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

Once again, it is with great pleasure that I inform you of the availability of the Volume 05, Issue 10 (December 2010) issue of the Applications and Applied Mathematics: An International Journal. **AAM** is available online at no charge. The table of contents is attached and may be viewed at http://www.pvamu.edu/aam. If you did not receive this e-mail directly and wish to receive e-mail announcements when new issues are published or if you have questions or comments about **AAM**, please send an e-mail to the Editor-in-Chief at amhaghighi@pvamu.edu. My apologies for a possible redundancy of the e-mail.

We are now completing the 5th successful year of the AAM existence. In order to pre-empt a lengthening of the turn around time that could be caused by a surge in the number of manuscripts submitted and accepted, we have arranged for the current issue to contain **29 papers** (**254 pages**) covering a wide range of topics in applications of mathematics and statistics, which, I believe, you will find them interesting. Our invitation for new manuscripts for review and possible publication is extended to all researchers in the areas covered by AAM. Our kind Board of Editors' members and other reviewers are always ready and gracious to work with authors to get their manuscripts to the AAM publishable standard. We also caution that final acceptance or rejection of manuscripts after review is an integral part of the peer review process and that rejection, in no way, minimizes the professional stature of the author(s).

As mentioned in previous Dear Colleague memos, we are proud that the journal is registered with the Library of Congress under ISSN 1932-9466, so that the papers contained are also mentioned in the journal of <u>Current Mathematical Publications</u> (CMP) of the <u>American Mathematical Society</u> (AMS), and are reviewed by the Mathematical Reviews (<u>MathSciNet</u>) of the American Mathematical Society (<u>http://www.ams.org/publications/math-reviews/math-reviews</u>).

It gives me great honor to announce that as of January 01, 2011, the new <u>AAM Board of Editors</u> will consist of 65 of top researchers from 28 countries and 6 continents. I welcome every one of them and appreciate their times, efforts, and commitments, that I am sure will bring more success of attracting even more manuscripts of high quality, and will make our peer reviewed, international journal of mathematics and its applications in all areas of research, even a better one. I am also deeply appreciative of our reviewers, especially, those who submit extremely in-depth reports that authors can benefit tremendously from. My gratitude also goes to my faculty, staff and the Office of Institutional Relations and Public Service at Prairie View A&M University for providing the opportunity to get the journal online.

With warmest regards, Haghighi

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