From the Editor-in-Chief

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Dear Colleagues:

This issue includes nine Special Issue papers and one UAV section paper. The Special Issue papers, as all other papers, went through a thorough review process with most of them going through the full cycle twice. The Guest Editors, then, made their recommendation to the Editor-in-Chief. This is stated because it is very important for the readers to realize that all papers follow the same process from submission to acceptance and publication.

We are working continuously to optimize the review cycle; we believe we have managed to process all papers and assign Editors to them faster than

before, and we monitor closely the paper review cycle. We send 'reminder e-mails' to the reviewers and handling Editors aiming at timely recommendations. We ask for your understanding and patience as the number of submissions is increasing faster than before.

Enjoy the issue.

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