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J. Michael Golio

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Mike Golio has served in a variety of volunteer roles for the IEEE MTT-Society and ED-Society. He is author of hundreds of technical papers, book chapters, presentations and editor of eight engineering handbooks. He also authored *Engineering Your Retirement*, an IEEE/Wiley book that helps to prepare engineers for a successful and satisfying retirement. In 2002 he was given the IEEE MTT-Society's N. Walter Cox Award for exemplary service in a spirit of selfless dedication and cooperation. Dr. Golio has held a variety of positions in both the microwave and semiconductor industries, and within academia. As Director of Engineering at two fortune 500 companies, he directed large R&D organizations. Prior to this, Mike conducted pioneering work on large signal microwave device modeling. He served as an Assistant Professor at Arizona State University where he conducted research in nonlinear modeling. The IEEE recognized this work by making Dr. Golio a Fellow of the Institute in 1996.