

## Foreword to the Initial Issue of the **SOCIETAS ET IURISPRUDENTIA**

### **Honored academia,**

the Faculty of Law of the Trnava University in Trnava has decided to publish a new international on-line journal **SOCIETAS ET IURISPRUDENTIA** since the new academic year 2013/2014. I believe that our decision to launch a new journal will be welcomed by all our pedagogues those would like to present their current scientific work not only to the inland scientific community, but also to the wider outland. Issuing the international scientific journal will very likely meet with understanding also by all our potential contributors from Slovakia as well as from abroad, those I would like to invite to a creative cooperation in this way.

Authors of scientific studies and articles will apply in an anonymous competition for the publication of their contributions. I sincerely hope that the journal will successfully compete with other professional legal journals. Its uniqueness as well as advantage is that it will be issued in several foreign languages, predominantly in the English language. This way also allows to the much broader extent a better transfer of scientific ideas of our authors to abroad. For a superior reviewing the contributions prepared for the journal we have created a broad base of expert reviewers. As you no doubt noticed, the international editorial board of the journal consists also of foreign members and this constitutes thus an essential guarantee of achieving and holding a high professional level of the journal.

International journal **SOCIETAS ET IURISPRUDENTIA** is a reviewed periodical. Scientific studies and articles will be reviewed by knowledgeable reviewers. Through contributors' entering an anonymous creative scientific competition ensuring the highest level of scientific and professional level of the journal will be assumed. Welcomed are also scientific and professional contributions from disciplines related to law, such as sociology, international relations, psychology and other disciplines of social sciences, in which the authors offer current social issues those interest not only lawyers, but also the wider academic community.

Dear our contributors, in any branch of law it is very likely to find problems those have for a long time been waiting for a solid theoretical execution. Think about which of them could address and attract not only the Slovak but also the foreign science. These may also include current

issues of legal practice, proposals for solutions those can inspire our inland colleagues as well as colleagues from abroad. We will very intensively aim at becoming a read journal. To achieve this aim we have also technically created a feedback.

Dear our readers, I hope that in a very short time we will convince you that reading our journal will be a good helper by your professional work and that it will inspire you to new solutions you by your work. We would be very pleased if our journal becomes for you a clever and helpful guide and helper by your professional work and its permanent improvement.

International scientific reviewed journal of the Law Faculty of the Trnava University in Trnava, the first number of which you get right now in your hands, should become a good platform for scientific profiling all its readers and contributors. I sincerely hope that you will become not only steady and loyal readers of our journal, but also its active co-creators.

I wish the authors of contributions a lot of creative invention by writing the contributions, and the editorial board, the executive editor as well as the reviewers a lot of patience and seriousness in holding a high scientific level of our journal.

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