

## OPENING REMARKS



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In January 2015, *Science and Innovation* academic and research journal of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine celebrates the tenth anniversary.

The publication was founded pursuant to the Resolution of the Presidium of the NAS of Ukraine no. 7 of January 12, 2005 on the foundation of *Science and Innovation* research and practical journal.

A prerequisite for its establishment was an urgent need to comprehensively and professionally inform the public about the role of science and research in promoting the innovative development of our country.

Therefore, the editorial board is composed of famous scholars and researchers from scientific institutions of the NAS of Ukraine and universities of Ukraine who have rich experience in implementing R&D projects.

The journal focuses on the innovation policy of Ukraine, the promising results of R&D institutes of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, universities, and other organizations, as well as on the commercialization of R&D works.

The journal consists of several key thematic sections. The section on the general issues of modern science, technology, and innovation policy, contains materials related to legislative and methodological aspects of technology transfer, innovative development of economy, and comments thereon. The special section describes the results of R&D innovation projects of the NAS of Ukraine. *The World of Innovation* section deals with analytical studies and scientific information on topical issues of R&D innovation development. In 2007, a new section, *Protection of the Intellectual Property*, was introduced to the journal. It highlights the issues related to the legal protection of intellectual property rights, the information activities in the field of intellectual property, the experience and problems of invention at the current stage of research and engineering development of Ukraine.

Compulsory professional review and editing of all materials guarantees a high academic level of *Science and Innovation* journal. It has been introduced to the list of professional periodicals for publishing major results of Ph.D. theses on engineering and economic sciences.

In 2014, the editorial board together with *Akadempriodika* publishing house of the NAS of Ukraine launched an English version of *Science and Innovation* journal (parallel English translation of the

Ukrainian version <http://www.scinn-eng.org.ua>). In the same year, the journal started to assign digital IDs (DOI) to all materials published. Now, every article published in the journal has a unique code that unlike the bibliographical reference can be recognized correctly. Having made a request on Cross-Ref website ([www.crossref.org](http://www.crossref.org)) by DOI digital identifier one can get not only the abstract, but also the link to the full version of document on the journal website (<http://www.scinn.org.ua>).

Congratulations on the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of *Science and Innovation* journal to all its readers and contributors, as well as to those involved in its publication! I hope for further cooperation for the sake of the innovative development of Ukraine.

Sincerely yours,

President of the NAS of Ukraine,  
Editor-in-Chief of *Science and Innovation* Journal  
Full Member of the NAS of Ukraine  
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