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V. M. Pandharipande obtained his B.E. Degree from Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, India in 1970 and M.Tech., Ph.D. (Electronics & Communication Engineering) from Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India in 1972 and 1979 respectively. He worked as Scientific Officer in Tata Institute of fundamental Research, Mumbai (1972-74), faculty in Radar and Communication Centre, I.I.T. Kharagpur (1974-83). He joined Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering of Osmania University, Hyderabad as Professor in 1983 and served as Head of the Department, Chairman Board of Studies, Dean Faculty of Engineering, Coordinator of two World Bank Projects, Director Curriculum Development and Accreditation Audit Cell. He established the Centre of Excellence in Microwave Engineering with collaboration from Industry-Astra Microwave Products Limited and served as the Director of the Centre. He retired as Professor Emeritus in 2011 and served as Vice-Chancellor of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad, India till March 2014, at present he is working as Adjunct Professor at Department of ECE and Honorary Director of CEME, Osmania University, Hyderabad, India..

Dr. Pandharipande has completed many sponsored projects in the area of phased Array Antennas, Electronically Scanned Radar System, Printed Antennas for Satellite and Airborne Applications, Digital Beam forming in phased Arrays, Strip, Micro strip passive components. He has nearly 150 research papers published in National and International Journals/ Conference Proceedings. He has received Best Teacher Award, Life Time Achievement Award, Sir Visvesvaraya Award, IETE Award, ISTE National Award and Dewang Mehta Business School Award for Contribution in Research & Teaching in Microwave Engineering in particular and Electronics & Communication Engineering in general. He is Fellow of Institution of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering, AP Academic of Sciences & Life Member of ISTE, Fellow of Institute of Engineers.