

## Letter from the Editor

*Dear Reader,*

*Another year of publishing **Fibres & Textiles in Eastern Europe** behind us, another year of publishing *Fibres & Textiles in Eastern Europe* ahead of us. We are setting new goals for the New Year, we are planning to improve our editorial work in order to meet the requirements of our authors.*

*At the end of September, 2013, we held a meeting of the Scientific Programming Board and Editorial Committee of our journal, at which many problems were thoroughly discussed and the conclusions drawn will provide useful guidelines for our future everyday work. The name of the Scientific Programming Board was changed to the Scientific Board emphasising its broad competency. The membership of the Board was also changed. Hereby I would like to welcome the new members of the Scientific Board, the prominent world famous scientists:*

*Professor Valery Bashmetau, Vitebsk, Belarus*

*Professor Andrzej Błędzki, Szczecin, Poland*

*Professor Chokri Cherif, Dresden, Germany*

*Professor Hans-Peter Fink, Potsdam, Germany*

*Professor Vladan Koncar, Lille, France*

*Professor Lieva Van Langenhove, Ghent, Belgium*

*It is a great honour for us to receive the support of such eminent personalities, and we are very excited by our close cooperation in the future. In the next issue, No. 2/2014, we will present short biographies and pictures of all the members of the new term of the Scientific Board.*

*At the same time we would like to warmly thank all the members of the Scientific Board for their cooperation, who for various reasons will not participate in the new term of the Board, namely Prof. Christo Betchev, Prof. Roshan Shishoo, Prof. Sigitas Stanys and our long-time friend and a great supporter of our journal Prof. Andrzej Włochowicz.*

*Sincerely,  
Editor-in-Chief*



*Bogdan Mac*