Editorial: Technology management for sustainable energy polices: tools for decision making through multiple perspectives for policy makers

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Welcome to a themed issue of *IJETP* focusing on 'technology management'. This is my first editorial since I took over the journal as the new Editor-in Chief last year. I would like to thank Dr. Nasr Alkadi who built a very strong foundation for this journal. We agreed on this issue when he was leading the journal, the objective of which is to re-emphasise the objectives of the journal. We want the journal to focus on multiple perspectives rather than a single perspective. We want the authors to address perspectives such as political, environmental and social in addition to technical and economic. It is critical to look at these perspectives and at the same time to make the right decision on which policy to sponsor. We hope that you will enjoy the papers and contribute to our journal with new research evaluating energy technologies through multiple perspectives.