Biography of Prof. Rama Chellappa

Prof. Rama Chellappa is a Bloomberg Distinguished Professor with joint appointments in the Departments of Electrical and Computer Engineering and Biomedical Engineering (School of Medicine) at Johns Hopkins University. He also holds a College Park Professor Position at the University of Maryland. Before joining Hopkins in August 2020, Chellappa was a Distinguished University Professor, a Minta Martin Professor of Engineering and a Professor in the ECE department at the University of Maryland. His current research interests span many areas in image processing, computer vision, machine learning and pattern recognition. Prof. Chellappa has received several awards from the IEEE, the International Association of Pattern Recognition, the University of Southern California and the University of Maryland. He has been recognized as an Outstanding ECE by Purdue University and received the Distinguished Alumni Award from the Indian Institute of Science. He served as the Editor-in-Chief of PAMI, as a Distinguished Lecturer of the IEEE Signal Processing Society and as the President of IEEE Biometrics Council. He is a Golden Core Member of the IEEE Computer Society, He is a Fellow of IEEE, IAPR, OSA, AAAS, ACM, AAAI and NAI and holds eight patents.