

**Message from
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Dear Fellow Engineers

Assalam-o-Alaikum!

Hope and Pray for your happiness and prosperity. The issue will be in your hands with delay mainly due to dearth of technical papers and partially due to our pre-occupation with the arrangements of “**Centenary Celebrations**” (1912-2012) of the Congress scheduled to be held in December, 2012. It will be a 4-day event befitting the stature of the Congress as the oldest and most prestigious association of engineers. It will be a unique event to be participated by members of the Congress. Icons of engineering profession working in Public / Private sector, Scholars, Scientists, Educationists, Engineering Consultants and above all Young Professional Engineers. It will be capped by issuance of numerous publications:-

- History of the Congress from 1912-2012.
- Proceedings Papers – Book containing 24-Technical papers on diverse technical projects / issues.
- Book on the background history / achievements / projects in pipeline of leading public / private sector organizations.
- Book of Symposium papers on the topic of “Emerging Phenomenon of Untimely Rains / Floods-2011 in Pakistan”.
- Summary of papers awarded Gold Medals covering the period 1912-2012.

It will be seen from the present volume of the Journal that the Congress has been conducting technical visits to mega development projects, observing World Water Day / World Environment Day and arranging technical lectures on the topics of vital importance in the Engineering field.

I earnestly hope that your pro-active participation in the coming “Centenary Celebrations” / Professional activities of the Congress will be an immense source of encouragement for us. I will also urge all members to actively contribute technical papers for dissemination of engineering knowledge and practices.

Yours sincerely



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