

Foreword

The 2nd International Symposium on Environment and Morality, ISEM2014, organised by Adiyaman University, Academic Platform, the Association for Solidarity of Environmental Organization (CEKUD) and the Environment Foundation was held at Adiyaman University, October 24-26, 2014

First of all, we express our utmost gratitude to the Rector of Adiyaman University, Prof.Dr. M.Talha GONULLU, for his patronage and support to organize this international event. In the same spirit, we also express our thanks to the Governor of Adiyaman, Mr. Mahmut DEMİRTAS, Turkish Cooperation and Coordination Agency and ISTAC for their sponsorship and instruments for the completion of this symposium in a most successful way.

We strongly hope that this symposium, ISEM2014, provides a unique atmosphere for the academicians world-wide to share and discuss the holistic methods of the current interdisciplinary scientific activities so that a strong cooperation among the universities and scientists is achieved on the international level of engineering related to environment. This symposium is also thought to be an excellent opportunity to create a reliable interpretation of scientific findings by examining the different dimensions and aspects of the fields of both engineering and social sciences within the framework of the scientific methods.

We express our special thanks to world-wide well known keynote speakers for their kind acceptance to be part of the symposium, Prof. Dr. Talip Alp, Member of The Scientific And Technological Research Council of Turkey, Prof. Dr. Zehrudin Osmanovic, University of Tuzla, Department of Chemical Engineering and Prof. Dr. Zuhdija Adilovic, Member of the World Union of Muslim Scholars Based in Doha

The total number of full papers submitted was 180 from 11 different countries. The ISEM2014 Program Committee has organised an exciting program that includes 28 sessions on the Engineering, Social and Religious themes. While *engineering themes* ranged from Solid Waste and Management to Engineering Applications in Terms of Environment and Morality, *social themes* covered the topics from Environmental Morality to Environmentally Responsible Education. The topics, like Environment in the Context of Religious and Moral Education and Environmental Perspectives in Religious Fundamental Resources were discussed under the *religious themes*.

The Proceedings consist only of papers that have not previously been published. All papers have undergone a detailed peer-review process and were selected based on rigorous standards. The papers were presented by the authors or co-authors and discussed in highly interactive sessions.



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