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**IEEE ORLANDO SECTION  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING**

Valencia College East Campus, Building 8, Room 101  
**Thursday, February 12, 2026 - 6:30 pm**



**Topic and Guest Speaker**  
*"Privacy in Smart Healthcare"*  
**Dr. Damla Turgut**  
Pegasus Professor and Chair of Computer Science at  
University of Central Florida

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### **IEEE Orlando Section ExCom Meeting**

**Date:** Thursday, February 12th, 2026

**Time:** 6:30PM - 8:30PM

**Place:** Valencia College, East Campus, Building 8, Room 101 - 701 N Econlockhatchee Trail, Orlando, FL 32825

**Speaker:** Dr. Damla Turgut, Pegasus Professor and Chair of Computer Science at University of Central Florida

**Topic:** Privacy in smart healthcare

**Program Details:**

6:30 – 7:00 PM: Dinner and Networking

7:00 – 7:45 PM: Invited Technical Talk by Dr. Damla Turgut

7:45 – 8:30 PM: Executive Committee (ExCom) Meeting

**Cost:** Meeting attendance is free for all IEEE members and non-IEEE members.

**Registration, Biography and Talk Abstract Link:** <https://events.vtools.ieee.org/m/536477>

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### **IEEE HKN UCF (Zeta Chi) Chapter Meeting**

**Date:** Wednesday, February 18th, 2026

**Time:** 6:00PM - 8:00PM

**Place:** UCF Research 1, Room 101 (4353 Scorpius St, Orlando, FL 32816)

**Speaker:** John McDonald (IEEE Foundation President, IEEE PES Past President, Member National Academy of Engineering, IEEE CEAA)

**Topic:** Key Insights to Career Management

**Cost:** Meeting attendance is free for all IEEE members and non-IEEE members.

**Registration, Biography and Talk Abstract Link:** <https://events.vtools.ieee.org/m/522958>

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### **IEEE Orlando Section Congratulates Our New Senior Members!**

The IEEE Orlando Section congratulates our newly elevated IEEE Senior Members by the Admission & Advancement (A&A) review Senior member panel meeting in November 2025:

- **Qun Sun**
- **Jesus Daniel Rodriguez Guzman**
- **Roberto Williams Batista**
- **Tharun Kumar Reddy Amanaganti**

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