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Professor of Engineering (research)  
Division of Engineering, Computer Engineering

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### 3. Education

B. Eng. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute – June 1963

M.Eng. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute – June 1966

Ph.D. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute – June 1969

Dissertation topic: The electro-dynamic properties of superconducting indium in the intermediate state.

### 4. Professional appointments

August 1, 2002 – Present	Professor of Engineering (research)	Brown
1989-August 1, 2002	Coolidge Fellow	General Electric Research
1988-1989	Visiting Fellow	Oxford University
1982-1988	Computer Scientist	General Electric Research
1975-1982	Manager, Visual Information Processing	
		General Electric Research
1972-1975	Computer Scientist	General Electric Research
1969-1972	Solid State Physicist	General Electric Research
1966-1969	Graduate Student	Rensselaer
1963-1966	Microwave Engineer	GE Microwave Dept.
1975-2000	Adjunct Professor of Computer Science	Rensselaer

### 5. Publications

#### a. Books

**Geometric Reasoning**, Kapur, D. and Mundy, J.L., editors, MIT Press, 1989.

**Symbolic and Numerical Computation for Artificial Intelligence**,

Donald, B., Kapur, D., and Mundy, J.L., editors, Academic Press, 1992

**Applications of Invariance in Computer Vision**,

Mundy, J.L., Zisserman, A. and Forsyth D., editors, LNCS 825, Springer Verlag, 1994.

**Shape, contour and grouping in Computer Vision**, D. Forsyth, J. Mundy, V. Di Gesú, R. Cipolla, LNCS 1681, 1999.

#### b. Book Chapters

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in **Applications of Pattern Recognition**, K.S. Fu, Editor, CRC Press, 1982.

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Symbolic Representation of Object Models, in **Active Perception and Robotic Vision**, A. Sood and H. Wexler Eds., Springer Verlag, 1992.

Object recognition in the geometric era: a retrospective, in **Towards Category-level object recognition**, J. Ponce and M. Hebert and C. Schmid and A.Zisserman, eds., Springer Verlag, 2007.

c. Refereed and invited articles

Thermodynamical Systems Involving Magnetic Fields, Mundy, J. and Newhouse, V., **American Journal of Physics**, Vol. 34, 1966, p.1198.

Multicrossover Cryotron - A High Gain Single Stage Amplifier, Mundy, J.L. and Newhouse, V., Joynton, R.E. and Meicklejohn, W., **Review of Scientific Instruments**, Vol. 38, 1967, p.798.

A New Cryogenic Memory System, Mundy, J.L. and Newhouse, V., **IEEE Transactions on Magnetics**, Vol. MAG-4, 1968, p.705.

Direct Measurement of Strain on Tc in Thin Films, Mundy, J.L. and Friday, B., **Journal of Applied Physics**, Vol. 40, 1969, p. 2162.

Shortening in MOS Transistors during Junction Walk-Out, Neugebauer, C., Burgess, J., Joynson, R.E. and Mundy, J.L., **Applied Physics Letters**, Vol. 19, 1971, p. 287.

Eliminating Threshold Losses in MOS Circuits by Varactor Bootstrapping, Joynson, R.E., Mundy, J.L., Burgess, J. and Neugebauer, C., **Proc. IEEE**, Vol. 59, 1971 p.1365.

Eliminating Threshold Losses in MOS Circuits by Bootstrapping Using Varactor Coupling, Joynson, R.E., Mundy, J.L., Burgess, J. and Neugebauer, C. **IEEE Journal of Solid State Circuits**, Vol SC-7, 1972, p. 217.

Low Cost Associative Memory, Mundy, J.L, Burgess, J., Joynson, R.E., Neugebauer, C., **IEEE Journal of Solid State Circuits**, Vol. SC-7, p364, 1972.

The Application of Unitary Transforms to Visual Pattern Recognition, Mundy, J.L. and Joynson, R.E., **Proc. 1st International Joint Conference on Pattern Recognition**, p390, 1973.

A Line Description System Based on Hadamard Features, Joynson, R.E., Mundy, J.L., and Banerji, R., **Proc. 2nd International Joint Conference on Pattern Recognition**, p204, 1974.

One Pass Contouring of Images Through Planar Approximation, Sommerville, C. and Mundy, J.L., **Proc. 3rd International Joint Conference on Pattern Recognition**, p 745, 1976.

Automatic Visual Inspection Using Syntactic Analysis, Mundy, J.L. and Joynson, R.E., **Proc. IEEE Conference on Pattern Recognition and Image Processing**, p144, 1977.

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A Common Set of Perceptual Observables for Grouping Figure-Ground Discrimination and 3-d Texture Classification, A. Hoogs, R. Collins, R. Kaucic and J. Mundy, **IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence**, April 2003.

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A Probabilistic-based Design Methodology for Nanoscale Computer Architecture, J. Chen, J. Mundy, and I. R. Bahar, **International Workshop on Logic and Synthesis**, Laguna Beach, CA, May 2003.

Object Recognition in the Geometric Era: A Retrospective, J. Mundy, **International Workshop on Recognition and Learning**, Sicily Italy, Sept. 2003.

Video Surveillance Research in Support of Port Security, J. Mundy, **IEEE Homeland Security Technology Workshop**, Warwick RI, Nov. 2003.

Figure-ground Segmentation and Object Tracking in Video using Curve Matching, V. Jain, B. Kimia and J. Mundy, **Proc. European Conference on Computer Vision**, Workshop on Spatial Coherence in Visual Motion Analysis, May 2004.

Fusion of intensity, texture, and color in video tracking based on mutual information, J. Mundy and C-F. Chang, **Proc. IEEE Conf. AIPR**, 2004.

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Image and Video Registration in a 3-d World, Mundy, J.L., **Proc. NGA Geopositioning Workshop**, August, 2008.

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d. Non-refereed journal articles

Data Models For Automatic Inspection, Mundy, J.L., **Proc. COMSAC**, p256, 1979.

Visual Inspection of Metal Surfaces, Mundy, J.L., **Proc. AFIPS Conference**, p 227, 1979.

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Object Recognition: The Search for Representation, J.L. Mundy, **Lecture Notes in Computer Science**, 994, 1995

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A Formal-Physical Agenda for Recognition, J.L. Mundy, **Lecture Notes in Computer Science**, 1681, 1999

i. Work in progress

Uncertain geometry: a new approach to object recognition

Thermal noise theory for nano-architectures

6. Research Grants

a. Current grants

Y-shaped Nanotube-based Computer Devices and Architectures, NSF

DARPA SBIR – Wide Area Video Collection : Data compression

Video Tracking and Modeling (Lockheed-Martin)

National Geospatial Intelligence Agency (NGA) NGA University Research Initiative

b. Completed grants

c. Proposals Submitted

DARPA	SBIR for video-based modeling PHASE II
DARPA	SBIR for dismount tracking PHASE II
Lockheed-Martin	Voxel-based image registration to LIDAR

7. Service

i. to the University

I have served as the secretary to the ABET review board providing minutes of our meetings as well as participating in ABET certification visits.

I am currently mentoring Asst. Prof. Sherief Reda on matters of funding and proposal writing.

ii. to the profession

- Co-chairman of the workshop on industrial applications of machine vision that resulted in a special issue of the IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (PAMI), 1980.
- Chairman, International Workshop on Geometric Reasoning, Oxford, 1986.
- Co-Chairman, International Workshop on the Integration of Symbolic and Numeric Computing, Saratoga 1990.
- Co-Chairman, 1st International Workshop on Geometric Invariants, Reykjavik, Iceland, 1991.

- Co-Chairman, 2nd International Workshop on Geometric Invariants, Ponta Delgada, Azores, 1993.
- Co-chairman of the IEEE workshop on Context-Based Vision held in conjunction with ICCV, Cambridge MA, 1995.
- Co-chairman DARPA workshop on Shape, Contour and Grouping in Computer Vision, Palermo, Sicily, 1999.
- Co-chairman IEEE workshop on the Integration of Appearance and Geometry in Object Recognition, Fort Collins, CO, 1999.
- Member, Editorial Board, IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (PAMI) 1987-90
- Member, Editorial Board, International Journal of Computer Vision, 1989-present.
- Member, advisory board of NSF for artificial intelligence and robotics (IRIS) 1986-1998.
- Area Chair, 2001 Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition.
- Reviewer for the 2006 Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Conference
- Program committee of the 2006 European Conference on Computer Vision.
- Area chair - 2008 European Conference on Computer Vision
- Reviewer - 2009 IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition

#### 8. Academic honors

- Eta Kappa Nu, honors fraternity (1963-66)
- Elected a General Electric Coolidge Fellow 1987
- Best Paper Award, British Machine Vision Conference, 1991.
- Co-recipient of the Marr Prize, 1993. The Marr Prize is awarded for the best paper at the International Conference on Computer Vision, and is considered a major honor in computer vision.

## 9. Teaching

Developed and executed a special topics graduate course on video analysis, in spring 2003. This course is now a regular offering, which fills a gap in the current computer vision curriculum.

I have created a new course on scientific programming in C++. This graduate course provides in-depth knowledge of the C++ language with emphasis on programming numerical computing algorithms such as optimization and differential equations. The course was offered for the first time in fall 2007 and attracted a broad population of students across physics, applied math and engineering. The course continues to be popular with 13 enrolled students and 5 auditors in 2008 and will be taught again in the fall semester, 2010.