

RAHSR Achievement Award

Ella A. Kazerooni, MD, MS

Introduction by Jeffrey G. Jarvik, MD, MPH

Ella Kazerooni, MD, MS, is a true pioneer in the field of radiology health services research. Dr Kazerooni received her medical degree from the University of Michigan, where she also completed her diagnostic radiology residency. Subsequently, she completed a fellowship at Massachusetts General Hospital/Harvard Medical School, Boston. Being a true Michigan Wolverine, she returned to Ann Arbor to join the University of Michigan faculty in 1992.

Dr Kazerooni was one of the earliest AUR GE Radiology Research Academic Fellowship (GERRAF) awardees and has steadily risen through the academic ranks to become one of the best-known leaders in the field of radiology. At the University of Michigan, Dr Kazerooni is a professor of radiology and associate chair for clinical affairs, director of cardiothoracic radiology, and chair of the Radiology Service Excellence Program.

Dr Kazerooni's research focuses on advanced computed tomographic (CT) and magnetic resonance (MR) imaging applications, technology assessment, and outcomes research, including interstitial lung disease, emphysema, lung transplantation, pulmonary vascular disease, and cardiovascular CT and MR imaging.

Dr Kazerooni has received numerous awards and honors. She is an elected fellow of the American College of Radiology (ACR) and an elected member of both the Fleischner Society and the Society of Computed Tomography and Magnetic Resonance. She received the Madame Curie Award from the American Association for Women Radiologists, the Early Distinguished Career Achievement Award from the Michigan Medicine Alumni Society, and the Gold Medal of the Association of University Radiologists (AUR).

Dr Kazerooni has served many roles in organized radiology, including president of



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the American Roentgen Ray Society, the Society of Thoracic Radiology, the AUR, and the Radiology Alliance for Health Services Research (RAHSR), and is a member of the ACR Board of Chancellors and Executive Committee. Dr Kazerooni is currently a trustee of the American Board of Radiology. Knowing Dr Kazerooni, all of these accomplishments represent only the beginning. We are proud to present the RAHSR Achievement Award to Ella Kazerooni, MD, MS.