵ Nokia's CEO Olli-Pekka Kallasvuo resigned in 2010 and was succeeded by Stephen Elop from Microsoft.

In the networks business, Nokia Siemens Networks, a joint venture between Nokia and Siemens, had started operating at the beginning of 2007. The company's headquarters moved to Karakallio, Espoo. In addition to the 21,000 people working in Nokia's Networks unit, approximately 2,000 people from Nokia's support functions came to work at the company.

43 Petri Sajari, Nokia's Symbian alliance attacks Google. Hs.fi, 25 June 2008.

44 HS.fi, 14 November 2012.

45 Petri Sajari, Nokia and Intel to develop a new generation user interface in Oulu. Hs.fi, 25 August 2010.



Perspective expands

The Board of Nokia Foundation discussed the priorities of its operations at its meeting in October 2009:

The Nokia Foundation brand has a significant meaning and is unique in research but needs more diversity in grant applications and institutes from which the applications are received. Broadening the scope and bringing in more diversity would have an impact in the selection of board members as representation from new areas would also be required.

Broadening the scope does not require changes in the Nokia Foundation by-laws. In case some research topic does not show a methodological or other link to the telecommunication field, it can be rejected. However, IT is nowadays covering most research branches. E.g. one of Nokia's important research areas include African ethnography, brain research etc. with almost fourth of Nokia Research Center already involved in this type of research.

In 2009, the call for applications addressed to post-graduate students emphasised interdisciplinary applications that combined methods from other fields of science, such as social, behavioural, economic and service sciences. However, the number of these applications did not increase as hoped. The following year, the Foundation's Board decided to designate one new research area, human cognition understanding and modelling, and contacted around ten professors at different institutions. With these measures, the Foundation received several applications, and funding was granted to four researchers.⁴⁶

In winter 2010, the Foundation's Board reached the following conclusions as the criteria for the Recognition Award:

Radio technology has somewhat been supported during recent years. If the Foundation wants to broaden the scope, it needs to balance the supported research areas. Need to define what type of signal the Foundation wants to give to the public. Nokia impact is important but should not be seen as the most important dimension.⁴⁷

46 Report of the Board of Directors 2010.

47 Board of Directors 1/2010.



The Recognition Award was awarded in 2010 to Professor of Signal Processing Jaakko Astola from Tampere University of Technology, even though the aim had been to emphasise a female candidate or a candidate who had broadened the perspective in the field. The following year, these goals were combined when the Recognition Award was awarded to Professor Riitta Hari from Aalto University for her achievements in the field of brain research. In 2011, the Foundation's Awards celebration at Nokia's headquarters in Keilaniemi also marked the 25th anniversary of Nokia Research Center. The event was held immediately after the Nokia World 2011 event and the guests got to experience the high-quality demonstrations of Nokia World, many of which were created by Nokia Research Center. The subject of the panel discussion was Entrepreneurship in Finland. Yrjö Neuvo, who was commemorated with Nokia Foundation's Honorary Award, gave a celebratory speech at the event.⁴⁸

The themes of the time were Open Innovation, which also played a key role in the work of Nokia Research Center. For this reason, Nokia Foundation honoured Wikipedia's founder Jimmy Wales in 2009 with a Recognition Award for his work as an internet developer and promoter of open information exchange and online participation.⁴⁹ In the next annual celebration in 2010, an Open Collaboration and Innovation panel discussion was arranged with Jorma Ollila, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Nokia Corporation, Jyrki Katainen, Minister of Finance, and Esko Aho, Vice President, Corporate Relations & Responsibility, former Prime Minister of Finland in 1991–1995.

In 2008, the Foundation's Board discussed how professors' visits between Finland and the United States could be developed in the spirit

“Visitors to Finland were typically expected to participate in research, give lectures and visit companies.”

of open innovation networks. Chairman Tirri announced that he would appoint a person from Nokia Research Center to ensure that the opportunities offered by Nokia Foundation were promoted to the major US universities (Stanford, Berkeley, UCLA and MIT). In November 2008, Nokia Foundation and the Finnish Fulbright Centre agreed on a new Distinguished Chair grant for US professors. The Foundation expected Fulbright and Nokia brands and the increased grant (5,600 euros/month) to attract significant top US researchers from the fields of information and communications technology to lecture and conduct active research at Finnish universities.⁵⁰

In 2008, Nokia Foundation discontinued the grant types for visiting researchers and senior lecturers “until further notice” and converted the Visiting Fellow grant into a Visiting Professor grant. It was intended for a distinguished foreign professor to work in Finland for a few months or, equivalently for a respected Finnish professor to work at a foreign university. Visitors to Finland were typically expected to participate in research, give lectures and visit companies.⁵¹ This grant type had a difficult start, as only one application was submitted in 2009 and it was not accepted.⁵²

48 Report of the Board of Directors 2011.
49 Report of the Board of Directors 2009.
50 Report of the Board of Directors 2008.
51 Report of the Board of Directors 2008.
52 Report of the Board of Directors 2009.



However, in the same year's Fulbright Distinguished Chair scholarship application, the Foundation received high-level applications and proposed to Fulbright to accept two applications, which also compensated for the unallocated Visiting Professor grant. The Board's minutes stated that it was difficult to attract interesting, good candidates as Visiting Professors to Finland. According to the Board, 2009 was not "the best year due to the uncertainty of economic conditions and the university reform in Finland".⁵³

The following year, six Visiting Professor grants were awarded. Going forward, the grants have been awarded at a fairly even rate. There have been some quieter periods when investments have focused more on the Fulbright cooperation.⁵⁴ According to Markku Juntti, the criteria for the Visiting Professor grant were considered strict. Often, a Finnish professor got a visiting professor interested, while on the other hand, professors from countries with the sabbatical system contacted the Foundation

themselves after learning about the grant. According to Timo Ali-Vehmas, who served as Chair of the Foundation's Board for a long time, it was important that "the cooperation networks were in order at both ends of the visits. And we had reason to assume that long-standing researchers had a visionary approach to the matters being studied." In addition to its academic interest, the Foundation was interested in the importance of the visit for the competitiveness of Finnish industry, for example.⁵⁵

Professor Juntti hosted a few visiting professors. With Joseph R. Cavallaro, who had been in Oulu for six months, he had "very fruitful cooperation. He also supervised several doctors. Just recently, there was Vimal Batia from India, with whom we also had good, concrete cooperation."⁵⁶

53 Board of Directors 3/2009.

54 Board of Directors 1/2012; 2/2012; 1/2013; 1/2014.

55 Juntti, 5 August 2025; Ali-Vehmas, 24 August 2025.

56 Juntti, 5 August 2025.

Nokia's transformation and Nokia Foundation

Timo Ali-Vehmas, who headed the Board of Nokia Foundation from the beginning of 2012, was a long-standing Nokia employee whom Jorma Ollila had met in the early 1990s when he headed Mobile Phones in Salo. In his main role, Ali-Vehmas had been responsible for all standardisation matters at Nokia since 2005. He had also been a member of the Board of Directors of the Walter Ahlström Foundation for years and understood how important foundations are in so many ways. "I was already motivated when I was offered the opportunity to join the Board of Nokia Foundation." Ali-Vehmas brought a professional approach to the Foundation's operations. During his term, the Foundation's rules were updated in 2017 and a handbook was prepared in 2019 to guide the Foundation's processes and regular work. The handbook has been updated over the years as necessary. Ali-Vehmas also brought new ideas for networking and organised visiting lectures for Visiting Professors.⁵⁷

Ali-Vehmas' chairmanship ended in 2020. His successor was Hannu Kauppinen, Doctor of Technology, Chief Technology Officer of Nokia Technologies. At the same time, i.e. since 2021, the Board has had more representatives from



Timo Ali-Vehmas in the 2023 Nokia Foundation Awards Ceremony held in Scandic Grand Central in Helsinki receiving the Nokia Foundation Honorary Recognition Award for his dedicated work as the Nokia Foundation Chair of the Board from 2012 to 2020. Photographer: Mats Vuorenjuuri / Unikuva.

universities than before, which means that the average composition of the Board increased to eight members. Since 2025, the Foundation

57 Ali-Vehmas, 24 August 2025; Juntti, 5 August 2025; Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.





Manufacturing of Nokia mobile phones.

has been led by Mikko Uusitalo, Doctor of Technology, Nokia Bell Labs. Among university representatives, Professor Kari Systä from Tampere University of Technology, Professor Jukka Manner from Aalto University and Professor Aarno Pärssinen from the University of Oulu served on the Board for a long time.



Hannu Kauppinen the former chair of the board of the Nokia Foundation.

During his uninterrupted term on the Board, Valtteri Niemi alternated in representing Nokia and two different universities. When Niemi joined the Foundation's Board in 2010, he

worked at Nokia Research Center, which he had joined from his position as Professor at the University of Vaasa in 1997. After Nokia, Niemi worked as a professor at the University of Turku from 2012 and at the University of Helsinki from 2015. He served on the Board of Nokia Foundation until the end of 2018. From the 2010s, several doctors were found among Nokia's representatives on the Foundation's Board: Jukka Saarinen, Tapani Ryhänen, Kimmo Hätönen, Asta Kärkkäinen and Jukka Rantala.

Timo Käsälä served as the Foundation Officer from 2009, and he was succeeded first by Salla Kalaja in 2016 and then by Leena Tanner in 2018. Tanner came from Aspicore Oy which had been the Foundation's grant system provider since 2013. In 2020, the Board appointed two Foundation Officers and a secretary for the Foundation. Tanner continued as Foundation Officer, focusing on grants and related tasks, and served as the secretary at the Board meetings. In practice, the management of the Foundation was outsourced to an external professional. The Chair and Board members could now focus more on the selection of grant recipients, among other things. The other Foundation Officer, Dr. Jarkko Pellikka, came from Nokia and his work focused on managing the Foundation and maintaining the Foundation's external and internal network. Since 2021, Dr. Sami Sarpola has been the internal Foundation Officer.⁵⁸

Nokia underwent a major transformation during Ali-Vehmas' term as Chair. In 2012, the company discontinued its own mobile operating system development and replaced it with Microsoft's Windows Phone operating system. In September 2013, Nokia announced the sale of its mobile phone business to Microsoft; the deal was finalized in April 2014, which was announced in May 2016 that it would phase out mobile phone product development in Finland. Nokia focused on the network business. It redeemed Siemens from the joint venture in summer 2013 and continued operations under the name Nokia



Networks. The long-negotiated deal with the large French American network manufacturer Alcatel-Lucent was concluded in November 2016.⁵⁹ Nokia became even more strongly one of the world's leading providers of network technology.

According to Doctor of Technology Timo Ali-Vehmas, the change in Nokia Foundation's technology portfolio was less significant than in the company's product portfolio. Hannu Kauppinen, who led Nokia Research Center during the turbulent years 2011-2014, describes the divestment of phones as a major change:

While mobile phones were still being made, Nokia did hardware and software design. Very extensive software design (operating system) was transferred to Microsoft in 2012 and Nokia focused on increasing the device's performance. We achieved smaller devices, longer battery life, colour screens, faster connections, internet access, videos and more. This was what the research focused on. When the phones were divested in 2014, no research on improving phone features was continued. For example, map technologies were no longer useful, so they were sold off.

Nokia retained mobile network technology, i.e. connection, video technology (increasingly better video compression quality) and audio technology. It also found a new business opportunity in selling intellectual property rights (IPR) managed by Nokia Technologies to other mobile phone manufacturers.⁶⁰

The changes did not directly affect the operations of Nokia Foundation. According to the statute, the Foundation's goal was to promote the field in Finland, not just to serve Nokia's needs.⁶¹

However, the changes had an impact on how Nokia organised its research and thereby

“Nokia became even more strongly one of the world's leading providers of network technology.”

indirectly on Nokia Foundation, which had had a strong tie to Nokia Research Center. Juhani Kuusi, Tero Ojanperä and Henry Tirri, the first three Chairs of the Foundation's Board, had served as its directors. The Foundation's Officers also came from the Research Center. The Foundation's board meetings had been held in the office building of the Nokia Research Center in Ruoholahti since 1999. At the time, Nokia Research Center sold services to business units and about a quarter of its work was allocated to long-term basic research, which was funded at the group level. For research, “the Ruoholahti era” was the golden age of growth. Large investments were made in research. At its best, Nokia Research Center had 1,200 employees, “of which around 600-800 worked in Ruoholahti. It was the most international workplace in Finland. I guess there were more than 40 nationalities in the same place,” Kauppinen remembers.⁶²

In 2012, Nokia Research Center moved to the Open Innovation House, which was built by Aalto University in Otaniemi, Espoo. The ICT Labs unit of the European Institute of Innovation and Technology also moved into the same building. The Research Center was discontinued in 2014, but its operations were partially transferred to the research unit of Nokia Technologies, which was established at the same time. In 2012-2013, the Foundation's

59 Anni Lassila, Nokia dominated the market ten years ago — what happened to its phones? Hs.fi, 12 June 2016.

60 Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.

61 Ali-Vehmas, 24 August 2025.

62 Häikiö 2001, 185; Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.





Aerial photo of Nokia Bell Labs in Murray Hill New Jersey USA.

Board met mainly at the Keilaniemi headquarters and in 2014 at the Open Innovation House. In 2015, the research unit of Nokia Technologies moved from Otaniemi to Nokia Campus in Karaportti, Espoo, where Nokia was also concentrating its operations.

After the Alcatel-Lucent acquisition, the parts of the Technologies research unit that were suitable for the network business were integrated into the long-standing Bell Labs, which became Nokia's research unit under the name Nokia Bell Labs. Nokia Technologies had approximately 300 employees in 2019, and it was responsible for multimedia research and Nokia's patent portfolio. It also received all inventions from Nokia Bell Labs and other Nokia research units and made them into patent portfolios. Between 2019 and 2023, the number of patents almost doubled. In 2023, Nokia filed more than 2,200 patent applications.⁶³

Nokia, a provider of telecommunications networks and licensor of mobile phone patents, still earned revenue from virtually every mobile phone sold worldwide.

Jorma Ollila highlights Nokia Foundation's great impact in the 1990s and early 2000s, pointing out that "Finns are always present where new standards and new ways of using the latest research in telecommunications are created. The Foundation has supported people who are strong enough to be part of the international community to create standards, not only at the conceptual level but also at the concrete level."

⁶⁴ Yrjö Neuvo was one of the key people in achieving the international wireless standard, which was "immensely important" for Nokia. "The process was huge and heavy, but Nokia had good motivation to do it. It affected many Nokia employees, and if special skills were needed, we had good doctors who brought in technical insights," Neuvo says.⁶⁵

63 Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.

64 Ollila, 13 May 2025.

65 Neuvo, 6 August 2025.





Jorma Ollila Fund

The most significant change in the history of Nokia Foundation since it began was the establishment of the Jorma Ollila Fund in 2014. Timo Ali-Vehmas, then Chair of the Board of the Foundation, writes about the creation of the Fund as follows:

After Jorma Ollila resigned from the chairmanship of Nokia Corporation's Board of Directors in 2012, Nokia's Board of Directors proposed the establishment of a special fund at Nokia Foundation, in which Ollila had played a decisive role.

The Board of Directors of Nokia Foundation enthusiastically accepted the proposal and stated at its meeting on 4 March 2013 that the fund would strengthen the Foundation's operations both in terms of content and finances. Nokia Corporation's Board of Directors had decided to make a donation of EUR 2.5 million to the capital of the Jorma Ollila Fund, and the Foundation's Board invested the corresponding amount from its share capital. The special fund became part of Nokia Foundation's overall portfolio, but it had its own supplementary rules.

At this stage, the Board of Nokia Foundation contacted Jorma Ollila and began to draw

up a plan for the operations of the special fund. Jorma Ollila's wish was that the fund would offer contemporary young people the same opportunity as he had received when he received a scholarship at Atlantic College. All parties quickly reached an agreement on the rules of the special fund. Inspired by the new operating model, Jorma Ollila personally decided to donate EUR 2 million to the capital of the special fund. The total capital of the Jorma Ollila special fund amounted to EUR 7 million.

Separate rules were created for the special fund and integrated into Nokia Foundation's guidelines. A special section of the rules encouraged Nokia Foundation's Board to outline periodically changing focus areas for the grants of the special fund. According to Nokia Foundation's own rules, the goal of the Foundation was to promote technical research and development in the telecommunications sector in Finland. In this context, Big data (in practice, AI research and development), nanoscale computing and communication (in practice, 5G semiconductors and their software) and the Internet of Things (in practice, the use of Internet technologies to collect and control information) were selected as the special fund's first focus areas. The



Jorma Ollila, Nokia Corporation chairman from 1999 to 2012 and CEO from 1992 to 2006.
Nokia Oyj/Elinkeinoelämän keskusarkisto.

measures required by the special fund also brought new goals to Nokia Foundation's basic operations. Discussions and extensive reflections raised the level of ambition and also required the development of a more efficient operating model for the Foundation.

Recently graduated Doctors of Technology were selected as the target group for the special fund, with the aim of establishing a separate research team. Such activities require a high level of competence, a good team and global networks in the scientific community. In order to accelerate the construction of such a role, the Board of the Foundation considered it best to make the grants larger, possibly covering the costs of several years of research work at a top university abroad.

The Jorma Ollila Special Fund officially started on 1 March 2014 with the aim of distributing the first grants during 2014. The launch of the operations was widely advertised, and a discussion session was organised in connection with the announcement of the

special fund. Of course, Jorma Ollila himself and representatives of the management and professors of Finnish universities participated in the discussions.

The special fund has been active for more than 10 years and during that time it has distributed 48 grants from the fund's proceeds to doctors in technology who have graduated from Finnish universities, totalling EUR 1.1 million.⁶⁶

At the time of the Jorma Ollila Fund promotion event, the Finnish economy suffered from a weak economic cycle, and the competitiveness of industry was poor. For years, Nokia had improved the productivity of work in the national economy. Ollila said that he considered the situation in Finland to be very difficult, "and it will remain so for a long time. That is why long-term efforts are required from all parties to learn how to do things differently and improve productivity." Ollila also said that when he left Nokia's Board of Directors in 2012, "it was already clear that Europe and Nokia were in great difficulty in the mobile phone industry. Three of the world's most popular mobile phone and tablet operating systems nowadays originate from the west coast of the United States, although Europe had been at the forefront for years."

“For years, Nokia had improved the productivity of work in the national economy.”





Nokia's historic Villa Koivusaari has hosted many meetings and planning sessions.

According to Ollila, the young generation of researchers had to “get into the right networks to see how things can be done in a completely new way”. The Jorma Ollila Fund tried to find places for researchers at some of the world’s best universities, such as MIT, Harvard, Berkeley and Stanford, with whom Nokia collaborated in research. However, according to Ollila, the importance of one fund should not be overestimated, “many more funds of this kind are needed”. At the press conference, Timo Ali-Vehmas estimated that “Finland has a strong and healthy belief in technology. However, the fact is that innovation requires a wide range of skills to turn a good idea into a commercial product. Academic research plays an important role in new development.” Ollila believed that Finland was well prepared for success in the future. “Everything comes down to training and competence.”⁶⁷

In spring 2025, Jorma Ollila said that his personal donation to the Foundation was “repayment for what I have received from the company”. He allowed the Foundation to decide the detailed content of the grants and did not want to participate in the decision-making process. “But

as your thoughts develop, give me a call every now and then,” he remembers saying. Ollila was contacted and “the first idea that we came up with was that if we could find interesting ways to strengthen international connections, we would focus on them. My personal experience had an impact, because I have studied abroad myself and have always seen how people become stronger in their own work when they see what is happening abroad.”⁶⁸

According to Markku Juntti, there was a clear need for foreign post doc financing. Representatives of the universities saw this as important in the discussion held in Koivusaari. “The first application rounds were worrying, but soon things started to go well.”⁶⁹

The Foundation’s Board spent an entire working day at Nokia’s villa in Koivusaari planning the Jorma Ollila Fund’s operations. After that, the Board held its traditional strategy meeting in August in Koivusaari as a similar one day-session, during which the Board often had the opportunity to discuss with Nokia’s Chair of the Board.

67 Petri Sajari, Jorma Ollila invested EUR 2 million in a fund bearing his name. HS.fi, 16 May 2014.

68 Ollila, 13 May 2013.

69 Juntti, 5 August 2025.



New kinds of cooperation

Establishment of the Jorma Ollila special fund increased the total capital of the Foundation by EUR 4.5 million to more than EUR 20 million but reduced the capital of the basic fund by EUR 2.5 million. As a result, fewer scholarships were granted than before. Since 2002, the annual number of scholarships had been over 70, but their number decreased to 40 in 2016. The amount of each individual grant remained unchanged. In 2021, the Foundation's Board unanimously agreed that the same recipient could only receive the grant once.⁷⁰

The number of scholarships granted to foreign students increased significantly in 2009. The trend has continued and their relative share has increased while the number of grants has decreased. According to Professor Juntti, "the majority of them would like to stay in Finland, many as post-doctoral researchers, while others prefer moving to the business world as quickly as possible. More than two-thirds of doctors who graduated from University of Oulu have stayed in Finland for at least a short time. Some have moved abroad and became professors there."⁷¹

Hannu Kauppinen points out that the grant recipients represent the best in the industry and are subject to very strict criteria in their selection. Foreigners might apply for more grants than Finns because they need more financial incentives. "But it also shows that the student base in the telecommunications and data processing industry is very international."⁷²

In 2019, the Foundation's Board stated that technology had to be visible in the Nokia Scholarship application. For example, the Foundation did not support applications focused solely on medicine or other human sciences. The application also had to have a connection to Finland, either through a Finnish university or collaboration.⁷³ One of the Foundation's visions was to encourage researchers to continue their careers in Finland, and one of the criteria for awarding grants was the possibility for the recipients to continue research in Finland or cooperate with Finland. Consequently, Yrjö Neuvo received a recognition award in 2021 for, among other things, having established the PoDoCo program that employs doctors in industry.⁷⁴

70 Board of Directors 4/2021.

71 Juntti, 5 August 2025.

72 Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.

73 Board of Directors 6/2019.

74 Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.





Nokia Foundation grants Professor Yrjö Neuvo a Recognition Award for achievements in development of postgraduate education. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the 2021 event was held virtually.

The 2017 anniversary was held at the Old Student House in Helsinki. In honour of Finland's centenary of independence, Nokia Foundation decided on a Centennial grant of EUR 100,000, of which EUR 10,000 could be allocated to doctoral researchers or recently graduated doctors visiting Finland from abroad. However, the marketing of the grant was difficult, and only three grants were awarded in 2018. In 2020, the grant was discontinued and the unused funds were returned to the basic fund.⁷⁵

Nokia Foundation's fruitful cooperation with the Fulbright Finland Foundation and Nokia's transformation into a leading European telecommunications company through the Alcatel-Lucent acquisition encouraged Nokia Foundation to seek cooperation similar to Fulbright, particularly with German and French universities and their background organisations.⁷⁶ In general, it was important for Nokia Foundation to be able to contribute to an active exchange of researchers with a major

technology country. Finding good applicants was a constant challenge for the Foundation, and it did not always have the resources for it. The Foundation specifically sought help for this.⁷⁷

Chair Timo Ali-Vehmas says that he encountered "by chance Mathieu Leporin, Director of Science at the Institute of France in Finland, and soon, we were discussing what kind of cooperation we could build to strengthen research in the Finnish and French technical fields. Things progressed quickly and the Chair presented the matter to the Board of the Foundation in October 2018. The proposal received justified, albeit cautious, support from the Board, and this started the concrete preparation of the matter."⁷⁸

Scholarship recipients were expected to conduct ICT research and teach at a higher research or educational institution in Finland. An agreement on the pilot program was reached in autumn 2019, and the first scholarship was awarded in April 2020 to Professor Jean-Emmanuel Broquin, whose visit was funded by Nokia Foundation and the home university of the scholarship recipient, Grenoble Institut Polytechnique, both for EUR 20,000. Four people had applied for the scholarship. At that time, the COVID-19 pandemic made the visit arrangements difficult. Professor Broquin's visit finally took place in 2021. The host was the University of Eastern Finland in Joensuu.⁷⁹

After the successful pilot phase, the Foundation signed a five-year cooperation agreement with the Institute of France in Finland (Institut français de Finlande) in January 2022. The first grant application organised by the Institute of France began practically immediately. There was a France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence grant of EUR 40,000, half of which was funded by Nokia Foundation.⁸⁰ No scholarship was granted for

75 Board of Directors 5/2017; 2/2018; 3/2018; 1/2020.

76 Ali-Vehmas, 23 August 2025.

77 Kauppinen, 3 June 2015.

78 Ali-Vehmas, 21 August 2025.

79 Board of Directors 5/2018; 6/2018; 7/2018; 7/2019; 2/2020.

80 Board of Directors 1/2022.



“Nokia Foundation decided to replace the spring 2023 Jorma Ollila Grant with the Researchers Abroad program.”



the 2022–2023 period, which is why the Board decided to award two scholarships for the following academic year.⁸¹

The Foundation sought different forms of cooperation. The action plan for 2022 stated that Nokia Foundation’s management expected

*the importance of ICT and data-driven business to grow significantly over the next decade. Rapid evolution of the technologies and research methodologies including different collaboration initiatives will significantly influence the environment of the Nokia Foundation. Therefore, the Nokia Foundation will review its activities on an annual basis, aiming for long-term sustainability and dynamic flexibility in target setting. Expanding the visiting professor grant category to add additional national actors to the scope of international collaboration is one of the medium- to long-term targets.*⁸²

Among Nokia Foundation’s Board members, Jukka Rantala, Aarno Pärssinen and Leena Ukkonen investigated possible German cooperation with Alexander von Humboldt Stiftung.⁸³

Cooperation with Finnish foundations was also actively sought. In winter 2022, the Foundation Officer of the KAUTE Foundation, which supports

research, teaching and studies in commercial and technical sciences, presented to Nokia Foundation’s Board the Researchers Abroad grant program, which was a joint internationalisation program of the Walter Ahlström Foundation, the Foundation for Economic Education and the KAUTE Foundation. Nokia Foundation decided to replace the spring 2023 Jorma Ollila Grant with the Researchers Abroad Grant Program. The aim was to receive more applications for the Jorma Ollila Fund. According to Kauppinen, “we received the ICT applications and some other foundations received applications for business studies, for example.” Nokia Foundation awarded three grants through the program in spring 2023 and one larger grant in spring 2024.⁸⁴

Discussions with the Fulbright Finland Foundation about promoting the Jorma Ollila Fund’s purpose began in winter 2024 and led to the piloting of the “Fulbright Research Grant for a Junior Scholar in Partnership with the Nokia Foundation” program in the same year. Kauppinen, who participated in the discussions, says that the aim of the program was that “a young Finnish researcher not only ends up in the United States as a researcher, but also gets to network with society”.⁸⁵

81 Board of Directors 3/2023.

82 Action plan 2022.

83 Board of Directors 1/2022; 5/2022; 1/2023.

84 Board of Directors 3/2022; 5/2022; 2/2023; 3/2023; Kauppinen, 3 June 2025; Action Plan 2023.

85 Board of Directors 1/2024; 2/2024; Kauppinen, 3 June 2025.



The Foundation's impact and challenges related to competence

In 2016, Professor Heikki Hämmäinen asked the Board of Nokia Foundation whether the Foundation should consider shifting its focus towards larger grants. The matter was left to stew. According to the Foundation Officer, the impact project discussed earlier could provide a basis for thinking about more radical changes to the grant portfolio.⁸⁶ As the Foundation's 25th anniversary approached, the Chair Ali-Vehmas prepared and commissioned impact assessments of the grants awarded by the Foundation. The extensive assessment strengthened his view that

the recipients of the grants distributed by the Foundation have been widely positioned in society, across both the academic and business world. It is clear that through this network, knowledge of the Finnish field of research, its principles and objectives have spread all over the world. The role of foundations could be even more important in Finland if the current situation is compared to Sweden and Denmark, for example, where the cooperation between foundations, universities and companies is very strong.⁸⁷

Kauppinen points out that the Foundation is a long-standing actor that follows the mission assigned to it, i.e. it promotes research and teaching in information and communications technology in Finland. At the same time, the Foundation has strived to follow the times. "We have made decisions based on what has been in the forefront of research, but the key sectors, telecommunications, radio, RF and digital technology in general, have remained on the agenda always." During Kauppinen's term, artificial intelligence and quantum technology became increasingly important:

It cannot be said that Nokia drove the change alone, but rather that technological developments and new industries have driven the Foundation's grant decisions and recognition awards. For example, in 2024, Kimmo Koski from the CSC Information Technology Centre of Science received the Recognition Award. The Award highlighted the fact that high-performance computing is a rising trend in Finland, Europe and elsewhere. New data centres are emerging everywhere, and Finland has been a pioneer

86 Board 1/2016.

87 Ali-Vehmas, 25 August 2025.



Board of the Nokia Foundation 2025, Officers and Sari Baldauf.
From the left: Leena Ukkonen, Sari Nielsen, Petri Mähönen, Mikko Uusitalo, Sari Baldauf, Antti Tölli, Sasu Tarkoma, Jukka Rantala, Leena Tanner and Sami Sarpola.

in that it has been equipped with one of Europe's most powerful supercomputers.⁸⁸



Nokia Foundation recognizes Kimmo Koski Managing Director of CSC – IT Center for Science for his significant role in enabling the European LUMI supercomputer ecosystem.

Through various reforms, the Foundation has gradually focused its activities and raised the level of grants for visiting researchers and post-doc researchers. The amount of the recognition award was increased by 50% to EUR 15,000 in 2023. In 2025, it was decided to increase the scholarship grant by 50% to EUR 7,500. However, no radical changes have been made to the Foundation's operating principles. No capital increases have been made since 2014. The assets have been distributed and locked in a ratio of 61/39 to the base fund and the Jorma Ollila Fund. All grants and awards granted by Nokia Foundation from 1995 to August 2025 are listed in the appendix to this work.

Nokia Corporation's Board of Directors has been chaired by Sari Baldauf since 2020. She has spoken at the Foundation's annual celebrations and discussed with the Foundation's representatives at the Koivusaari strategy meetings. She has not participated in the Foundation's operations. However, she has a strong understanding of the situation in the university world through the





Chair of the Board of Directors, Nokia.

Aalto University Foundation's Board of Directors in 2018-2023 and as the ongoing director of the Aalto University fundraising campaign.

Baldauf says that Nokia is also seeking growth in new areas where the most advanced experts and operators may not come from Finland. She considers it a challenge for Finnish universities to ensure sufficient resources "so that we can ensure high-quality basic education and training and invest sufficiently in areas where we are really good and internationally interesting. If we do not arouse international interest, there is a great risk that we will become marginalised, given our remote location in the north. That would be bad, also for companies." According to Baldauf, the practical challenges faced by universities are the building of international cooperation and their own core competence. "Europe should also be able to work stronger together in the university field and think about who should focus on what in particular. Of course, this should not rule out cooperation with the US, for example, but it is really important that we have some strong expertise."

As Nokia grew in the 1990s, the company "recruited university students even before they had completed their degrees. And Nokia's cooperation with universities was very intense," says Baldauf. "Now, of course, university cooperation covers the whole world. That was also the case at the time, but it was quite strongly focused on Finland and the Nordic countries, partly naturally because the Nordic countries had top expertise and top research in the field. And now, the best talent and cutting-edge research in these essential fields is not necessarily here, but somewhere else."

Jorma Ollila stated in spring 2025 that Nokia Foundation's capital base has never been sufficient. Sari Baldauf shares this view. She does not promise additional funds for the Foundation, but does not reject the idea, either. According to her, Nokia's other research institute and university cooperation and the Foundation's operations could support each other better. "And it is influenced by what Nokia Bell Labs does. One positive aspect of the Foundation's operations is, of course, that it has representatives from different Finnish universities on the Board of Directors. It gives a fairly good overall picture of the field and Finland's challenges." In Baldauf's vision, Nokia Foundation's operations "could be linked to some areas of special expertise and, on the other hand, to strengthening cooperation between higher education institutions and the business world".⁸⁹

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Nokia Drone Networks offers a fully automated, connected UAV solution tailored for industrial and public safety applications.

**Mikko Uusitalo, Chair of the Board of the Foundation,
looks forward to the next 30 years:**

Investing in R&D is essential for the future well-being of our society. This is especially the case in the ICT domain. The only thing that is constant or certain is change. We must understand the megatrends that will shape the immediate future, such as AI and quantum technologies, as well as whatever comes after them.

The Nokia Foundation Board has launched an exercise during 2025 that aims for more impact and risk. This has been at the core of the Nokia Foundation strategy discussion during 2025.

This history document will be released at the Nokia Foundation annual celebration in November 2025. At the same event, we will also launch an annual award for supporting great quality and impact in education in ICT in Finland.

Over the next 30 years and beyond, we hope Nokia Foundation can set an example and continue strongly by constantly increasing impact in creating a flourishing research, development and education environment in Finland!

Appendix

Nokia foundation
board members

Awards, grants and
scholarships

Nokia Foundation Chairs of the Board

Mikko Uusitalo, Nokia	2025–
Hannu Kauppinen, Nokia	2021–2024
Timo Ali-Vehmas, Nokia	2012–2020
Henry Tirri, Nokia	2008–2011
Tero Ojanperä, Nokia	2004–2007
Juhani Kuusi, Nokia	1995–2003

Nokia Foundation Board Members

Sari Nielsen, Nokia	2025–	Tapio Salakoski, University of Turku	2004–2006
Antti Tölli, University of Oulu	2025–	Tero Ojanperä, Nokia	2003–2007
Petri Mähönen, Aalto University	2024–	Ilkka Haikala, Tampere University	2003–2005
Sabrina Maniscalco, University of Helsinki	2023	Olli Silven, University of Oulu	2003–2005
Leena Ukkonen, Tampere University	2023–	Olli Simula, Aalto University	2002–2004
Sasu Tarkoma, University of Helsinki	2022–	Jouni Isoaho, University of Turku	2001–2003
Mikko Uusitalo, Nokia	2022–	Markku Kivikoski, Tampere University	2000–2002
Mikko Valkama, Tampere University	2021–	Matti Latva-aho, University of Oulu	2000–2002
Hannu Kauppinen, Nokia	2021–2024	Tytti Varmavuo, Nokia	2000–2002
Jukka Rantala, Nokia	2020–	Erkki Oja, Aalto University	1999–2001
Petri Myllymäki, University of Helsinki	2019–2021	Ralph Back, Åbo Akademi	1999–2000
Lauri Oksanen, Nokia	2019	Pauli Kuosmanen, Tampere University	1998
Aarno Pärssinen, University of Oulu	2018–2024	Veikko Porra, Aalto University	1998
Asta Kärkkäinen, Nokia	2018	Antti Räisänen, Aalto University	1997
Jukka Manner, Aalto University	2017–2023	Jaakko Talvitie, University of Oulu	1997
Antti Niskanen, Nokia	2017	Petri Vuorimaa, Tampere University	1997
Kimmo Hätönen, Nokia	2015–2021	Pentti Leppänen, University of Oulu	1996, 1998
Tapani Ryhänen, Nokia	2013–2016	Sven-Gustav Häggman, Aalto University	1996
Kari Systä, Tampere University	2012–2020	Markku Renfors, Tampere University	1996
Valtteri Niemi, Nokia, University of Turku and University of Helsinki	2010–2018	Jaakko Astola, Tampere University	1995
Markku Juntti, University of Oulu	2009–2017	Heikki Saikkonen, Aalto University	1995
Heikki Hämmäinen, Aalto University	2008–2016	Jorma Lammasniemi, VTT	1995, 1999
Ari Paasio, University of Turku	2007–2012	Kaj G. Linden, Nokia	1995–1999
Tommi Mikkonen, Tampere University	2006–2011	Juhani Kuusi, Nokia	1995–2003
Henry Tirri, Nokia	2006–2011	Yrjö Neuvo, Nokia	1995–2009
Hannu Heusala, University of Oulu	2006–2008		
Visa Koivunen, Aalto University	2005–2007		
Jukka Saarinen, Nokia	2004–2005, 2009–2014		

Nokia Foundation Officers

Sami Sarpola	2021–	Heikki Välisuo	2007–2008
Jarkko Pellikka	2020–2021	Juha Saarnio	2005–2007
Leena Tanner	2018–	Heikki Välisuo	2001–2005
Salla Kalaja	2016–2017	Simo Luiro	1997–2000
Timo Käsälä	2009–2016	Markku Ranta	1995–1997
Barbara Heikkinen	2008–2009		

Nokia Foundation Recognition Awards

Nokia Foundation has since its establishment in 1995 awarded each year a Nokia Foundation Recognition Award. The themes of the award have varied promoting in some years novel new business ventures while on others recognizing life-time achievements of distinguished individuals from Finnish academia and business.

A special category of the Nokia Foundation Recognition Award is the Nokia Foundation Honorary Award. Honorary Awards have been given to individuals who have made significant contributions for the Nokia Foundation.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2024

Nokia Foundation recognized **Kimmo Koski** Managing Director of CSC – IT Center for Science for his significant role in enabling the European LUMI supercomputer ecosystem.

Dr. Kimmo Koski has played a key role in pursuing the LUMI supercomputer and building a European consortium of eleven countries, securing national funding, and obtaining European Commission funding through EuroHPC for this groundbreaking computing project. This award reflects our appreciation for the work that Dr. Kimmo Koski has done during the last decades for the Finnish high-performance computing, which has culminated in the deployment of the LUMI supercomputer in Kajaani, Finland.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2023

Nokia Foundation recognized Professor Emeritus **Antti Räisänen** from the Aalto University for his achievements in the advancement of radio engineering education and research in Finland.

Antti is a key person on the journey that established Finland as a forerunner in radio technologies for telecommunications and other applications. His relentless passion for developing the radio engineering education and research as well as setting in motion the collaboration between industry and academia have laid the foundation that established Finland as a global leader in Information and Communications Technology.

It should be acknowledged that Antti is one of the most prominent researchers in Finland in radio technology

and science. He is a pioneer of the scientific research in the higher frequencies and for this as well as for his other scientific achievements he is one of the few persons in Finland who has received the prestigious IEEE Fellow distinction. During his career he has authored or coauthored more than 500 scientific or technical papers. In addition to his significant achievements in radio engineering research, Nokia Foundation wants to recognize with this award also his lifelong commitment to developing education in the field of radio engineering. During his career Antti has supervised more than 50 doctor's degrees and his reputation as demanding yet highly committed teacher is legendary. Through his teaching and through his students Antti has been a key person in laying the foundation that enabled Finland to leave a mark in the pages of history as the birthplace of mobile communication. For this work Professor Emeritus Antti Räisänen receives the 28th Nokia Foundation Recognition Award.

Nokia Foundation Honorary Award 2023

Nokia Foundation has granted an Honorary Award to Timo Ali-Vehmas for his long-standing contributions and dedication to the Nokia Foundation. As the Chair of the Board of Directors, you navigated the Nokia Foundation securely through times of change. During this time Nokia went through many transformations, but your relentless work ensured that the traditions and mission of the Nokia Foundation continue to be upheld today. At the same time, you actively drove the development of the Nokia Foundation grant programs and enhanced particularly the international collaboration.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2022

Nokia Foundation recognized Professor **Maija Aksela** from the University of Helsinki, for her achievements in development of education in mathematics, natural sciences and technology.

High-quality expertise in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) is the basis for technological development and future innovation and is central to Finland's future prosperity and wellbeing. Teachers have a vital role to play in inspiring and enabling the next generation to pursue their studies in these fields.

Maija Aksela is Finland's first professor of science education. She has more than 35 years of experience in the development of teaching and teacher training in STEM subjects as well as new and inspiring teaching methods. Nokia Foundation recognizes the outstanding achievements of Professor Maija Aksela in the development of education in mathematics, natural sciences and technology. Of special merit we wish to note her contributions to the LUMA Centre at the University of Helsinki which was established almost 20 years ago to promote the teaching and learning of mathematics, science and technology among pupils, students and teachers.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2021

Nokia Foundation recognized **Yrjö Neuvo**, PhD (EE), Professor and Research Director at Aalto University, for his outstanding achievements in the development of postgraduate education and collaboration with companies in Finland. Of special merit we wish to note the establishment of the PoDoCo (PostDocs for Companies) program for postdoctoral researchers and Bit Bang course for the postgraduate students.

Hannu Kauppinen, Chairman of the board of Nokia Foundation, said: "There's an increasing need to employ doctors in the companies. Especially the Finnish technology companies, Nokia among others, need highly skilled experts who can help the companies to drive innovations and renew products and services. Strong relationships between universities and companies, and making the latest research results available are crucial for developing Finnish economy and society. With this award we want to demonstrate our appreciation for the important work that Yrjö Neuvo is doing to help the doctors become employed in the Finnish companies but also help the postgraduates develop the needed working-life skills."

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2020

Nokia Foundation recognized Professor **Mikko Möttönen** for achievements in quantum computing research.

Quantum computing is an emerging breakthrough technology that will radically impact the principles of Information and Communication Technology in the

coming years. Ground-breaking work undertaken in quantum computing in Finland has required long-term research in low-temperature physics, for example. With this award, we want to honor the importance of this work, significant recent achievements, and the extensive cooperation between those working in the field of university research and many other sectors of society. Of special merit, we wish to note the exceptionally courageous commercialization of the scientific results.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2019

Nokia Foundation has granted a Recognition Award to Elements of AI, **Hanna Hagström**, **Teemu Roos**. Elements of AI is an online course that has significantly impacted the awareness and knowledge on Artificial Intelligence in Finland and elsewhere. Artificial Intelligence is part of our everyday life and the Elements of AI course enables democratic, diverse and inclusive utilization of this critical technology throughout the society.

Nokia Foundation recognizes the outstanding work Hanna Hagström, Director of AI Business at Reaktor, and Teemu Roos, Leader of AI Education at the Finnish Center for Artificial Intelligence and Associate Professor in Computer Science at the University of Helsinki have done. The Elements of AI course has helped to teach the basics of AI to more than 220 000 people in 110 countries. The course is currently available in English, Finnish, Swedish and Estonian.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2018

Professor and the Leader of the Microelectronics Research Unit in University of Oulu, **Heli Jantunen**, has had several roles in the area of ICT electronics, manufacturing and materials. She is a founder of a company, and as a researcher, she has had over 40 industrial partners. Research in her group spans over multitude of domains of industrial significance, ranging from high frequency applications, energy harvesters, sensors, multifunctional micro modules to modern manufacturing methods like printed electronics. In particular, she has advanced knowledge on technology in electro ceramics and related composites for above mentioned application areas. Her research has been awarded and funded by impressive list of funding agencies, such as Tekes, Academy of Finland, NiCe, EU, ERA.Net and ERC with the Advanced Grant.

She is a prolific inventor of more than 70 patents and has over 250 peer-reviewed scientific publications. She has served as a member of the Research Council for Natural Sciences and Engineering, Academy of Finland, and is currently the General Chair of the Scientific Advisory Board of Defense. Additionally, she is an Academician Member of the World Academy of Ceramics from 2013.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2017

Nokia Foundation has granted its 2017 Recognition Award to professor emeritus **Erkki Oja** for his contributions to the development of machine learning, pattern recognition and neurocomputing, which are key technologies in artificial intelligence and robotics.

Professor emeritus of Finland's Aalto University and a holder of honorary doctorates from three universities, Erkki Oja is one of the most widely cited researchers in the world of machine learning based techniques, with more than 300 scientific articles leading to over 46 000 citations in the field. In his research, Oja has focused especially on unsupervised machine learning that allows computer algorithms to automatically analyze very large masses of data. In addition to his research work, he has made a significant impact on teaching young researchers, over 50 of whom currently hold a doctoral degree, active in both industry and academia. Oja has also promoted Finnish science and ICT in his several positions of trust, including the chairmanship of the Academy of Finland's Research Council for Natural Sciences and Engineering, which under Oja's leadership has launched several notable national and international research programs.

"After doing research on machine learning and neural networks for a long time, it is very rewarding to see how these technologies are now being implemented in a growing number of commercial and other applications. Artificial intelligence is clearly becoming practical. I am happy that we started these activities very early and were able to train a large number of experts to fill the great demand," said Erkki Oja.

"Machine-learning and artificial intelligence are among the most significant technological developments in recent history. The foundational and long-term research path Erkki Oja has pursued, along with his focal role in the development of the research community around the technologies, has resulted in having 100-year-old Finland in a distinctly good position to fully embrace this data-intense era. Erkki Oja's work has been noted widely internationally, too, and we are proud to recognize this year his outstanding contributions in the field," said Timo Ali-Vehmas, Chairman of the Board of Nokia Foundation.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2016

Nokia Foundation recognized **Jari Arkko** for his contributions to the advancement of the Internet and its technologies and applications.

For the great contributions to the advancement of the Internet and its technologies and applications during the last 20 years, as well as for your leadership in the global Internet standardization as the chairman of the Internet Engineering Task Force since 2013. You are known as a pioneer in the development of the Internet Protocol version 6, the Mobile Internet and Internet security including your work for the open and community driven Internet of Things. You are leading by example and

you represent the best values of the Information and Communications Technologies of Finland.

Nokia Foundation Honorary Award 2015

Nokia Foundation has granted a Honorary Award to **Juhani Kuusi** for all of the hard work and dedication that helped to build the Nokia Foundation as an important innovative force in its field. The procedures and traditions that were formed under your extensive chairmanship have truly stood the test of time, and are a tribute to your inspiring leadership. Not only have you contributed to the establishment of the Nokia Foundation, you have also been a true pioneer for the information and communication technologies, driving innovations that have transformed the way people communicate with one another and with the connected world.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2015

Nokia Foundation has granted a Recognition Award to **Matti Latva-aho** for the great contributions to the advancement of radio technology and its application to wireless access standards creation, as well as for your leadership in the Finnish radio technology research and development community. You are known as a pioneer in the development of air interface and link layer technologies applied in the 3G and the 4G cellular networks, with foreseeable applications in the evolving 5G systems. You have been a research leader in radio access technology in several national and international research activities that have had a significant impact on the wireless technologies, standards and their business applications. You have served as the Director of Centre for Wireless Communications at the University of Oulu, contributing to its development into a highly international center of excellence in radio and wireless technologies.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2014

Nokia Foundation has granted a Recognition Award to **Zach Shelby** for outstanding contributions to the Internet of Things standards, especially in the areas of IPv6 over Low power Wireless Personal Area Networks, routing, web services and security. He is a true pioneer in the use of IPv6 technology that forms the heart of wireless sensor networks and the internet of the connected objects. His entrepreneurial work at Sensinode on the commercialization of the technologies and device solutions was a remarkable technology success, and showed notable future potential. His thought leadership in the industry continues to grow in his current role as the Director of Technical Marketing for Internet of Things at ARM.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2013

Award 2013 was granted for **Ville Kairamo** due to an exceptional contribution in creating an open innovation

platform concept, in Finland and abroad. The successful Demola innovation platform enables students and universities to develop new products and services together with companies, to solve pressing real-world problems and challenges. Demola has, under Kairamo's leadership, made outstanding innovative achievements in facilitating university, industry and regional cooperation, whilst proactively taking advantage of international opportunities. During the first three years, over 200 services and prototypes have been developed by Demola. Kairamo's leadership has been a truly cross-border example of innovation, and has made him a positive role model for many young persons in different international communities.

Nokia Foundation Honorary Award 2012

Jorma Ollila is the main catalyst behind the creation and growth of the Nokia Foundation. He saw the need to create a foundation that would focus on telecommunications research in the broad sense of the term. This was at the time when the digitalization of wireless communications was emerging and about to create the conditions for fundamental breakthroughs in technologies, usage and business concepts. Jorma Ollila clearly saw the need to strengthen Finland's knowledge base in this emerging area. Jorma Ollila was the influential force behind the establishment of the Foundation, and he later went on to strengthen Nokia's position in line with the growing needs of Finland's national research activities. His devotion to the activities of the Nokia Foundation has been instrumental in its success. His contributions have enabled the Nokia Foundation to become a major platform for an annual social gathering of leaders from Finnish academia and the government, as well as from other Finnish organizations related to the Finnish telecommunications and research community.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2012

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award was granted to **Tommi Jaakkola** for his fundamental contributions to the field of machine learning and their applications in many different domains. Jaakkola has substantially advanced several important fields of science, such as computational biology and information retrieval. His work has had a wide impact across many scientific communities and you have guided many young scientists to successful careers. Tommi Jaakkola's own career provides an inspiring and encouraging example for scientists, also ones coming from a small country. He has showed how to reach the forefront of scientific research at young age and how to continuously expand human knowledge in collaboration with other top scientists.

Nokia Foundation Honorary Award 2011

First ever Nokia Foundation Honorary Award was granted in 2011, together with Nokia Research Center, to

Professor **Yrjö Neuvo** from the Aalto University due to his extraordinary and long-standing contributions to success of both Nokia Research Center and Nokia Foundation, and also for groundbreaking contributions to technological advancements that have brought benefits to billions of people. Yrjö Neuvo's exemplary career, deep scientific thinking, inspiring leadership, personal hands-on attitude and skillful actions

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2011

This year's winner of the Nokia Foundation Award is Professor **Riitta Hari** due to her scientific contributions to the brain research field. Professor Hari has pioneered the use of MEG to record the spatiotemporal pattern of brain activity, thereby providing fundamental insights into auditory, somatosensory, visual, and pain processing as well as motor control in healthy subjects and patient groups. Professor Hari also has demonstrated the existence of a "mirror-neuron system" in the human brain, as well as abnormalities in this system in autistic subjects as examples of Hari's contributions. Riitta Hari's exemplary career and devotion to scientific research has made her a positive role model for many young scientists.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2010

This year's winner of the Nokia Foundation Award is Professor **Jaakko Astola** of the Tampere University of Technology, who has been studying, writing and teaching in the field of signal processing for four decades.

Signal processing is the science of extracting information from raw data, be that sounds, pictures, numbers or radio waves. As such, it's obviously a vital part of the science that makes mobile devices possible.

The professor's contributions to the telecommunications industry include studies in mathematics, information theory, nonlinear signal processing, and a wide spectrum of applications in engineering, all of which have had a profound impact. The award also recognises his exemplary career and devotion to scientific research and teaching.

Professor Astola began his academic career with work in data correcting code back in the seventies, before moving on to areas such as image processing and compression. His work is one of the reasons that we're now able to view and shoot videos on a mobile device, for example.

While the professor has recently turned 60 and professes a love of billiards and horses, there's no suggestion that he's likely to retire soon and says he wishes to devote his energies to further research for years to come.

"This year's award focuses on the encouragement of profound science, where often many years pass before the world can reap the benefits from the research.

It is a great honour to recognize an individual whose long-term work in science has created a platform for many technological breakthroughs. Professor Jaakko

Astola is being awarded particularly for his contribution in the development of sophisticated signal processing methods that have been used in many ICT applications including cell phones.” said Henry Tirri, head of Nokia Research Center and Chairman of the Board of the Nokia Foundation.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2009

The Nokia Foundation has granted its 2009 award to **Jimmy Wales**, the founder of Wikipedia, the free, multilingual encyclopedia. Wales was awarded for his contributions to the evolution of the World Wide Web as a participatory and truly democratic platform.

“It’s a great honor to present this award on behalf of the Board of the Nokia Foundation to an individual who we believe has made a unique contribution to accelerating online collaboration and interaction for millions of people around the world, and effectively democratizing information sharing,” said Henry Tirri, head of Nokia Research Center and Chairman of the Board of the Nokia Foundation. “The theme for this year’s award is Open Innovation, a way of working which is very important for our activities at Nokia Research Center, and a value which we believe is embodied in the participatory and inclusive approach of Wikipedia,” he continued.

Since its creation in 2001, Wikipedia has grown rapidly into one of the largest reference web sites, so far attracting an average of more than 330 million monthly visitors this year. There are more than 75,000 active contributors working on more than 14,000,000 articles in more than 260 languages. Wales is also the co-founder of Wikia.com, a project which expands the participatory editing model into new areas, allowing the global community to come together to build the “rest of the library”.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2008

Nokia Foundation has granted its 2008 award to **Aapo Kyrola and Sampo Karjalainen**, the founders of Sulake Corporation Inc., which is best known for its Habbo virtual world and online community.

“Aapo Kyrola and Sampo Karjalainen have been chosen for this award because of their contributions to collaborative media and social networking. The Habbo virtual world is loved by teenagers all over the world as an easy way to meet new people and keep in touch with friends. The design of the virtual characters is unique, and the constantly evolving features of the collaborative game have driven innovation in an area where competition is tough,” said Henry Tirri, Head of Nokia Research Center.

Since Sulake was founded in May 2000, over 100 million users have registered with the Habbo service. The Habbo virtual world and online community attracts close to 10 million unique visitors each month. Sulake has offices in

18 countries across five continents and employs over 300 people.

“Research is what allows a company to not only survive economic turmoil, but actually thrive once the market has stabilized again. R&D can be considered an insurance policy, whose premiums are paid during good economic times, hedging against uncertainties in the marketplace. Those companies that are able to focus their efforts and continue to create new, innovative products will be best positioned as the situation improves,” Jorma Ollila, Chairman of Nokia’s Board of Directors, noted in his address at the Foundation’s ceremony.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2007

Nokia Foundation has granted its 2007 award to **Pekka Abrahamsson** for his merits in researching and developing global software development and processes.

Pekka Abrahamsson is a research professor at VTT Technical Research Centre of Finland and currently head of the FLEXI-ITEA2 project, which aims to improve the competitiveness of Europe’s software development by accelerating and adapting global product development and innovations. There are 37 organizations from eight European countries involved in the project. Abrahamsson is a pioneer of agile software development in Finland, and his team designed Mobile-D, the agile approach for mobile application development. Abrahamsson has also coached several agile software development projects in industry and has authored more than 55 scientific publications on software development and processes.

“Software is one of the key elements driving the Information, Communication and Telecommunications’ role in the economy. At Nokia, the company is branching out into software and services in a unique way, compared with the mobility industry at large. Nokia is renewing and transforming business models, taking different approaches than in the past, as software increases in value,” Jorma Ollila, Chairman of Nokia’s Board of Directors, noted in his address at the Foundation’s ceremony.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2006

Nokia Foundation has granted its 2006 award to **Mårten Mickos** for his merits in advancing the use of Open Source technology and for his inspirational leadership of an international software company.

Mårten Mickos has strong merits in the leadership positions of international high-tech companies. Since 2001, he has been CEO of the Open Source company, MySQL. Mickos is known as a strong advocate of the Open Source community and MySQL has been at the forefront of developing successful business around open source. Mickos is a popular key-note speaker at international technology events where his opinions about

commercializing and inspiring innovation are noted and discussed widely.

“Every company makes focused investments to maintain and inspire innovativeness. There is a lot of power in open innovation. The example of Internet today strengthens the belief that Nokia has held for a long time: Open standards and platforms create a foundation for success. They enable interoperability of technologies and encourage innovativeness and healthy competition, which in turn increases consumer choice and opens entirely new markets,” Jorma Ollila, Chairman of Nokia’s Board of Directors, noted in his address at the Foundation’s ceremony.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2005

Nokia Foundation has granted its 2005 recognition award to Professor **Moncef Gabbouj** from the Tampere University of Technology for his academic contributions in signal processing.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2004

Professor of Developmental Neuropsychology, **Heikki Lyytinen**, was given the annual Nokia Foundation Award for his pioneering research promoting the use of information technology and game-based solutions in the development of learning environments for children. Based on his research, Professor Lyytinen has defined a set of implementation principles for game-based learning environments that encourage children to practice efficient learning methods. Learning environments developed on the basis of these principles have led to good results with children learning to read. Explaining the reason behind its decision, the Nokia Foundation board noted, “Lyytinen’s work is a good example of how games can be used for the benefit of education.”

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2003

Professor **George Metakides** (1945–) was awarded the Nokia Foundation annual award in the year 2003 for his merits in advancing information technology research, development and international cooperation in Europe and in Finland. Professor Metakides received his Ph.D. in Mathematical Logic from Cornell University in 1971 and pursued a distinguished academic career in the top US universities including MIT, Cornell and Rochester. Between 1984 and 2002 he held several senior positions in European institutions with responsibilities for R&D policy, funding and international cooperation. He served as the Director of the ESPRIT Programme (European Strategic Programme of Research in Information Technology) and as the Director of Essential Technologies and Infrastructures of IST Programme (Information Society Technologies). A regular visitor in Finland, Professor Metakides has been a significant contributor to the active participation of Finnish universities, research institutes and businesses in European research initiatives.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2002

Epec Oy of Seinäjoki, Finland, was established in 1978 by **Veikko Rintamäki**, M.Sc. and Chairman of the Board. In addition to developing control systems for machinery, the company designs and manufactures in-house the electronic, programmable basic components or modules required for these control systems. In cooperation with customers, the modules are developed for control systems to be installed in customer machines. As a producer of more than a thousand different electronic devices, Epec’s products range from feeding systems for largescale pig farms to intelligent control systems for forest machines. The Foundation granted its award to Veikko Rintamäki for the persevering and successful development of business operations that are based on a diverse and renewable application of knowledge and expertise in the IT sector.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2001

Professor at the Software Systems Laboratory, Tampere University of Technology, **Ilkka Haikala** (1952–) has advised hundreds of theses, written some of the most important text books in software production, and trained a wide variety of software project managers in Finland. The Foundation’s justifications for choosing the recipient of its award: “Professor Ilkka Haikala’s inspiring educational and research activities in software technology, an area of critical importance for our industry and our entire economy, have been unusually extensive and successful. Not only has he been the advisor to 450 theses, but he has been a proliferate producer of educational materials for the sector and has widely promoted software technology research and seminar activities, which has had a major impact on the development and transfer of knowledge and technology in the sector”.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 2000

Emeritus Professor **Osmo A. Wiio** (1928–) is an internationally recognized researcher of communications. Among his topics of research are the readability of texts, organizational communications, and general theories of communication. In addition to a noteworthy academic career, Osmo A. Wiio has written several books, articles, TV and radio programs on technology, the society of the future, and politics. He was a Member of Parliament from 1975–1979.

Osmo A. Wiio received the Nokia Foundation Award for his many years of inspiring and successful publishing work boosting the level and interest in Finnish radio and telecommunications technology. His works and writings have significantly expedited the hobby of radio technology in Finland and, through it, also the industry.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 1999

Mathematics educator **Kullervo Nieminen** (1942-) paid special attention to the training opportunities for mathematically gifted students and funded the Päivölä folk high school, a boarding school in Valkeakoski, Finland. The Päivölä School has a special focus in teaching science and information technology. During their studies the students are often engaged in practical training at the Nokia Research Center in the so-called project Toijala. The school's students have achieved good success in national and international math and physics competitions. The first students graduated from the Toijala project in 1999. The Foundation granted the award to Kullervo Nieminen "for his multifunctional and successful work in the development of math education."

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 1998

Academician **Arto Salomaa** (1934-) has served as Professor of Mathematics at the University of Turku, Academy Professor at the Academy of Finland, and as a visiting lecturer at several foreign universities. He is a distinguished and active developer and researcher of fields that have had a profound impact on the evolution of computer sciences. He has authored several respected scientific materials and has written and edited hundreds of scientific articles. Arto Salomaa's works have been translated into several languages and he has received many honorary awards and distinctions during his career. His scientific achievements and organizational skills are highly recognized in the international science community. He was awarded the title of Academician in 2001.

For Professor Arto Salomaa, the Nokia Foundation Award was in recognition of his groundbreaking work in the development of Finnish education, research and applications in the field of theoretical information technology and cryptology. "Arto Salomaa can be considered a national master in cryptology whose work has significantly increased the Finnish internationally recognized competence in the field."

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 1997

Linux operating system creator **Linus Torvalds** (1969-) is one of the most famous Finns in the world. Torvalds created Linux when he was a 21-year-old student in 1991. Since then, the Linux open source code has been developed around the world.

In selecting the recipient of the third award in the Nokia Foundation's history, the Foundation emphasized Linus Torvalds' excellent achievements in information and telecommunications technology and especially his inspiring example for young researchers in the sector. In explaining its selection criteria in 1997, the Foundation noted: "Linus Torvalds' achievements demonstrate that

with determination a talented person can make it to the top – even with minimal assistance – in one of the most competitive areas both technologically and commercially. His example is apt to encourage young researchers to tackle challenging projects, and to aspire to get the results put into practical applications."

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 1996

Former Secretary-General of the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) Dr **Pekka Tarjanne** (1937-) played a central role in the conversion of Posts and Telecommunications of Finland as a whole into a commercial company when he held the position of Director-General of Posts and Telecommunications in 1977-89. As Secretary-General of the ITU in 1989-1999, he made a significant contribution to the development of global telecommunications. After obtaining a Ph.D. from the Helsinki University of Technology, he engaged in research and teaching work in Denmark, the United States and at universities in Oulu and Helsinki, Finland. Tarjanne's merits include his notable political career through which he has also significantly influenced the telecommunications industry.

The Nokia Foundation Award was granted to Pekka Tarjanne for his contribution to the deregulation of telecommunications in Finland and for his distinguished research work and teaching at Finnish universities.

Nokia Foundation Recognition Award 1995

Engineer **Lauri Kuokkanen** (1931-) has established five electronics industry-subcontracting companies and piloted them successfully. The companies started by Kuokkanen in 1995 employed close to 1 500 employees, mainly in the Oulu region. One of Lauri Kuokkanen's inventions is duplex filter technology, which enabled simultaneous transmission and reception of voice communications in the first mobile phones.

The Nokia Foundation's first recognition award was granted to Engineer Lauri Kuokkanen for his pioneering work in the development of radiotelephones. "The companies established by Kuokkanen have successfully developed world-class components that apply the in-depth theoretical understanding of the discipline," the Nokia Foundation reasoned in 1995.

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair in ICT

The Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair in Information and Communications Technologies (ICT) offers a unique opportunity for a U.S. scholar and/or specialist to engage in international research, collaboration, teaching and guest lecturing at a higher education institution in Finland and to boost industrial-academic collaborations.

The Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair in Information and Communications Technologies is funded by the Nokia Foundation and the Fulbright Finland Foundation. The grant program has been established in 2000 and has brought a total of 28 scholars from United States to visit Finnish universities.

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2023-2024

Zhuming Bi

Purdue University Fort Wayne, USA

Topic: Digital Triad and Internet of Digital Triad Things for Lifecycle Information Integration

Host: LUT University, Finland

Grant: 22 400 €

Venugopal Veeravalli

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Topic: Sequential Inference with Applications to Flexible Spectrum Sharing and Dynamic Event Detection

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 22 400 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2022-2023

Allen D. Malony

University of Oregon, USA

Topic: At the Dawn of Exascale: Delivering High-Performance Computing for Scientific Discovery

Host: University of Helsinki, Finland

Grant: 50 400 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2021-2022

Patrick Crowley

Washington University in St Louis, USA

Topic: Robustness, Privacy, and Impact with Named Data Networking

Host: University of Helsinki, Finland

Grant: 22 400 €

Aditya Johri

George Mason University, USA

Topic: A Comparative Inquiry into the Ethics of Artificial Intelligence (AI) for Education

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 25 200 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2020-2021

Paul Berger

Ohio State University, USA

Topic: Ultra-low Temperature Deposition using Atomic Layer Deposition and Self-Assembled Printed Soft Electronics for Internet-of-Things and Medical Wearables

Host: Tampere University, Finland

Grant: 44 800 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2019-2020

Anne Klinefelter

University of North Carolina, USA

Topic: Comparative Privacy Law & Digitization Design for Access and Privacy

Host: University of Helsinki, Finland

Grant: 22 400 €

Brendan Mumey

Montana State University, USA

Topic: Computational Challenges Arising from Pangenomics

Host: University of Helsinki, Finland

Grant: 28 000 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2017-2018

Gonzalo Arce

University of Delaware, USA

Topic: New Frontiers for Compressive Spectral Tomography

Host: Aalto University, Finland and Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 16 800 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2016-2017

Carol Tenopir

University of Tennessee - Knoxville, USA

Topic: Information and Communication Technologies: Impact on Scholarly Communication

Host: Hanken School of Economics, Finland

Grant: 50 400 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2015-2016

Rao Bhaskar

University of California, San Diego, USA

Topic: Statistical Methods for the Sparse Signal Recovery Problem and its Applications

Host: Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 33 600 €

Dario Salvucci

Drexel University, USA

Topic: Predicting Driver Distraction with Cognitive Architectures

Host: University of Jyväskylä, Finland

Grant: 22 400 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2014-2015

Jay Gillette

Ball State University, USA

Topic: "ICT for ICD": Information and Communications Technology for Intelligent Community Development

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 28 000 €

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2013-2014

Peter Brusilovsky

University of Pittsburgh, USA

Topic: Research and Teaching in the Area of Learning Technologies and Adaptive Systems

Host: University of Helsinki, Department of Computer Science & HIIT, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2012-2013

Stuart Brotman

Harvard University, USA

Topic: National Broadband Policies: Finland and the U.S. in Comparative Context

Host: University of Helsinki, Faculty of Social Sciences, Media and Communications Studies, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2012-2013

Matthew Turk

University of California, Santa Barbara, USA

Topic: Vision-based Interaction for Natural Human-computer Interfaces in Mobile Environments

Host: University of Oulu, Finland and University of Tampere, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2010-2011

Gonzalo R. Arce

University of Delaware, USA

Topic: New Frontiers for Compressive Sensing in Communications and Imaging

Host: Aalto University School of Science and Technology, Finland

Chung Chieh (Jay) Kuo

University of Southern California, USA

Topic: Research on Power - and Spectrum-Efficient Mobile Video Technology

Host: Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2009-2010

John Raquet

Advanced Navigation Technology Center of Air Force Institute of Technology, USA

Topic: Advanced Navigation Technology

Host: Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2008-2009

James Morris

Portland State University, Maseeh College of Engineering and Computer Science, USA

Topic: Nanotechnology Applications in Electrically Conductive Adhesives (ECAs) for Electronics Packaging

Host: Helsinki University of Technology, Laboratory of Electronics Production Technology, Finland

Ece Yaprak

Wayne State University, College of Engineering, USA

Topic: Project: Study of Short Range Wireless Communications

Host: University of Oulu, Centre for Wireless Communication, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2008-2009

Yih-Fang Huang

University of Notre Dame, Department of Electrical Engineering, USA

Topic: Project: MIMO-OFDM for Emerging Wireless Communications Technology

Host: Helsinki University of Technology, Signal Processing Laboratory, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2008-2009

Roberta Lamb

University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

Topic: Project: Collaborative Studies of Information and Communications Systems

Host: University of Turku, Finland

Kent Mason Sandoe

California State University, Chico, USA

Topic: Information Technology and the Choreography of Work; Current Issues in Information Technology

Host: University of Turku, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2004-2005

Bryan Pellom

University of Colorado - Boulder, Center for Spoken Language Research, USA

Topic: An Investigation of Methods for Multilingual Speech Recognition and Statistical Language Modeling with Application to Literacy Tutors for Children

Host: Helsinki University of Technology, Laboratory of Computer and Information Science, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2003-2004

Carlos Pomalaza-Ráez

Indiana University a Purdue University, Fort Wayne, Department of Engineering, USA

Topic: Research on Distributed Wireless Communication Networks; Lecture and Seminars on Wireless Communication Systems

Host: University of Oulu, Centre for Wireless Communications & Telecommunications Laboratory, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2002-2003

Luu Nguyen

National Semiconductor Corporation, USA

Topic: Reliability of Compact Lead-Free Products and Design-for-Manufacturability of Optoelectronic Modules

Host: Helsinki University of Technology, Laboratory of Electronics Production Technology, Finland

Fulbright-Nokia Distinguished Chair 2000-2001

Kaveh Pahlavan

Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Electrical and Computer Engineering Department, USA

Topic: Advanced Wireless Networks

Host: University of Oulu, Centre for Wireless Communications & Telecommunications Laboratory, Finland

Fulbright Research Grant for a Junior Scholar in Partnership with the Nokia Foundation

The purpose of the Fulbright Research Grant for a Junior Scholar in Partnership with the Nokia Foundation award is to enable scholars in ICT fields to carry out research projects in the U.S. and at the same time act as ambassadors for the Fulbright program, Finland, and their home institution, sharing their culture and contributing to the relations between Finland and the U.S.

This grant program was started in 2024 and since one award has been granted in the program. Funding for this program comes from the Jorma Ollila fund.

Fulbright Research Grant for a Junior Scholar in Partnership with the Nokia Foundation 2024

Nuutti Tervo

University of Oulu

Topic: Generalized Joint Analog-digital Optimization of Nonlinear Sub-terahertz Power Amplifiers in Antenna Arrays (GENIUS-PA)

Host: University of California, Santa Barbara, USA

Grant: 30 000 €

France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence in ICT

The France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence in Information and Communications Technologies (ICT) offers a unique opportunity for a French scholar to engage in an international research collaboration. The Chaire d'Excellence position is available for scholars and specialists in Information and Communications Technologies and includes research and lecturing at a higher education or research institution in Finland.

This grant program is carried out in collaboration between the Nokia Foundation and the Institut français Finlande. The program was started in 2020 with a pilot and was then established as continuous program in 2022. In total 5 French scholars have visited Finland as part of the grant program.

France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence 2025-2026

Nicolas Mansard

LAAS-CNRS, Toulouse, France

Topic: Advancing Reinforcement Learning Toward Foundation Models in Robotics

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 20 000 €

France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence 2024-2025

Maxime Pelcat

INSA Rennes, IETR, France

Topic: Ecodesign of Systems-on-a-Chip

Host: Tampere University, Finland

Grant: 17 900 €

France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence 2023-2024

Marco Di Renzo

Paris-Saclay University, France

Topic: Metamaterial-Aided Wireless Communications: From Electromagnetic Modeling to Network Optimization and System-Level Validation

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 17 200 €

Antoine Doucet

La Rochelle Université, France

Topic: ROBUSTA – Artificial Intelligence for the Robust Analysis of Textual Contents

Host: University of Helsinki, Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

France-Nokia Chaire d'Excellence 2020-2021

Jean-Emmanuel Broquin

Grenoble Institut Polytechnique, France

Topic: Novel Glass Platform for Telecom Signals Generation

Host: University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Grant: 20 000 €

Jorma Ollila Grant

The Jorma Ollila Fund was established in 2014 to support recently graduated doctors to further develop their research careers in the field of Information and Communications Technologies (ICT) or in areas supporting the development of these branches of science. Target group for the Fund are postdoctoral researchers as well as younger scholars on the tenure track in Finnish universities.

The focus of the Jorma Ollila Grant program is founded on the experiences that Jorma Ollila had during his early career and how the international experience helped him progress his career. Since 2014 a total of 43 Jorma Ollila Grants have been awarded.

Jorma Ollila Grants 2024

Sumit Singh

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Design and Development of Digital RF Transmitter ICs at 3GPP FR3

Frequency Range Towards 6G Communications

Host: Interuniversity Microelectronics Centre (IMEC), Leuven, Belgium

Grant: 26 000 €

Jorma Ollila Grants 2023

Onel Luis Alcaraz López

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: End-to-End Optimization of High-power

and Safe RF Wireless Power Transfer Systems

Host: Rice University, USA

Grant: 5 500 €

Kai-Kristian Kemell

University of Helsinki, Finland

Topic: Utilizing Generative AI to Transform SE – Current State of Practice, Challenges, and Good Practices

Host: University of South-Eastern Norway, Norway
Grant: 8 600 €

Lucie Klus

Tampere University, Finland

Topic: Multi-Technology Convergence for Ultra-Reliable Localization and Sensing Toward the 6G Era

Host: University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), USA
Grant: 13 500 €

Duy Tung Phan

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: REACH-6G: Reconfigurable Intelligent Surfaces Using Microfluidic Tuning Mechanism for mmWave and sub-THz 6G Applications

Host: North Carolina State University, USA
Grant: 14 000 €

Peize Zhang

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Hardware Impairments-Aware Radio Channel Characterization and Modeling for 6G THz Communications

Host: Lund University, Sweden
Grant: 11 800 €

Jorma Ollila Grants 2022

Suyog Halasinamara Chandramouli

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: A Bayesian Data Prior Approach, BI* for Interactive and Human-Centered Data Science

Host: Indiana University, Bloomington, USA

Grant: 23 300 €

Anil Kanduri

University of Turku, Finland

Topic: Cognitive Intelligence for Resilience in Multi-Modal AI-Based eHealth Systems

Host: University of California, Irvine, USA
Grant: 21 000 €

Pieta Anastasia Koivikko

Tampere University, Finland

Topic: High-Speed Optical Strain Sensor Network for Traumatic Brain Injury Mapping

Host: Cornell University, USA
Grant: 23 000 €

Nhan Nguyen

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Deep Unfolding Solutions to Energy-Efficient Transceiver Designs in 6G Wideband THz Systems Digital Healthcare Services

Host: University of California, Irvine, USA
Grant: 12 000 €

Ville Vakkuri

University of Vaasa, Finland

Topic: Simple Tools for Complex Issues, Approaching AI Ethics Issues Through Education

Host: University of Copenhagen, Denmark
Grant: 24 000 €

Jorma Ollila Grants 2021

Mohammad-Hashem Haghbayan

University of Turku, Finland

Topic: Runtime Resource Management in Distributed Cyber-physical Systems

Host: DEIB Politecnico di Milano, Italy

Grant: 18 500 €

Mika Hämäläinen

University of Helsinki, Finland

Topic: Collaboration on Computationally Creative AI in Dialog Systems

Host: École normale supérieure Paris, France
Grant: 11 500 €

Maria Kim

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Development of all-2D Material Inkjet-printed Multi-sensors Platform

Host: IEMN University of Lille, France

Grant: 20 000 €

Tanesh Kumar

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Distributed, Trustworthy and Privacy-preserving Three-tier Edge AI Security Framework for Digital Healthcare Services

Host: Delft University of Technology, Netherlands
Grant: 11 500 €

Juuli Lumivalo

University of Jyväskylä, Finland

Topic: Co-creating Sustainability Value Using Green Information Systems (IS)

Host: University of Hamburg, Germany
Grant: 11 500 €

Pawani Porambage

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: SANSMin: Securing Automated Network and Service Management in Next Generation Networks

Host: University College of Dublin, Ireland
Grant: 19 200 €

MohammadJavad Salehi

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Collaborative Research on Coded Caching Benefits for Extended Reality (XR) Applications

Host: University of Minnesota, USA and University of Utah, USA
Grant: 15 410 €

Xuchen Wang

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Space-Time Metasurfaces for 6G Wireless Communications

Host: University of Pennsylvania, USA
Grant: 18 240 €

Hesam Zolfaghari

Tampere University, Finland

Topic: Designing Flexible Terabit-Speed Switching and Routing Hardware

Host: Paderborn University, Germany
Grant: 17 250 €

Jorma Ollila Grants 2020

Rosa Emilia González Hautamäki

University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Topic: Characterization of Intra-speaker Variability for Speaker Verification Technology

Host: National University of Singapore, Singapore
Grant: 20 000 €

Mohammad-Hashem Haghbayan

University of Turku, Finland

Topic: Runtime Resource Management in Distributed Cyber-physical Systems

Host: Politecnico di Milano, Italy
Grant: 20 000 €

XiaoLi Liu

University of Helsinki,
Finland

Topic: Transmission Risk
Estimation and Avoidance
Algorithms for Mitigating
Epidemics

Host: Hong Kong University
of Science and Technology,
Hong Kong

Grant: 15 000 €

Vikas Verma

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Self-supervised
Learning methods for Deep
Neural Networks

Host: Quebec Artificial
Intelligence Institute,
Montreal, Canada

Grant: 20 000 €

**Jorma Ollila Grants
2019****Dristy Parveg**

VTT Technical Research
Centre of Finland, Finland

Topic: Millimeter-wave
Integrated Radiometric
Receivers

Host: NASA Jet Propulsion
Laboratory (JPL), USA

Grant: 10 000 €

**Jorma Ollila Grants
2018****Ijaz Ahmad**

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Visiting researcher
in Auckland University,
Department of Computer
Science to Explore and
Implement AI in Wireless
Networks

Host: University of
Auckland, New Zealand

Grant: 10 000 €

Viktar Asadchy

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Novel Solutions
Based on Artificial

Electromagnetic
Surfaces for Modern
Telecommunication
Systems

Host: Australian National
University, Australia and
École Polytechnique
Fédérale de Lausanne,
Switzerland

Grant: 18 300 €

Huber Flores

University of Helsinki,
Finland

Topic: MULTISENSE:
Opportunistic Device to
Device Communications for
Mobile Sensing

Host: The Hong Kong
University of Science and
Technology, Hong Kong

Grant: 12 000 €

Ella Peltonen

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Energy-aware
Recommendation System
for Mobile Devices

Host: University College
Cork, Ireland and University
of Melbourne, Australia

Grant: 20 309 €

**Jorma Ollila Grants
2017****Zheng Chang**

University of Jyväskylä,
Finland

Topic: Smart Backhauling:
Break the Shackles of 5G
Small Cells

Host: University of Notre
Dame, USA

Grant: 20 309 €

Xiaohua Huang

Center for Machine Vision
and Signal Analysis,
University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Deep Learning for
Analyzing the Affective
State of People with
Applications to Artificial
Intelligence and Mobility

Host: University of
Cambridge, UK

Grant: 32 916 €

Irina Nefedova

Aalto University
Department of Electronics
and Nanoengineering,
Finland

Topic: Colloidal Materials-
based Energy-efficient
Nanoelectronic Devices

Host: University of
Hamburg, Germany

Grant: 20 309 €

Vasilii Semkin

Tampere University of
Technology, Finland

Topic: Radio Wave
Propagation Studies and
Dynamically Adaptive
Antennas for Millimeter-
wave Applications of 5G
and Beyond

Host: New York University,
USA (2018), University
of Bologna, Italy (2019),
and National University
of Singapore, Singapore
(2020)

Grant: 32 000 €

**Jorma Ollila Grants
2016****Adnan Ashraf**

Åbo Akademi University,
Finland

Topic: Towards IT as a
Service: A Novel Approach
and Algorithms for
Software-Defined Cloud
Computing

Host: Umeå University,
Sweden

Grant: 20 071 €

Olga Galinina

Tampere University of
Technology, Finland

Topic: Research visit to
Wireless Networking and
Communications Group

Host: University of Texas at
Austin, USA

Grant: 29 000 €

Xiang Su

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Lightweight Stream
Reasoning for Internet of
Things Data

Host: Technische Universität
München, Germany

Grant: 15 000 €

**Jorma Ollila Grants
2015****Antti Kaskela**

Aalto University School of
Science, Finland

Topic: Controlled Doped
Single-walled Carbon
Nanotube Gas Sensors

Host: University of Vienna,
Austria

Grant: 59 187 € for the
years 2016-2018

Eemil Lagerspetz

University of Helsinki,
Finland

Topic: Mind The Gap:
Combining Trajectory
Datasets for a Holistic
Picture of Human Mobility

Host: Hong Kong University
of Science and Technology,
Hong Kong

Grant: 19 729 € for the
years 2016-2017

Olli-Pentti Saira

Aalto University, Low
temperature laboratory,
Finland

Topic: Fabrication and
Measurement of a
Calorimeter Based on a
Silicon NEMS Absorber and
a Sm-S (semiconductor-
superconductor) Schottky
Barrier Thermometer

Host: California Institute of
Technology, USA

Grant: 59 187 € for the years 2016-2019

Jorma Ollila Grants 2014

Sergey Andreev

Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Topic: Performance Limits of Network-Assisted D2D Connectivity: Empowering 5G-grade IoT Solutions

Host: University of Manitoba (UM), Winnipeg, Canada

Grant: 28 500 € for the years 2015-2017

Pyry Kivisaari

Aalto University, Department of Biomedical Engineering and Computational Science

Topic: Diffusion-driven Near-surface Nanophotonic Devices for Efficient Energy Conversion

Host: Lund University, Sweden

Grant: 59 187 € for the years 2015-2017

Mikko Kytö

Aalto University School of Science, Finland

Topic: Augmented Reality: An Interface for Internet of Things

Host: The Human Interface Technology Laboratory New Zealand (HIT Lab NZ), University of Canterbury, New Zealand and Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE), Mississippi State University, USA

Grant: 59 187 € for the years 2015-2017

Lu Wei

University of Helsinki, Finland

Topic: Wireless Communication Inspired Random Matrix Theory in the Big Data Era

Host: Harvard University, USA, Technical University of Berlin, Germany and Purdue University, USA

Grant: 48 200 € for the years 2015-2017

Tutkijat maailmalle

Tutkijat maailmalle program provides grants for research in technology and economics for research visits abroad. The program is currently supported by four foundations – KAUTE Foundation, Walter Ahlström Foundation, Foundation for Economic Education and Nokia Foundation. Total funding available for grants in the program during the past years has been 450 000 euros. The purpose of the program is to support ambitious technology or economics researchers to conduct research at a high-level foreign university or research institute.

Nokia Foundation joined the Tutkijat maailmalle program in 2023 and has since then granted 6 scholarships as part of the program. The funds for the Tutkijat maailmalle grants that are awarded by Nokia Foundation are provided from the Jorma Ollila fund.

Tutkijat maailmalle 2025

Heidi Hietala

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Cognitive Biases in Software Engineering Decision-Making: Debiasing through Reconceptation

Host: University of Sydney, Australia

Grant: 41 350 €

Risto Ojala

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Robust Traversable Area Analysis for Mobile Robots

Host: Simon Fraser University, Canada

Grant: 36 040 €

Tutkijat maailmalle 2024

Joel Lamberg

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Dispersion-Engineered Metasurfaces for Infrared Applications

Host: NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California, USA

Grant: 50 000 € for two years visit

Tutkijat maailmalle 2023

Riku Ala-Laurinaho

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Trust, Openness and IPR Protection in Digital Twin Web

Host: Monash University, Australia

Grant: 20 000 €

Onel Luis Alcaraz López

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: End-to-End Optimization of RF Wireless Power Transfer Systems

Host: Rice University, USA

Grant: 20 000 €

Anil Kanduri

University of Turku, Finland

Topic: Hybrid Attention for Efficient Multi-modal Machine Learning Inference

Host: University of California Irvine, USA

Grant: 20 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor

Nokia Visiting Professors grants are awarded to distinguished foreign professors to work in Finland, or to Finnish professors working at respected foreign universities in the field of Information and Communications Technologies (ICT). The grant program has been active since 2008 and during this time a total of 71 Nokia Visiting Professor grants have been awarded.

Nokia Visiting Professor 2025

Philipp del Hougne

CNRS, IETR - Université de Rennes, France

Topic: Compactly Stacked Non-Reciprocal Intelligent Metasurfaces for Wave-Domain Computing in 6G Wireless Communications

Host: Aalto University

Grant: 18 740 €

Minna Isomursu

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Digital Care Pathways for Brain Health

Host: Trinity College Dublin, Ireland

Grant: 10 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2024

Vimal Bhatia

Indian Institute of Technology Indore, India

Topic: Intelligent Reflecting Surfaces Enabled

Integrated Sensing and Communications for Future Wireless Communication Systems

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2023

Humeyra Caglayan

Tampere University, Finland

Topic: Integrated Meta-optics for Photonic Neural Networks

Host: Eindhoven University of Technology, Netherlands

Grant: 21 000 €

Christian Flindt

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Quantum Science and Engineering for Future Information and Communications Technologies

Host: RIKEN (Institute of Physical and Chemical Research), Japan

Grant: 15 000 €

Atanas Gotchev

Tampere University, Finland

Topic: Computational Light Transport

Host: University of Utah, USA

Grant: 20 000 €

Kaisa Väänänen

Tampere University, Finland

Topic: Human-Centered Artificial Intelligence for Social and Environmental Sustainability

Host: Queensland University of Technology, Australia

Grant: 7 500 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2022

Daniel da Costa

Technology Innovation Institute, United Arab Emirates

Topic: Intelligent Reflecting Surfaces and Advanced Multiple Access Technologies: Enhancing Spectral and

Energy Efficiency of Future Multi-Antenna Wireless Communication Systems

Host: LUT University, Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

Salama Ikki

Lakehead University, Canada

Topic: Spatial and Temporal Prediction of Wireless Communication Channels for 5G Communication Systems

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 16 200 €

Visa Koivunen

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Multiagent Learning, Statistical Inference and Adaptation in Distributed Multifunction Sensor Systems

Host: Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland

Grant: 12 000 €

George Moustakides

University of Patras, Greece

Topic: Sequential and Distributed Learning and Inference in Large-Scale Sensor Networks

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 11 000 €

Prabhat Kumar Upadhyay

Indian Institute of Technology Indore, India

Topic: Hybrid Satellite-Aerial-Terrestrial Networks for Future Generation

Communication Capabilities (HySAtEN)

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2021

Enrique Miranda

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain

Topic: Memristive Devices for Neuromorphic Computing

Host: University of Turku, Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2020

Tony Quek

Singapore University of Technology and Design, Singapore

Topic: Massive, Ultra-Reliable, and Low-Latency Wireless Communications

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 15 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2019

Mehdi Bennis

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Wireless Network Intelligence at the Edge

Host: Princeton University, USA

Grant: 6 000 €

Djamal Benslimane

Claude Bernard Lyon 1
University, France

Topic: PROSERV Project
- Flexible Querying of
Uncertain Web Services

Host: University of Oulu,
Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Marco Di Renzo

CNRS, Université Paris-
Saclay, France

Topic: Wireless Networks
Empowered by
Reconfigurable Intelligent
Meta-Surfaces (RIMs):
Theoretical Foundation
Based on Electromagnetism
and Physics

Host: Aalto University,
Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Ying-Chang Liang

University of Electronic
Science & Technology of
China, China

Topic: Ambient Backscatter
Communications for Ultra-
low Power IoT

Host: Aalto University,
Finland

Grant: 15 000 €

Mostafa Ammar

Georgia Institute of
Technology, USA

Topic: Symbiosis in the
Internet of Things

Host: University of Helsinki,
Finland

Grant: 9 500 €

Centennial: Yusuke Koda

Kyoto University, Japan

Topic: Camera-assisted
Framework for Reliable,
Decentralized, and Ultra-
Dense Millimeter Wave
Networks

Host: Oulu University,
Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

**Nokia Visiting
Professor 2018****Yang Chen**

Fudan University, China

Topic: User Mobility
Analytics for Resource
Allocation in Mobile Edge

Host: Aalto University,
Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Daniel da Costa

Federal University of Ceara,
Brazil

Topic: Energy Efficient
Communication Strategies
in IoT networks

Host: Lappeenranta
University of Technology,
Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

Jussi Ryyänen

Department of Electronics
and Nanoengineering,
Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Integrated Wideband
Local Oscillator and Clock
Circuits for Future 5G and
6G Digital and Mixed Mode
Transceivers

Host: Lund University,
Sweden

Grant: 7 500 €

Chintha Tellambura

University of Alberta,
Canada

Topic: Spectrum Sensing for
Cognitive Wireless Internet
of Things

Host: Center for Wireless
Communications, University
of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

My Thai

University of Florida, USA

Topic: Security and
Efficiency in Complex
Networked Systems: When
Social Meets Adaptivity

Host: University of
Jyväskylä, Finland

Grant: 8 700 €

Antti Tölli

University of Oulu,
Centre for Wireless
Communications, Finland

Topic: Multidimensional
Signal Processing for
Heterogeneous mmWave
Access

Host: University of
California, Santa Barbara,
USA

Grant: 10 000 €

**Centennial: Mahmoud
Albreem**

A'Sharqiyah University
(ASU), Oman

Topic: Detection Techniques
for Massive MIMO Systems

Host: University of Oulu,
Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

**Centennial: Alejandro
Cabrera Aldaya**

Technological University of
Havana (CUJAE), Cuba

Topic: Security Analysis
of Modern Cryptographic
Libraries Regarding
Microarchitectural Side-
Channel Attacks

Host: Tampere University of
Technology, Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

Centennial: Gilsoo Lee

Virginia Polytechnic
Institute and State
University, USA

Topic: Online Framework for
Low-Latency UAV-assisted
Distributed Fog Computing
in Smart Factories

Host: University of Oulu,
Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

**Nokia Visiting
Professor 2017****Roman Bednarik**

University of Eastern
Finland, Finland

Topic: New Interactive
Technologies and Tracking
in Surgical ORs - VR, Gaze
Tracking, and Remote Video

Host: University of Alberta,
Edmonton, Canada

Grant: 10 000 €

Babak Hossein Khalaj

Sharif University of
Technology, Iran

Topic: Tradeoffs Between
Computation and
Communication in Virtual
Platforms in MEC and Fog
Computing

Host: University of Oulu,
Finland

Grant: 5 500 €

Harri Lipsanen

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Emerging
Nanophotonics and
Electronics Applications of
New Nanomaterials

Host: The University of
Arizona, USA

Grant: 8 000 €

Premanandana Rajatheva

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: UAV Networks-on-
the-fly for Ubiquitous Sens-
ing and Communication

Host: University of
Manitoba, Canada

Grant: 6 000 €

Maria Uther

University of Winchester, UK

Topic: Sound Principles for
Using Sound in Learning
Apps on Mobile Devices

Host: Cicero Learning based
at University of Helsinki,
Finland

Grant: 5 452 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2016

Mehdi Bennis

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Wireless Proactive Caching At the Network Edge

Host: Princeton University, USA

Grant: 6 000 €

Giacomo Boracchi

Politecnico di Milano, Italy

Topic: Foveated Image Features

Host: Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

Jyrki Nummenmaa

University of Tampere, Finland

Topic: Language Technology and Functional Programming Applied to Data Management and Analysis for Big Data

Host: Chalmers and Gothenburg University, Sweden

Grant: 6 000 €

Hitoshi Ohsato

Nagoya Industrial Science Research Institute, Japan

Topic: Millimeter-wave Dielectrics of Cordierite/indialite Glass Ceramics Applied to LTCC

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Olav Tirkkonen

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Technologies for 5G Cellular Networks

Host: Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, USA

Grant: 8 000 €

Guoying Zhao

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Micro-Gesture Analysis

Host: Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, USA

Grant: 9 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2015

Abdenour Hadid

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Analyzing Human Facial Dynamics and Behaviors in 4D

Host: Northwestern Polytechnic University, Xi'an, China

Grant: 5 000 €

Roope Raisamo

University of Tampere, Finland

Topic: Humans Acting with Autonomous Systems

Host: Stanford University, USA

Grant: 8 000 €

Sabato Marco Siniscalchi

Kore University of Enna, Italy

Topic: Characterization of Spoken Languages Using Language-Universal Speech Attributes with Applications to Automatic Accent Recognition

Host: University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

Zhipei Sun

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Graphene Based Quantum Information Technologies

Host: Cambridge University, UK and Northwestern University, USA

Grant: 10 000 €

Evimaria Terzi

Boston University, USA

Topic: Inferring Social Networks and Abilities of Experts & Textbook on Algorithmic Data Analysis

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 7 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2014

Ville Hautamäki

University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Topic: Accurate Speaker Recognition from Extremely Short Test Utterances

Host: Georgia Institute of Technology, USA

Grant: 7 000 €

Lauri Savioja

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Computationally Efficient and Perceptually Accurate Room Acoustic Modeling

Host: Center for Computer Research in Music and Acoustics (CCRMA), Stanford University, USA

Grant: 8 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2013

Sergey Balandin

Open Innovations Association FRUCT, Finland

Topic: Development of Smart Room Laboratory and Demo Space

Host: Petrozavodsk State University, Republic of Karelia, Russia

Grant: 6 000 €

Brian Barsky

University of California, Berkeley, USA

Topic: Computational Ophthalmology Approaches to Retinal Imaging

Host: Lappeenranta University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

G rard Chollet

CNRS LTCI, T l com-ParisTech, France

Topic: Audio-Visual Imposture in Identity Verification

Host: University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

Igor Filanovsky

University of Alberta at Edmonton, Canada

Topic: Critical Blocks of Mobile RF Transmitters: High-Speed DC/DC Converters for RF Power Amplifiers

Host: Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 7 000 €

Abdenour Hadid

University of Oulu, Finland

Topic: Establishing Collaboration in Computer Vision and Biometrics with Leading US Universities

Host: Michigan State University, USA

Grant: 7 000 €

Visa Koivunen

Aalto University, Finland

Topic: Research on Joint Optimization of Identifying and Accessing Idle Spectrum, Interference Modeling and Management, and Optimized Networked Sensor System

Host: Princeton University, Department of Electrical Engineering, USA

Grant: 6 000 €

Gary Madden

Curtin University, Australia

Topic: Hedonic Price Model Estimation Using Dynamic Panel Models

Host: Aalto University, Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Abbas Mohammadi

Amirkabir University, Iran

Topic: Adaptive and Energy Efficient Transceivers for Future Intelligent Radio Networks

Host: Tampere University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 7 000 €

Sasu Tarkoma

University of Helsinki, Finland

Topic: Smartphone Energy Efficiency

Host: Cambridge University, Computer Laboratory, UK

Grant: 7 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2012

Sergey Balandin

Topic: Design of Cross-Platform Services in Smart Spaces and IoT

Host: Petrozavodsk State University, Russia

Grant: 6 000 €

Jussi Kangasharju

Topic: In-network Caching

Host: Seoul National University, Korea and International Computer

Science Institute, Berkeley, USA

Grant: 8 000 €

Susanto Rahardja

Topic: High Dynamic Range Imaging

Host: University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2011

Gil David

Topic: Analysis of Massive High-dimensional Datasets

Host: University of Jyväskylä, Department of Mathematical Information Technology, Finland

Grant: 8 000 €

Moncef Gabbouj

Topic: Establishing Collaboration in Advanced Signal Processing Methods for Audio and Visual Media Analysis, Processing Communication and Retrieval with Major US Universities

Host: Purdue University and University of Southern California, USA

Grant: 8 000 €

Abdenour Hadid

Topic: Face Biometrics under Spoofing Attacks in the Context of Mobile Environments

Host: University of California Santa Barbara, USA

Grant: 7 000 €

Jari Multisilta

Topic: Applications of Emerging Technologies for Mobile Video

Host: Stanford University, H-STAR Institute, USA

Grant: 15 000 €

Frans Ilkka Olavi Mäyrä

Topic: Assessing the Experience of Play

Host: University of Waikato, New Zealand

Grant: 7 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2010

Keith Devlin

Host: Visiting Several Universities and Industry

Grant: 10 000 €

Jiuyong Li

Host: University of Helsinki, Finland

Grant: 9 700 €

Elena Simona Lohan

Host: University Polytechnica of Bucharest, Romania

Grant: 4 000 €

Nandana Rajatheva

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 7 000 €

Kaisa Anneli Väänänen-Vainio-Mattila

Host: Stockholm University, Sweden

Grant: 16 000 €

Nokia Visiting Professor 2008

AmirParviz Babak

University of Washington, USA

Topic: Self-assembled mobile telecommunication devices: from molecular components to systems

Host: Helsinki University of Technology, Finland

Grant: 19 000 €

Li Haizhou

Department Head, Human Language Technology

Topic: Speaker and Language Recognition

Host: University of Joensuu, Department of Computer Science, Finland

Grant: 10 000 €

Nokia Visiting Fellow

The Nokia Visiting Fellow and Visiting Researcher grant programs were active from 1995 to 2007 and during this time a total of 57 grants were awarded.

Nokia Visiting Fellow 2007

Baskin Lev

Topic: Modeling and Design of Electronic Devices in Nano-scale

Grant: 10 000 €

Hadid Abdenour

Topic: Face Detection and Authentication in Mobile Phones

Grant: 4 000 €

Koskinen Tomi Veikko Mikael

Topic: Kehittynyt antennisuunnittelu: metamateriaalimallinnus FDTD-simulaatioissa ja vaiheeton lähikenttämittaust

Grant: 6 000 €

Lehtomäki Janne Jooseppi

Topic: Sensing and Direct Communication in a Centralized Network

Grant: 5 000 €

Penttinen Henri Markku

Topic: Mobiiliorkesteri

Grant: 5 000 €

Riva Claudio

Topic: Mobile REST

Grant: 8 000 €

Nokia Visiting Fellow 2006

Oscar H. Ibarra

University of California, USA
Host: University of Turku, Finland

Topic: Automata and New Models of Computing with Applications

Grant: 12 000 €

Igor Nefedov

Helsinki University of Technology, Finland

Topic: Miniaturization of Mobile Multi-antenna Terminals Using Carbon Nanotubes

Grant: 9 000 €

Varadharajan Sridhar

Management Development Institute, India

Host: Helsinki University of Technology, Finland

Topic: Analyzing the Future Growth of Mobile Communication Services in Developing Countries such as India: Lessons from Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

Mohammed Elmusrati

Topic: Optimum Radio Resource Management in Bad Channel Conditions

Host: Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden

Grant: 5 000 €

Tao Hu

Topic: LTCC Modules with Novel Integrate Technique for MEMS

Host: Rutgers University, USA

Grant: 5 000 €

Jagdish Patra

Topic: Älykkäiden anturien ohjaaminen

Grant: 3 680 €

Pekka Juhani Jäppinen

Topic: Yksityisyyden suoja ja tietoturva tulevaisuuden langattomissa läsnäpalveluissa.

Host: Josef Stefan Institute, Slovenia

Grant: 5 000 €

Antti Olavi Oulasvirta

Topic: Inferences of Others Through Social Software: Field Trials and Theory Development

Host: University of California, Berkeley, USA

Grant: 5 000 €

Nokia Visiting Fellows and Researchers 2005

Päivi Kristiina Jokinen

Topic: Tracking in Multiparty Conversations

Host: University of Stanford, USA

Grant: 10 000 €

Thomas Sebastian Mailadil

Topic: Materials and Devices for Wireless Communication

Host: University of Oulu, Finland

Grant: 6 000 €

Aaltonen Titta Katriina

Topic: Atomic layer deposition (ALD) of thin films for IC applications

Host: Harvard University, USA

Grant: 6 000 €

Hadid Abdenour

Topic: Face Recognition From Video Using Local Binary Patterns

Host: Chinese Academy of Science, China

Grant: 4 000 €

Hooli Kari Juhani

Topic: Spektrin joustava käyttö

Host: University of Surrey, UK

Grant: 4 000 €

Katara Mika Esaia

Topic: Model-Driven Testing: Tools and Applications (MODENA)

Host: IBM Haifa Research Laboratory, Israel

Grant: 4 000 €

Koskela Juha Markus

Topic: Novel methods for semantic processing of visual and multimodal data in large databases

Host: Dublin City University, Ireland

Grant: 6 000 €

Kämäräinen Joni Kristian

Topic: 3-ulotteinen kasvojen tunnistus biometrisessä autentikoinnissa

Host: University of Surrey, UK

Grant: 5 000 €

Selonen Aki Petri

Topic: Tools for modeling aspects in software engineering

Host: University of British Columbia, Canada

Grant: 6 000 €

Visiting Fellows and Researchers 2002

Fawzi Daoud

Topic: Models/Strategies Analysis for Future Mobile Operators

Host: Teknillinen korkeakoulu / Heikki Hämmäinen

Anthony Joseph

Topic: Griffin: A Predictive, Adaptive Environment for Mobile Applications

Host: HIIT / Kimmo Raatikainen

Navin Kumar M. Sihngi

Topic: Algebraic Discrete Mathematics, Codes and Data Compression

Host: Tampereen teknillinen yliopisto / Foldes Stephan

Xiaolin Wu

Topic: Multi-resolution coding of digital media contents for wireless communications

Host: Joensuun yliopisto / Fränti Pasi

Mihai Enescu

Topic: Advanced Transceiver Algorithms for Mobile Broadband Wireless Access Systems

Host: Institute of communications and RadioFrequency Engineering Technische Universität Wien

Konsta Petteri Koppinen

Topic: Automatic Generation of Features for Speech Recognition Using Evolutionary Computation

Host: University of California, Berkeley, USA

Krisztián József Kordás

Topic: RF and microwave MEMS accomplished by high-resolution mask-less methods

Host: University of Arkansas, USA

Salonen Pekka Olavi

Topic: Kangasantennien kehittäminen älyvaatteisiin

Host: University of California, USA

Panayiotis Tsaparas

Topic: Information retrieval in peer-to-peer networks

Host: HIIT / Aristides Gionis & Heikki Mannila

Visiting Fellows and Researchers 2002

David Rutledge

Topic: Visiting Professor at HUT Radio Laboratory in 2003

Host: Teknillinen korkeakoulu / Antti Räisänen

Tadashi Matsumoto

Topic: New Technology Creation and Accurate Performance Evaluation in Real Fields

Host: Oulun yliopisto, CWC

Leon Chua

Topic: Nonlinear Information Processing via Nonlinear Dynamics and Bifurcation Theory

Host: Teknillinen korkeakoulu

Mikko Kurimo

Topic: The Challenges of Speech Recognition in Starting Large-scale Speech and Language Technology Research Projects

Richard Nock

Topic: Algorithmic Machine Learning and Image Understanding

Samuli Visuri

Topic: Statistical Signal Processing for MIMO Systems

Visiting Fellows and Researchers 2001

M.L. Rodrigues de Campos

Topic: Tilastollisen signaalinkäsittelyn tutkimus ja tutkijankoulutusyhteistyön luominen

Host: Oulun Yliopisto / Markku Juntti

Edward J. Delp

Topic: Media Streaming

Host: Tampereen teknillinen korkeakoulu / Jaakko Astola

Scott MacKenzie & Stephen Brewster

Topic: Interface and interaction techniques for advanced computing

Host: Tampereen Yliopisto / Kari-Jouko Räihä

Simovski C. R.

Topic: Antennas utilizing new engineered and electrically controlled materials

Host: Teknillinen korkeakoulu / Sergei Tretyakov

Harri Oinas-Kukkonen

Topic: Mobile Hypermedia and Collective IQ

Host: Stanford University

Visiting Fellows and Researchers 2000

Bhattacharya Mrinmoy

Topic: Monimuotoinen signaalinkäsittely

Host: Tampereen teknillinen korkeakoulu / Jaako Astola

Valeri Labunets

Topic: Monimuotoinen signaalinkäsittely

Host: Tampereen teknillinen korkeakoulu / Jaakko Astola

Radomir Stankovic

Topic: Monimuotoinen signaalinkäsittely

Host: Tampereen teknillinen korkeakoulu / Jaakko Astola

Obaidat Mohammad

Topic: 3 kk:n vierailu TTKK:lle

Host: Tampereen teknillinen korkeakoulu / Jarmo Harju

Ali Baghai-Wadji

Topic: Professori Ali Baghai-Wadjin Suomen vierailun jatkoaika

Teknillinen korkeakoulu / Martti Salomaa

Nokia Visiting Fellow 1998

Hashimoto Ken-Ya

Topic: Introduction to SAW Acoustic Wave Devices: Simulation Technologies for SAW Devices

Host: Teknillinen korkeakoulu / Martti Salomaa

Charles Boncelet

Topic: Vierailu Tampereen Kansainväl. Signaalinkäsittelykeskus

Host: Tampereen teknillinen korkeakoulu / Jaakko Astola

Kaveh Pahlavan

Topic: Wideband Wireless Local Access

Host: Oulun yliopisto

Nokia Visiting Fellow 1997

Irina Vendik

Topic: Korkean lämpötilan suprajohteisiin perustuvien mikroaaltokomponenttien CAD-suunnittelu

Host: Oulun yliopisto / Seppo Leppävuori

Jorma Rissanen

Topic: Information
Theoretical Approach for
Low Bit Rate Coding

Host: Tampereen teknillinen
korkeakoulu / Jukka
Saarinen

**Nokia Visiting Fellow
1996****C. Pomalaza-Ráez**

Topic: Wireless
Communication

Host: Oulun yliopisto, CWC
/ Talvitie

Jorma Rissanen

Topic: Low Bit Rate Speech
and Audio Coding

Host: Tampereen teknillinen
korkeakoulu / Jukka
Saarinen

Ismail Mohammed

Analog and RF Circuit
Design

Teknillinen korkeakoulu, IRC
/ Veikko Porra

**Nokia Visiting Fellow
1995****David Farberg**

Topic: Hajautetut
telekommunikaatiopalvelut

Host: Teknillinen
korkeakoulu / Olli
Martikainen

Nokia Educational Award

The Nokia Educational Award focused on supporting the creation of educational materials such as textbooks and lecture materials. The program was active for 5 years from 2000 to 2004 and in total 53 grants were awarded in the program.

**Nokia Educational
Award 2004****Valeri Pavlovich Ipatov**

Topic: Textbook "Spread
Spectrum and CDMA:
Principles and Applications"

Grant: 2 500 €

Jouni Antero Isoaho

Topic: Development
of Lecture Material for
Advanced Interconnect
Centric Design of Single
Chip Systems

Grant: 1 500 €

Axel Jantsch

Topic: Development
of Lecture Material for
Advanced Interconnect
Centric Design of Single
Chip Systems

Grant: 1 500 €

Ilkka Markus Kokkarinen

Topic: The book "Java,
Prolog ja Python"

Grant: 2 000 €

Kai Koskimies

Topic: Ohjelmistoarkkiteh-
tuurioppikirjan viimeistely

Grant: 1 500 €

Tommi Mikkonen

Topic: Ohjelmistoarkkiteh-
tuurioppikirjan viimeistely

Grant: 1 500 €

Jari Nurmi

Topic: Development
of Lecture Material for
Advanced Interconnect
Centric Design of Single
Chip Systems

Grant: 1 500 €

Hanne Tenhunen

Topic: Development
of Lecture Material for
Advanced Interconnect
Centric Design of Single
Chip Systems

Grant: 1 500 €

**Nokia Educational
Award 2003****Isto Johannes Aho**

Topic:
Algoritmimatematiikan
oppikirja

Grant: 1 500 €

Jukka Lempiäinen

Topic: UMTS radio network
planning, optimization

and QoS management
-oppikirja

Grant: 2 000 €

Artur Roland Lugmayr

Topic: Textbook
Preparation: Metadata in
Digital Television

Grant: 2 000 €

Matti Olavi Manninen

Topic: UMTS Radio Network
Planning, Optimization
and QoS Management
-oppikirja

Grant: 2 000 €

Tommi Mikkonen

Topic:
Mobiiliohjelmointioppikirjan
viimeistely

Grant: 4 000 €

Erkki Juhani Mäkinen

Topic:
Algoritmimatematiikan
oppikirja

Grant: 1 500 €

Samuli Tapani Niiranen

Topic: Text Book
Preparation: Metadata in
Digital Television

Grant: 2 000 €

Timo Taneli Poranen

Topic:
Algoritmimatematiikan
oppikirja

Grant: 1 500 €

Martti Mikael Salomaa

Topic: Oppikirja: Quantum
Computing - From Linear
Algebra to Physical
Realizations

Grant: 3 000 €

Seppo Matias Sisättö

Topic: eEverything - The
Media Convergence

Grant: 4 000 €

Nick Vladimir Zacharov

Topic: Book Writing Entitled:
The Perceptual Audio
Evaluation Primer

Grant: 3 000 €

**Nokia Educational
Award 2002****Harri Eskelinen**

Topic: Oppikirja: Microwave
Component Mechanics

Grant: 2 500 €

Pekka Eskelinen

Topic: Oppikirja: Microwave Component Mechanics

Grant: 2 500 €

Pentti Inkinen

Topic: Fysiikan oppimateriaalin laatiminen ammattikorkeakoulujen insinöörikoulutukseen

Grant: 2 000 €

Juha Kontio

Topic: Experiencing Distributed Software Development

Grant: 4 000 €

Merikki Lappi & Esa Lappi

Topic: Ryhmähengen merkitysmatematiikan opetuksessa

Grant: 4 000 €

Arto Lehto

Topic: Fundamentals of Radio Engineering for Wirelesscommunication and Sensor Applications

Grant: 2 500 €

Reijo Manninen

Topic: Fysiikan oppimateriaalin laatiminen ammattikorkeakoulujen insinöörikoulutukseen

Grant: 2 000 €

Olli Mertanen

Topic: Harjoitusyritysprojekti

Grant: 4 000 €

Timo Rahkonen

Topic: "Distortion in RF Power Amplifiers" kirjan kirjoittaminen

Grant: 4 000 €

Antti Räisänen

Topic: Fundamentals of Radio Engineering for Wirelesscommunication and Sensor Applications

Grant: 2 500 €

Jukka Tuohi

Topic: Fysiikan oppimateriaalin laatiminen ammattikorkeakoulujen insinöörikoulutukseen

Grant: 2 000 €

Jouko Vankka

Topic: Kirjan kirjoittaminen digitaalisistaradiolähettimistä

Grant: 3 000 €

Nokia Educational Award 2001**Nick Zacharov Nick & Soren Bech**

Book: The subjective audio evaluation primer

Eero Hyvönen

Ohjelmistoliiketoiminnan perusteos

Aapo Hyvärinen

Kirja: Independent Component Analysis (Aapo Hyvärinen, Juha Karhunen, Erkki Oja)

Jukka Lempiäinen & Matti Manninen

Radio Interface System Planning for GSM/GPRS/UMTS

Ilkka Kokkarinen, Wille Kuutti & Juha Nieminen

Tietokonegrafiikan yliopistotasoinen oppikirja

Ari Hottinen

Multi-antenna Transceiver Techniques for 3G and Beyond

Olav Tirkkonen

Multi-antenna Transceiver Techniques for 3G and Beyond

Risto Wichman

Multi-antenna Transceiver Techniques for 3G and Beyond

Seppo Uusitupa

Teletekniikan oppimateriaalihanke: Tietoliikennebeepisen kirjoittaminen

Nokia Educational Award 2000**Vesa Volotinen**

Oppikirja: Tietoliikenne, Televerkot ja päätelaitteet

Heikki Huttunen

Opetusmateriaali: Johdatus signaalinkäsittelyyn

Ilkka Kokkarinen

Tietorakenteet ja algoritmit (kirja algoritmian yliopistotasoiseen perusopetukseen)

Kirsti Ala-Mutka

Tietorakenteet ja algoritmit (kirja algoritmian yliopistotasoiseen perusopetukseen)

Matti Mikael Rintala

Oppikirja: Olioiden ohjelmointi C++:lla

Jyke Tapani Jokinen

Oppikirja: Olioiden ohjelmointi C++:lla

Timo Haiko

Elektroniikka-simulaattori

Kai Koskimies

Oliokirja

Heikki Koivo

Systems Engineering in Wireless Communications

Helena Ahola

Internet-markkinoinnin oppikirja yliopiston ja ammattikorkeakoulun opiskelijoille

Harri Oinas-Kokkonen

Internet-markkinoinnin oppikirja yliopiston ja ammattikorkeakoulun opiskelijoille

Timo Koivumäki

Internet-markkinoinnin oppikirja yliopiston ja ammattikorkeakoulun opiskelijoille

Risto Koponen

Simuloidusta piirikaaviosta komponenttilevyksi

Team Awards

Team awards were granted during the years 1995 to 1999.
In total 20 Team Awards were granted during this time.

Team Awards 1999

Lounesto Pertti, Puska Perttu & Raja Arvind

Topic: Cliffordin algebran perustuvan sähkömagnetikan oppikirjan kirjoittaminen sekä Puskan ja Rajan väitökset

Ollikainen Jani, Kivekäs Outi, Kiesi Kalle & Heiska Riikka

Topic: Tulevaisuuden matkaviestinantennit

Ryynänen Jussi, Jussila Jarkko (vaihe 2), Sumanen Lauri, Kivekäs Kalle, Pärssinen Aarno, Knuuttila Timo & Matero Jorma

Topic: WCDMA suora-muunnosvastaanottimen integrointi

Sari Leppänen & Matti Luukkainen

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Receivers (MIMO) in High
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Access (HSDPA) Systems
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Wireless Networks: Channel
Estimation and Signal
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mallintaminen
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opetuksessa
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Approach
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tunnistukseen
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Topic: Koodinetsintä
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