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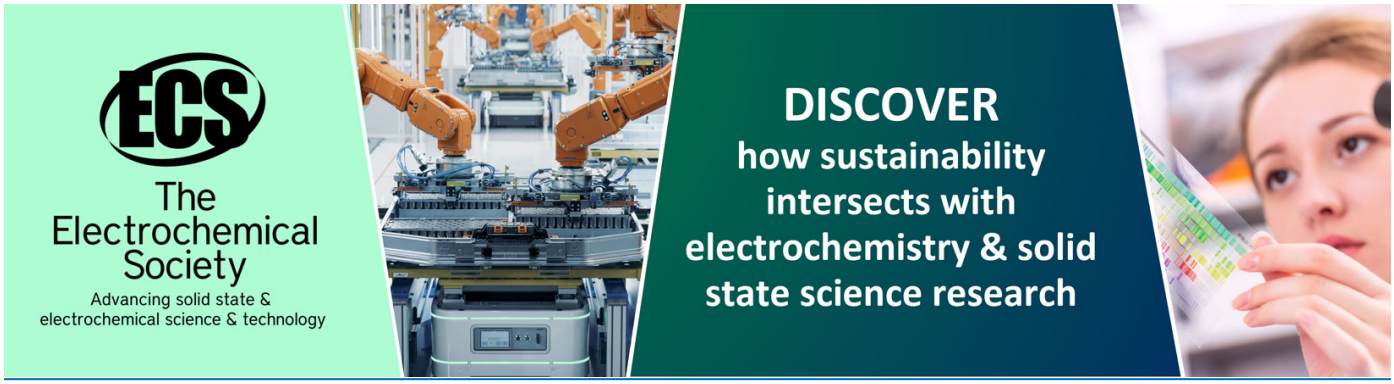

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PREFACE

It was a great pleasure to welcome all the participants from many countries to the 2017 2nd International Conference on Innovative Engineering Materials (ICIEM 2017) in Philadelphia, USA, 21-23 October, 2017. ICIEM 2017 is dedicated to the dissemination of the state of the art knowledge and technical issues related to Innovative Engineering Materials.

The major goal of the conference was to bring academic scientists, engineers, and industry researchers together to exchange and share their research and discuss the practical challenges encountered in their research and explore opportunities for collaboration. Professors from various prestigious universities in USA and abroad were invited to deliver keynote and plenary talks describing the latest information in their respective areas of expertise. The conference offered a golden opportunity for the students, researchers and engineers to interact with the experts to get their advice and consult on technical matters, and collaboration opportunities and strategies.

The conference proceeding present a selection of peer reviewed papers submitted to the conference from universities, research institutes and industry. All the papers were subjected to rigorous peer-review by conference committee members and international reviewers. The papers were selected based on their quality and relevancy to the conference. The proceedings present to the readers the recent advances in the field of Materials Science and Engineering and their Applications, and in Materials Manufacturing and Processing etc.

On behalf of the conference committee and organizers, I would like to thank all the authors who contributed to this volume as well as to the reviewers, speakers, chairpersons, sponsors and all the conference participants for their support to ICIEM 2017.

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