

MMS2020 - Delegate Member Biography Form

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<p>Dr. Ion Stiharu is a professor in the Department of Mechanical, Industrial and Aerospace Engineering in Gina Cody School of Engineering at Concordia University in Montreal. Over his 28 years of academic career at Concordia, he did promote and contribute to the initiation and growth of MEMS and nanoengineering in the university. He is one of the co-founders of the microsystems initiative in Canada back in 1992. His research encompasses investigations in microfabrication, microstructures modeling and analysis, microfluidics for bio-medical applications. He has published during his career at Concordia over 300 papers in scientific journals and conference publications. He did supervise and co-supervise 25 PhD students and over 40 MASc students. He is a fellow of the Canadian Society of Mechanical Engineering and fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.</p> <p>Besides the campus research activities, Dr. Stiharu's activities help promoting micro and nano technologies. Thus, he did participate in NATO-RTO technical group on microsystems for aerospace applications. As part of CRIAQ initiative, he and his research team developed technologies to create SiCN based materials – conductors and insulators to be used within the gas turbine engines.</p> <p>His work extended over bio-medical applications developed for cell manipulation and analysis.</p>	<div data-bbox="993 779 1414 1304" data-label="Image"> </div> <div data-bbox="1062 1346 1344 1377" data-label="Caption"> <p>Logo of the Institution</p> </div> <div data-bbox="924 1566 1484 1663" data-label="Image"> </div>