
Editorial

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Biographical notes: Jinyang Xu is an Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering at the Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China. His research interests focus on composites machining, numerical modelling, and surface texturing. He has published over 100 articles in international journals and conference proceedings. He currently serves as the Editor-in-Chief of *Journal of Coating Science and Technology*, *International Journal of Precision Technology*, and *International Journal of Product Sound Quality*. He is also an associate editor of *Proc. Inst. Mech. Eng. Pt. E-J. Process. Mech. Eng., Simulation – Trans. Soc. Mod. Sim. Int.* He is a Fellow of IAAM and also a senior member of ASME and SCS.

I am honoured to serve as the Editor-in-Chief of the *International Journal of Product Sound Quality (IJPSQ)*. On behalf of the editorial board, I am pleased to announce the print of the inaugural issue of *IJPSQ*. The journal publishes original research findings addressing the use of sound for the design, fabrication, manufacture, and assessment of engineering products. It aims to provide a scientific platform for academia and industry to disseminate their latest research results in all subjects and topics related to the sound issues of modern products. The journal publishes original papers, review papers, case studies, book reviews, commentaries, news, and special issues organised by qualified scientists in their areas of expertise. Original papers should have significant research and development in the technical areas listed. Review papers should be of a quality that represents the state-of-the-art in the field and future trends. Short technical notes usually describe a single result, experiment, or technique of general interest.

All manuscripts submitted for possible publication in the journal will be checked by our highly experienced editorial board members before undergoing a rigorous and rapid peer-review process. *IJPSQ* encourages researchers to publish the results of their recent theoretical and experimental developments in as much detail as possible so that results can be helpful for industries or academic research. Therefore, there is no restriction on the length of an article, and there is an option for the authors to publish their papers under an open-access model.

The inaugural issue of this new international journal features six published manuscripts from a wide range of subjects, originating from universities in China, India, and the USA. I would like to thank all the anonymous peer reviewers and the contributing authors for making this inaugural issue possible, as well as the academics, researchers, and practitioners who joined us in this endeavour as editorial board members. I greatly acknowledge Inderscience Publishers and the editorial team for their professional support throughout the production of this journal. My personal gratitude also goes to the

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Finally, I welcome you to submit your original research results to *IJPSQ* by following the instructions for authors available on the journal's webpage. More details regarding the submission guidance can be found on the homepage of the journal: <https://www.inderscience.com/ijpsq>. I also expect more readers and colleagues to widely publicise and promote this journal. I welcome excellent researchers to join the editorial board team of *IJPSQ* and make suggestions for the academic development of the journal. If you are willing to join the editorial board, please send your CV and self-introduction to me by e-mail at xujinyang@sjtu.edu.cn. If you would like to organise a thematic issue of *IJPSQ*, please get in touch with me by email as soon as possible. The journal also looks forward to cooperating with high-standard international conferences to publish high-quality conference proceedings. Once again, please help to disseminate this unique journal to your friends, colleagues, and collaborators.