# **Preface**

The 2013 2nd International Conference on Applied Mechanics and Materials, ICAMM2013, was held in Zhuhai, China from November 23 to November 24, 2013. It is an annual conference covering all aspects of mechanics and materials: theoretical, experimental, and computational. Specific symposium topics of interest include: mechanics of materials, rock and soil mechanics, fluid and heat mechanics, machine parts and mechanisms, composites, micro/nano materials, steel and alloys, and building materials etc. Members of the applied mechanics and materials communities are invited to propose symposia and to actively participate in the conference.

We are delighted to welcome authors and delegates to this conference. We would like to thank the local organizing committee, the scientific committee, the reviewers and lastly the authors of the papers featured in this conference proceedings. I extend my warmest welcome to all our conference delegates.

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