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Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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It gives me great pleasure to bring out the 3rd issue of the **International Journal of Microwave and Optical Technology (IJMOT)** for the year 2015. This issue consists of good papers in the areas of: Coaxial transverse stub antenna, PLL in monopole radar system, optically controlled MIS structure, metamaterial monopole antenna, solitary wave in Left Handed structures, millimeter wave antenna, UWB monopole antenna for cognitive radios, patch antenna for human arm, optical nano antenna for THZ band, EDFA parameter analysis in WDM/TDM systems and integrated Bluetooth antenna for wireless communications.

If your current research paper submitted to IJMOT or any other journal is in similar area as published previously in IJMOT, please make sure to cite the reference of IJMOT. This would help in improving the impact factor of IJMOT.

Please note that the authors with their university/organization being subscriber of IJMOT in good standing will have to pay only 50% of publication charges up to 8 pages. After that it is \$30 per extra page.

I would like to invite you and your colleagues/friends to submit the papers to 15th International Symposium on Microwave and Optical Technology (ISMOT-2015) to be held in Dresden, Germany from June 29 to July 1, 2015 under the leadership of Prof. Thomas Gessner from Chemnitz University of Technology, Germany. The last date to submit 2- page Abstract is February 15, 2015. For details, please see the ISMOT-2015 "Call for Papers" in this issue. The proceedings of the ISMOT-2015 will be published in the July issue of IJMOT and selected full length papers will be published in a special issue of IJMOT.

I am very pleased to inform our authors/subscribers that IJMOT is now indexed by SCOPUS, Google, EI-Compendex, EBSCO, GIF, CiteFactor and Media Finder. We are contacting other indexing agencies also in this regard.

I would like to thank all the editorial board members, reviewers and subscribers for their continued help and support for IJMOT without their support it is not possible to publish the journal in timely manner.

Banmali S. Rawat Dated: May 20, 2015



ISMOT/IJMOT Family Sad News

Dear ISMOT/IJMOT family members and friends including reviewers/subscribers and authors, with a heavy heart I have to inform you that we have just lost one of our very active members and close friend Prof. Le-Wei Li (Joshua Li) on May 22, 2015 at 14:35 hrs. He passed away at the young age of 54 yrs in his home in Chengdu, China. It was sudden and shocking to all of us. Late Prof. Li was the Chair of ISMOT-2013 in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. Prof. K. Yasumoto has nicely put his contributions to ISMOT/IJMOT as follows:

He has contributed enormously to the IJMOT and ISMOT as the Editorial Advisory Committee Member and Member of the International Advisory Committee. His great services to IJMOT and ISMOT family will always be remembered. We will definitely miss him forever but his memories will guide us in our efforts on these activities.

You can see his extraordinary contributions to the electromagnetics, antennas, microwaves, and photonic communities from his home page at http://ie-uestc.org/lwli/index e.html

We pray for his soul to rest in Peace and give strength to his family to bear this unbearable loss.

Banmali S. Rawat Dated: May 26, 2015