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# **Andreas Moser**

### **Experience**

1998-present

Hitachi San Jose Research Center

(formerly IBM Research, Storage Systems & Technology and Science & Technology) San Jose

#### **Research Staff Member**

- Investigated magnetic recording physics of longitudinal, perpendicular and thermally assisted recording systems, and bit patterned media
- Performed areal density demonstrations in close collaboration with head, media and modeling groups
- Invented new magnetic recording media architectures
- Developed and improved instrumentation, software
- Mentored recording engineer, lead several postdoctoral fellows
- Conceived new storage concepts
- Used the following instrumentation: spinstand, disk drive, magnetic force microscopy, micromagnetic modeling, static write/read tester

1996-1998

IBM Research, Science & Technology San Jose

#### Postdoctoral Fellow

- Investigated dynamic coercivity, thermal stability of recording media
- Designed and built static write/read tester

#### Education

1991-1996

Physics Dept., University of Basel Switzerland

- Ph.D. Thesis on "Investigation of High-T<sub>c</sub> Superconductors using Low Temperature Magnetic Force Microscopy" (Advisor: Prof. H.J. Güntherodt) in 1995
- Graduated Summa Cum Laude
- Built low-temperature magnetic force microscope, imaged vortices in High-T<sub>c</sub> Superconductors
- Master's degree (Major: Physics, Minors: Chemistry, Mathematics)

## Additional Qualifications

- Extensive experience in laboratory automation (software and hardware)
- Excellent programming skills (MatLab, LabView, VB, Java, C, TCL)
- Courses in project management / leadership
- Languages: German (native), English (excellent), French (fluent)

# Publications & Patents

More than 60 publications in peer-reviewed scientific journals, 1 book chapter, 8 issued patents