## In Memoriam – Prof. Ninoslav Stojadinović

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N December 25, 2020, our friend, renowned scientist, educator, world renowned expert, and member of the Editorial Board of journal "Electronics",

## Ninoslav Stojadinović

(20.09.1950–25.12.2020) lost the battle for his life against Covid-19.

Ninoslav Stojadinović was a full member of Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts (SASA), a full member of Academy of Engineering Sciences of Serbia (AESS), a full professor of the Faculty of Electronics, University of Niš, Serbia and its former dean, a fellow of IEEE Society and a fellow of ETRAN Society. An influential and cited scientist, he achieved a number of exceptional results in the field of microelectronics and nanoelectronics. His research included both fundamental and applied science, and a number of his innovative results have been in semiconductor industry in Serbia (EI) and worldwide. He was elected the first president of the Branch of SASA in Niš in 2016 and organized more than 250 events related to it. Prof. Stojadinović has won several important awards and recognitions for his dedicated work.

He led several international science journals, including Elsevier's Microelectronics Journal (Editor-in-Chief 1993–1995); Elsevier's Microelectronics Reliability, (Editor-in-Chief, 1996–2017); IEEE EDS Newsletter, (Editor-in-Chief, 2002–2012); J. Semiconductor Technology and Science (since 2001); Nanoscience & Nanotechnology-ASIA (since 2011) and Facta Universitatis, Series: Electronics and Energetics (Editor-in-Chief). For three decades he was the chair of the Conference on Microelectronics – MIEL, and under his leadership it developed into the leading scientific conference in this part of Europe and was on the list of IEEE conferences. He was also a member of Scientific and/or Programme Committees of more than 50 international and numerous national scientific meetings. He was Chair of the Society for ETRAN in the period 2001–2006.

He was a visiting professor at the Technical University of Vienna, a member of the international scientific committee



of the Center for Nanotechnology with Clemson University, USA, and of the EU Center of Excellence for Micro and Nanotechnology Research with the Technical University of Warsaw, Poland. He was also one of the members of the Expert Commission for EU framework programs and a consultant to the Science Foundation of the Government of Taiwan.

Academician Stojadinović had significant political and diplomatic activities. He was a member of the National Assembly of the Republic of Serbia (1997–2000), a member of the Assembly of the State Union of Serbia and Montenegro and its representative in the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (2004–2006). He was the Vice President of the National Assembly of the Republic of Serbia (2014–2016). He was the Ambassador of the Republic of Serbia to the Kingdom of Sweden (2005-2011) and to Bosnia and Herzegovina (2011–2013).

On December 25, 2020 prof. Stojadinović lost his battle against COVID-19. His demise is a great loss for SASA, AESS, IEEE, the ETRAN Society, as well as for microelectronics science in general, but undeniably the greatest loss for his family – his wife Andjelka and his son Dragan.