

**From the Desk of the Editors:**

We are quite happy to publish the second issue of the inaugural volume of the online journal "The Beats of Natural Sciences". Our aim is to present this journal as an effective medium connecting the researchers, the teachers in various academic institutions as well as the young generation students, who got some exposure of scientific research either through their project work or through some other activities, together. We find that already our effort is getting some warm response from at least a section of the said target audience and different people in various Colleges, Universities and Institutes even at national and international level expressed their appreciation in favour of this venture. We would like to convey our gratitude to the authors whose continuous support and cooperation from the very beginning have made our journey smooth and rewarding. We would also like to thank particularly the National Science Laboratory for their prompt action to assign the ISSN for this series within very few days after the publication of the first issue of this journal.

At the same time we apologise to the authors whose submitted articles for this issue have not been published for some technical reasons. In this issue apart from the sections like 'Brief reports of original research works' and 'Review on current frontiers or historical milestones', another section opened up, namely 'Science, environment and society'. We expect the encouragement and enthusiasm we are receiving at present from the various corners of the academics regarding this journal will continue to grow in future.