

We are profoundly excited and happy to present the first issue of our journal to our distinguished readers. This journal, which aims to make and then to enhance the communication and co-operation among the executives in the tourism industry, academics and researchers, will be published online biannually. In our first issue, five distinctive papers concerning academics, researchers and others in the tourism field have been published.

Our journal is international refereed and our primary goal in the future is to ensure that our journal becomes worldwide known and fills the relevant gap in the field. Our mission and effort to enhance our journal's scientific eligibility and prestige is intensively ever-growing.

I warmly thank the referees and the members of the international editorial board who have contributed to the scientific evaluation of the papers in our journal. I wish our journal to be beneficial both to our University and for scientists all around the world, and I thank every single person who has contributed to the journal.

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