

RONNIE V.S. VASISHTA

Experienced technology executive with a strong background in leading startups, mid-sized, and large global enterprises. Known for driving innovation, transformation, and strategic initiatives in telecommunications, AI, accelerated computing, and semiconductor industries. Skilled in general management, business development, product definition, and global team building.

Professional Experience

NVIDIA Senior Vice President – Telecom October 2020 – Present, San Francisco Bay Area

- Lead NVIDIA's telecom vertical, overseeing business management, product definition, development, and go-to-market strategy.
- Architect next generation virtualized, open 5G/6G networks powered by accelerated computing.
- Collaborate globally with telecom operators on using NVIDIA's platform for transformation.
- Promote AI adoption in telecom infrastructure, enhance wireless networks and enabling new AI experiences.

Intel Corporation Vice President and General Manager, Network and Configurable Logic Division, Data Products Group September 2018 – October 2020, San Francisco Bay Area

- Managed the Network and Configurable Logic Division, setting strategic directions for 5G Core and RAN infrastructure.
- Oversaw Intel's programmable business with telecom OEMs and service providers.
- Advanced technology and product requirements, including O-RAN initiatives.
- Led cross-functional teams across RAN, core, and edge acceleration solutions.

eASIC Corporation President and Chief Executive Officer January 2005 – August 2018, San Francisco Bay Area

- Re-started the pre-revenue company, recruited an executive team, and set strategic goals.
- Raised capital, managed board relations, and built key customer relationships including many leading worldwide Telecom OEMs.
- Evangelized company value proposition and led through planned IPO preparations.
- Negotiated and led eASIC's acquisition by Intel.

LSI Logic Vice President, Technical Marketing (and prior engineering roles) September 1987 – November 2004 UK and Milpitas, CA

- Directed marketing for the \$1B ASIC product line.
- Formulated strategic plans and presented to the board and analysts.
- Innovated the ASIC platform RapidChip, generating \$100M in annual revenue.
- Managed product planning for all ASIC products, supervising over 2,000 employees.
- Handled acquisitions and investments related to ASIC products.

Education

The Nottingham Trent University, UK BSc. Hons, Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Skills & Expertise

- Telecommunications Strategy & Business Development
- Public Speaking and Industry Advocacy on Telecommunications and Artificial Intelligence
- AI & Accelerated Computing for Telecom
- General Management & P&L Leadership
- Product Definition & Go-to-Market
- Mergers, Acquisitions & Investor Relations
- Global Team Building & Leadership
- Semiconductor Industry Expertise