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## Message from the Director



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Welcome to the second issue of Waves!. If it was a pleasure for me to present issue number one, it is certainly even more exciting to foreword this new issue. There are two main reasons for this.

Firstly, this second issue confirms our initial objective to consolidate a high quality peer-reviewed publication aimed at the dissemination of our most notable research, development and innovation results. Waves is here to stay!.

Secondly, we have learned from our previous experience and enriched our publication with novel features, the most relevant being the inclusion of invited papers written by international experts in the different fields of interest of waves who collaborate with our groups in the framework of collaborative research projects.

As in number one, this issue presents a balanced "menu" of the different areas inside the field of Telecommunications that are subject to active research by ITEAM groups. This set is certainly broad and reflects the fact that ITEAM is currently the leading university research institute in the field of Telecommunications, not only within the Universidad Politécnica de Valencia, but also in the geographical context of the Valencian Community.

I would like to finish this short foreword by expressing our gratitude and appreciation to both our authors as well as to the panel of external reviewers who play such an extremely important role in guaranteeing the final quality of the papers published in Waves.

Enjoy it!