

## Preface

The “International Conference on Materials and Manufacturing Engineering (ICMME 2015)” was held on the campus of Islamic University of Technology (IUT) in Dhaka, Bangladesh during 25-27 December, 2015. Islamic University of Technology (IUT) is an educational and research institution in Bangladesh run and funded by the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC). Department of Mechanical and Chemical Engineering took an initiative to make a research hub among the Materials and Manufacturing engineering related scientists and academicians in the world which made the ICMME. The conference consisted of invited keynote lectures, technical sessions, poster presentations and short course spread over 3 days. The topics of ICMME 2015 covered Material Science and Manufacturing Engineering Technology and other related topics. A short course on Industrial Management was also arranged in addition to the technical sessions. The conference provided a platform for presenting the current research and creative activities in Materials and Manufacturing Engineering. The conference also provided opportunities for the delegates of different areas to exchange new ideas and application experiences face to face, to establish a hub for research relations and to find global partners for future collaboration. The contributed papers were presented in about 10 technical sessions and one special session for mini-symposium on “Internet Aided Manufacturing”.

All papers, both invited and contributed to the conference, were reviewed by two experts from the relevant fields for presenting in the conference. All accepted papers that were registered and presented was forwarded for further reviewing process by two experts for consideration of publication in International Journal of Applied Mechanics and Materials.

Overall, ICMME 2015 was very successful. The quality of the keynote lectures, abstracts and posters presented made the conference unique in its field and gave insight into new areas. ICMME will continue every two years and given the success of ICMME 2015, we expect that future ICMME will be as enlightening as this one.

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