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**Short Biography**

Hrvoje Petek is the R. K. Mellon Chair of Physics and Astronomy and Professor of Chemistry at the University of Pittsburgh. He received his education in Chemistry from MIT (BS; 1980) and U.C. Berkeley (PhD; 1985). From 1985 to 1993 he was first a postdoctoral fellow and then a Research Associate at the Institute for Molecular Science in Okazaki, Japan. In 1993 he joined the Hitachi Advanced Research Laboratory as a Group Leader. Since 2000 he has been at the University of Pittsburgh. He is the Editor-in-Chief of Progress in Surface Science. His research interests span ultrafast spectroscopy and microscopy of solid-state materials and surfaces. He pioneered coherent multiphoton photoemission as a method for investigating coherent electron dynamics on the femtosecond temporal and nanometer spatial scales at semiconductor and metal surfaces.