PREFACE

IC4M 2018 & ICDES 2018 were held in Barcelona, Spain during Feb.22-25, 2018. IC4M 2018 & ICDES 2018 were organized by Hong Kong Society of Mechanical Engineers (HKSME) and IQS (Institut Químic de Sarrià), Barcelona, Spain. The conference provides a useful and wide platform both for display the latest research and for exchange of research results and thoughts in broad Mechanical, Manufacturing, Modeling, Mechatronics, Design, Engineering and Science. The participants of the conference were from almost every part of the world, with background of either academia or industry, even well-known enterprise. The success and prosperity of the conference is reflected high level of the papers received.

The proceedings are a compilation of the accepted papers and represent an interesting outcome of the conference. This book covers 3 chapters: Design of Engineering and Science; Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering; Engineering Modeling and Mechatronics.

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We sincerely hope that IC4M 2018 & ICDES 2018 will be a forum for excellent discussions that will put forward new ideas and promote collaborative researches. We are sure that the proceedings will serve as an important research source of references and the knowledge, which will lead to not only scientific and engineering progress but also other new products and processes.

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