From the Desk of the Editor

Volume 85 No.3&4, July-December, 2015 issue of the Journal of the Association of Engineers, India is being published amidst the Winter with the Best Wishes for the ensuing New Year 2016.

Prof. Dr. Madhusudan Bhattacharyya, the President of the Association, has inked His column as usual with a glimpse of his long standing experience in industry and academia. Contributed papers included in this issue are related to Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering and Information Technology. A Book Review is also included. We have included names of all the reviewers who have rendered valuable contributions to raise and maintain the standard of the published articles in the last four years (2012–15).

The contents of the journal is being circulated through Social Networking sites such as Facebook and Linkedin. Researchgate may be used by authors for circulating their papers. From this issue, plagiarism checking has been started using a free software, DupliCheck. We will start using Cross/Check software shortly. Abstracting service for all the available published articles will be done as soon as possible. We have already signed an Agreement with M/s. Informatics, Bangalore to do the abstracting service by assigning DOI number to each published article since the beginning. Hope for the early completion of this gigantic task.

Hope, readers will find this issue interesting. I personally thank paper authors for submitting articles to this journal. I sincerely thank the Organising Secretary of the 5th International and 26th AIMTDR Conference, 2014 held at IT, Guwahati, Prof. Dr. U.S. Dixit and the Organising Secretary of the 1st International Conference on Emerging Trends in Computer Science & Information Technology, 2015 held at Kalyani Govt. Engineering College, Kalyani, Er. Iqbal Quraishi for forwarding few papers for possible publication in the Journal. Honorable reviewers have done a great job by refereeing each article submitted to this journal. Comments and discussion on the published articles are invited from readers in the form of 'Letter to the Editor' to publish in the journal.

Contents of Vol.85 No. 1-2 2015 are included at the end of the issue as a ready reference and as per the usual practice. The 'Association News' includes briefing of different activities of the Association. The Membership Form is included within this section with the call for becoming a member of the Association which is approaching the Centenary Year in 2018-19. An organization can also opt for its Institutional membership by applying for the same on its institutional letterhead.

Articles are invited for consideration for publication in the Journal of the Association of Engineers, India. Authors are requested to please follow Author Guideline given at the end of this issue. Good quality papers in varying engineering and management areas presented in a conference may also be published in this journal after appropriate extension and revision through the process of peer review. Conference organizers may please contact the Editor in this regard. Detail of the Author Guideline, Declaration Form, Subscription Form and Advertisement Contract Form are available in the Association website, www.aeindia.org.in.

Wish you all the Heartiest and Very Warm New Year 2016 Greetings!!

Prof. Dr. Santanu Das

The Editor

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