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(I sincerely apologize should you received this e-mail multiple times.)

Dear Colleagues across the globe, wherever you are, greetings,

Once again, as in past 14 year and now 28 issues, it is with great pleasure and pride that I inform you of the availability of **AAM Volume 14, Issue 2 (December 2019)** of *Applications and Applied Mathematics: An International Journal* (AAM) at the end of its 14th year of existence**.** This volume, with attached Table of Contents contains **43 papers and 673 pages, making a total of 1289 for the year 2019,** of peer-reviewed and quality papers in all mathematical sciences and operations research disciplines**.** This Issue, as others, can be viewed at **http://www.pvamu.edu/aam.** The next issue will appear in June of 2020.

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I want to congratulate all the contributors, reviewers, Editorial Board members, the Journal's Associate Editors, my departmental colleagues, and the PVAMU's IT units for their various parts in helping to ensure the success of the journal.

As a sad note, it is with deep sadness to announce passing of one of our Board members who gave me the honor to be a part of AAM from the start, 14 years ago, Professor Dr. Mohammad Reza Meshkani, from Beheshti University in Tehran, Iran, who passed away on December 8, 2019. Our prayers for him. I am sure he is resting at peace. May God bless him. He will be remembered as a great colleague, friend and a respectful member of AAM's Board of Editors.

Should you have questions or comments about AAM, please contact the Editor-in-Chief.

With warmest regards,
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