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Welcome to the newest issue of the MEST Journal!

Last year we have started to use a new platform for publishing our journal, Open Journal System (OJS). All our previous issues we republished on it. So, we have two versions of our journal now. This will be continued in this year, also, to give our authors and readers enough time to adopt. The journal is changing its shape, but it remains to follow its mission. In the meantime, between the two issues of the MEST Journal we actively participated in the organization and realization of two international scientific conferences "Management 2018" and "Law 2018". At the conference Management 2018, a collection of the summaries was published, which enabled us to select some of the most interesting works and to publish them exclusively in full length in this issue of the MEST Journal. We continue to help authors to present their works and we will also support the organization of the International Scientific Conference "ZITEH 2018" which will deal with the theme MODERN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - USE, MISUSE AND PROTECTION. We expect this conference to be fruitful as well as the two previous ones.

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We keep the practice that articles, that have undergone peer review, and will be published in the next issues, we make available to readers in the form of preview - early reading. The focal point of the journal remained at international level, with the view on matters from a global perspective. However, due to their importance, in this issue have been published some papers relating to some specific local events.

This issue is published online and in print. In this issue, twenty of submitted papers were published, of which six were classified in the group of the original research scientific papers, and thirteen in the group of the scientific review articles. One article is classified as the scientific critique.

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