

EDITORIAL PREFACE

JJMIE had another great year. We have seen a significant increase this year in articles submission. The JJMIE editorial board members have been very busy throughout the year to maintain the quality of JJMIE publications. The board has kept the tradition of excellence in quality publication for accepted papers. As a result of this effort, JJMIE has been indexed by Scopus Elsevier and EBSCO.

As in prior two years, this sixth volume of JJMIE will include six issues, twelve manuscripts in each issue. In the coming year, it is my vision to have JJMIE publishes more outstanding manuscripts from distinguished scholars in the areas of mechanical and industrial engineering. In addition to that I will be working on the inclusion of JJMIE in ISI, which will lead to a good impact number. As you read throughout this inaugural volume of JJMIE, I would like to remind you that the success of our journal depends directly on the number of quality articles submitted for review. Accordingly, I would like to request your participation by submitting quality manuscripts for review and encouraging your colleagues to submit quality manuscripts for review. One of the great benefits we can provide to our prospective authors, regardless of acceptance of their manuscript or not, is the mentoring nature of our review process. JJMIE provides authors with high quality, helpful reviews that are shaped to assist authors in improving their manuscripts.

I would like to thank the JJMIE International Advisory board members for their continuous support of JJMIE. Furthermore, I would like to thank the JJMIE Editorial Board members for their exceptional work and continuous support to JJMIE. Separately, I would like to thank my assistant to the editor-in-chief, Ahmed Al-Ghandoor, the Hashemite University, for his continuous assistance. Moreover and as in prior years, I would like to highlight and proudly thank for the group of outstanding reviewers, throughout this past year, you all have done an amazing work, we're honored to have you on our review list and for the valuable contributions you provided to authors. Your mentorships and substantial review comments to authors of all articles worthy of JJMIE review are what made JJMIE reached this remarkable rank among other international journals.

I very much appreciate your support as we strive to make JJMIE one of the most authoritative journals on mechanical and industrial engineering.

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