



Letter of Support

ENEA OSE Systems AB expresses by this letter its support for the project:

"Applications of wait/lock-free protocols to real-time systems"

proposed to be performed within the framework of ARTES by Prof. Hans Hansson at Mälardalen University together with Drs. Marina Papatriantafilou and Philippas Tsigas at Chalmers University.

The project aims at developing and evaluating new synchronization primitives which have a potential of improving performance and predictability of Real-Time Operating Systems (such as our OSE family of Operating Systems). Even though these techniques are not yet mature enough to be included in commercial Operating Systems, we have a strong interest in following their development and if they prove successful consider including them in our products.

We intend to actively support the project by engaging in discussions, participation in its industrial reference group, and by (for experimental purposes) giving the project access to a relevant version of our OSE-platform.

Lars Österberg
President

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