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20th ANNIVERSARY OF THE JOURNAL ECOLOGICAL ENGINEERING AND ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION !

Respectable audience, Dear readers, Dear members of the Editorial Board, Ladies and Gentlemen, with our first 2020 issue we are pleased to note the 20th Anniversary of the Journal EEEP foundation!

The initiative to publish the journal was given by Prof. Alexander Alexandrov and Prof. Yachko Ivanov, both Members of the BAS and also members of the National Society for Ecological Engineering and Environment Protection, founded in 1997. The Board of the Society appointed an Editorial board and organized the publication of the journal, firstly one issue of the journal in 2001 and 2002, since 2003 - regularly four issues per year. Initially, the journal published mainly articles in Bulgarian with the inclusion of a number of articles in English. After 2010 the journal regularly publishes two issues per year with articles in English only and 2 issues per year with articles in Bulgarian only. In the same year, the publication of an online edition of the journal (e-ISSN 2367-8429) began which achieved significant ratings. Nowadays the journal is abstracted/indexed in some well-known international scientific databases, e.g. DOAJ, EBSCO, ICI Journals Master List (Index Copernicus: ICV 2018: 99.95), TIB (Leibniz Information Centre for Science and Technology which is acting in the capacity of the German National Library of Science and Technology, Academic Resource Index (ResearchBib), ZDB (ZeitschriftenDatenBank), WorldWideScience, CiteFactor (CF IF 2018: 2.9), WorldCat, Directory of Research Journals Indexing (DRJI) etc. The journal has CrossRef DOI and since 2018 all published scientific papers have unique DOI numbers.

Since the beginning in 2001, leading scientists from a number of European countries have been included in the Editorial Board. The regular updating of the Editorial Board with new members from abroad and Bulgaria contributes not only to extension the competence and expertise of our publishing team not only in traditional areas, but also to the inclusion of new thematic issues such as space science and technology, waste and water recycling, climate change biology and modelling, forest genetics, nuclear physics, radioecology, radiomedicine, modeling and optimal control of renewable energy systems, wind power systems, optimization and controls of bioprocesses, formal modeling of energy metabolism, nonlinear robust control of biological processes, etc.

For two decades now, the team of the Journal has been working tirelessly to elevate the popularity and the prestige of one of the most multidisciplinary Bulgarian journal in the field of ecology and ecological engineering, covering with its subject and publication activity various areas of scientific knowledge - biology, mathematics, physical chemistry, technical sciences, biotechnology, space research, etc.

Thanks to the efforts made, the dedicated and hard work of the members of the EEEP Society and the high competence of the members of the Editorial Board, the Journal shows stable and sustainable development, upholds the high scientific and publication criteria, acquires more and more importance in the created in the new 21st century competitive publication environment.

The new standards achieved and high quality of printed articles, photos, schemes, formulas and others images make it all the more desirable and sought after for publishing of research, laboratory and technological developments, reviews of topics relevant to science and society, etc.

Congratulations to the team of publishers for their efforts and professionalism!

Congratulations on the 20th Anniversary of the Journal!

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