

A FEW WORDS ON A DECADE OF OUR JOURNAL'S PRESENCE IN THE WORLD OF ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS

In 2012 Nuclear Technology & Radiation Protection marked a decade since the journal, guided by a new Editorial Board promoting a new editorial policy, first registered its e-address on the worldwide web, thus entering the domain of modern electronic communications. In the ten years since, significant advances have been made. NT&RP is at present being published quarterly, while the number of papers submitted and published has tripled in the meantime. Our journal has also been included into the prestigious citation data base of the Web of Science and secured a place on the list of international journals with a given impact factor. As an open access journal, it is accessible to all wishing to surf the doiSerbia repository and a number of other open access portals. The credit for this goes to the members of the Editorial Board, Advisory Editorial Board and the many dedicated reviewers and collaborators to the journal who have, by their selfless efforts and volunteer work helped to create the reputation NT&RP enjoys nowadays. Their names are to be found in the impressum of the current edition of the journal and the List of Reviewers. Last but not least, our gratitude also goes to all the scientists, contributors to our journal, who have chosen to submit papers on their findings to our journal and in doing so, helped us to further enlarge our readership base and the number of citations of works published by NT& RP.

*Finally, we would like to call particular attention to the fact that, over the course of the past decade, a number of renowned scientific names have been added to the list of our Advisory Editorial Board members. In the meantime, due to the expiration of their mandates, retirement or other circumstances, some Board members, valuable and esteemed associates of the journal's Advisory Board since its most testing pioneer days of ten years ago, have had to be substituted. With a gratitude words sometimes fail, we hereby wish to express our special thanks to the former associates and members of the NT&RP Advisory Board, **Prof. Dr. Miroslav Kopečni, Prof. Dr. Ezra Elias, Prof. Dr. Kenzo Fujimoto, and Prof. Dr. Sergej Bulkin** who have, by virtue of their suggestions, advice and scientific authority, given an immense impulse to the journal in its formative years and contributed to its subsequent growth and present status for which we remain forever indebted to them. Firm in our belief that we can count on their assistance in times to come, NT&RP remains open and thankful for any suggestions concerning the editorial policy of the journal they might offer.*

Yours truly,



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