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Abdelhamid Tayebi

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Abdelhamid Tayebi is an internationally recognized scholar and a leading researcher in control engineering. He is particularly known for his ground-breaking and pioneering work on the control of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs), which paved the way for many theoretical and technological developments. His highly-cited research work has been published in a Springer book and in toptier international journals and conferences. He has received many awards and recognitions for his outstanding research work.

As an inspiring educator and mentor, Professor Tayebi has been honoured on many occasions for his teaching excellence and dedication to engineering education. Professor Tayebi is a professor in the Department of Electrical Engineering at Lakehead University, a registered professional engineer in Ontario, and a senior member of IEEE. He is the founder and director of the Robotics and Automatic Control Laboratory at Lakehead University. He has served as an Associate Editor for leading journals in Control Engineering, such as Automatica, IEEE Transactions on Control Systems Technology, IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics, and Control Engineering Practice.

Ladies and gentlemen, and Ms. President, please welcome Abdelhamid Tayebi as a Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada.