

FOREWORD

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I am among those elderly persons, who had witnessed the risky start of a private college following the political changes in Central-Eastern Europe, as a never before experiment in that part of the world. This college, as consequence of devoted and competent professors, management and crew grew step-by-step first to nationally, later to internationally renowned school with broadening educational plans.

The journal "Informatika" has also changed. It grew to become a herald of scientific work of coworkers of the College with occasional contribution of guests. Its scope also became broader. Besides results in informatics other fields like engineering and economics also show up in the journal. This is not only the reflection of broadened topics of education of the College, but signals that the staff besides understanding market needs, is capable to execute high level science also in those new areas. Thus, new fields are introduced without compromise in educational quality.

Thus, the journal proves that the school is capable to fulfill a complex educational scope. Giving solid scientific basis on these subjects, it escorts the reader to engineering applications.

This year issue also continues interesting results on informatics, the main topic of the school. Included are new ways of handling data and results in similar fields.

To me, who is convinced that today's research and development cannot have more important task but to find ways, provided they exist, to keep up habitability of planet Earth. I.e., to approach a non-polluting, energy saving way of life, called now as "circular economy". Toward this goal, bottom-up techniques, like the one studied by scientists of the College would play a crucial role.