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Biography

T. Ravichandran is the Associate Dean for Research, and the Irene and Robert Bozzone '55 Distinguished Chair and Professor in the Lally School of Management & Technology, RPI. He is also the Academic Director for the MS in Supply Chain Management program and the Faculty Director for the Center for Supply Networks and Analytics. Ravi's long term research interests focus on digital strategies of firms and the mechanisms through which digitization is transforming firms, markets, supply networks and industries. His research has been funded by grants from the National Science Foundation and the Ministry of Education, Singapore. His research has won several awards including the 1) Best Information Systems Publication in 2010 (Association of Information System); 2) Best Published Paper Award, 2010 (Information Systems Research); 3) Best Paper Award, Software Technology Track (HICSS, 2010); 4) Best Paper Award Honorable Mention (IEEE Transactions on Engineering Management, 2007); 4) Best Academic Paper Award (Second Supply Chain Management Symposium, McMaster University, 2004); 6) Best Paper Award (OCIS Division, Academy of Management, 2001). He currently serves as a Senior Editor of MIS Quarterly and as a Department Editor for IEEE Transactions on Engineering Management. He recently completed a four year term as an Associate Editor of MIS Quarterly and a three year term as an Associate Editor of Information Systems Research. Ravi led the effort to design, launch and scale two new graduate programs, MS in Business Analytics and MS in Supply Chain Management. He founded RPI's Center for Supply Networks and Analytics and established corporate partnerships to support the Center. . Prior to joining Rensselaer, Dr. Ravichandran had extensive business experience having served as a Consultant to the Reliance Group, as the Assistant Director of National Productivity Council, India and as a Production Manager in Flakt AB (now Asea Brown Boveri). He has also been a successful entrepreneur; he started, built and ran an IT services firm.

Areas of Expertise

Digital Platforms, Competitive Dynamics, Information Technology, Supply Chain Management, Innovation, Software Development, Outsourcing, Strategic Alliances

Education

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

Doctor of Business Administration Management Information Systems

National Productivity Council, India

Post Graduate Diploma Industrial Engineering & Information Systems

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