Steering Committee Chair's Message

It is a great pleasure to welcome you at the Fourth Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI. We started the GLSVLSI with the aim of highlighting research and developments activities of VLSI and VLSI CAD in the Great Lakes Region. In the last four years the symposium has grown to a point where papers are submitted from the world over. The attendance and papers have steadily increased. This year we have a dramatic 21 percent increase in paper submission over the previous year.

This year's symposium was made possible by the untiring efforts of three people; Edwin Sha, Steve Bass, and John Uhran. Without their efforts, it would have been impossible to organize this year's symposium at Notre Dame.

As the symposium grows, we plan to hold it at different venues in the Great Lakes states. It is my great pleasure to announce that SUNY-Buffalo has been selected as the site for the Fifth Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI. Sreejit Chakravarty will serve as the general chair, while Professors Sridhar and Upadhyaya will serve as the technical co-chairs.

I am very thankful to all the authors who submitted papers. It is their contributions which makes this symposium a worthwhile experience for all of us. I thank you all for attending this year's symposium and hope to see you in Buffalo in 1995.

Sincerely,
Naveed Sherwani
GLSVLSI Steering Committee Chair