

# Preface

This issue of “Applied Mechanics and Materials” journal covers the proceedings of the international scientific conference “Science and Engineering 2015” which was held in Płock, November, 5-6, 2015. The conference was organized by the Faculty of Civil Engineering, Mechanics and Petrochemistry, Warsaw University of Technology (Płock Branch) in cooperation with the Faculty of Geodesy and Cartography, WUT, and the Faculty of Civil Engineering and Geodesy, Military University of Technology.

The main goals of the conference were to provide an opportunity for young scientists to present their achievements and exchange ideas on the fields of engineering and technology. It has to be mentioned that many of the submissions were made by the authors who had just began their scientific career. Thus, one of the main goals of the conference has been fulfilled.

The present issue contains 54 papers by 77 authors from 6 countries. All the submissions underwent a double peer-review process. As the issue covers a wide range of topics, it has been divided into six chapters, as follows:

Chapter 1: Building Structures and Materials

Chapter 2: Energy Saving and Energy Efficiency in Civil Engineering

Chapter 3: Geotechnics

Chapter 4: Engineering Mechanics and Mechanical Engineering

Chapter 5: Chemical Engineering

The Editorial Board would like to thank to all the authors for their effort made to prepare papers. We wish you many citations and to succeed in the future research. We also would like to thank to the Organizing Committee as well as the Scientific Board for their cooperation and evaluation of contributed papers.

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