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For exemplary service to the Society in a spirit of selfless dedication and cooperation.



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Bela B. Szendrenyi (SM'85–M'90) received his MSEE specializing Telecommunications from the Technical University of Budapest, Hungary, in 1984.

After graduation, he joined the Research Institute for Technical Physics of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences as a Research Fellow. His focus was testing and developing applications for the GaAs devices. In 1990, he joined Gigahertz Technologies in Montreal, Canada, and in 1994 Maury Microwave Inc., in California. Since 2000, he is in the Automated Test Equipment industry with Agilent, Verigy and Advantest Corporation. He has specialized in microwave and millimeter-wave measurements, devices, wide range of CAD simulations, and system designs. He has authored or co-authored over 30 conference and journal publications.

Bela has a long and diverse record of volunteer support work for the MTT Society and the IEEE. In 1990, he was founding member of the newly opened Hungarian Chapter. Over the years, he has contributed in various positions within the MTT-S Membership and Geographic Activities Committee. He has a passion for helping fellow engineers, developed or co-developed many MGA programs, and visited and personally supported Chapters in various locations around the Globe. Bela served as MTT-S AdCom secretary in 2008, and as AdCom member 2009-2014.