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Photo:**Awards:**

IEEE IC – Outstanding Volunteer (>35 years) Awards

Brief Bio:

Prof. Sujatha is currently working as a Professor in the Department of Computer Applications at BMS College of Engineering, Bangalore. Additionally, she is also serving as the Executive Director at the Board of IT Education. In 2009, she was awarded a Ph.D. Degree in Computer Science from Bangalore University. During her long stint at BMSCE spanning over 29 years, she is also instrumental in setting up the Innovation Cluster Lab where she mentors young students and academicians. She is a Senior Member of IEEE, ACM and IACSIT. Her topics of interest include Multimedia Applications, Mobile Adhoc Networks and the Internet of Things.

Achievement for which the award was given:

Prof. Sujatha has served as the Branch Counselor of BMSCE-IEEE SB from 2012 to 2014. During her tenure as the Branch Counselor, she was chosen as the IEEE Outstanding Branch Counselor within IEEE Region 10. She was the Founder-Chairperson of the Women in Engineering (WiE) affinity group at BMSCE. Between 2016 and 2017, she also served as the WiE (Women in Engineering) Chair at IEEE Bangalore Section. In 2019, she was the recipient of IEEE Bangalore Section's Outstanding Volunteer Award as a recognition of her outstanding contribution to WiE. Currently, she is serving as the Chair of Students Activity Committee at IEEE Bangalore Section as she is committed to encourage more student participation within the IEEE family. She has been recognised as one of the Top Performers within the Executive Committee of IEEE Bangalore Section-2020. Recently, she received IEEE India Council Outstanding Volunteer award for the exemplary services as volunteer to the IEEE Bangalore Section activities. Prof. Sujatha has contributed to many International Conferences and Summits and also been invited to give talks and adjudicate academic contests at various events including the MIT Inclusive Innovation Challenge.