

## **Editor's Note**

I have the pleasure to present this new issue of Microwave Review, a journal of the Serbian Society for Microwave Theory and Technique and of the IEEE MTT-S Chapter of Serbia and Montenegro. This issue includes a number of papers representing the extended versions of the selected conference papers, as well as a number of newly submitted papers.

The first group of papers is related to the 9th International Conference on Telecommunications in Modern Satellite, Cable and Broadcasting Services – TELSIKS 2009, which was held at the Faculty of Electronic Engineering in Niš, Serbia, on October 7 to 9, 2009. This IEEE-cosponsored conference is one of the most important events in the field of modern telecommunication technologies in the Central and Southeastern Europe, offering an opportunity for promoting, discussing and spreading ideas in the field of telecommunications. I would like to thank very much to Prof. Bratislav Milovanović, the conference chair, for his help in editing this issue. The selection of a few papers for publishing in this journal from a wider list of high quality conference papers was not an easy task and it has been made on the basis of the reviewers' evaluation and of the opinions of the session chairmen. The authors of the selected papers were invited to submit the extended versions of their conference papers. There are four papers in this group. The authors of the first one, M. Dalarsson, Z. Jakšić and P. Tassin, are from Sweden, Serbia and Belgium, respectively. The second paper is written by B. Stošić, Serbia, and the third one by a group of authors: O.Boric-Lubecke, V. M. Lubecke, I. Mostafanezhad (USA), B.K. Park (Korea), W. Massagram (Thailand) and B.Jokanovic (Serbia). The authors of the fourth selected paper are V. D. Orlic and M. Lutovac from Serbia.

These papers are followed by a group of five regular papers. The fifth paper in this issue comes from Greece and the authors are P. V. Betzios and N. K. Uzunoglu. The next three papers come from India: N. Gupta, S. K. Raut and K. Sivaji are authors of the sixth, L. Vershney and J. S. Roy of the seventh and A. K. Tiwary and N. Gupta of the eighth paper. Finally, the ninth paper has been written by S. I. Tsakiris, A. D. Salis and N. K. Uzunoglu from Greece.

At the end, a report on the IEEE MTT-S Chapter of Serbia & Montenegro activities is given by B. Milovanović, the chairman of the chapter, followed by a report on the TELSIKS 2009 conference.

I would like to use this opportunity to kindly invite prospective authors to submit their manuscripts for publishing in the forthcoming issues of this journal.

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