



# The Engineering Institute of Canada

## 2022 Award Citation

### EIC Fellow



### **Mario Ramón Ramirez**

**Nominated by the Canadian Medical and Biological Engineering Society**

*Mario Ramirez has been a key contributor to the Canadian Clinical Engineering field for the last thirty five years. He worked at St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto and the IWK in Halifax before coming to serve since 2002 as the leader in the Hospital for Sick Children's Medical Engineering Department.*

*Mario has been a significant supporter of the Canadian Medical and Biological Society serving as Vice President from 1996 to 2000 and then as Society president from 2000 to 2002. He was named a CMBES Fellow in 2019. He participated in the working group that revised and published the 2014 & 2022 edition of the Clinical Engineering Standards of Practice for Canada.*

*He has volunteered as a peer reviewer over the years using his valued experience to help other Clinical Engineering departments in Canada to improve. He has participated in the Canadian Board of Examiners that certifies clinical engineers from 2013 until 2021. He also co-chaired the Clinical Engineering Society of Ontario (CESO) since 2002. Throughout his long career, he has supported local Clinical Engineering and Biomedical Engineering.*

*Ladies and gentlemen, and Ms. President, please welcome Mario Ramirez as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.*